

**Memorial United Methodist Church
All Saints Day - November 5, 2017**

A special welcome to our guests. Your visit is a blessing to us, and we are glad you are here! Please let us know if there is anything we can do for you. Children of all ages are welcome in worship. However, if you prefer, a nursery for infants through preschoolers is available. Hearing assistance (headphones, earbud, or T-coil) is available during worship.

Today's Acolyte - Grace P.

The Lord is with you. **And also with you.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name by Dan Miller

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Grace to you and peace from God
who is, and was, and is to come. **Amen.**
And from Jesus Christ the faithful witness,
the firstborn of the dead, and ruler of kings on earth. **Amen.**
The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. **Amen.**

*PRAYER

**We bless your holy name, O God,
for all your servants who, having finished their course,
now rest from their labors.
Give us grace to follow the example of their steadfastness and faithfulness,
to your honor and glory;
through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.**

*OPENING HYMN

Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones UMH 90

PROCLAMATION

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 23:1-12 Jan Deloria

This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**



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ANTHEM

We Belong to Christ by Eslinger/Lund

MESSAGE

What Does "Humble" Mean Today? Rev. William C. Maisch

*HYMN

Forward Through the Ages UMH 555

RESPONSE

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

Promised Land by Gilbert Martin

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow UMH 95

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Word and Table Service II UMH page 12

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, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

*CLOSING HYMN

Shall We Gather at the River UMH 723

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Salvation by Gilbert Martin



Today's Scripture Reading

Matthew 23:1-12 (NRSV)

JESUS DENOUNCES SCRIBES AND PHARISEES

Then Jesus said to the crowds and to his disciples, "The scribes and the Pharisees sit on Moses' seat; therefore, do whatever they teach you and follow it; but do not do as they do, for they do not practice what they teach. They tie up heavy burdens, hard to bear, and lay them on the shoulders of others; but they themselves are unwilling to lift a finger to move them. They do all their deeds to be seen by others; for they make their phylacteries broad and their fringes long. They love to have the place of honor at banquets and the best seats in the synagogues, and to be greeted with respect in the marketplaces, and to have people call them rabbi. But you are not to be called rabbi, for you have one teacher, and you are all students. And call no one your father on earth, for you have one Father - the one in heaven. Nor are you to be called instructors, for you have one instructor, the Messiah. The greatest among you will be your servant. All who exalt themselves will be humbled, and all who humble themselves will be exalted.



Upcoming Liturgist Schedule

DATE	NOVEMBER 12	NOVEMBER 19	NOVEMBER 26
LITURGIST	Beth Parker	Scott McGrew	Emma Parker

Daily Scripture Readings

Sunday, November 5 - **PSALM 147:1-9** *We Belong to God*
 Monday, November 6 - **ECCLESIASTES 12:1-7** *Spiritual Investment*
 Tuesday, November 7 - **1 CORINTHIANS 15:50-58** *Sowing Seeds*
 Wednesday, November 8 - **JAMES 5:13-16** *A Burden Lifted*
 Thursday, November 9 - **LUKE 11:5-13** *A Little Reminder*
 Friday, November 10 - **JOHN 12:20-26** *Redefining My Dream*
 Saturday, November 11 - **1 CORINTHIANS 12:12-26** *Everyone Can Serve*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

Memorial's Purpose



**Loving God
 Welcoming All
 Serving Neighbors
 Together
 Through Jesus Christ**

Last Sunday's Vitals

Worship Attendance: 80
 Offerings/other income 10/29/17 -
 available next week
 Total from 1/1/17- 10/22/17 - \$258,418
 ...
 For online giving options visit
www.PMUMC.org

Office Information

COORDINATOR HOURS
 Mon.-Fri., 8:30am 12:30pm

PASTOR APPOINTMENTS
 To schedule, please contact the office at
 301-349-2010, office@pmumc.org, or
 visit www.pmumc.org

EMERGENCIES
 People in need of immediate pastoral care,
 please contact Pastor Bill at 301-461-0301

PHONE MESSAGES
 Messages for Shirley and Pastor Bill are
 sent to their email accounts.

Church Personnel

PASTOR - Rev. William Maisch
**CERTIFIED CANDIDATE FOR
 ORDAINED MINISTRY** - Helen Ballew
CHURCH COORDINATOR
 Shirley Prasada-Rao
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC - Janet Hartz
ORGANIST - Linda Custer
BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley
HEAD ACOLYTE - Emma Parker
FACILITIES - Richard Scheetz
NURSERY CARE PROVIDERS -
 Robin Walker and Lori King



Thoughts and/or Prayers

Prayer of Humility

O Father,

Give us the humility which...

Realizes its ignorance,

Admits its mistakes,

Recognizes its need,

Welcomes advice,

Accepts rebuke.

Help us always...

To praise rather than to criticize,

To sympathize rather than to discourage,

To build rather than destroy, and

To think of people at their best

rather than at their worst.

This we ask for thy name's sake. Amen.

Adapted by: https://1.bp.blogspot.com/6kJoujweoHs/V8Wtpx5RSqI/AAAAAAAAABrM/nFV1vyjj7s_QYMCjL_50txQgJRZhvYFwCLcB/s640/humility1.jpg



Upcoming Happenings

SUN - NOV 5 <i>Day Light Savings Time Ends</i>	8:30am - 9am 9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am After Worship After Worship 12pm - 1pm	Communion Service Sunday School Worship Service Conversation with the Lay Leader Coffee Corner (Host-Polak & Fielder) Worship Committee Meeting
MON - NOV 6	9am 7:30pm - 9pm	Bulletin Deadline Bell Choir Rehearsal
WED - NOV 8	5pm - 6pm 7:30pm - 9m	Children's Choir Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal
SUN - NOV 12	9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am After Worship After Worship 11:45am - 2pm	Sunday School Worship Service Conversation with the Lay Leader Coffee Hour (Host- Available) Trustees Meeting
MON - NOV 13	9am 7:30pm - 9pm	Bulletin Deadline Bell Choir Rehearsal
WED - NOV 15	5pm - 6pm 7:30pm - 9m	Children's Choir Rehearsal Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THU - NOV 16	2pm - 8:30pm 7pm - 9m	Church Directory Photography Church Council Meeting
FRI - NOV 17	2pm - 8:30pm	Church Directory Photography
SAT - NOV 18	9am - 3:30pm	Church Directory Photography
SUN - NOV 19	9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am After Worship After Worship	Sunday School - Thanksgiving Celebration Worship Service Conversation with the Lay Leader Coffee Corner (Host-Kocur)



Classes available for Ages 3 - 103 years



Sunday School

9:15-10:15

See You There!!

Bulletin Deadline-Mondays at 9 am.

Coffee Corner after Worship

Conversation with Lay Leader



Something on your heart or mind? All topics welcome for conversation each Sunday following the 10:30 worship in the Noah's Ark room.



Youth Group

Our next meeting will be Sunday, November 26 from 12-1:30pm.

Contact Beth Parker with questions at parkerdbseg@comcast.net with questions.

Let Your Giving Be Automatic! If you are interested in sharing your gift of treasure with Memorial electronically you can schedule electronic payments at www.pmumc.org, or through your bank's billpay feature. Please contact Andrew Lewis at aclewismd@hotmail.com with questions.



WUMCO Needs Volunteer Drivers!

WUMCO is in need of drivers to furnish rides for some of their clients. These neighbors lack transportation to receive vital treatment for their medical issues. For questions or to volunteer, call WUMCO's office at 301-972-8481 or Link Hoewing at 301-365-4749.



Our Own Apple Butter For Sale



This delicious spread makes wonderful Christmas gifts, hostess gifts, and it's just yummy to eat in your own home! \$5/pint or \$3/half pint. Contact Betty Jean Selby, 301-742-8253.



Church Directory

photo sessions will be

Thursday Nov. 16 from 2-8:30 pm
Friday, Nov. 17 from 2-8:30 pm
Saturday, Nov. 18 from 9am-3:30pm

Sign-Up NOW for best spots!

We want everyone in the directory!

No purchase necessary.

Sign-up after church in person or online

<https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/y7z3jq58>

For help or to help, please call the office at 301-349-2010.



Music Ministry Rehearsals

BELL CHOIR Mondays 7:30-9pm

CHILDREN'S CHOIR Wednesdays 5-6pm

CHANCEL CHOIR Wednesdays 7:30-9pm

Memorial's Prayer Connection

Send prayer requests to prayers@pmumc.org.



Please join

West Montgomery United Methodist Church

Prayer Breakfast

"We Are One"



Just as a body, though one, has many parts, but all its many parts form one body, so it is with Christ. - 1 Corinthians 12:12-13

Saturday, November 11, 2017

9am-Noon

Memorial United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall

17821 Elgin Road, Poolesville, MD 20837

Donation - \$10 for ages 10 and under, \$15 for all other attendees

For tickets or more information contact:

Charles Armwood at 410-977-5743

Richard Norwood at 301-943-6845



Guest Speaker

Rev. Jason Jordan-Griffin

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