

FAMILY FUN DAY!

On Sunday, August 6th
at 11:30 a.m., the Mitchell's
will host a family church picnic
at their dairy farm
located on 11539 Edwardsville Rd.

There will be food, fun, and games!

The PW women will furnish the food,
you provide your own seating.

There will also be a tour of the dairy
farm for those who are interested.

If you have any questions please call:
Judy Mitchell at 815-335-2403

First Presbyterian Church
Winnebago, Illinois
July 30, 2017
9:30 a.m.

Liturgical color is green for Ordinary Time

PREPARING FOR THE WORD

Prelude "Glorify Thy Name" Bruce Greer

Welcome/Announcements

Call to Worship **Unison Reading**
I waited patiently for the LORD; he turned to me and heard my cry. He lifted me out of the slimy pit, out of the mud and mire; he set my feet on a rock and gave me a firm place to stand. He put a new song in my mouth, a hymn of praise to our God. Many will see and fear the LORD and put their trust in him. Blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, ...Then I said, "Here I am, I have come—it is written about me in the scroll. I desire to do your will, my God; your law is within my heart."

*Hymn "On Eagle's Wings" insert

Prayer of Adoration and Confession: The Lord's Prayer

Assurance of Forgiveness and Pardon: **Unison Reading**
Heavenly Creator, you are faithful to keep your promises and your Word declares that Christ came "... to give his people the knowledge of salvation through the forgiveness of their sins." Thank you for your mercy that forgives. Thus, in faith, I accept my pardon through the sacrifice of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

Announcements

Our Church Website: <http://www.thewfpc.org>

All groups meet at the church unless otherwise specified.

Pastor Carroll will be available via his cell phone this week. His email is: pastor1@thewfpc.org

Summer music Labor Day Sunday is still open for special music.

FAMILY FUN DAYS: Last call to host a Fun Day in August. Would you like to host one? Call: Brian Weavel 815-543-1065.

Samples Do you travel? If so, keep those hotel samples of shampoo, conditioner etc. and then turn them into the church. We send them to the Rockford Rescue Mission each month with our group that volunteers there.

CWS Kits Program is doing well thanks to everyone's ongoing help. To date 9 school kits have been completed, 24+ only need a ruler and several more have a good start. 2 Hygiene kits are complete with several more partially assembled, many just a hand towel. Our goal was just 2 clean-up buckets, we are exceeding that goal along with the other style kits. Your contributions are appreciated.



*Bulletins today are sponsored by:
Betsy Menge in memory of her sister, Charlotte Rood Smith
Flowers today are sponsored by:
Roger Christin in memory of Joanne Christin*

You Who Dwell in the Shelter of the Lord On Eagle's Wings

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1 You who . . . dwell in the shel - ter of the Lord, who a -
2 Snares of the fowl - er will nev - er cap - ture you, and
3 For to the an - gels God's giv - en a com - mand to

bide in this shad - ow for life, say to the Lord: "My . . .
fam - ine will bring you no fear, un - der God's wings your . . .
guard you in all of your ways, up - on their hands they will

ref - uge, . . . my . . . rock in whom I . . . trust!"
ref - uge . . . with . . . faith - ful - ness your . . . shield.
bear you up, lest you dash your foot a - gainst a stone.

Refrain

"And I will raise you up on ea - gle's wings,

bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the

sun, and hold you in the palm of my hand."

RESPONDING TO THE WORD

*Hymn "Kum Bah Yah" #338

Benediction **Unison Declaration**
Amazing and magnificent Savior, we have praised you with genuine worship, music, and singing. Now, as we leave this service, help us to be effective witnesses for your glory. We ask for your Holy Spirit to guide us so that we can readily share the joy of living for you. Amen, Amen.

Postlude "That Beautiful Name" Dick Torrans

All music in our bulletin is protected under CCLI#1409680

Church phone number 815-335-2051
Pastoral Cell 815-742-7503
Attendance 61
Offerings \$1477.00

SHARING THE WORD THROUGHOUT THE WORLD

Every member a minister...

Accompanist Dixie Leden
Special music Susan Gambrel
Projectionist Kaitlyn Freimuth
Ushers Volunteers and Chuck Rittmeyer
Greeters Jim & Polly Morrison
Acolytes Tianna Mitchell, Renee Rittmeyer

*Gloria Patri

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Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer concluding with **Unison Prayer**
Great and gracious Creator, we thank you for your blessings that bring zeal to our lives. We present our joys and concerns to you in unity and gratefulness because you promised to hear our requests and answer us when we place our petition before you. We entrust these requests to you so that your love, mercy, grace, and healing can be manifested in our daily lives. In Christ's name we pray, Amen.

Special music "God Leads Us Along with He Leadeth Me"

Presentation of Gifts and Offerings
"Day By Day" Oscar Ahnfelt

*Doxology #592

*Prayer of Dedication **Unison prayer**

Most Holy God, we thank you for our blessings and we appreciate the opportunity to worship you with our gifts, offerings, and tithes. Grant us wisdom as we invest in the your Holy Kingdom to spread the good news of Christ through our talents, skills, and time. In the Lord's name we pray, Amen.

*Hymn "Open My Eyes That I May See" #324

Passing of the Peace

RECEIVING THE WORD

Scripture: Psalm 40: 1 - 4; 7 - 8 pg. 579

Message: "Standing on Solid Ground"

Dr. Carroll Smith