

Reynolds United Methodist Church  
June 11, 2023

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**Gathering**

*Greeting & Words of Welcome & Centering*

*Processional*

*Announcements* (See below)

**The All Church Memory Verse of the Month: Matthew 6:34**

Therefore, do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own. Matthew 6:34

*Opening Praise* "Are You Washed in the Blood" FOG 259

*Call to Worship* (Call & Response)

Leader: Let us therefore, open ourselves to the prompting of the Holy Spirit.

**People: We reach out for more than we can see and hear, we long to know God's loving embrace.**

Leader: The Spirit dwells within you and offers you new life.

**People: We have come to praise God who gives us hope and salvation.**

**Union Prayer**

**All powerful God, we are grateful for the witness you reveal in the pages of scripture. Come to us now, in the midst of our differences, and bring understanding, respect and caring. Open to us a deeper understanding of our birthright as your children. Beyond all our clamor for the things of this world, we long for the richness of your spirit. Feed us here in this place and in these moments, we pray. AMEN**

*Praise Song* "America the Beautiful" UMH 696

*Proclamation and Response*

*Scripture Lesson* Genesis 12: 1-9 (page 17 in pew Bible)

*Children's Moment* Rhonda Brown

*Message* "The Call of Abraham" Pastor Glen Stewart

**Thanksgiving**

*Testimony to Joys and Concerns*

*Pastoral Prayer*

*The Lord's Prayer*

*Offertory* "Close to Thee" FOG 405

*The Doxology* UMH 95

**Prayer of Dedication (Unison)**

Along with these material gifts, Holy God, accept the offering of our praise and dedication. Help us be contributing members of your kingdom. You have given us life and guidance for faithful living. You have made us partakers of your Spirit. We rejoice in the opportunity to receive and share your love. May the ministries we support through our giving bear much fruit for your kingdom. This we ask in Christ's holy name. AMEN

**Sending Forth**

*Sending Song* "Living for Jesus" FOG 405

*Benediction*

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**CHURCH CALENDAR**

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**Wednesday, June 14<sup>th</sup>** – Bible Study - The Book of Acts Chapters 3-5, 9:00 am

**Monday, June 12<sup>th</sup>** – Ministry Council, 7:00 pm

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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The mission of the month for June is Outdoor and Retreat Ministries "Camperships" Scholarships. Camp Scholarships help persons from throughout the Northern Illinois Conference attend camps and retreats when they are in need of assistance. Funds are directed to either/or both sites - Reynoldswood and Wesley Woods, as camper needs arise.

Please make checks payable to "Reynolds Church" with "Camperships" or "M.O.M." in the memo line and drop your donation any Sunday or mail to Penny Bennett.

Thank you. Missions Team

Submit items for the Newsletter to the Church office by June 26<sup>th</sup>

**Serving This Sunday, June 11**

**Organist:** Bev Kearns

**Ushers for this week:** Volunteers needed

**Greeters:** TBD

**Liturgist:** Volunteer needed

**Youth Moment:** Rhonda Brown

**Children's Church Teacher:** Summer break, Children stay in church

**Children's Church Shepherd:** Summer break, Children stay in church

**Communion Steward for June:** Kathy Becker

**Church Hostess for June:** Contact Kathy Becker

**Coffee Fellowship Time:** Lew & Karen Carey

**Mowing:** Service Opportunity Available

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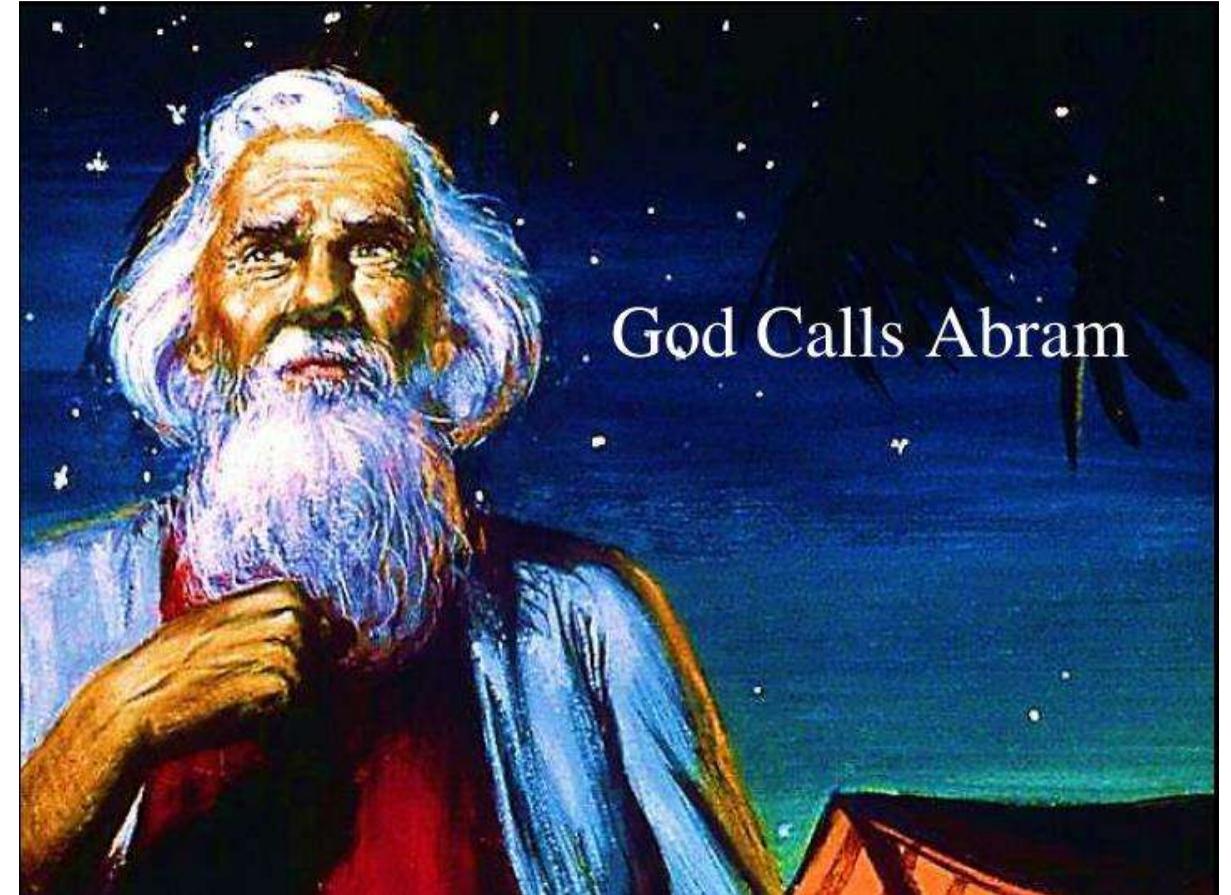
**Coffee Fellowship Time:** Father's Day Pie Day

**Mowing:** Service Opportunity Available

Offering for:

Church Fund: \$1,300.00

MOM \$30.00



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