

25th Sunday after Pentecost  
All Saints Sunday  
November 6, 2016 8:30 am

"God is spirit, and His worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth." (John 4:24)

Prelude

Welcome

\*Opening Song

"He Has Made Me Glad"  
"Come Away With Me"

TFWS 2270  
TFWS 2202

Announcements

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song

"Loving Spirit" (v. 1&2)

TFWS 2123

\*Opening Prayer (in unison)

"We give You thanks, O God, for all the saints who ever worshiped You. You have called them and put the flame of Your love in them as our model of faith. As we rejoice with the holy men and women of every time and place, restore and remold us by the power of Your Holy Spirit until we are in perfect harmony with You and Your saints everywhere. Amen."

Prayer Song

"Loving Spirit" (v. 3&4)

TFWS 2123

\*Passing of the Peace

Blessing over the Prayer Shawls

Children's Moment

#### COMMEMORATION OF SAINTS

Today we remember those who have preceded us in the life of faith this past year:

**James Thomas Fowler, Sr., Ann Henriette Sherbert, Dortha "Dale" Woerner, James Malcolm Wood**

We will pause for a moment of silence after each name is named. Congregations are invited to share the names of those saints in their hearts.

\* Please rise either in posture or in spirit.

#### Prayer for The Communion of All Saints (in unison)

"Eternal God, today we remember all who have preceded us in their faith journey. As we recall the example of their faith, grant us the same faith that we may renew our hope for the eternal communion of peace and joy. By their example, may we learn to love You with our whole hearts, love our neighbors as ourselves, and endure our difficulties remembering Christ's suffering for us. Amen."

Epistle Lesson

**Ephesians 1:11-23** (p. 180, New Testament)

Sam Guest

Gospel Reading

**Luke 6:20-31** (p. 60, New Testament)

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

**P: Thanks be to God.**

Message

**"Blessed Are All the Saints"**

Rev. Wayne Chung

*Who are the saints? All the saints are blessed in this world and great reward is in store for them.*

Giving in Response to God's Love

Offertory

**"Come Share The Lord"**

Praise Team

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer—Sharing of the Bread and Cup

\*Closing Song

**"Blest Are They "**

TFWS 2155

\*Sending Forth with God's Blessing

Response

**"Shalom"**

"Shalom dear friends, shalom dear friends, Shalom, Shalom;  
We'll see you again, we'll see you again, Shalom, Shalom."

Postlude

Lection Reading for Following Sunday

**Isaiah 65:17-25**

**Isaiah 12 or Psalm 118**

**2 Thessalonians 3:6-13**

**Luke 21:5-19**

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**Our Prayers:** Jack Dorsey, Jonathon Thomas – grandson of Janet Schmidt, Kathy Wallace, Jim Daniels and family, Bill Fowler, Courtney Schultz, friend of the Distlers, Bob & Van King's daughter-in-law, Patrick Rodrigues (Joyce Owens' Husband), Those who travel

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*Today's altar flowers are given to William (Bobby) King my brother and best friend.  
I love him and I miss him every day from Helen Owens*

**Our Presence:**

Worship Attendance Last Sunday	221
Average Worship Attendance YTD	203

**Our Gifts:** Please strive to tithe! The Bible asks us to tithe 10% of our income to God. Many of our members are doing this already. How about you? You may give your offering electronically (EFT). Call the church office to set it up. *Stewardship is rather a way of life than an annual campaign.*  
**Thank You for your faithful stewardship!**

**Record of Giving (Funds Received by the Church)**

	January-September 2016			
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)	Var %
General Fund	\$271,962	\$292,742	(\$20,780)	-7%
Missions Fund	\$16,204	\$17,474	(\$1,270)	-7%
P&I Fund	\$23,113	\$20,750	\$2,363	11%
Building Fund	\$59,041	\$57,600	\$1,441	3%
Kitchen Fund	\$56,215	\$4,878	\$51,337	-
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal	21	Other	YTD Cereal
				1102

\*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$108,778 as of September 30, 2016

**Our Service:**

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean <a href="mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org">bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Music Team	Sandy Griesse, Holly Reynolds Lee, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
Custodian	Jim Fowler
Counters	Karen Boyd & Drew Venters
8:30 Greeters & Ushers	Harry Hill & Sam Terry
8:30 Sound Tech	John Wilson
Altar Guild for November	Bonnie Dean (410-257-2029)
Friendship Hour	Delilah Zone (Deb Chaney)
Stephen Ministry Coordinator	Paula Madden 443-262-2635 (C)
Pastor	Wayne Chung 443.646.5653 <a href="mailto:leadpastor@friendshipmethodist.org">leadpastor@friendshipmethodist.org</a>

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**FRIENDSHIP UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Sunday, November 6, 2016**  
**8:30 a.m. Worship Service**

**Our Mission**

: "Grow as Disciples, Serve as Friends.  
 Love All; Serve All; Follow One!"

**2016 Motto**

: "Each One, Reach One!"