## Sunday, July 12

9 am Contemporary Service 11am Traditional Service

Due to Social Distancing— all church activities are suspended. As sure as we get updated guidance— we will advise everyone. In the meantime, stay safe!

# 1 CORINTHIANS 9:19-23

Though I am free and belong to no one, I have made myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible. To the Jews I became like a Jew, to win the Jews. To those under the law I became like one under the law (though I myself am not under the law), so as to win those under the law. To those not having the law I became like one not having the law (though I am not free from God's law but am under Christ's law), so as to win those not having the law. To the weak I became weak, to win the weak. I have become all things to all people so that by all possible means I might save some. I do all this for the sake of the gospel, that I may share in its blessings.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- \* UMW/Youth Yard Sale is taking donations. If you would like to help arrange and organize, please see Mrs. Diana Nevans. As soon as we get approval from the District Superintendent— we will hold the sale. If you need assistance with picking up donations, please call the church office.
- ESL classes are available on Monday Evenings at 7pm

  please contact
   Kristin Urani at 423-413-2517
- If you would like to be put on the prayer chain or would like to be Included in the prayer chain, please contact either Ann Blackburn or Cyndie Swafford.
- Pastor Bill and Angela Akers new address is:
   5006 Creekside Preserve Drive, Hixson, TN 37343

First United Methodist Church July 12, 2020 "Advancing Christ's Kingdom locally and globally"



Pastor Layne Pennington 993 Market Street, P.O. Box 12 Dayton, TN 37321 office (423)775-0262 www.firstchurchdayton.org 9:00 AM Worship Service 6th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome

Praise & Worship

Offering

Announcement

Blessing of the Children– The Nursery is closed until further notice.

Scripture 1 Corinthians 9:19-23 Message The World is my Parish

Pastor Layne

Praise & Prayer Closing Worship

11:00 AM Worship Service 6th Sunday after Pentecost

\*\* Please stand if you are able

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude Faith Young Invocation Mary Stickley

Special Music

Offertory Prayer Mary Stickley

Offertory is available at the entrance

Doxology 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

Greeting

**Pastoral Prayer** 

The Lord's Prayer 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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Special Music Amy Ballentine
Scripture 1 Corinthians 9:19-23
Sermon The World is my Parish

Pastor Layne

Special Music

\*\*Benediction & Response God be with you till we meet again

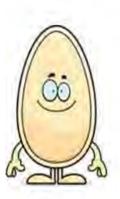
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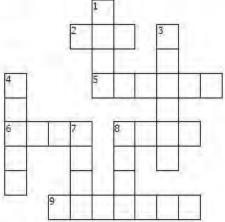
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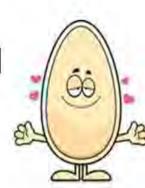
# The Parable of the Sower 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

"But the seed sown on rich soil is the one who hears the word and understands it, who indeed bears fruit and yields a hundred or sixty or thirtyfold." Matthew 13:1-23









## **ACROSS**

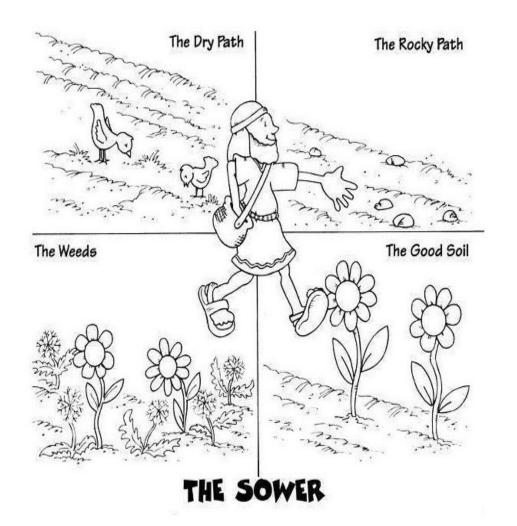
- To put seeds in the ground so that plants will grow
- Small, sharp, pointed growths on the stem of a plant
- Plants such as grain, vegetables, or fruit grown by farmers
- A small, usually hard part of a plant from which a new plant can grow
- 9. Not deep

# DOWN

- The part of a plant which grows down into the earth
- A person who owns or takes care of a farm
- 4. Covered with stones
- A way made by or for people walking on the ground
- The upper layer of earth that may be dug or plowed and in which plants grow

PATH	CROP	SOIL	THORNS	ROOT	
SHALLOW	FARMER	SEED	SOW	ROCKY	

# "The Parable of the Sower"



Color the picture and explain how the seeds are growing. Which seeds are not doing are growing and which seeds are growing the best? Discuss as a family how you can the be the seeds in good soil, what can you do to be good seeds to others?

#### **Bible Reading Plan**

#### Answers for July 5th -11th

Question 1 Genesis 1:31– It was very good

Question 2 Genesis 5:20– Jared. Je was 962 years old

Question 3 Genesis 8:14–377 days

Question 4 Genesis 11:9 – Babel means to confuse or confound

Question 5 Genesis 15-21 – Through Abraham all nations will be blessed

#### Scripture reading for July 12th—18th

Sunday Genesis 22-24

Monday Genesis 25-27

Tuesday Genesis 28-30

Wednesday Genesis 31-33

Thursday Genesis 34-36

Friday Genesis 37-39

Saturday Genesis 40-42

#### Questions

- 1. Who shall provide and what was provided? Is there any correlation to the New Testament?
- 2. How old was Sarah when she died? Ages of other women in the scriptures when they died?
- 3. Who did Isaac marry?
- 4. Who helped bury Abraham?
- 5. How did Jacob accumulate so much wealth?
- 6. Did Jacob and Esau reconcile?
- 7. Why was Joseph sold into slavery?
- 8. Connection between Joseph and Dolly Parton

# Mission auction 2020

# **CALL OR TEXT LORRAINE GARREN WITH YOUR BID AT 423-618-5806**

Item	Location	Number of passes	Expire	Value
Booth Museum of Western Art	Cartersville GA	4	No expiration	\$48.00
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Aquarium of the Smokies	Gatlinburg TN	2	No expiration	\$66.00
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Island rope course & quick jump	Pigeon Forge	2	12.31.2020	\$40.00
Montgomery Zoo	Montgomery AL	4	6.30.2020	\$68.00
Adventure Science Center	Nashville TN	4	7.31.2020	\$72.00
Christ in the Smokies	Gatlinburg TN	2 (kids always free	) 12.31.2020	\$30.00
Lighthouse and museum	Tybee Island GA	4	No expiration	\$40.00
Rock n Soul & music museum	Memphis TN	2	No expiration	\$36.00
Wild animal safari	Pine Mountain GA	4	No expiration	\$99.80
Top Jump	Pigeon Forge	2	No expiration	\$36.00
Big Rock Dude Ranch	Smokie Mountains TN	4 1hr mountain trai	l No expiration	\$150.00
Rafting in the Smokies	Pigeon River TN	2 raft & 2 zip line	2020 season	\$162.00
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Rainforest Adventure	Pigeon Forge TN	4	No expiration	\$42.00
High Museum of Art	Atlanta GA	4	12.31.2020	\$58.00
Dollywood	Pigeon Forge TN	on Forge TN 2 (can upgrade to Season pass) thru 12.31.2020		\$158.00
Alcatraz East	Pigeon Forge TN	4	12.31.2020	\$100.00
Wonderworks	Pigeon Forge TN	2	4.30.2021	\$51.00
Atlanta Movie Tours	Atlanta GA	2	No expiration	\$120.00
Fernbank Museum	Atlanta GA	2	4.30.2021	\$40.00
Kentucky Horse Park	Lexington KY	4	2.4.20210	\$80.00
Tennessee Valley Rail Road	Chattanooga TN	2 Adult/2 Child	12.31.2020	\$60.00
Rowdy Bear Mountain	Gatlinburg TN	2 glider/2 coaster	No expiration	\$60.00
Creative Discovery Museum	Chattanooga TN	4	1.28.21	\$63.80
Lost River Cave	Bowling Green KY	2	No expiration	\$39.90
Ruby Falls	Chattanooga TN	2 adult/2 Child	4.30.2021	\$71.80
Red Skelton or Patty Waszac show Pigeon Forge TN		2	No expiration	\$66.00
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Country Tonite	Pigeon Forge TN	2	12.30.2020	\$75.00
The Track	Pigeon Forge TN	54 ride points	2020 season	\$54.00
Creation Museum	Petersburg KY	2	2.5.21	\$79.90
Rock City	Chattanooga TN	2 adults/2 children	No expiration	\$69.80