

**Bible Study With Pastor Ruth** is held Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.

**Evening Bible Study:** Bible Study is a growing ministry held on Thursdays at 6:30 p.m. at the John Allison Public House.

**Church Conference:** Our annual church conference will be held on Sunday, December 10th at 2:30 p.m. Please mark your calendars.

**Poinsettias:** The sign-up sheet for poinsettias is in the Fellowship area 'til today.

**CHRISTMAS WISH LIST:** If you have taken a tag, please return unwrapped gifts with tags no later than Dec. 3. Questions? Contact Ellen Avey at 717-860-0072.

**COME ONE, COME ALL:** If you have signed up for the Christmas Party, please Bring a new or used gift, something funny or useful for our one game of the evening!

**Outreach: Peanut Butter / Jelly / Oatmeal Packets / Cereal Bars / Pudding 4-packs**

**MAKING A DIFFERENCE** is what the hospitality team is all about from how we welcome each other and guests to offering meals as needed after hospital stays or to comfort those dealing with loss and so much more. Want to find out a little more as you consider being part of this important ministry? Plan to attend an introductory meeting on Monday, December 11 at 6:30 pm. Ellen Avey will serve as team leader. Send any questions to her via text or call 717-860-0072.



## State Line UNITED

### A United Methodist Church

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#### Assisting in Worship

|                          | <u>November 26</u> | <u>December 3</u>       |
|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| <b>Acolyte</b>           | Hunter Trivette    | Hunter Trivette         |
| <b>Worship Assistant</b> | Ellen Kennedy      | Ellen Avey              |
| <b>Ushers</b>            | Gary Rhoe          | Rodger Kennedy          |
| <b>Tech</b>              | None               | Jonathan T. / Elyssa H. |
| <b>Nursery</b>           | Gwenelle T. / TBD  | Terry B. / Bonnie C.    |

**OUR MISSION:** To make new disciples of Jesus Christ

**OUR VISION:** To reach out and invite our neighbors to  
Encounter God · Grow in Faith · Serve in Christ's Love

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 26, 2023

## Words of Welcome & Parish News

### Prelude

### Spirit Flame

**\*\* Call to Worship** Psalm 100 pg. 821

**\*\* Opening Prayer** See Bulletin Insert

**\*\* Hymn**  
"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" UMH 381

**Old Testament Lesson** Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-31 pg. 788 &789  
Leader: *The Word of God for the people of God.*  
People: **Thanks be to God.**

### Pastoral Prayer

**\*\*The Lord's Prayer**

## Giving of Our Tithes, Gifts & Offerings

### Offertory

**\*\* Our Response**  
"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 95

**\*\* Prayer of Thanksgiving**

### Children's Chat

**\*\* Hymn**  
"How Great is Our God" W&S 3003

**\*\* Scripture** Matthew 25:31-46 pg. 906

Leader: *This is the Gospel of our Lord.*

People: **Thanks be to God.**

### Message

*Embracing Compassion & Justice*

**\*\* Closing Hymn**  
"Here I Am, Lord" UMH 593

**\*\* Benediction**

**Sermon Notes:** *What will you take out to the People of God?*

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**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 9:00 a.m.

**SUNDAY WORSHIP** 10:15 a.m.

#### **CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:**

Monday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

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Pianist – Jeffrey Wine

#### **Our Faithfulness**

Offering: \$1247.00 / Attendance: 22