



**Winchester United Methodist Church**  
**A LIGHTHOUSE OF HOPE:**  
**REACHING, TEACHING, CARING, SHARING!**

*“Commitment to a life of service means parachuting into the war zones of the world and extending the welcome mat of God’s love and sacrifice to the door of every home and every heart. This is the mission Jesus offers us: downwardly mobile, forward-reaching service, not upward-struggling success.”*

Leonard Sweet

Welcome / Informal Moments : Rev. Robin

Prelude: Shawn Ford

**A Morning Call To Worship:**

*O God our help in ages past, our hope for years to come, we gather in worship to praise you for all the good gifts of life and home. We are thankful that in and through You, we have an Eternal home, not made of flesh and blood. We pray once again that on this Lord’s Day, we might catch a glimpse of what Abundant living is like in that Place of Places, where peace reigns and grace abounds. Reveal Your Presence to us, in the fullness of that Peace and Grace. We know we can come to You, O Lord, and approach You in genuineness and vulnerability. After all, You know us to the depths of our souls, and You see our triumphs and our failures, our strengths and our flaws and weaknesses. May our ears be open today to Your invitation to leave the world’s cares, worries and burdens behind, and come into that Oasis place of rest and restoration. Your desire is to be front and center in each of our lives, and that we would “lose ourselves” in service to You and to those who number among the least, the last and the lost in life. Help us to believe in You, O Christ, and to walk “Your Walk”, that we might, by Your power, lead others to the Fountain of Life, which You offer to all who seek. Remind us in this hour, as we remind others, that with You, O God of All Creation, all things are truly possible. In Christ’s Name we pray. Amen.*

Hymn: # 522 Leave It There

Children’s Moment: Rev. Robin

**Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer**  
*In the name of Jesus Christ We are forgiven!*

**Scripture Readings**

**Old Testament Lesson:** Job 23:1-9. 16-17

**Gospel Lesson:** Mark 10:17-31

**The Message:** *In A World of Noise and Confusion:* Rev. Robin  
*Tune To The Frequency of The Savior’s Voice of Peace*

**Hymn:** # 534 *Be Still My Soul*

**Closing Remarks / Benediction**

**Postlude:** Shawn Ford



**WUMC: Giving from the Heart!**

The Jeremy Hoots Memorial Educational Fund Update:  
 Children / Youth Sunday School Bake Sale: \$1,310  
 UM Men’s Cookout: \$1,434



**Thanks to the Sunday School Class, UM Men & everyone who donated baked goods or gave a donation! Memorial gifts are still being received!**

**Our Conference / Our Kids (Special Offering)**

Thanks to everyone who participated in the IGRC Bishop Beard Tribute Love Offering. We collected \$500!  
**THANK YOU!**

**MASK RECOMMENDATION!**

*Due to the Covid Variant, The UMC is recommending all (Vaccinated and Non-Vaccinated) on wearing mask upon entering and exiting the building. Masks are available for your use.*

*Please continue exercising Common Sense Protocols. Thank You for Your Cooperation!*



*WUMC wishes to thank everyone for your continued support with your tithes, gifts, offerings and prayers! THANK YOU!*

## *This Week's Opportunities*

**Sunday, October 10, 2021**

**9 a.m.** In-Person Worship

*(Broadcast available by Monday afternoon)*

**10:05 a.m.** Sunday School For All Ages

**Tuesday, October 12, 2021**

**6:15 p.m.** Finance **6:30 p.m.** Ad Council

**Saturday, October 16, 2021**

**9 a.m.** United Methodist Men's Cookout at the 3 way!

**9 a.m.** Alzheimer's Support Group

**Next Sunday, October 17, 2021**

**9 a.m.** In-Person Worship

*(Broadcast available by Monday afternoon)*

**10:05 a.m.** Sunday School For All Ages

*Our Sunday Services can be accessed through our church*

*Webpage: [winchesterilumc.org/multimedia](http://winchesterilumc.org/multimedia)*

*You Tube: Winchester Illinois United Methodist Church / Facebook page:*

*Link to the service*

### **PRAYER**

**In Our Prayers:** *Children: (Baby Ace, Asher, Reed, Kennah, & Emma, Ava Rose, Jade); Terry Aossey, Bishop Frank Beard, Lisa Cappareli, Ms. Caradonna, Minnie Cooper, Julia DeGroot, Kevin Garnett, Richard Gregory, John Hardwick, Linda Hendricker, Donna Holmes, Larry & Pam Jones, Norma Hilleary, Shelby (Fairchild) Houston, Larry Lashmett, Brynleigh Lawson, Cory Markham, Brenda Pollard, Jane Reihing, Phyllis Rhodes, Michael Ryan, Chuck Roberts, Larry Shipley, Slade Family, Bonnie Waltrip, Debbie Worrell, Rex Worrell, and our **Military Personnel:** Blake Clayton, Chris Dukett, Andy Pfeiffer, Donnie Stice, Kale Pollard, and our shut-ins and friends in area nursing centers and at home, and all who are looking for work. *WUMC wishes to express their prayers and sympathy to the family of Bill Whicker. Rev. Robin officiated the service on Saturday, Oct. 9.**

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# WINCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



**OCTOBER 10, 2021**

**20TH SUNDAY OF PENTECOST**



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