



**Adult
Sunday School**

New 6-Week Study!
Begins
Aug 30, 8:15am
in The Parlor

w/ Barb, Julie & Laura S.

Twin City Days Festus/Crystal City

**PANCAKE
BREAKFAST!** *Free!*

**Sat, Sept 12
8am-10am**



*Commissioning
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MINISTRY.*

Reception follows

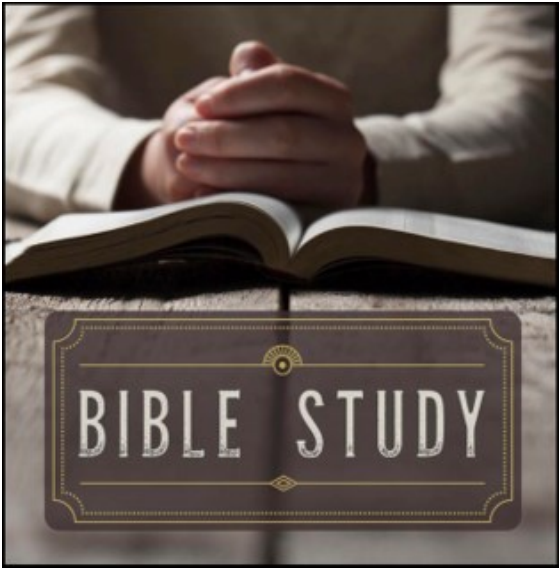
Sunday, Sept 20, 9:30am

**Trivia
Night**

REGISTER @
FestusUMC.org

Sunday, October 4, 4PM





Wednesday

10:00AM

in the
PARLOR

with John Blocher
Begins Sep 2



**First UMC
Podcast**

Hosted by
Heather Helms

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RIDE SHARE
an opportunity
for missions

Could you give someone a ride to church or
help coordinate a Ride Share ministry?
Mark your Connect Card to join the mission.

PRAISE SERVICE!

9:30 AM



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Traditional Worship
Saturdays 5:00pm

TWIN CITY DAYS PANCAKE BREAKFAST - First UMC will serve a free pancake breakfast during Twin City Days on Saturday, September 12 from 8 to 10 am. The lead for this year's pancake breakfast is Joann Spiro. A volunteer sign up sheet is located in the narthex. Donations of juice boxes and sugar free syrup are needed. Please place them in the designated bin in the room outside the fellowship hall. If you have questions please call Joann at 314-954-1101.

KIDS AT FIRST UMC. **Let the little children come!** Fun and meaningful **Kids Ministry** is Provided for K-5th grade during our Sunday worship services. The children begin in the sanctuary for opening worship and then head to their classrooms. **Nursery & Pre-K Care** is also provided Sundays during worship in Room 211. **The Wiggle Room.** We have a comfortable wiggle room in the back of the sanctuary with rocking chairs, play space, and a clear view of worship. You are welcome to use this space with your active toddler or a bubbly newborn.

Ways to Give @ First UMC

Use the **Tithe.ly** App




IN WORSHIP - Place your giving and Connect Card in the wooden boxes at the sanctuary entrances.

AUTO DRAW - Set up an auto pay from your checking account or contact our office for help with electronic giving through Vanco.

www.FestusUMC.org/Give **MAIL TO** - 113 Grand Avenue, Festus, MO 63028

CONNECT CARD

Thank you for coming today!

August 29 and 30

Please tear off this tab and drop it in the offering box at the bottom of the entrance stairs.

[] I'm New here!

[] 5 pm Saturday

[] 9:30 am Sunday

[] 11 am Sunday

Name: _____

Address : _____

Phone _____

Email _____

[] This is new contact information.



CONNECT CARD

☐ I'd like to receive a weekly email of First UMC prayer requests (Printed copies of the prayer requests are available in the Narthex.)

Prayer request/praise report

☐ I can help with ride share

___ Coordinator

___ Give a ride

THIS WEEK AT FIRST UMC!

Sat, Aug 29	Traditional Service, 5 pm
Sun, Aug 30	Adult Sunday School, 8:15 am
Sun, Aug 30	Sunday Social, 9:15 am
Sun, Aug 30	Praise Service, 9:30 am
Sun, Aug 30	Sunday Circle, 11 am
Mon, Aug 31	James II Project Community Lunch, 11:30—12:30
Mon, Aug 31	Narcotics Anonymous, 7 pm
Tues, Sept 1	Food Pantry, 8:30—11:30 am
Tues, Sept 1	Al-Anon, 6:30 pm
Tues, Sept 1	Alateen, 7 pm
Weds, Sept 2	Bible Study, 10 am, Parlor
Weds, Sept 2	Chancel Choir, 5:15 pm
Weds, Sept 2	Council Meeting, 6:30 pm
Thur, Sept 3	Praise Band,/Choir, 6:30 pm
Fri, Sept 4	Womens' Card Group, 11:30 am, Parlor
Fri, Sept 4	Red Cross Blood Drive, 12-4 pm, Fellowship Hall
Fri, Sept 4	Narcotics Anonymous, 7 pm
Sat, Sept 5	Traditional Service, 5 pm

SAVE THE DATE

Sat, Sept 12	Twin City Days Pancake Breakfast, 8-10 am
Thurs, Sept 17	United Methodist Women, 10 am, Parlor
Thurs, Sept 17	Red Cross Blood Drive, 1-5 pm, Fellowship Hall
Sun, Oct 4	Trivia, 4 pm
Sun, Nov 15	Harvest Dinner, after service

First United Methodist Church of Festus/Crystal City

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Rev. Dr. Tish Green, Lead Pastor

Rev. Todd Pieper, Associate Pastor



Welcome!

August 29 and 30, 2026

Isaiah 40: 25-31

²⁵ "To whom will you compare me? Or who is my equal?" says the Holy One.

²⁶ Lift up your eyes and look to the heavens: Who created all these? He who brings out the starry host one by one and calls forth each of them by name. Because of his great power and mighty strength, not one of them is missing.

²⁷ Why do you complain, Jacob? Why do you say, Israel, "My way is hidden from the LORD; my cause is disregarded by my God"?

²⁸ Do you not know? Have you not heard? The LORD is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He will not grow tired or weary, and his understanding no one can fathom.

²⁹ He gives strength to the weary and increases the power of the weak.

³⁰ Even youths grow tired and weary, and young men stumble and fall;

³¹ but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.