

# WARREN FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## June 6, 2021

### ORGAN PRELUDE

“Impromptu”  
Opus 142, No.2      Franz Shubert/Arr. Todd Kendall  
“Always Remember Me”      Richard Blake  
“O Bless The Lord, My Soul!”      Arr. By Jason Krug

### PARISH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**HYMN No. 64**      “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty”      Nicaea  
(Remain Seated)

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader:      Open our ears

**People:      to hear your word.**

Leader:      Open our eyes

**People:      to see your presence.**

Leader:      Open our arms

**People:      to the embrace of community.**

Leader:      Open our minds

**People:      to the beauty of truth.**

Leader:      Open our hearts

**People:      to the joy of new life.**

### SPECIAL MUSIC

(11:00 AM Only)

“Andante Cantabile Op.11”

Tchaikovsky

### CONCERNS AND PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE OF GOD

### GRADUATE RECOGNITION

### THE LORD’S PRAYER (using sins)

*Our Father; who art in heaven Hallowed be Thy Name.  
Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth,  
As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom, and the power; and the glory, forever.  
Amen.*

**SCRIPTURE**

“Luke 9:57-62”

**MESSAGE**

“Called to Serve”

Rev. Dr. Mark E. Hecht

**SACRAMENT OF THE HOLY COMMUNION**

**HYMN No. 463**

“Lord, Speak to Me”

Trust in Jesus

(Remain Seated)

**BENEDICTION**

**BEARING OF THE LIGHT**

(11:00 AM only)

**POSTLUDE**

“Festive March”

Roger Mansfield

**MUSIC** today is provided by organist David Powell, cellist Chad Betts and pianist Ruth Nelson. The 8:00 AM pianist is Cathy Peterson.

**LITURGIST** today is Tawni Betts

**ACOLYTE** today is Attie Corey

**GREETERS** are Nettie Swart and Heidi Ketzko

**USHERS** are Mark Nelson and Ed Rickerson

**ALTAR FLOWERS** today are in memory of Robert & Elizabeth Jones, given by Brent Jones.

**PEDESTAL FLOWERS** today are in memory of Anne Simmons, given by Bill & Patty Hannold and Phil Simmons.

**PRAYER CONCERNS** can be found in our weekly email Newsletter.

Offering plates **WILL NOT** be passed during worship but  
instead will be available at the door.

**The Church Council of FUMC voted unanimously at the Monday, May 24<sup>th</sup> meeting, to lift restrictions for our church facility implemented at the beginning of the COVID-19 Pandemic.**

**PLEASE JOIN US** ~ Each Sunday at 8:45 AM for our Adult Sunday School Class in Founder's Hall. John and Christine Zimmerman will be teaching, based on the book, "The Hole in our Gospel."

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**WEEKLY DAY OF PRAYER AND FASTING** ~ All members and friends of the First United Methodist Church, Warren, are invited to join together with John and Christine Zimmerman every Wednesday for a day of praying and fasting. (until evening)

The experience of fasting is intended to assist us in focusing on God and on being in-tune with the Holy Spirit's guidance in our lives. As we collectively fast and pray, we keep our eyes open to see how God responds in amazing ways to our intentionally seeking Him.

If you have questions, please feel free to speak to John, Christine, Pastor Mark or contact Mary Schall at 814-755-4908 or [rschall.mschall@gmail.com](mailto:rschall.mschall@gmail.com)

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**WEDNESDAY STUDY** ~ When Helping Hurts 10:30 AM & 6:30 PM in the Covert Room. Both of these times will be made available for those who wish to participate via ZOOM. More information can be found on the church website and in our weekly email.

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**COMMUNITY OUTREACH** ~ John and Christine Zimmerman will host Community Outreach Planning Meetings that will take place on June 16, June 30, July 14 & July 28. They will also host a Community Outreach Huddle to take place on June 23, July 7, and July 21. All Meetings will be at 6:30 PM in the Covert Room.

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**CHANGE FOR LIFE** ~ There are a few empty bottles left in the church for the 2021 Change For Life Campaign. Take an empty bottle home after service this Sunday, fill it up with spare change and return it by Father's Day, June 20th.

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**RUMMAGE SALE** ~ June 11 from 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM  
June 12 from 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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**COLLEGE MYSTERY LUNCH** ~ Meet Sunday, June 13, 2021 at Noon in the Covert Room. Bring \$10.00 for Lunch. Location of Lunch is a MYSTERY! (If you are unable to bring \$10.00 for lunch, but would like to attend, please contact the church office at 814-723-4930.) This is for all college age students.

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**CUB SCOUTS DONATION** ~ FUMC will be collecting monetary donations to help support The Chief Cornplanter Council's four-day summer camp. If you would like to make a donation, please make your checks out to FUMC with Cub Scouts in the memo line. You can drop off your church donations to the church office or with your weekly offering.

**CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF  
June 6, 2021 – June 12, 2021**

**SUNDAY**            **8:00 AM Service of Word and Sacrament; Chapel**  
**9:30 AM Zimmerman Sunday School Class; FH**  
**10:00 AM Worship Service; Sanctuary**  
**6:00 PM Combined UMYF; Everts Room (Youth Room)**

**MONDAY**           **8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours**  
**6:00 PM Incarceration Support Group; Founder's Hall**

**TUESDAY**         **8:30 AM- 4:00 PM Office Hours**  
**1:00 PM Staff Meeting**

**WEDNESDAY**     **8:30 AM - 4:00 PM Office Hours**  
**8:45 AM Covenant Disciple Group**  
**10:30 AM John Zimmerman Wednesday Study; Covert Room**  
**4:30 PM - 6:30 PM Girls Scouts; Parking Lot**  
**6:30 PM John Zimmerman Wednesday Study; Covert Room**

**THURSDAY**       **8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours**  
**1:00 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room**  
**5:30 PM Covenant Discipleship Group; Covert Room**

**FRIDAY**            **8:30 AM - 12:00 PM Office Hours**  
**9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Rummage Sale**  
**12:00 PM Senior Lunch; Founder's Hall**

**SATURDAY**        **9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Rummage Sale**

## **GRADUATING COLLEGE STUDENTS**

**Rachel Beach,** daughter of Jim and Darlene Beach

Rachel graduated from Clarion University with a Masters of Library and Information Sciences on May 8, 2021. Her future plans are to complete an internship this summer at the Warren Public Library. She will be teaching 3rd Grade in the fall and hopes to become a Library Media Specialist in a school library.

**Zack Fincher,** son of Erik & Margie Fincher

Zack will be graduating from Slippery Rock University in August of 2021 with a Bachelor of Science degree in Sports Management. His future plans are to continue his internship at Robert Morris University as the Student-Athlete Experience and Leadership Development Intern. He then wants to apply to colleges and universities across the country for a position in student-athlete development with hopes to someday get to the NFL working in Player Engagement.

**Megan (Morrison) Grinnen,** daughter of Ted and Amy Morrison

Megan graduated from Bell State University on December 19, 2020 with a Master of Arts in Applied Behavior Analysis. Her future plans are to take the Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA) graduate-level certification exam, to become employed as a Certified Behavioral Analyst.