

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 welcome. Contact person: Bob Murray, 856-366-6137

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN: Miriam Circle, Barbara Dapper, Leader, 856-235-1765

MONDAY MORNING LADIES BIBLE STUDY: 9:30 A.M. in the Heritage Room. Contact Person: Susan Swezey 856-220-1661

TUESDAY AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY: 2pm in the Parlor. All welcome! Contact Person: Charlie Rudolph, 856-235-9206

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

SATURDAY MORNING MEN'S SMALL GROUP: 7:30-9:00 A.M. in the Prayer Room. Contact Person: Greg Scott, 609-280-9539

SATURDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: 7:30-9 A.M. in the Parlor. Contact Person: Betsy Heinz, 856-304-4313

SATURDAY MORNING "QUICK PRAYER": 9:30 A.M. in the Prayer Room. Contact Person: Betsy Heinz 856-304-4313

STEPHEN MINISTRY: Contact the Church Office: 856-235-0450

SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDIES: See Information Board in Narthex

PRAYER MINISTRY: Prayer Room (varied hours)

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

LIGHT HARBOR MINISTRIES: Second Sunday of each month @ 2:30. Contact person: Linda Wanagas, 856-273-1298

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP: (MYF)

JR. HIGH MYF (6-8TH GRADE) Meets every Sunday evening: 5:30-6/Choir & 6-8:00 for worship/fellowship, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

SR. HIGH MYF (9-12TH GRADE) Meets every Sunday evening: 5:30-6/Choir & 6-8:00 for worship/fellowship, Sept. thru June

Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

METHODIST CHILDREN'S FELLOWSHIP (MCF) (K-5TH Grades)

Meets every Thursday at 5:00 for dinner in Fellowship Hall, 5:30-6:30 for choir & fellowship Sept. – May

Contact Person: Karen Murray, 856-222-1120

COLLEGE AGE: Contact Person: Kathy Clawges, 856-866-0285

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK (IHN): Contact Person: Allan Hanlon, 856-802-1100

KINGS ROAD REVIVAL – WORSHIP TEAM AND BAND - Meets Monday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

Contact person: Norm Dorrell 609-410-4862

CHOIRS AND HANDBELLS – Meets September through May

ADULT CHOIR

Thursday 7:00-8:30 p.m.

YOUTH (7th -12th grade)

Sunday 5:30-6:00 p.m.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR (3 yrs. - 1st grade) Chapel

Sunday 9:30-9:55 a.m.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR (2nd - 5th grade) Choir Room

Sunday 9:30-9:55 a.m.

ADULT BELLS

Monday 7:00-8:00 p.m.

YOUTH BELLS (7th - 12 grade)

Monday 7:00-8:00 p.m.

Contact: Donna Banes, 856-222-9369 (Interim Music Ministry Team Coordinator)

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

AUGUST 12, 2018

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.

PRELUDE

Like a Shepherd

WELCOME

Curt Diehl, Worship Leader

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We have been called here to enter into God's gracious way of living. We are to leave the past behind us and walk into these new days with the assurance that God walks with us.

People: Sometimes we'd rather remember how things used to be.

Sometimes we are afraid to be disciples.

Leader: But this is a new day, and Christ is with us. It is a day to put aside all fear, to leave doubting behind, and to take courage in God's loving call.

People: We will look to the new day, and we will set ourselves on the path that God lays before us.

We will strive for faithfulness, no matter the cost, and we will be disciples of Christ,

renewing and healing the world around us. Amen.

SONGS OF WORSHIP 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)*

HAPPY DAY *(by Tim Hughes)*

The greatest day in history Death is beaten, You have rescued me. Sing it out, Jesus is alive.

The empty cross the empty grave life eternal, You have won the day. Shout it out, Jesus is alive, He's alive.

(chorus) Oh, happy day, happy day. You washed my sin away.

Oh, happy day, happy day. I'll never be the same forever I am changed.

When I stand in that place free at last, meeting face to face, I am yours, Jesus, You are mine.

Endless joy, perfect peace, earthly pain finally will cease. Celebrate, Jesus is alive, He's alive. (chorus)

Oh, what a glorious day, what a glorious way that You have saved me.

Oh, what a glorious day what a glorious name. (chorus) *(2006 Thankyou Music)*

OPENING PRAYER – Loving and gracious God, you want us to live our faith not so much as a set of rules and practices but as a relationship from person to person with you and with people. God, keep our hearts turned to you, that we may live what we believe and that we may express our love for you in terms of service to those around us, as Jesus did, your Son who lives with you and the Holy Spirit forever and ever. Amen.

SOVEREIGN OVER US (by Aaron Keyes)

There is strength within the sorrow, there is beauty in our tears
You meet us in our mourning, with a love that casts out fear.
You are working in our waiting, sanctifying us when beyond our understanding,
You're teaching us to trust.
*Chorus: Your plans are still to prosper, You have not forgotten us, You're with us in the fire and the flood.
Faithful forever, perfect in love You are sovereign over us.*

You are wisdom unimagined, who could understand your ways. Reigning high above the heavens,
reaching down in endless grace. You're the Lifter of the lowly, compassionate and kind,
You surround and You uphold me, Your promises are my delight.

Even what the enemy means for evil You turn it for our good. You turn it for our good and for your glory.
Even in the valley You are faithful You're working for our good, You're working for our good
and for your glory. ((c) 2011 Thankyou Music)

MAY THE WORDS OF MY MOUTH (by Tim Hughes & Rob Hill)

May the words of my mouth and the thoughts of my heart bless Your name, bless Your name, Jesus.
And the deeds of the day and the truth in my ways speak of You, speak of You, Jesus.
*(chorus) For this is what I'm glad to do. It's time to live a life of love that pleases You
and I will give my all to You, surrender everything I have and follow You, I'll follow You.*

Lord, will You be my vision. Lord, will You be my guide. Be my hope, be my light and the way
and I'll look not for riches, nor praises on earth only You'll be the first of my heart.

(Repeat Chorus) I will follow, I will follow You. Repeat 3xs

*Chorus: For this is what I'm glad to do. It's time to live a life of love that pleases You
and I will give my all to You, surrender everything I have and follow You. (Sing twice)*

I will follow, I will follow You, Jesus. I will follow, I will follow You. (repeat)

I will take up my cross, I will follow. Will You be my vision, You as my guide.
I will follow You. I will follow You. I will follow You. (©2001 ThankYou Music)

BRINGING OUR NEEDS TO GOD

PRAYER RESPONSE: BLESSED BE THE NAME OF THE LORD (Don Moen)

Blessed be the name of the Lord, He is worthy to be praised and adored;
So we lift up holy hands in one accord, singing, "Blessed be the name, blessed be the name,
blessed be the name of the Lord!" (1986 Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

CHILDREN'S CHAT – Jeff Jones

WE CELEBRATE OUR LIFE IN CHRIST - We welcome all who are worshiping with us this morning.
Please fill out the yellow card, including any special prayer requests and place them in the offering plate.

SPECIAL MUSIC Draw Me Close Rick McConnell

SHARING THE WORD Scripture: Ephesians 4:25-5:2
Message: You Become What You Follow Pastor Tom Korkuch

CLOSING SONG BY OUR LOVE (Brothers, Let us Come Together) (by Christy Nockels)

Brothers, let us come together, walking in the Spirit; there's much to be done.
We will come reaching out from our comforts and they will know us by our love.

Sisters, we were made for kindness, we can pierce the darkness as He shines through us.
We will come reaching, with a song of healing, and they will know us by our love.

*Chorus: The time is now, come, church arise. Love with His hands, see with His eyes.
Bind it around you, let it never leave you, and they will know us by our love.*

Children, You are hope for justice, stand firm in the Truth now, set your hearts above.
You will be reaching long after we're gone, and they will know you by your love. (chorus)
(2009 worshiptogether.com Sixsteps Music)

GOING FORTH

A NOTE TO PARENTS: Child care is available in Room E101 for children up to age four.

SCRIPTURE READER: Synclaire Angelow **ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK:** Worship: 323
USHERS: Ed Henry, Valerie Henry, Tom Kulp, Judi Angelow, Carlos Mocado

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: The Banes Family to the glory of God and in memory of Brenda.

PRAYER CONCERNS: Carolyn Emme, Rick Loring (son of Dick Loring), Doug Nemeth (son of Dot & Zollie Nemeth), Jane Mertz, Barbara Lobe, Norman Adams (husband of Betty Adams), Ron Griffith, Sam Wang (cousin of Elite Law), Lynda Rodriguez (daughter of Bob Rodriguez), Mary Schick (friend of Linda Wanagas), Robb Murray, Joe DeCesare (friend of Joyce Scheyhing), Mary Kate Canal (sister of Brian O'Donnell), Carolyn Kinnard, Deanne Czeiner, Ken Kunzman (friend of Dick Loring), Jane Emely-Roach, Steve Murray (brother of Bob Murray), Matt Fasbinder (friend of Mary Raroha), Tyler Wilson and parents Mark & Karleen (relatives of Linda Wanagas), Raelee and Janet Shaw (relatives of Pattie Gritzan), Carol Murphy (friend of Dick Loring and Greg Bryan), Janet Brown (friend of Carol Taylor), MaryJane Harris (niece of Bob Rodriguez), Marlene Bell Taylor (daughter of Zorada), Frank Berner, Sue Geissler (friend of Melissa O'Donnell), Judy Henningsen (friend of Doris and Alan Coshland), Nancy Bushey (cousin of David Stepp), Denise Logan (friend of David Stepp), Gordon Swezey, Ryan LaSalvia (friend of Greg & Shelly Kincaid), Kim (friend of Lauren Jones), Anna Ranken, Bob Scheyhing, Jane Leonberg, Mike Panzano, Gale Raspen (daughter of Alice Brenner), Dorothy Waugh (mother of Myrna Roberts, grandmother of Moira Roberts), Lenny Alcaro (friend of Joan & Dennis Flamini), Linda Wanagas.

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