

70TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2018

A warm and cordial welcome to all! Your presence is a blessing to us and we are happy that we can all join together in worshipping our Lord! Lift up your hearts with joy and thanksgiving.

Prelude

Pianist: Bernie Cummins

Words of Welcome and Prayer

Song Leader: Keith Ingold
Worship Leader: Donna Cheatham

Call to Worship: "Give Thanks"

Praise Book #181

Responsive Reading: "We Praise You, Lord"

Hymn #399

Recognition of Veterans

Praise Singing:

* "Everybody Sing Praise"

Hymn #63

• "How Great Thou Art"

Hymn #111

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

* Response: "We Give Thee But Thine Own"

We give Thee but Thine own. What-e'er the gift may be.

All that we have is Thine alone, a trust, O Lord from Thee. Amen.

Recognition of Charter Members, Pastor's, former members

Prayer Hymn: "In the Garden"

Hymn #270

Silent Meditation

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer (*debt*s)

Prayer Response: "Hear Our Prayer, O Lord"

Hear our prayer, O Lord, hear our prayer, O Lord.

Incline Thine ear to us, and grant us Thy peace. Amen.

Special Music

The Ingold Girls

Message: "How God Brought Us 70"

Pastor Richard Ricks

Text: Ephesians 2:8-10 (pgs. 1017-1018 in Pew Bible)

* Closing Hymn: "Our God Reigns"

Hymn #209

Benediction

Postlude

SCHEDULE OF MINISTRIES

Today: Sunday, November 11

8:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

9:00 AM Sunday School

10:15 AM Morning Worship

Wednesday: November 14

6:30 PM Prayer Service

Thursday: November 15

3:30 PM American Baptist Women's Ministries will meet here in the

Fellowship Hall for their monthly meeting. All ladies are

invited to attend.

7:00 PM Morton/East Peoria Christian Singles will meet at First

United Methodist Church for their Annual Thanksgiving

Dinner! The turkey, potatoes and gravy will be furnished.

Please see Chris Jones to sign up for what you plan to bring.

LOOKING AHEAD

Thursday: November 22 THANKSGIVING

OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED

Attention Nominating Committee and Finance Committee: The

Annual Election of Officers and Budget Meeting will be on Sunday, De-

ember 2nd. Remember the proposed slate of officers and the proposed

2019 Budget has to be posted a week prior to the meeting. If you are

asked to serve on a Board or Committee, please respond with a YES!

The Advent Season is fast approaching, we will need 4 people or families

to volunteer to take a Sunday to do the Advent presentation. If you

would like to volunteer, please contact Donna. Sunday, December 2nd is

the First Sunday of Advent.

December 2nd is also the Trim the Tree Party in the Fellowship Hall,

plan now to attend and help with the trimming of the tree and a time of

fellowship with your church family starting at 4:00 PM. Bring your fa-

vorite finger food to share and we will eat following the decorating of the

tree.