

THE FEDERATED CHURCH

Wauconda, Illinois

A community church affiliated with the

United Methodist Church and the American Baptist Churches.

November 19, 2017 9:30am 24th Sunday after Pentecost

*Please stand as able where indicated.

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Welcome

Choir Introit

“Come, Rejoice in

God”

Announcements

Opening Prayer

Prelude and Lighting of Candles

WORSHIP IN PRAISE

Words of Affirmation

**Call to Worship*

(From Psalm 95)

Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord.

Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

Let us come before him with thanksgiving and extol him with music and song.

For the Lord is the great God, the great King above all gods.

In his hand are the depths of the earth, and the mountain peaks belong to him.

The sea is his, for he made it, and his hands formed the dry land.

**Opening Hymn*

“Many and Great, O God”

No. 148

Please Sign the Attendance Sheets

Children’s Message

Pastor Fred

**The Lord’s Prayer*

No. 895

**Passing of the Peace*

Choir Anthem

“May the Mind of Christ My Savior”

L. Larson

Fabian Ularu - violin

WORSHIP IN PRAYER

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

Prayer Hymn* *“For the Beauty of the Earth”*** No. 92

WORSHIP IN THE WORD

First Scripture Reading (OT, pg. 742) Psalm
100

Prayer of Preparation

Second Scripture Reading (NT, pg. 1432) Philippians 4:4-
9

Message “Concerns, Thanksgiving and Peace” Pastor Jason

WORSHIP IN COMMITMENT

Offering

Offering Response* *“The Doxology”*** No. 95

Closing Hymn* *“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”*** No. 526

**Benediction*

**Postlude*



Psalms 100 Common English Bible (CEB)

¹Shout triumphantly to the Lord, all the earth!

²Serve the Lord with celebration! Come before him with shouts of joy!

³Know that the Lord is God—he made us; we belong to him. We are his people, the sheep of his own pasture.

⁴Enter his gates with thanks; enter his courtyards with praise! Thank him! Bless his name!

⁵Because the Lord is good, his loyal love lasts forever; his faithfulness lasts generation after generation.

Philippians 4:4-9 Common English Bible (CEB)

⁴Be glad in the Lord always! Again I say, be glad!

⁵Let your gentleness show in your treatment of all people. The Lord is near. ⁶Don't be anxious about anything; rather, bring up all of your requests to God in your prayers and petitions, along with giving thanks. ⁷Then the peace of God that exceeds all understanding will keep your hearts and minds safe in Christ Jesus. ⁸From now on, brothers and sisters, if anything is excellent and if anything is admirable, focus your thoughts on these things: all that is true, all that is holy, all that is just, all that is pure, all that is

lovely, and all that is worthy of praise.⁹ Practice these things: whatever you learned, received, heard, or saw in us. The God of peace will be with you.

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Secretary..... Judy Pinkonsly
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Acolytes..... Hero & Madison Lucius
Usher Chairperson..... Dave Fehlman
Worship Assistant..... Linda Vrabec
Youth Coordinator..... Val Lucius

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OPPORTUNITIES TO WORSHIP

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Worship service – 9:30am; Sunday School (Sept. – May) – 9:45am;
Fellowship – 10:30am

PRAYER MEETINGS

Our prayer meetings are a time to gather with other believers to lift our needs and our praises to God. We meet on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Thursdays of each month at 7:00pm.

OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN

BIBLE STUDY SERIES

Join us for one of our Bible Study series called Bible Story Cafe. We have two Bible Study classes on Monday mornings at 10:00am and Tuesday evenings at 6:00pm.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

LOVE INC'S GIFT OF GIVING EVENT – Dec. 9

This event was such a big success last year that we have decided to do it again. Please save the date, Saturday, December 9. Volunteers will be needed to make this event successful in the following areas:

- *Food Committee (this year we will serve lunch instead of dinner)
- *Children's Committee (monitoring children while their parents are shopping)
- *Activity Committee (overseeing activities for youth)
- *Security Committee (making sure children stay in the building)
- *Clean-up Committee

There is a sign-up sheet on the table by the windows.

WAUCONDA CARE SERVICE – Nov. 22

A Wauconda Care Sing-along is held on the 4th Wednesday of each month at 3:00pm. Meet at Wauconda Care, just off Rt. 176, at 2:45pm if you'd like to help pass out songbooks and greet the residents before the fun begins. Join us as we bring the worship of God in song to the people at Wauconda Care. The November Sing-a-long will be on the Nov. 22.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP

HANGING OF THE GREENS – Nov. 26

Hanging of the Greens will be on Sunday, Nov. 26 after church. We need your help to make the church beautiful for the Christmas season. We will be trimming the trees, decorating windows and the Narthex. There will be pizza for those who stay to help. Please sign-up to volunteer.

SUPER SENIORS CHRISTMAS PARTY – Dec. 10

Our Super Seniors Christmas will be at Strawberry Moon on Sunday, December 10 at 5:00pm. The cost is \$20 which includes appetizers, dinner and dessert. Please bring a \$10 grab bag gift to exchange. Please sign up by Dec. 2 if you would like to join us. We hope you can join us!

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers on the pedestal today are from Florence Anderson give in loving memory of her husband, Vernon.

CHRISTMAS BAZAAR – Dec. 2

What can you do to help? You can share your talents and make something to sell - knitting, crocheting, painting, crafting, flower arranging, or bake Christmas cookies for the Cookie Walk. We have a baked goods area where we need breads, cakes, pies, dipped pretzels, fudge - just use your imagination! Donate your gently used jewelry and fashion accessories for our boutique or donate Christmas decorations for our Grandma's Attic. There is a sign-up sheet on the table by the window. Please contact Candee Nustra at candeenustra@gmail.com if you have any questions.

RAFFLE TICKETS ON SALE NOW

Today and for the next 2 Sundays FOCW will have their raffle items out to view and buy tickets. The tickets are \$1 each or \$10 for 12 tickets.

POINSETTIA FLOWERS

Ann Petersen will be taking orders for poinsettia flowers after the worship service today and for the next two Sundays. The cost of each flower this year is \$4.00.

OFFERING ENVELOPES

The 2018 offering envelopes are on the table by the stairs. Please pick yours up today. If there is not one with your name on it, please sign the sheet and one will be set out for you next week. If you want to change to monthly or weekly, please note that on the sheet also.

CONTINUED PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

Pete Ambrosio, Florence Burton, Donna Gallmeyer-Dixon, Howard Ficht, Mickie Kisselburg, Marion Knoff, Scott Matthews, Lisa Morrison, Laura Peroutka, Dolores Prusinski, Arb Swanson, Mary Taylor, Dorothy Wheelock, Linda Wicker, Lisa Wineski, Brian Zinkel

CALENDAR ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR – NOV. 19 - 26		
TODAY: Nov. 19	10:45 am	Constitution Committee Meeting
MON: Nov. 20		Beacon Deadline
	8:00 am	Coffee with the Pastor
	9:00 am	Senior Exercise
	10:00 am	Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Federated Board Meeting
	7:00 pm	AA Meeting
TUES: Nov. 21	6:00 pm	Bible Study
	7:00 pm	Choir Practice
WED: Nov. 22	3:00 pm	Wauconda Care Service
	6:00 pm	T.O.P.S.
	7:00 pm	Outreach Meeting
THURS: Nov. 23		Happy Thanksgiving
		Church Offices Closed
FRI: Nov. 24		Church Offices Closed
SAT: Nov. 25		
SUN: Nov. 26	10:45 am	Education Meeting
	10:45 am	Hanging of the Greens

LAY MINISTRIES: Next Sunday – November 26

Worship Assistant..... Louise Bundy
 Ushers..... Raj & Rose Bhatt, Tom & Peggy Martin
 Acolytes..... Angela Batson & Gabriella Stephens

Greeters for December..... John & Cathy Mate