

FCU WEEKLY E-NEWS

Join Worship through Zoom **Sunday at 10:00am**

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Meeting ID: 892 4643 8945

OCTOBER 27 WORSHIP

Usher	Bill Koellner
Candlelighters	
PowerPoint	Bill Koellner
Organist	Lori Brooke
Choir	Chime Choir

Save your coins!! Noisy offerings will take place Oct 27-Nov 17

WHAT IS STEWARDSHIP?

Christian stewardship is grateful and responsible use of God's gifts in the light of God's purpose as revealed in Jesus Christ. Christian stewards, empowered by the Holy Spirit, commit themselves to conscious, purposeful decisions. Stewardship is lived out in:

- Living and telling the Good News
- Sharing God in seeking justice, peace, and the integrity of creation
- Wisely employing God-given human resources, abilities, and relationships
- Sharing material resources, giving them in service, justice, and compassion
- Providing for future generations
- Sharing in the life, worship, and responsible stewardship of the Church and of its mission
- Both for the individual and for the community, stewardship is a joyful act for the sake of God's world

OCTOBER NUMBERS

October 6 attendance – 35
October 13 attendance – 53
October 20 attendance – 65

October 6 giving – \$581.00
October 13 giving - \$1,755.25
October 20 giving - \$1,381.00 (incl auto dep)

Current monthly total – \$3,717.25

Needed each month - \$12,840.58



Many thanks to the Stewardship team for establishing an easy way for all of us to support the church! <https://fcuwl.org/give/>

SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITIES

October 30 4:00-7:00PM Harvest Soup Supper @ Cedar Valley Methodist
October 31 6:00-7:30PM

Pastor Deb & Lee Ann giving 'treats' from the church lawn for Trick or Treat

SOUP/CEREAL COLLECTION

WOW program, thru Nov 10, collecting cans of soup and boxes of cereal for an activity, and then donating to food pantry. Drop items off at church!

WINTERWEAR NEEDED

Winter poses an outerwear challenge to many adults and children who may not be able to purchase warm socks, hats, gloves/mittens, or scarves. Another need: underwear, of all sizes! Annually, the WL Ministerial Association churches collect winterwear items that many people need to get through an Iowa winter. A collection basket is in the Narthex.



Pastor Deb and the Koellner's started a grief support group on Tuesdays from 4:00pm-5:30pm at First Church United. GriefShare is a safe, welcoming group where people understand the difficult emotions of grieving the loss of a loved one. If you or a friend would value help and encouragement, please contact Pastor and fill out a registration form.

