



*Fostering generations of Christ's disciples
for the transformation of the world.*

**Sunday, October 14, 2018
10:30 am Worship**

Preparation for Worship

Good morning! Please greet those seated around you. When we hear the first notes of the piano, organ or guitars, let's lower our voices to a whisper and prepare our hearts for worship. Please pray for our musicians and worship leaders, that God will inspire them as they lead us. Thank you for silencing your electronic devices.

PRELUDE "Andante, Op. 98" (A. Dvorak)
"Draw Me Close" (K. Carpenter) Margo Cox

CALL TO WORSHIP Bracken Deatherage

*** OPENING SONGS** "Ancient of Days"
"King of My Heart"

OPENING PRAYER

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES Cynthia Bement
(2nd grade & younger excused to Activity Time)

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS
OFFERTORY "Majesty" Chancel Choir
*** DOXOLOGY**
*** PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

*** HYMN** "The Church's One Foundation", vs. 1, 2 & 5 UMH 545

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Job 38:1-7 (NRSV) pg. 484

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Hebrews 4:12-16 (The Message) pg. 227

SERMON "How The Bible Reads Us!" Pastor Jerry Poole

*** CLOSING SONG** "It Is Well with My Soul" UMH 377

*** BENEDICTION**

*** RESPONSE** "Go Now In Peace"
Go now in peace, never be afraid, God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true, Know He will guide you in all you do. Amen, amen, amen.

POSTLUDE "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" (Spiritual, arr. M. Hayes) Margo Cox

***Please stand as you are able.**

Today, October 14th
Worship (S)9 am & 10:30 am
116th Church Anniversary Celeb. (IP) ...After each service
Sr UMY The Great Pumpkin Hunt 6 pm

Monday, October 15th
M&M Potluck (I/P)Noon
Boy Scouts (IP) 7 pm

Tuesday, October 16th
Holly Daze Set-up (Whole Church)9 am

Wednesday, October 17th
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Bible Study with Pastor Jerry (CR)..... 11 am
Choir Practice (S)..... 6:15 pm
Christmas Cantata Practice (S) 7 pm
Praise Band Practice (S) 7:45 pm

Thursday, October 18th
Holly Daze Set-up (Whole Church)9 am
Hawthorne Court Communion (HC) 3 pm
Soul Soup Dinner (IP) 5 pm
Church Council Meeting (CR) 6:30 pm
Handbell Choir (S) 6:30 pm

Friday, October 19th
Holly Daze Set-up (Whole Church)9 am

Saturday, October 20th
Holly Daze Bazaar 9 am- 3 pm
NA Event Meeting (SWR) 6 pm
Narcotics Anonymous (SWR) 6:30 pm

Sunday, October 21st
Worship (S)9 am & 10:30 am
Funday (4th & 5th Gr Rm)Noon
Jr & Sr UMY Corn Maze 3 pm

Those Serving God With Us Today:

Ushers Harold Baker, Arlan & Mary Gadeken & Gus Kittson
Coffee Hour Koren Burling
Liturgist Bracken Deatherage
Altar Decor Micki Perry
Greeters Bob and Ann Kelly

Attendance Report – October 7th

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Sunday School	49
Activity Time	6
Jr UMY	15
Sr UMY	25

Welcome! Please sign the **Ritual of Friendship** in the black folder of your pew. Please do not keep pens in the folders. Include your address and phone number so we may send you a "church information brochure". **Name tags** are also available in the pew racks.

A **nursery** is provided downstairs during worship. An usher can direct you.

Hearing devices are available for use during the service. Ask an usher to assist you.

Prayer cards, available in the pew racks, may be given to the pastor, an usher or placed in the offering plate. Requests may also be emailed to us at prayers@kennewickfirst.com.

Look for recently requested **offering envelopes** in the back of the sanctuary.

New or replacement name tags are now located in the New Entry on the large bulletin board behind the Welcome Center.

"Upper Room" Devotionals for the months of **September/October** are in the book rack at the back of the sanctuary. Donations are gladly accepted.

The **Tri-Cities Food Bank** is grateful for all our donations. Those items may be placed in the grocery cart near the elevator. Please leave only foods that are safety-sealed in their original packaging. They are no longer accepting egg cartons.

Upcoming Events:

Saturday, October 20: Holly Daze Bazaar

Sunday, October 28: UNICEF Carnival, 4:30 pm

Thursday, November 1: New Member Class, 7 pm

Wednesday, November 14: All-Church Conference, 6:30 pm

Friday, November 16: Grace Landis Memorial Service, 2 pm

Our Staff at Kennewick First

Pastor Jerry Poole
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This week we pray for Omak UMC and Pastor John Schneider.
We also pray for our sister church M.C.K in
Njukinjiru, Kenya.

Announcements

Happy Birthday Kennewick First United Methodist!

Today we celebrate the 116th anniversary of this church. Coffee and cake will be served in Ida Payne after each worship service.

Butter Braids

The UMY is now selling Butter Braids. Each pastry will sell for \$12, and they come in many flavors: cinnamon, cherry, apple, cream cheese, raspberry, caramel roll, and blueberry cream cheese. The teens will be taking orders until **November 11**. They will be available at Holly Daze or you can also place an order by calling Cheryl in the church office. Orders will be delivered on December 5.

NO CORNERSTONE CLASSES ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16

It's Countdown to Holly Daze!

To all fun-loving Methodists: Holly Daze co-chairs, Darryl Vaughn and Susan Sandmeier will need help, lots of it, for set-up of the fall bazaar, beginning Tuesday, October 16. They will also need cashiers, baggers and greeters on the big day, **Saturday the 20th from 9 am – 3 pm**. Look for the sign-up sheets at church. Be sure and invite your friends and neighbors to the big day! They will be glad you did.

Remember, Saturday craft workshops will continue until set-up week. **Come 9 am to noon in the Susanna Wesley Room every Saturday** and you are guaranteed a happy time. It's happy because of the laughter, the friendship and the sense of satisfaction that comes from helping so many with the proceeds from Holly Daze. If you have a hobby, whether it's crocheting, wood carving or baking, your handicrafts are very much wanted. Bring them in the week of set up. Baked goods should be brought in Friday, October 19.

M&Ms (Mature Methodists)

Dr. Cory Manley will speak to us on **Monday, October 15th** about "Amigo Vision Foundation's Philippines Medical Mission". Bring a friend, a dish to share, and enjoy great fellowship, food and an interesting program. Lunch starts at noon, but we begin set up at about 10:30 am, if you wish/can help, it would be appreciated.

Funday

We will meet in the 4th and 5th grade room from Noon to 1:30 pm on **Sunday, October 21**. Bring a sack lunch and your friends! Can't wait to see you there. 3rd, 4th and 5th graders are welcome to join Rachel for an afternoon of devotion, fellowship, games, crafts, and of course, fun! Our November meetings will be on the 4th and the 11th.

First Praise

First Praise will begin meeting on **October 23** in Susanna Wesley. The choir is open to any youth 5 and older. We will plan to meet from 5:30-6:00 pm on Tuesdays, just before Cornerstone, so if you have a young voice wishing to sing, please plan to reserve this time for choir practice. Stay tuned for more details and think about inviting a friend. The more, the merrier! For Questions – contact Sherry Arnold 542-0226.

UNICEF CARNIVAL

Come join the fun on **Sunday, October 28th from 4:30 to 6:00 pm**. Wear a Halloween costume and invite your friends! Games and concession stand inside and FREE Trunk-or-Treating outside. Five Tickets for \$1.00. All proceeds go to UNICEF (United Nations International Children's Fund). Sponsored by the Jr.& Sr. UMY.

UMW to Learn about Missions

You and your friends are invited to share in the review of Holly Daze and to learn about missions when UMW meets at **10 am Wednesday, October 24** in the Susanna Wesley Room. Bonnie Randall will present the program. There will be planning for UMW's baking and serving at Old-Fashioned Christmas December 1st.

If you have ideas for the next Holly Daze, please bring those with you. As always, UMW will be looking to serve as best it can. Your UMW officers will provide refreshments. The sharing gift will be for the Safe Harbor Support Center.

Caregiver Support Group

Our Caregiver Support Group meets the first Thursday of every month in the church library. The library is located on the lower level, off of the fellowship hall.) Our next meeting will be on **Thursday, November 1 at 10 am**.

Who is the Caregiver Support Group for? Those who are caring for a loved one: child, a parent, a spouse, a family member who you take to doctor appointments on a regular basis because of health issues. When we meet, we have devotion and a time of sharing. What is said in the group is held in confidence. If you know of someone who is a caregiver, but cannot attend at the day and time listed, please call Marti (586-4244) to make other arrangements.

Everyone is invited to Thanksgiving Dinner

A complete Thanksgiving dinner will be served on **Thursday, November 22**(Thanksgiving Day), **11:30 am – 1 pm** - no charge for the meal! If you would like to volunteer to help set up and/or serve the meal, please contact Marc Harden at 509-987-2687. If you are planning on attending the dinner only, please notify Cheryl in the office at 582-2163.

Donate Eye Glasses for Mission

Cory and Audrey Manley have a donation box set up in the church lobby for members to drop off their used prescription eyewear, sunglasses, readers, etc. It must be the whole pair of glasses, not just an empty frame or loose lenses. These donations will go with the Manley's mission trip to Ecuador, South America, this coming January, 19, 2019 for two weeks. They will be hosting three different clinics in three different regions.

If anyone wishes to make a monetary donation, they can do so to: AmigoVision Foundation, 2280 Brown Road, Jacksonville, OR 87530.

Missions Project

Your Missions Committee is working with our neighbor, Tri-Cities Impact Compassion Center (9 S. Dayton), to assist the homeless and other vulnerable populations struggling with many issues (food, housing, employment, addiction, to name a few). For this last Sunday, you will have an opportunity to join in this assistance by donating essential items that Impact distributes every day.

Here is what is needed: **Hygiene items** (travel size shampoo, conditioner, toothpaste, deodorant, sanitizer); **Toilet Paper**; **Basic cleaning supplies** (laundry detergent or pods, fabric softener, dish soap, multipurpose cleaners); **Baby/Toddler supplies** (diapers, wipes, baby wash, diaper ointment).

A table will be in the entryway and items will be distributed to Impact each week. Here is a great opportunity for us to reach out into the community with Christ's Love.

Help with Hurricane Relief

If you are interested in helping with relief effort for the victims of Hurricane Michael, please see the following website:

<https://www.pnwumc.org/news/hurricane-michael-ways-you-can-help-today/>

FALL CORNERSTONE -

Fall session began Tuesday, September 25th and ends Tuesday, November 20th. Cornerstone classes are held every Tuesday evening at **6:30 pm** preceded by dinner at 6:00. These classes are designed to teach, support, offer fellowship and fun! In the past we have had book studies, financial planning, spiritual gifts, language classes, current events and life application courses along with bible studies. It is always interesting to see what the next session will bring. Call the church office to register or sign-up after church.

Classes are as follows:

Inductive Bible Study with Pastor Jerry: All are welcome to attend. Inductive Bible study is a valuable tool for understanding and applying the principles of God's Word.

Spiritual Gifts Class led by Jill Berg: Do you wonder what spiritual gifts you have? What new ways may God be calling you to serve? For more information contact **Jill at 627-3288**.

Women's Study: "Finding Meaning in Ecclesiastes" led by Merrienne Door. Cost is \$5 for everything. Please contact Merrienne Door if you want to join this class.

Youth Cornerstone: is available for all junior and senior high students. Class is led by Rachel Loomis and Bracken Deatherage.

Elementary Cornerstone: is available for all children ages 5 years through 5th grade. Class is led by Joe and Renee Glesener.

The T.K.L.S.T.G.L.*: Sewing Club with Phyllis Merrill will once again offer a sewing class for kids. Children will learn basic sewing skills, create some crafts, and make items for local charities. If your child is interested in joining, please call Phyllis at 586-3784 to reserve a spot.

Meals by Cornerstone are provided by volunteers. If you are interested in helping with meals, please call the office at Sean Holloway at **509-551-1816**.