CONNECT

We're Glad You're Here!

We want to know who we are connecting with so we can serve you better. Please complete the front and back of this slip and drop it in the offering plate. If you have filled one out before, simply write your name and any new information.

Children:		Age
	Zip:	
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	address change	
	First Time _	Second Time
	Third Time	Fourth Time
	Reg. Attender_	Member
Are you:	Married	Single
	Married Single again	Widowed
Age Group:	Under 18	18-22
	23-30	31-35
	36-40	41-50
	51-60	60+
How did you	hear about Valley?	
	Drove by	Newspaper
	Yellow Pag	gesFriend
	Website	
	Other	

Please contact me about a visit from the Pastor.

Calendar

Today, Sunday, September 23, 2018

9:00 a.m. Worship Service Sanctuary
10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time St. Andrews Hall
10:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School Downstairs
10:30 a.m. Adult Sunday School Pommrehn Lounge

Monday, September 24, 2018

6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts St. Andrews Hall

Tuesday, September 25, 2018

Wednesday, September 26, 2018—Deadline for Sunday Bulletins

4:00 p.m.Prayer GroupPommrehn Lounge5:30 p.m.Bell ChoirBell Practice Room6:00 p.m.ChoirSanctuary

Thursday, September 27, 2018

Friday, September 28, 2018

Saturday, September 29, 2018

5:00 p.m. Contemporary Worship Service Sanctuary

Meal following worship

Next Sunday, September 30, 2018

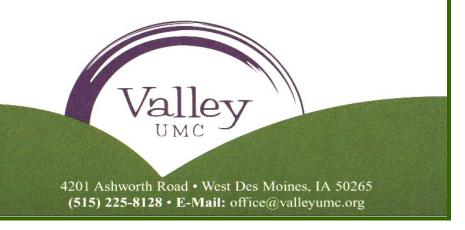
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Save the Date: Trunk or Treat Sunday, October 28 5-7:00 p.m.

September COG Item—Laundry Soap

Place your items in the Mission Corner of St. Andrews Hall

"The Last Word, Jubilee"



Order of Worship

Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

September 23, 2018

Entrance and Gathering of Christ's People

Preludes Prelude on "Morning Hymn" arr. by Binckes "Andante, from the 4th Organ Concerto" Handel

Announcements

Chimes and Ministry of the Acolytes

*Call to Worship

L: The Spirit of the LORD is upon us.

P: God has sent us to bring good news to the poor.

L: God has sent us to bind up the brokenhearted.

P: God has sent us to proclaim release for the captives, and liberation for prisoners.

All: Our call is to proclaim the year of the LORD's favor and a day of vindication for our God.

*Opening Prayer:

God of all wonders, everything that is—is yours. And yet you've decided to hand life, freedom, and a great calling over to us. We give you thanks for the great and generous gifts you've showered us with. Strengthen our hearts to have compassion like yours. Empower us to give of ourselves as powerfully as Christ gave of himself. When our love has fallen short, yours has remained steadfast. Free us for joyful obedience, that the world may live as one. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise "Come, Let Us with Our Lord Arise" 2084 TFWS

*Sharing of Greetings and Peace

L: Peace be with you.

P: Also with you!

Witness in Music "With a Voice of Singing" Adult Choir

Children's Message

*Scripture Hymn "My Hope is Built" 368 UMH

Scripture Hebrews 7:14-27 Pew Bible NT 269

Message "The Last Word, Jubilee" Pastor Jeremy Poland

Offertory "Andante in D Major" Quantz

*Doxology

Life in the Spirit

(Please note: In an effort to make sure everyone can share in our Life in the Spirit moments, please remember to stand up and face the congregation when speaking.)

The Lord's Prayer: Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn "Rejoice, the Lord is King 716 vss.1,2,4 UMH

*Benediction-"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing" 671 v.1 UMH

*Postlude *"Toccatina"* Lardelli

*Please stand as you are able.

Worship has ended...now the service begins!

Welcome, Visitors!

Nursery care, large print hymnals, large print bulletins are available by contacting an usher.

Today's Worship Servants: Organist: Karen Hutzell; Choir Director: David Rozendaal; Hand Bell Director: Lynelle Meyer; Announcements: Gary Forster; Computer Operator/Sound: Starr Himes; Worship Servants: Gayla Coffman, Lucy Elrick, Bob Johnson; Fellowship Host: Marilyn Hanson and Carolyn Lancaster; Nursery Attendant: Kim Tyrrell; Nursery Volunteer: Lorrie Hayes; Church open: Starr Himes; Church close: Jaci Vega.

Children in Worship: We welcome your children and are glad you have chosen to bring them to church! Childcare is provided for infants and toddlers up to 5 years of age. After the Children's Message, our nursery attendant, Ms. Tyrrell, will be at the back of the sanctuary to lead the children to the nursery for their special time. If your child is over 5 years of age, there are activity bags located at the back of the sanctuary or pick up one of the Children's Bulletins.

Next Week: Lectionary Scriptures: Esther 7:1-6, 9-10; 9:20-22, Psalm 124, James 5:13-20, Mark 9:38-50.

Announcements:

<u>October Fellowship Brunch</u>: It's time again for another Fellowship Brunch! Come for delicious food, great fellowship and the opportunity to support **Church World Service Blankets** on **Sunday, October 7.** The menu includes: French toast, chicken apple gouda sausage, harvest salad, fruit, pumpkin soup, cheese and crackers, German apple cake and pumpkin bars. Please sign the Connect to RSVP.

<u>Adult Bell Choir</u>: Have you always wanted to make "A Joyful Noise"? come and join A Joyful Noise bell choir beginning **Wednesday, September 26** from 5:30 – 6:15. We are a part of the worship service just once a month (unless there is a special occasion), and we would love to have you join us! If you have any questions, please see Lynelle or send her a text at 515-669-5524.

Ministry Opportunities @ Valley UMC

Pastoral Needs:				
I would like information concerning				
	membership or baptism.			
I would like to speak	uld like to speak with the Pastor			
concerning accepting Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior. I would like prayer for:				
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Please share this requ				
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All are encouraged to complete the Connect portion of the bulletin. Please place your form in the offering plate.

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