

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE, STUDY AND FELLOWSHIP

ADULT FELLOWSHIP: Meets the third Saturday of each month, Sept. thru May, and invites adults of all ages to join them.

Contact Person: Gail Van Dyke, 856-667-6354

UNITED METHODIST MEN: Meet at 7:45am for breakfast on the third Sunday of each month, September through May.

All men of all generations. Contacts: Doug Sell, Jr. 267-259-0621, Taylor Ruilova, 905-5198

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle meets second Monday 7:30 pm., Barbara Dapper, Leader, 235-1765

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY: 2pm Rm. E204. All welcome! Contact Person: Dale Duffin, 609-845-3044

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: 7:30-9 A.M. at Maritsa's in Maple Shade. Contact Person: Carol Talbot, 856-235-9346

STEPHEN MINISTRY: Contact Persons: Kathy Appleton, 856-234-0089, Suanne Bryan 856-824-0672

Mike Zolty 609-261-4088, Michael Harsche 856-778-3520, Pat Cornell 856-727-9476

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Prayer Room (varied hours)

Contacts: Lonnie and Barbara DeHart, 609-261-1253

Email prayer chain: To add a name to the email prayer chain, contact Church@meetwithGod.com

TUESDAYS WITH GOD – A Weekly Prayer Gathering of the Faithful, meets every Tuesday evening from 6:00-6:45 p.m. for prayer in the chapel. Led by Pastor HeyYoung.

LIGHT HARBOR MINISTRIES: Third Sunday of each month @ 2:30. Contact person: Linda Wanagas, 273-1298

JR. HIGH UMYF (7-8TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) Meets every Sunday evening from 7-8:30, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 866-0285

SR. HIGH UMYF (9-12TH GRADE YOUTH MINISTRY) Meets every Sunday evening from 7-8:30, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 866-0285

C.H.U.M. (2-4th Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

CHRISTIAN TRAILBLAZERS (5th-6th Grades) Meets every Thursday, 4:30 for choir & 5:15 for dinner, fellowship & activity

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

YOUNG FOLLOWERS (K-1st Grade) Meets every Thursday at 4:30 in Fell. Hall for dinner and proceed to choir at 5:15

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 222-1120

COLLEGE AGE: Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 866-0285

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN): Contact Person: Allan Hanlon, 802-1100

PRAISE TEAM - MUSIC AND BAND - Meets twice a month on Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m. (check bulletin for schedule)

GOSPEL CHOIR – Meets twice a week: Sunday at 12:15 p.m. and Thursday at 7 p.m.

CHOIRS AND HANDBELLS -

ADULT CHOIR Thursday 8:00-10:00 p.m.

YOUTH (7th -12th grade) Thursday 7:00-7:45 p.m.

WESLEY (5th - 6th grade) Thursday 4:30-5:15 p.m.

JUNIOR (2nd - 4th grade) Thursday 4:30-5:15 p.m.

PRIMARY (5 yrs. - 1st grade) Thursday 5:15-5:45 p.m.

ADULT BELLS Sunday 12:15-1:15 p.m.

YOUTH BELLS (7th - 12 grade) Sunday 6:00-6:50 p.m.

JUBILATION CHIMERS (4th-6th grade) Sunday 5:15-5:50 p.m.

Contact Person: Glenn Rodgers, 222-9369 (Music Department)

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Saturday: 5:30 P.M. Contemporary Worship in the Chapel

Sunday: 8:30 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Chapel

9:30 A.M. Contemporary Worship in the Sanctuary

11:00 A.M. Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

A community of faith committed to sharing the love of Jesus Christ with a hurting world through words and actions

February 8, 2015

9:30 A.M. Service

We welcome you to this service of praise and adoration. Let God speak to you through the songs and the message, and enjoy the fellowship of those who are seeking the Lord and the spiritual help that we need for daily living.

WELCOME

Elmine van den Berg, Worship Leader

SCOUT FLAG CEREMONY

SCOUT SUNDAY PRESENTATION OF THE TROOP

David Madara

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: By Your great mercy and love O God, we have come into Your house.

People: In reverence and praise we bow down before You.

Leader: Let all who take refuge in God be glad.

People: Let us sing with joy, praise, and thanksgiving!

WORSHIP IN SONG: COME, NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP (by Brian Doerksen)

Come, now is the time to worship; Come, now is the time to give your heart.

Come, just as you are to worship; Come, just as you are before your God . . . Come.

One day ev'ry tongue will confess You are God, one day ev'ry knee will bow;

Still, the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose You now. (1988 Vineyard Songs)

BEAUTIFUL ONE (by Tim Hughes)

Wonderful, so wonderful is Your unfailing love, Your cross has spoken mercy over me.

No eye has seen, no ear has heard, No heart could fully know How glorious, how beautiful You are.

(Chorus) *Beautiful One I love, Beautiful One I adore, Beautiful One my soul must sing.*

Powerful, so powerful, your glory fills the skies, Your mighty works displayed for all to see.

The beauty of Your majesty awakes my heart to sing: How marvelous, how wonderful You are.

(Chorus – 2 x's)

You opened my eyes to Your wonders anew, You captured my heart with this love

'cause nothing on earth is as beautiful as You (repeat) (Chorus)

My soul, my soul must sing. My soul, my soul must sing. My soul, my soul must sing. Beautiful One. (Repeat)

(Chorus – 2x's) (1992 Thankyou Music)

REVIVAL (by Robin Mark)

As sure as gold is precious and the honey sweet, so you love this city and You love these streets ;

Ev'ry child out playing by their own front door, ev'ry baby laying on the bedroom floor ;

Ev'ry dreamer dreaming in their dead end job, Ev'ry driver driving through the rush hour mob.

I feel it in my spirit feel it in my bones You're going to send revival bring them all back home.

For I can hear that thunder in the distance like a train on the edge of the town:

I can feel the brooding of Your Spirit, Lay your burdens down lay your burdens down.

From the preacher preaching when the well is dry, to the lost soul reaching for a higher high;

From the young man working through his hopes and fears, to the widow walking through the veil of tears.

Ev'ry man and woman, ev'ry old and young, Ev'ry father's daughter ev'ry mother's son.

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I can feel the brooding of Your Spirit, Lay your burdens down lay your burdens down.

Revive us revive us revive us with Your fire. (1998 Daybreak Music, Ltd.)

OPENING PRAYER: God of all dominion and power, God of love; we can love only because you first loved us. Empower us by your Holy Spirit to be and do the same. When we rest in your love, fear – though present – cannot overpower us. Help us to rest there always. God of the risen Jesus, hear our prayer. Amen. Bishop Sartison

BECAUSE HE LIVES *(By Gloria & William Gaither)*

God sent his Son, they called him Jesus; he came to love, heal, and forgive;
he lived and died to buy my pardon, an empty grave is there to prove my Savior lives.
*Refrain: Because he lives, I can face tomorrow; because he lives, all fear is gone;
because I know he holds the future, and life is worth the living just because he lives.*

How sweet to hold a newborn baby, and feel the pride and joy he gives;
but greater still the calm assurance, this child can face uncertain days because he lives. (refrain)

And then one day I'll cross the river; I'll fight life's final war with pain;
and then as death gives way to victory, I'll see the lights of glory and I'll know he reigns. (refrain) *(Public Domain)*

SHOUT TO THE LORD *(by Darlene Zschech)*

My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like You, all of my days I want to praise
the wonders of Your mighty love; My Comfort, my Shelter, Tower of refuge and strength;
Let ev'ry breath, all that I am, never cease to worship You.

*Chorus: Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing power and majesty, praise to the King;
Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of Your name.
I sing for joy at the work of Your hands, forever I'll love You, forever I'll stand;
nothing compares to the promise I have in You. (1993 Hillsongs Australia)*

BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD

PRAYER RESPONSE THERE'S SOMETHING ABOUT THAT NAME *(by Gloria & Wm. Gaither)*

Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There's just something about that name!
Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain.
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all heaven and earth proclaim:
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, but there's something about that name! *(United Methodist Hymnal)*

WORSHIP IN GIVING: Offering

SPECIAL MUSIC

Feed My Lambs
Junior and Wesley Choirs
Natalie Sleeth

SHARING THE WORD Scripture: I Samuel 12:16-24, I John 4:16-19
Sermon: What Are You Afraid Of? Pastor Richard Nichols

CLOSING HYMN 529 HOW FIRM A FOUNDATION

How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, is laid for your faith in his excellent word!
What more can he say than to you he hath said, to you who for refuge to Jesus have fled?

"Fear not, I am with thee, O be not dismayed, for I am thy God and will still give thee aid;
I'll strengthen and help thee, and cause thee to stand upheld by my righteous, omnipotent hand.

"When through the deep waters I call thee to go, the rivers of woe shall not thee overflow;
for I will be with thee, thy troubles to bless, and sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.

"When through the fiery trials thy pathways shall lie, my grace, all sufficient, shall be thy supply;
the flame shall not hurt thee; I only design thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.

"The soul that on Jesus still leans for repose, I will not, I will not desert to its foes;
that soul, though all hell should endeavor to shake, I'll never, no, never, no, never forsake." *(Public Domain)*

GOING FORTH: The Benediction

A NOTE TO PARENTS: Child care is available in Room E101 for children up to age four. We love children and little ones are welcome in our worship service. On those days when your child is fussy, the parlor located behind the sanctuary provides an excellent place to care for your children and still participate in the worship service. There is a powder room right outside the parlor that can be used for changing diapers.

USHERS: Members of Boy Scout and Cub Pack 44 **SCRIPTURE READING:** Aedan McHale

ACOLYTE: Michael Gural **ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:** Worship: 477 Sunday School: 122

PLEASE LET US KNOW...If you or someone you know is ill or in the hospital, let the church office know so that we can help in their healing process through our prayers, visits, food preparation, etc. Thank you!

THE CHANCEL BOUQUET HAS BEEN GIVEN BY: Brenda and Steuart McCleaf, to the glory of God and in memory of her mother, Goldie Detter.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Charles Simon (brother of Bob Simon), Ann Kenny (friend of Beth Fisher), Shirley VanDuser, Harris Fister, James Vine (father of Keith Vine), Sueanne Krout (daughter of Sarah Buchanan), Jesse Atkins (Dana Young's uncle), Pat Mengel, Paul Haynes, Nancy Bogden (friend of Bruce Van Dyke), Sumiko Young (Moorestown Girl Scout Leader), The Davies Family, Tracy Cramer (friend of Keith Vine's niece), Dan Hill (cousin of Denise Gatton), Carolyn Emme, Kim Moore (sister of Jackie Murray), Colin Saari (friend of Dick Loring), Rose Marie Sturtevant (mother of Karen Pry), Mary Berner, Louis Purul (father of Pre-School mom), Charlie Delaney, Bill Griffith (neighbor of Veronica Erb), Rick Loring (son of Dick Loring), Laura Gould (sister of Ed Youse), Tyler Davis (grandson of Doris and Alan Coshland), Doug Nemeth (son of Dot & Zollie Nemeth), Marion Keefe (friend of Ada Campanile), Janet Durand, Bruce Slocum, Esther Wesley, Bertha Bendel, William Cannady (father of Dawn Fletcher), Karen Pearce (mother of William Pearce), Bob Scheyhing, Susan Moody (daughter-in-law of Joan Moody), Nitin Shah & Malvika Cherukara (friends of Barun McArthur), Shirley Ridgway, Bruce Mitchell (brother of Lindsay Mitchell), Marion Stepp, Harry Noyes (father of Bonnee Noyes-Bongiorno).

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