



First Life

news from Ferndale First United Methodist Church

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Deadline for the July/August issue is **June 20**, Please submit your articles to our office by that time. The late due date allows for more timely information but *requires your cooperation.*

Our Mission:

Believe: *We Know Christ*

Belong: *We love Christ*

Become: *We serve Christ*

The people of First United Methodist Church Ferndale believe in Christ, belong to Christ, and strive to become like Christ.

The View From Here

monthly reflections from Rev. Bob

The Times, They Are a'Changin'

As I write this from Annual Conference, I'm reminded of changes over many years of ministry. Each year in the opening service there is a time of memorial for those clergy and laity who have been members of the conference and who are no longer with us. This year Sam Carter was one of the names read, and there were several others who I have known over many years who we'll not see again. Some of them were younger than I, which gives one pause. We say our good-byes. Times are changing.

This year our now-combined Michigan Annual Conference closed nine churches. In the 1950s and into the early 60s there were over 100 Methodist churches within the boundaries of Detroit city proper. Today there are six. Of course there are many other UMCs in the rings of suburbs around Detroit, but as this year indicates, they aren't immune from decline and closure either. White flight caused much of the decline, but there are other factors as well. Today church attendance is no longer the expected social norm; it is the exception. In fact, throughout history so-called church booms such as those experienced in the mid-20th century have more often been the exception. Unfortunately, many large buildings were built during years of aberration thinking that the boom would last or was the norm. We are going through an era now that is more like the early church experienced, when Christian churches were simply one option among many. I don't think that's necessarily worse, just harder. We don't really need to go back to the times when everyone in worship was the same color, the same economic status and pretty much thought the same way and different was penalized. Churches are losing ground in terms of numbers but not necessarily in ministry. Times are changing.

When I first started in ministry hardly anyone was talking about the environment as a spiritual issue. Today it is clearly the greatest spiritual need of our time, yet many people don't connect it with the fact that "the earth is the Lord's." Most of the scientists, including Christians who work in the field of climate change, now believe we have 10 years to make drastic changes in the way humans live on this planet or there will be a point of no return when earth will be so damaged that life will be dramatically different for our grandchildren, and in parts of the world whole coastlines and ecosystems will simply be gone. Whole island nations will disappear. Other places will become uninhabitable. The book of Revelation speaks of a new heaven and a new earth, and St. Paul wrote of creation being renewed when God's people are "revealed," meaning when they step up and act like God's people in partnership with the rest of creation which waits for us to get it right. Yet God also allows human freedom, and people often thwart God's Spirit. So is it possible that God might allow us in freedom to destroy our own planet? Christians who dream God's dream with God will step forward and say otherwise. At the very least it will affect the causes we support and the votes we cast while at the same time we live the kind of life personally that respects our earthly home. Times are changing.

One evening at conference Native American singers, drummers and dancers brought us a mini-pow wow, performing traditional dances in their beautiful garb. The commentary by one of their own reminded us that their people were in touch with God long before Europeans came with their version of Christianity. Their care for the earth and their oneness with creation is important to our own understanding of life together on earth, and their reverence for all life and the remembrance of the lives of those who came before them can inspire how we live as Christians.

In 1976 I conducted my first study in a church on homosexuality. At that time such studies were encouraged to help us learn to talk about something that was

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for what the
church is be-
coming.*

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mostly hidden. Seminars and lectures were offered that were designed to help us understand and respect what many didn't understand. Yet around that same time a group of conservatives was able to use our UM system of governance to put discriminatory language about homosexuality into our *Book of Discipline*. It's been in there ever since and occasionally been strengthened in spite of repeated efforts to remove it and welcome all equally to participate in our denomination. At the recent special General Conference this winter and with the ensuing Judicial Council ruling that upheld several of the decisions of the conference, the UMC took a giant step backwards. The so-called Traditionalists (a name which could be argued) have made it even harder for LGBTQIA persons and their allies to remain in the UMC. Because of this, a split seems all but inevitable, probably with the non-discriminatory branch being forced out of the church. As of January 1, 2020, any UM pastor who officiates at a same-sex wedding will be given a year off without pay, and a second offense will bring the loss of their clergy credentials. Candidates for ministry could be asked questions about their sexual orientation, and if they answer honestly, may be disqualified from ordination. Church trials will be started again.

The backlash to these punitive decisions is massive, swift and decisive. Yesterday our Michigan Annual Conference elected a full slate of progressive, pro-LGBTQIA lay and clergy delegates to the 2020 General Conference. All across the UM Church other conferences and churches are doing the same. It may prove a last ditch effort to save the denomination, or more likely, the beginning of something new where all are welcomed equally. A few years ago this resistance couldn't have been imagined. Our elections included electing a married lesbian laywoman for the first time. Our clergy delegates are three women (one young) and one younger man. People who were shoo-ins to be elected to previous General Conferences were almost completely ignored. Times are changing.

There's so much more that has changed in society and in church life, some bad, some good, some uncertain, but this much reminds us that this isn't an easy time to be the church. But it's also a very exciting time to be the church. God has a place for churches like FUMCF. In fact, Annual Conference helps us to realize that our sometimes struggling congregation is way out ahead of most other churches. Other delegates were impressed and some simply stunned by what we do. We are, in fact, a model for what the church is becoming or needs to become in order to remain viable and relevant to our needy and troubled world.

May God grant us humility and courage for the living of these days. May Jesus' love flow through us.

Bob

Meet Our Newest Member Willie Bell



About Willie Bell:

I was born on January 29, 1954 in a little town called Calvary in the state of Georgia. I stayed there for 17 years and relocated to Detroit, Michigan where I began working for one of the Big Three (Chrysler), now retired. I am married to my lovely wife, Verdell Bell, and at the present we are both self-employed and own our own business, a group home for the mentally challenged. I enjoy cooking, more especially on the grill — sometimes called the grill master. Last but not least, I received Christ as my personal savior at an early age and I do love the Lord.

We are a Reconciling Congregation, which means:

The people of Ferndale First United Methodist Church are called to share God's love as we minister with and to all persons, providing worship, nurture, fellowship, and service. Our welcome knows no boundaries of age, race, ethnicity, culture, gender identity, sexual orientation, family configuration, and economic condition, physical or mental ability. We embrace and seek to preserve the beautiful, amazing diversity of God's creation. We cooperate in ministry with other local churches and groups of God's people as we participate in the worldwide mission of Christ. (based on 2 Corinthians 5.18)

We are a Sanctuary Church.

That is, we are a church where a family of immigrants and/or refugees in crisis could be housed temporarily in an emergency to prevent them from being deported or separated. This is a major step in the life of our congregation, and a significant number of other congregations in the area have pledged their support in various ways. We also have the support of our bishop. (More information is available online from Michigan United, www.miunited.org)

Worship at Ferndale First

June

As we begin our summer season we have the joy of being able to worship together in our air conditioned sanctuary and celebrating some special Sundays, highlighted by Pentecost, the third great holy day of the Christian year and the birthday of the church. It's a great time to invite and greet newcomers.

June 2 – 7th Sunday of Easter; Ascension of the Lord; a guest speaker will be bringing the message while Pastor Bob and Bonnie Kern are representing our congregation at the Michigan Annual Conference. Message: Given by Rachel Crandall Crocker of the Transgender Michigan Speaker's Bureau.

June 9 – Day of Pentecost; Graduation Sunday; Any grads, high school, college, other schooling, will be recognized on this day as we celebrate this achievement. Message: *Breathe Deep*, Acts 2.1–21. *Holy Communion* and *Anointing* will be part of this service, the 3rd great holy day of the church year, the birthday of the church.

June 16 – Trinity Sunday; Peace with Justice Sunday (including optional special offering) and Father's Day; Taking some complex theological concepts and making them something we can laugh at is God's challenge to us, but God wants us to join the fun. Message: *The Laughter of Creation*, Proverbs 8.22–31.

June 23 – 2nd Sunday after Pentecost; we're going to adjust the usual lectionary readings by a few weeks in order to have a series of messages from Paul's letter to the Galatians, possibly his most to-the-point description of what faith is all about. We'll begin with an introductory message that sets the stage for why he needed to write the letter. Message: *To Your Mark, Set, Wait!* Galatians 1.6–24.

June 30 – 3rd Sunday after Pentecost; when things go wrong and life seems unfair, when we fail or sin, God doesn't stop loving us there. Paul reaches for his noblest thoughts as he also stands opposed to Peter, his brother in Christ. Message: *Life Goes On — Graciously*, Galatians 2.11–21.

Who would you like to invite to worship with you next Sunday? (65–85% of all people who attend a church for the first time come because they were invited by a friend, neighbor, co-worker or relative.)

* All messages subject to change with circumstances or possible vacation Sundays.



Shontise and Yoan are received into membership on Easter Sunday

Serving in June

Liturgists:

2 ~ Alison Hastings
9 ~ Kathy Arcese
16 ~ Jan Howells
23 ~ Norm Kern
30 ~ Rick Churchill

Ushers:

Richard Churchill
Dot Carter
Nikki Vance

Coffee Hour:

2 ~ Bob & Mary Lenaway
9 ~ Milzie Murdock & Mollie Monroe
16 ~ Volunteer Needed
23 ~ Richard & Margaret Churchill
30 ~ Larry Saville & Sheila Colvin

Counters:

(additional Counter needed; contact Karen King)
Karen King, Margaret Churchill

Greeters:

Margaret Churchill

Ushers Needed. We need a few additional ushers. We can work out a schedule that will fit your needs. If you are willing to serve the church in this way, please see Liz Nasser or Richard Churchill.



Greeters needed: We need people to be by the red door to greet people each Sunday morning. Would you be interested? If so, Margaret Churchill would love to hear from you for 2019. Contact her at (248)547-5769.

Mission and Outreach

FREE Community Dinners The Last Wednesday of every month

A time to come together as a community in fellowship and enjoy a delicious, nutritious meal. **Free.** No reservations required.

Next Dinners:

June 26, 2019
July 31, 2019
August 28, 2019
September 25, 2019
October 30, 2019

If you would like to help with set-up, clean-up or cooking the meal, please see the sign-up sheets on the stand-alone bulletin board in the social hall or **please contact Mary Lenaway (248)229-5685. Cost can be reimbursed.**

Thank you, Mary and everyone who helps!

The Clothes Closet is also open until 7:00 pm on Community Dinner nights and is located in Room 105 at the end of the lower level hall. The Clothes Closet is now being managed by our own Jacquelin Windham and her helpers.



Community Card & Game Night 2019

Saturday, June 15th at 5:30pm – 9:30pm (Community Room) is our last game night for the season. Game Night will resume back in September the third Saturday of every month except December.

Everyone is welcomed (family & friends) to attend this opportunity to come together over a social event of cards and other table games.

Everyone attending is encouraged to bring finger foods, chips, pop, juice, etc. Pizza will be ordered based on number of participants and interest.

Note: Interest in games/cards will be determined by those attending.

For the use of the room a recommendation of \$5.00 is asked of all who attend. For further information, or questions, please contact Larry at 248-397-8065. This is a home line, cannot receive text messages.



Coffee Hour

I can't thank all those who have taken Sundays every month up through July enough. Thank you all.

For those who haven't taken a Coffee Hour yet this year or is wondering what is Coffee Hour? Coffee Hour is a time for us to fellowship over coffee. All you have to supply is a light snack that you would normally have with coffee or tea. For example, cookies, bagels, cheese & crackers, cake, fruit, veggies sticks, brownies, and chip & dip. A meal is not necessary for Coffee Hour. We have members who like to do meals for special occasions such as birthdays which is fine. But again, not necessary.

Remember you don't have to do a Coffee Hour alone. You can ask family and friends to help you with it. Lets get the rest of the Sundays filled up to December by

Thanks in Advance, Sheila Colvin
Coffee Hour Coordinator



- 1 ~ Kyle Kaptur
- 1 ~ Jacob Knittel
- 2 ~ Paul Shurtliff
- 2 ~ Jenna Kinsman
- 2 ~ Deana Kisman
- 4 ~ Janice Liddicoat
- 6 ~ Mary Jo O'Rear
- 14 ~ Cheryl Sibthorpe
- 20 ~ Katlyn McDermed
- 21 ~ Alana Lenaway
- 21 ~ Joseph Lemelin
- 23 ~ Melaine Sikes
- 23 ~ Meredith Breach
- 24 ~ Adelle Fry
- 25 ~ June Pagett
- 27 ~ Ronald Davis
- 27 ~ Margaret Churchill
- 28 ~ Ami Mansell
- 28 ~ Hunter Nagy
- 30 ~ Liam Voiles



- 2 ~ Jeffery Nahan & Annette DePetris
- 16 Richard & Margaret Churchill
- 22 Gus & Donna Siegmund



Dear Rev. Schoenhals,
I am reaching out to you because of what was outside your church. I read about it in the Detroit News. This is an amazing way to bring attention to the immigrants that have been ripped from their families and put in detention centers. I am thankful that there are men of the cloth like you out there. You should be very proud of your congregation for doing this. No matter what your Political affiliation, we are all children of God and we cannot blindly let our neighbors be put in an illegal jail.
God bless you and your flock.

Regard
Kyle.

The United Methodist Women

Dear Sisters,

I'm writing this in the middle of working for our annual rummage sale. We always have a great time working together even though we spend long hours working. Many hands make light work and so far, we've had good help and lots of good stuff to sort. Hopefully, we'll have lots of customers to make it another successful sale. On June 10, we'll be enjoying lunch together at The Ticonderoga restaurant. Please let one of the board know if you will be able to join us for lunch. Summer will soon be here (we hope). We have one activity for July, Mission U where we learn about the study books and studies for our next year. Everyone is invited to attend (not just your board members) so think about joining us and again you can talk to one of your board members and let us know you'd like to join us for a lovely Saturday in July. You should also remember that summer is a great time to catch up on your reading. Talk to Dot, Bloesel, or Alison to see which books they enjoyed the most or just check out the library. I'd like to thank Bloesel for being your president while I was in Arizona. We are all blessed to have her and her strong faith leading us and being one of our "sisters".

May God bless us all,
Kathy

Christian Education

Coming this Summer - Kids Cooking Camp is Back in 2019!

August 5-9 and 12-16, 9:00 a.m. -4:00 p.m.

This is our second year of co-sponsoring children's cooking camp with Danicasa Traditional Homemade Mexican Foods. Little chefs learn basic food preparation skills, nutrition, healthy choices and how to prepare and serve a full meal.

Volunteers are needed for: Greeting and Registration, Morning Kitchen Time, Crafts/Projects, Kitchen Afternoon

Use this handy link for Sign-Up Genius to volunteer:
<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0C4EADA92DA20-cooking10>

Cost per day \$ 40.00

Cost per week \$ 160.00

Half day \$ 20.00

For more information call Ara Sotelo at 248-622-3896 or visit them on facebook Danicasa Traditional Homemade Mexican Food @danicasami

Kids Club

Kids Club has ended for the season and will resume September 2019 every Thursday at 4:30 pm. Kids from ages 5 to 9 will learn Bible stories, songs, make crafts and have a snack. Kids club is located in First United Methodist of Ferndale/Education Wing/Room 205.

Contact the teachers for any questions! We would love to have you!

Ms. Alison Hastings, 248-268-4616

Ms. Kathy Arcese, 248-635-5919

Ms. Natalie Baeckeroot, 248-739-0857



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Kids Club 2019 teachers and students
Ms. Kathy Ms. Natalie Ms. Alison



Giving and Living

The congregation before me reclined on the blankets instead of pews, talked loud instead of using a PA system and handed out no bulletins announcing the order of worship. But the worship I'd just experienced in Kenya moved me to tears on several occasions. I'd never seen a group praise God with such joy or offer blessing prayers for the sick with such sincerity.

After a couple of hours, I thought the service was over, but then I was invited to the makeshift altar, handed a cake knife and motioned to cut.

I didn't think twice about cutting the cake into pieces that filled a napkin. Doesn't everyone want a big piece? I assumed there would be more cakes waiting somewhere.

But soon I heard: "No, this not how you do it, in Kenya" from Margaret, one of the elders.

She moved toward me, placing her hands on top of mine. Then, together we swiftly chopped the yellow cake with white icing into small bite sized chunks, filling twelve small plates. From this 11 x 7 cake, we were about to feed 300 men, women and children.

Soon the pastor offered a prayer and then Margaret gave us all a mini-sermon. *If you think about the ingredients that go into making a cake: the eggs, the flour, the sugar, the water, you realize that none of these elements are very good if at all on their own. But when you mix them together, adding just the right amounts (and no more than is needed), you get a sweet dessert. You get something that tastes good that all people can enjoy.*

In the same way, all of us today are a part of a larger family. We who are many believe that our fellowship is better and sweeter when it is shared. Let this cake today be an experience of what it means to be a part of God's family.

And moments later, I helped the other elders pass out the chunks of cake. We ate together till every crumb was gone. I have to tell you, it was some of the most soul-filling dessert I'd ever tasted in my life.

I was schooled in "communion" with cake, Kenyan style.

Days later when I returned from my trip, first up on the agenda at church was our annual stewardship drive.

Like most American churches seeking to recover and find hope from years of decline, we felt fear when it came to budget time.

We'd not be able to do everything we wanted like we wanted. ... As their pastor, I could see the look of disappointment and despair, even in the eyes of my most optimist leaders.

This was *not* how they wanted to do church. This was *not* how they liked to do church.

But, I couldn't help but stop and talk to my leaders about the new Kenyan friends I'd made and what made their worshipping community come together so well. ... Maybe we, as the members who brought the "water" the "flour" and "sugar" to community each week could re-focus our efforts on what we had—not what we didn't?

Maybe it was ok, we were doing less of this and that like we used to do? ...

We don't all need extra large pieces of the cake.

- Rev. Elizabeth Hagan is an American Baptist minister who serves congregations through short-term pastorates, retreat leadership and online conversation over at her blog, [Preacher on the Plaza](#).

Pastor's Discretionary HELP Fund

While we still give grocery cards and bus passes, these are limited in frequency and amount and require confirmation of their use. This is so we can save larger amounts for those who come with bigger needs, such as utility shut-offs, car repairs, rent, etc. *Anyone can contribute an extra, designated gift to this fund at any time. We want to make the fund more effective and place it on a firmer footing by encouraging these extra gifts on each Holy Communion Sunday*, (gifts at other times are always welcome, too.). Again, these are "extra" gifts, for those who wish to do something more, over and above their regular, disciplined giving to Christ's church. We have extra envelopes available on which you may write: **HELP.**

Some people are simply trying to survive, often on the street. **If you are approached by someone asking for money, please don't be embarrassed to refer them to Pastor and the HELP Fund. You are strongly encouraged to not give cash. That is why many of you support the fund, so we can help people directly and fairly.**

We had a large donation recently (thank you; you know who you are) but that money was used quickly for major utility needs and to buy bus passes and gift cards. It is now gone and we await further funds.

Thank you for your generous support.

Opportunities Beyond the Local Church

Benefit Concert St. Paul UMC presents A Musical Evening Featuring the “Guardians of Harmony” Friday, June 14 from 5:00 p.m. -8:00 p.m. at 165 E. Square Lake Rd. Bloomfield MI, 48302. Adults \$10, children under 12 \$5 and children under 3 are free. A light meal will be served at 5:20 p.m. with entertainment to start at 6:30 p.m. for more information about tickets contact St. Paul’s church office at 248-338-8233, Monday, Wednesday, & Thursday 10 to 3:00 p.m.

A Day Of Music On Ferndale Porches Is A One-Day Music Event. Created to showcase musicians from around Michigan playing on the front porches of Ferndale. The event features both established and up-and-coming acts from all genres. Saturday, June 22 you can walk, bike and even “stroll” porch-to-porch. Music for all ages. For more information visit downtownferndale.com

STEAM 2019 Summer Camp a Scott Memorial UMC Project. July 8-26 Monday—Friday 9:00a.m. –3:00 p.m. Camp is a summer program for incoming 3rd grade to outgoing 8th graders. Cost is \$50 per student. Applications accepted until June 14. For more information e-mail: scottumc@yahoo.com, or call 313-836-6301. Camp will be held at 15361 Plymouth Rd. Detroit, MI 48227.



Our cooperative art installation drew attention to the problems of migrant families separated at the border and brought media publicity to us and to the issue, thanks to Elaine and Indivisible.

Contact us:

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Michigan Area Bishop

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www.umc-gbcs.org

UM Communications:

www.umcom.org or rethink-church.org

General Bd. of Discipleship:

www.gbod.org or upperroom.org

General Bd. of Global Ministries:

www.gbgm.org or umcor.org

General Bd. of Higher Ed & Ministry:

www.gbhem.org

Publishing House & Online

Bookstore:

www.umph.org or cokesbury.com

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(in Michigan):

something for all ages

www.umccamps.org



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2 6a Regina's Food Truck	3 7p Crop Walk meeting	4 7:0a Regina's Food Truck 7p Christian Ed Meeting	5 9a Regina's Food Truck 3p My Son Pops	6	7	8 7a Regina's Food Truck 11a Stratton Memorial 11a CCH Crafts for Dad Workshop 6:30p Clawsonaires Square Dance
9 10a Regina's Food Truck 2p Shindiggers	10 2:3p UMW Mission Team Meeting	11 7p Outreach Meeting	12 10 My Son Pops	13 9a Regina's Food Truck	14 8:3a Regina's Food Truck	15 6a Regina's Food Truck 9am Fighting #9 2p CCH Father Day Celebration 5p Regina's Food Truck 6p Game Night
16	17	18 7p Worship Music & Arts Meeting	19 9a Regina's Food Truck 2p My Son Pops	20 92p Regina's Food Truck	21	22 6a Regina's Food Truck
23 9a Regina's Food Truck 30	24 11a Regina's Food Truck	25 8a Regina's Food Truck	26 9a Regina's Food Truck 2p My Son Pops 6pm Clothes Closet 6Pm Free Community Dinner	27 1p Regina's Food Truck 7p Peace Action of MI Meeting	28 7a Regina's Food Truck 6:3p Centor Cultural Hispano	29 Lu Downing Memorial Service 8a Regina's Food Truck

Regular Church-related Activities:

- Sundays:**
 - 9:15 am Sunday School/ Children Sunday School Room 204
 - 10:30 am Worship Service
- Mondays:**
 - 12 Noon Sisters Class
- Tuesdays:**
 - 9:00 am Interiors Committee
- Wednesdays:**
 - 7:00 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 - Mass
- Thursdays:**
 - 4:30 pm Kids Club

Other Regular Activities:

- Sundays:** 8:00 pm
Young People Can AA
- Mondays-Fridays:** 10:00 am
Overeaters Anonymous
- Mondays & Thursdays** 8:00 pm
Friendly Ferndale AA
- Monday's , Tuesday's Thursday's & Friday's** 6:00 am
D'Vine Cookies
- Wednesdays 2nd & 4th** 6:45 pm
Indivisible Fighting #9
- Last Wednesday's** 10:00 a.m.
Echano El Chal
- Thursday's 10:0am**
Centro Cultural Hispano (Play & Learn)

OTHER ON GOING ACTIVITIES

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