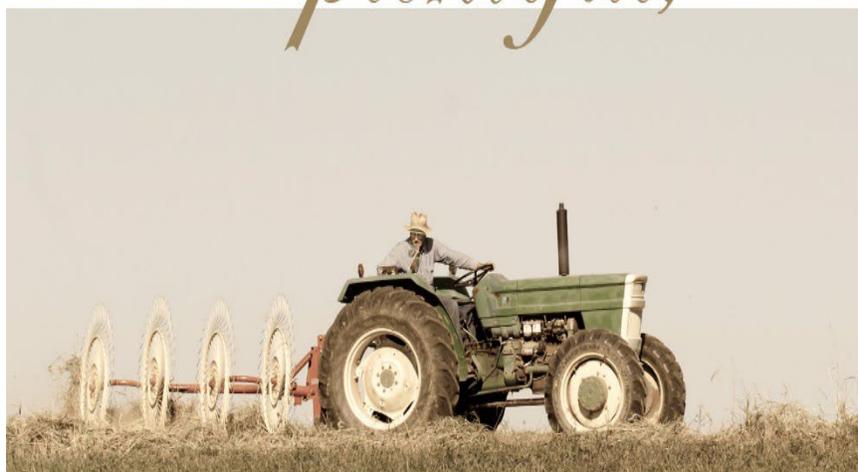


**WAUPUN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**Waupun, WI**

The harvest is  
*plentiful,*



but the laborers are *few...*  
Luke 10:2, NRSV

July 3, 2022

Sunday worship – 9:00 a.m.

**Welcome to worship.**

**May you find the presence of God wherever you are.**

At the \* sign, please stand as you are able.  
**Bold print** = Congregational response

Prelude

Welcome

Musical Call to Worship

**\*Call to Worship**

God so loves the world that God calls us to minister to the world.

**God loves the world?**

Yes, the world, even that part that we ignore, and that part of the world which ignores God and God's church.

**Well, then, what's the point of our trying to reach that part of it? Why not ignore it? That seems to be what Jesus is saying.**

Well, if he is saying that, he says it only after we have visited it in his name, and sought to bring his message to it. That is not comfortable, but exciting.

**That's why we need God's power. So, we accept God's love and courage. And we share God's truth and justice.**

Amen! Let us invite open our hearts, minds, and wills, as did the seventy in the Bible reading.

**We open ourselves to the Lord of Life. And all the people said ...**

**\*Opening Hymn**

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**"This Is My Song"**

**\*Opening Prayer**

**Lord of the harvest, impress upon us in this time of worship the need for laborers to go out into the fields and bring those who have not yet accepted you as Savior into the fold of your Church. Give to each of us the faith that will enable us to do our share of the work, and grant that we may find joy in our sharing of your love. Amen.**

Children's Message

"Traveling light"

Bible Reading

Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

**10** The Lord now chose seventy-two other disciples and sent them ahead in pairs to all the towns and places he planned to visit. **2** These were his instructions to them: "The harvest is great, but the workers are few. So pray to the Lord who is in charge of the harvest; ask him to send more workers into his fields. **3** Now go, and remember that I am sending you out as lambs among wolves. **4** Don't take any money with you, nor a traveler's bag, nor an extra pair of sandals. And don't stop to greet anyone on the road.

**5** "Whenever you enter someone's home, first say, 'May God's peace be on this house.' **6** If those who live there are peaceful, the blessing will stand; if they are not, the blessing will return to you. **7** Don't move around from home to home. Stay in one place, eating and drinking what they provide. Don't hesitate to accept hospitality, because those who work deserve their pay.

**8** "If you enter a town and it welcomes you, eat whatever is set before you. **9** Heal the sick, and tell them, 'The Kingdom of God is near you now.' **10** But if a town refuses to welcome you, go out into its streets and say, **11** 'We wipe even the dust of your town from our feet to show that we have abandoned you to your fate. And know this—the Kingdom of God is near!'

**16** Then he said to the disciples, "Anyone who accepts your message is also accepting me. And anyone who rejects you is rejecting me. And anyone who rejects me is rejecting God, who sent me."

**17** When the seventy-two disciples returned, they joyfully reported to him, "Lord, even the demons obey us when we use your name!"

**18** "Yes," he told them, "I saw Satan fall from heaven like lightning! **19** Look, I have given you authority over all the power of the enemy, and you can walk among snakes and scorpions and crush them. Nothing will injure you. **20** But don't rejoice because evil spirits obey you; rejoice because your names are registered in heaven."

New Living Translation (NLT)

Pastor's Message

"Today's '70?'"

**Tithes and Offerings**

\*Song of Thanksgiving

\*Prayer of Dedication

**Black #2036**

**“Give Thanks”**

**Prayers of the People**

**Joys, Praise and Concerns**

**Hymn “God, Bless America”**

Pastoral Prayer

**Celebration at the Lord’s Table**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

Announcements

\*Blessing/Dismissal

**\*Closing Song**

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**”Sent Out In Jesus’ Name”**

Today’s Worship Ministers:	All of us - wherever we are
Tech Operators:	Val Dolgner and
Pianist:	Laura Ten Pass
Pastor/Worship Leader:	Steve Miller
Counters:	Deb White and Jeanne Ludjack

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**INTENSIVE PRAYER CONCERNS**

Katie Schwanke Bob Bradley Paula Wendt Ray Dolgner

Pastor Rom Pegram Mike Duer Ryan Giese

Those impacted by the war in Ukraine

Those impacted by the coronavirus

Families and loved ones of recent mass shootings

**Remember our homebound:**

At Home: Doris Laurain (in Indiana)

Christian Home: Jean Bartlett

Hillside Manor: Joyce Berry

Marvin’s Manor: Viola McRobert

Prairie Place, Ripon: Elaine Stanton

Prairie Ridge: June Witowich, Phyllis McDowell, Alice Chase

Remembrance Home, Beaver Dam: Dick Walters

St. Francis’ Home, FdL: Janette Ruck

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