

East Shore Church United Methodist

Sharing the Love of Christ through our prayers, our presence, our gifts and our service

Pastors: Jan Yandell and Jacqueline Bennett

Music Director: Peggy Norman Organist: David Usis Bell Choir Director: Birdie Miller

November 16, 2008

10:30 a.m.

PRELUDE "Aria, Pastorale & Variation" F. X. Mureschhauser

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT "Ceremonial Fanfare" arr. Michael Mazzatenta
The Bell Choir

****INVOCATION IN SONG** "Our God is an Awesome God" FWS #2040

**CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Our God is an awesome God and he has blessed us with many gifts.

People: "A gift opens the way and ushers the giver into the presence of the Great."

Leader: Our gifts to God include our praise and worship, our song and prayer.

People: "A gift opens the way and ushers the giver into the presence of the Great."

Leader: Our gifts to God include our time and talents, our skills and passions.

People: "A gift opens the way and ushers the giver into the presence of the Great."

Leader: Our gifts to God include our financial support of the church and of the world.

People: "A gift opens the way and ushers the giver into the presence of the Great."

Leader: Let us present our gift of worship to our Awesome and Great God!

****OPENING HYMNS** "Great is the Lord" FWS #2022
"In Unity We Lift Our Song" FWS #2221

** UNISON PRAYER

****GLORIA PATRI** Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost.
As it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be.
World without end. Amen. Amen.

****THE PASSING OF THE PEACE** (Greet one another with the blessings of Christ)

CHILDREN'S TIME CHILDREN'S PRAYER CHILDREN'S SONG

OFFERTORY

Music

****Doxology**

UMH #95

****Offertory Prayer**

PRAYER CONCERNS AND CELEBRATIONS (A Microphone will be passed so your prayer request can be heard. Please wait to speak until you have the microphone.)

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass 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.

ANTHEM

"Come All Christians, Be Committed"
The Chancel Choir with Congregational Part (See bulletin insert)

SCRIPTURE

2nd Corinthians 8:1-12

HYMNS OF PREPARATION

“Give Thanks”

FWS #2036

MESSAGE

“The Privilege of Sharing (and the Narrative Budget”)

Pastor Jan Yandell

****CLOSING HYMN**

“God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending”

On Screen

POSTLUDE

“Eternal God of Our Fathers”

Douglas E. Wagner

***This selection is being dedicated to our veterans
and to those who are now serving
in the United States Armed Forces***

Announcements

The flowers on the altar are given by the family of Ed and June Stoch in loving memory of Ed and in honor of June. The flowers are in recognition of what would have been their 61st wedding anniversary.

The flowers on the altar are given by Gary, Sandi, Jim and Steve McClave in celebration of Doris McClave's 80th birthday. Happy birthday Doris!

The committee to present our hospitality table next **Sunday, November 23**, is the United Methodist Men. Visit with us over a cup of coffee before church begins. Thanks to the Staff Parish Relations Committee for their service the past three weeks.

Youth Group – November 22 Serve lunch at East Shore Craft Fair 11:00 am – 2:00 pm. Money (\$27) is due on Sunday, November 23 for the December 12-13 retreat. Checks payable to East Shore Youth.

November 22, 2008 East Shore will be holding a Craft Fair and Flea Market on the Saturday 9 – 5 P.M. before Thanksgiving.

A sign up poster for crafters and flea marketers is located in the Narthex. Tables are free to East Shore members with all their proceeds going to the Talent Project. Outside vendors will be charged a fee for their tables.

We will celebrate our **3rd East Shore Soup's On Thanksgiving Feast on Wednesday, Nov. 26, from 5:00-6:30 pm**. Anyone from the church who would like to share a meal with our Soup's On family is welcomed to attend. This year, we are asking the church family to provide pies for the meal. Our Soup's On cooks will provide the other dishes. We are also in need of 10 volunteers to take a turkey home following worship on Nov. 23 and cook and carve it at their home for the Wednesday meal. If you would be willing to do this, please let Laurie Evinsky know 440-946-2546. Also, anyone that would like to help with the set up, serving or cleanup, please call Laurie. We are blessed to be a blessing!

The United Methodist Men and the Boy Scouts are once again selling **Entertainment Books**. The cost is \$25. Contact Clare Mansperger to purchase yours. They make GREAT Christmas gifts!

Euclid Hunger Center needs plastic grocery bags. Please bring them to the church and place them in the green shopping cart located next to the elevator.

The United Methodist Men will be putting together **baskets for Thanksgiving**. If you, or someone you know, would like a basket call the church office at (216) 261-1688.

**Bulletin announcements due by Wednesday
JANUARY newsletter articles due by Wednesday, December 17**