

**Memorial United Methodist Church**  
**Pentecost - June 4, 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. A greeter will be happy to direct you.



Hearing assistance is available during worship. A greeter will be happy to assist you with your choice of devices (headphones, earbud, or T-coil).

*Today's Acolyte - Emma P.*

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

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GATHERING**

**PRELUDE**

*Reflections on the Holy Spirit*

by Joel Raney

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

And in the last days it shall come to pass, God declares,  
that I will pour out my Spirit on all flesh,

**And your sons and daughters shall prophesy,  
your old shall dream dreams, and your young shall see visions.**

When the Day of Pentecost had come,  
they were all gathered together in one place.

**And suddenly a sound came from heaven like the rush of a mighty wind,  
and it filled all the house where they were sitting.**

And there appeared to them tongues as of fire,  
distributed and resting on each of them. **And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit.**

**\*PRAYER**

**O God, you sent the Holy Spirit to enkindle the zeal of Christ's followers waiting in Jerusalem for his promised gift. Pour the same inspiration on your people here assembled, and on the Church of Christ throughout the world. Revive the power of the gospel in our hearts, that it may be to us a sacred trust for the blessing of all creation. Enable your Church to spread the good news of salvation, so that all nations may hear it in their own tongues and welcome it into their own lives. Protect, encourage, and bless all ministers of the cross, and prosper their words and works, so that Jesus, being lifted up, may draw all people unto him, and the kingdoms of the world may become the kingdom of our Lord and of Jesus Christ. Amen**



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**\*OPENING HYMN**

*O Spirit of the Living God*

UMH 539

**PROCLAMATION**

**SCRIPTURE READING**

**Acts 2:1-21**

Betty Jean Selby

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

**ANTHEM— CHANCEL CHOIR**

*Spirit, Like a River*

by Steven Kupferschmid

**MESSAGE**

Inside and Outside

Rev. William Maisch

**\*HYMN**

*Spirit of the Living God*

UMH 393

**RESPONSE**

**OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS**

**OFFERTORY**

*Like the Murmur of a Dove's Song*

by Cutts/Carter

**\*DOXOLOGY**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

UMH 95

**THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION**

**THE GREAT THANKSGIVING**

Word and Table Service II

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**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**

*O Church of God, United*

UMH 547

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

*Hail Thee Festival Day*

by Ralph Vaughan Williams



## Today's Scripture Reading

### Acts 2:1-21 (NRSV)

#### THE COMING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."

#### PETER ADDRESSES THE CROWD

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:

'In the last days it will be, God declares,

that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh,

and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy,

and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.

Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy.

And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.

The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood,

before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.

Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'



### Phase II of Memorial's Roof and HVAC Project is complete!

Thank you for your patience and support during this project to improve the comfort of all who seek and serve in ministry at Memorial. Also, thank you to the Trustees for orchestrating and guiding this large project!

**Old Front Door Renovation and Plaster Repair** - A big "Thank You" to the Crafty Ladies and Gents for making this project happen. The old entrance looks beautiful!

### June 7 - Community Dinner - 5:30 to 7pm

- *Cookout Style Foods and Homemade Desserts*

Help is needed from 4-8:30pm. If you can give a couple hours of your time to volunteer or you can provide a dessert, please contact Lori Kocur at kocurs@verizon.net.

If you won't be helping at this dinner, please come enjoy the meal and fellowship.



### Vacation Bible School - New Dates - July 24-28

If you are interested in helping with VBS, please come to our first meeting, Tuesday, June 6 at 6:30pm. Call or email Betty King at bking21710@gmail.com or 301-874-3967

### Coffee Corner

Join us after Second Service for light refreshment and fellowship!



### Sunday School

9:15-10:15 am



### Spring Clean-Up will be Rescheduled

We will post the new date as soon as possible.

Any questions, please contact:

Maureen Elder at

301-928-2596 or

mlcuster74@yahoo.com.

### Calling all Potential Acolytes: Would you like to bring glory to God through being an acolyte?

Young ladies and men who are in at least 5<sup>th</sup> grade this school year, are invited to become acolytes beginning this summer. To learn about becoming an acolyte, contact Lori Kocur at kocurs@verizon.net or 240-994-8011.

### Memorial's Prayer Connection Ministry

keeps the congregation informed of prayer needs of our church family via email. **Please send all prayer concerns to prayers@pmumc.org.** To be a part of this ministry please send your email address to office@pmumc.org or call Dianna McGrew at 301-252-1555.

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*Spirit of the Living God,  
 breathe your life into  
 our souls and  
 our community.*

*Make us a fire of love  
 burning brightly  
 for all those in need of  
 your peace and healing.*

*Drive us out of our  
 hiding places,  
 and send us forth  
 to renew  
 the face of the earth.*

*Amen*



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**Upcoming Happenings**

<b>SUNDAY JUNE 4</b> <i>Pentecost</i>	8:15am - 9am 9:15am - 10:15am 9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am 12pm - 1pm	First Service Mothering with Faith Book Club One Room Sunday School Second Service Explore Community Needs Meeting
<b>MONDAY JUNE 5</b>	9am	Bulletin Deadline
<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 7</b>	5:30pm - 7pm 7:30pm - 9pm	Community Dinner Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<b>SUNDAY JUNE 11</b> <i>Trinity Sunday</i>	9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am 11:45am - 2pm	One Room Sunday School Worship Service Trustees Meeting
<b>MONDAY JUNE 12</b>	9am	Bulletin Deadline
<b>WEDNESDAY JUNE 14</b>	7:30pm - 9pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<b>SUNDAY JUNE 18</b> <i>Happy Father's Day!</i>	9:15am - 10:15am 10:30am - 11:30am	One Room Sunday School Worship Service

**Upcoming Liturgist Schedule**

DATE	JUNE 11	JUNE 18	JUNE 25
LITURGIST	Peg Arnold	Ralph Hitchens	Kirsten Lewis



## Daily Scripture Readings

SUN., JUNE 4 - Acts 2:1-12 "Pentecost"

MON., JUNE 5 - John 3:16-21 "Flower Pies"

TUE., JUNE 6 - Romans 5:1-5 "Stonger on My Knees"

WED., JUNE 7 - Mark 14:3-9 "Hold Nothing Back"

THUR., JUNE 8 - 2 Corinthians 12:6-10 "God is Good"

FRI., JUNE 9 - Matthew 13:24-30 "Growing Potential"

SAT., JUNE 10 - Proverbs 3:5-10 "Waving the Flag"

Visit [www.upperroom.com](http://www.upperroom.com) for more information.

## Memorial's Statements

### MISSION

Empower all to be disciples through Christ-centered worship, education and service.

### VISION

Serving God and neighbor through the love and grace of Jesus Christ.

## Last Sunday's Vitals

Worship Attendance: 80

Offerings/other income \$6,430

Total Offering since 1/1/2017 - \$126,274



For online giving options visit  
[www.PMUMC.org](http://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](mailto:office@pmumc.org), or visit [www.pmumc.org](http://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

CHURCH COORDINATOR

Shirley Prasada-Rao

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC • Janet Hartz

ORGANIST • Linda Custer

BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR • Becky Smalley

HEAD ACOLYTE • Brandon Kocur

FACILITIES • Richard Scheetz

NURSERY CARE PROVIDERS •

Robin Walker and Lori King

# Calling ALL Super Heroes



## Come Join Memorial's Vacation Bible School Super Heroes Team!

*July 24-28*

6pm dinner served

6:30-8pm learn about being a hero for others