WORSHIP TEAM – This Week LITURGIST – Terrilynn Hiben GREETER – Fred and Evelyn Delaney ACOLYTE – James Clark USHERS – Walt Babcock and Fred Delaney CHILDREN'S WORD – Terrilynn Hiben COFFEE HOUR – Linda Graham WORSHIP TEAM – Next Week LITURGIST – Abigail Reimer GREETER – Bob Wisely ACOLYTE – James Clark USHERS – Rick Robertson and Nick Teeples CHILDREN'S WORD – Deb Pennell COFFEE HOUR – Evelyn Delaney

CONTINUING PRAYERS

Harper, Natalie, Baby George Savage, Dean, Mae Delaney, Krystal, John Nugent, Dixie's brother Sam, Lee O'Connor, Carol and Denny, Rod's brother Roger, Pastor Helen and family, Military and First Responders, Search, Rescue, and Recovery, Lee's friend Lori

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Please remember if you want to use any of the buildings (family center, church and/or church basement) for any function (whether church related or not) you need to check with Lee to ensure the building has not already been reserved.

PART II: LEARNING TO GROW

TELL IN THE LIGHT

THE PATH OF THE DISCIPLE WORSHIP SERIES

Lectionary: Genesis 21:8-21, Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17, Romans 6:1-11, Matthew 10:24-39 WELCOME and OPENING PRAYER -

+CALL TO WORSHIP – Terrilynn Hiben

L. People of God, tell it!

P. We are not alone! We are children of God!

L. People of Christ, tell it!

P. The Light has come in love and truth, teaching us to live in the Light.

L. People of the Spirit, tell it!

P. The Spirit of truth reveals hidden things, offering healing through honest confession.

L. People of God, tell it!

P. We are not alone! We are children of God! Amen.

+ UMH #130 – God Will Take Care of You

ANNOUNCEMENTS – Terrilynn

SAS MINUTE – Pastor Helen

FAVORITE SCRIPTURE MINUTE – Sharon Alderton

SCRIPTURE READING – Matthew 10:24-39 (40-42) – Terrilynn

CHILDREN'S WORD – Terrilynn Hiben

PRAYER TIME -

CELEBRATIONS – The Life of the Congregation

INTERCESSARY AND PASTORAL PRAYER

LORDS PRAYER

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Generous, giving God: the gifts we present this day are supposed to represent the best of our discipleship. Why then do we hide what we give, and why do we worry about who might know? Grant us the boldness we need to move out of the dark and proclaim our decision to be Christ's disciples to all, to shout it from the rooftops. May we speak to those we know and even to strangers of the love of Jesus without fear. May the way we live our lives be a proclamation of our decision to follow Christ! In His holy name, we pray. Amen. TITHES and OFFERINGS +DOXOLOGY – UMH #95 + W&S #3101 – Love Lifted Me SERMON – Pastor: Helen Alford – Tell in the Light + UMH #577 – God of Grace and God of Glory BENEDICTION +Congregation Please Stand (as you are able)

ANNOUNCEMENTS - JUNE 25, 2023

* Bible study at Rose City Park, June 28th at 10:00 am. We will follow the lectionary readings that I am preaching on, so we will go more in-depth into the scriptures. Please feel free to take notes on Sunday so that we can discuss on Wednesday morning.

* 80's LADIES LUAU/LUNCHEON Thursday, June 29 at Noon. Please come and help us celebrate these incredible ladies! Under 80, bring a salad to share - over 80, be our guest Please RSVP to Cindy Pratt (989-473-2309) so we know how many to expect.

* There are plans in the works for a church float in the parade on July 4th. Please see Terrilynn for details.

* Tee shirts are available to order. Call or text Terrilynn at 810.247.0104 with your choice of color (red or blue) and size. Please indicate adult or youth, with size. Shirts are \$15. Final orders will be turned in June 30. Thank You to Lee Rouse for doing these shirts for us.

* The Community Christian Choir is presenting a "Patriotic Concert", Sunday July 9th at 7 pm, First United Methodist Church in West Branch. It's a lovely and varied concert and attendees will be greatly appreciated.

* VBS is coming soon! July 17 – 20, with a celebration service on Sunday July 23. There is a list of items needed, posted in the Family Center. Please check it out!

* Last Sunday's Offering – \$741. \$1800 is our weekly need.