

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF HUDSON
Making Disciples of Jesus Christ
8th Sunday after Pentecost

August 4, 2019

Pastor Audrey Westendorf Young

Welcome visitors and guests!

Please read **bold** print aloud and stand at * as you are able.

Kindly silence cell phones.

If you have a Prayer Request, please take a moment to complete the green card and place it in the offering plate

MUSIC FOR GATHERING

Melissa Boeschen

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT AND CROSS OF CHRIST

WELCOME

Pastor Audrey

***CALL TO WORSHIP – Psalm 107, Luke 12**

Pastor Audrey

One: O give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

All: God's love and warm embrace last forever.

One: When we cry out in distress, the Lord hears our call.

All: Praise the Lord who delivers us from sin and death.

One: Christ calls us to outfit ourselves in being right with God.

All: Worship the One who wraps us with justice, and helps us grow in the image of our Creator.

One: Love well, for your heart is where your treasure is.

All: May our hearts be filled with God's blessings, divine provisions that meet our true needs.

***God's Song – I Was There to Hear**

#2051 vs.1-3 TFWS

CHILDREN'S TIME

"What Would Jesus Do"

Pastor Audrey

JOYS, CONCERNS, & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

#895 UMH

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.

SCRIPTURE – Luke 12:15-24, 29-32 NIV

Reader

Jesus said to them, "Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; life does not consist in an abundance of possessions." And he told them this parable: "The ground of a certain rich man yielded an abundant harvest. He thought to himself, 'What shall I do? I have no place to store my crops. This is what I'll do. I will tear down my barns and build bigger ones, and there I will store my surplus grain. And I'll say to myself, "You have plenty of grain laid up for many years. Take life easy; eat, drink and be merry.'" "But God said to him, 'You fool! This very night your life will be demanded from you. Then who will get what you have prepared for yourself?' "This is how it will be with whoever stores up things for themselves but is not rich toward God." Then Jesus said to his disciples: "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat; or about your body, what you will wear. For life is more than food, and the body more than clothes. Consider the ravens: They do not sow or reap, they have no storeroom or barn; yet God feeds them. And how much more valuable you are than birds! And do not set your heart on what you will eat or drink; do not worry about it. For the pagan world runs after all such things, and your Father knows that you need them. But seek his kingdom, and these things will be given to you as well. "Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom.

MESSAGE

"In His Steps – W.W.J.D? Part Four"

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SACRAMENT OF WORD AND TABLE

All are welcome at the Lord's Table. One need not be a member of this church or any other to participate. Simply accept the bread, His Body, and dip the tip into the juice, His Blood, and eat. Then return to your seat by the other aisle.

OFFERING OF OUR TITHES AND GIFTS

***DOXOLOGY** "Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow" #95 UMH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow:

Praise him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

***PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

Pastor Audrey

***WHERE HE LEADS ME**

#338 vs. 1&4 UMH

DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Pastor Audrey

GREETING ONE ANOTHER WITH THE LOVE OF CHRIST

MUSIC FOR GOING FORTH IN CHRIST'S STEPS Melissa Boeschen



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**Today's Message
"In His Steps – W.W.J.D? Part Four"**

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Vision Statement:

"Hudson United Methodist Church will extend and expand ministries in our Community through worship, hospitality and outreach projects."