



**Memorial United Methodist Church
Tenth Sunday of Pentecost
July 29, 2018**

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.

Hearing assistance (headphones, earbud, or T-coil) is available during worship.

** Please stand in your heart or posture. UMH=United Methodist Hymnal.; TFWs=The Faith We Sing.*

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

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Bread of Life

Hurd/Trapp

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Bring your lives, bring your gifts.

***People:* We all are welcome here.**

Leader: Bring your hopes, bring your dreams.

***People:* Our hopes and dreams are inspired by God.**

Leader: Bring your prayers, bring your praise.

***People:* We gather to worship in love.**

*OPENING PRAYER

As we gather this morning, Holy Lord; nourish us with your presence, Bread of Life. As we worship you in this hour, fill us anew with springs of faith, dear Living Water. As we learn from your word, inspire us with holy wisdom, Holy and Eternal Spirit. Help us recognize our gifts and discern how best to share them for the healing of your world. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

To God Be the Glory

UMH 98



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PROCLAMATION

SCRIPTURE READINGS

2 Kings 4:42-44, John 6:1-21

Erin Smeller

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

ANTHEM

MESSAGE

The Providence Purpose

Rev. Timothy Dowell

* HYMN

Take My Life and Let It Be

UMH 399

RESPONSE

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

In Christ Alone

Townend/Getty/Shackley

* DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

UMH 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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

My Hope is Built

UMH 368

* BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Jesus, Priceless Treasure

Walther/Hopson

Reading

2 Kings 4:42-44 (NRSV)

ELISHA FEEDS ONE HUNDRED MEN

A man came from Baal-shalishah, bringing food from the first fruits to the man of God: twenty loaves of barley and fresh ears of grain in his sack. Elisha said, "Give it to the people and let them eat." But his servant said, "How can I set this before a hundred people?" So he repeated, "Give it to the people and let them eat, for thus says the LORD, "They shall eat and have some left." He set it before them, they ate, and had some left, according to the word of the LORD.

John 6:1-21 (NRSV)

FEEDING THE FIVE THOUSAND

After this Jesus went to the other side of the Sea of Galilee, also called the Sea of Tiberias. A large crowd kept following him, because they saw the signs that he was doing for the sick. Jesus went up the mountain and sat down there with his disciples. Now the Passover, the festival of the Jews, was near. When he looked up and saw a large crowd coming toward him, Jesus said to Philip, "Where are we to buy bread for these people to eat?" He said this to test him, for he himself knew what he was going to do. Philip answered him, "Six months' wages would not buy enough bread for each of them to get a little." One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, "There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish. But what are they among so many people?" Jesus said, "Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all. Then Jesus took the loaves, and when he had given thanks, he distributed them to those who were seated; so also the fish, as much as they wanted. When they were satisfied, he told his disciples, "Gather up the fragments left over, so that nothing may be lost." So they gathered them up, and from the fragments of the five barley loaves, left by those who had eaten, they filled twelve baskets. When the people saw the sign that he had done, they began to say, "This is indeed the prophet who is to come into the world."

When Jesus realized that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, he withdrew again to the mountain by himself.

JESUS WALKS ON THE WATER

When evening came, his disciples went down to the sea, got into a boat, and started across the sea to Capernaum. It was now dark, and Jesus had not yet come to them. The sea became rough because a strong wind was blowing. When they had rowed about three or four miles, they saw Jesus walking on the sea and coming near the boat, and they were terrified. But he said to them, "It is I; do not be afraid." Then they wanted to take him into the boat, and immediately the boat reached the land toward which they were going.

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JULY
29
2018

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Daily Scripture Readings

Sun., July 29 - **JOHN 14:15-19** *Never Lonely*
Mon., July 30 - **ISAIAH 43:1-3** *I Am Not Alone*
Tue., July 31 - **PSALM 103:1-14** *Compassionate Father*
Wed., August 1 - **ROMANS 11:33-12:2** *Focused Thinking*
Thu., August 2 - **PSALM 145:1-12** *Can't Stop Praising*
Fri., August 3 - **1 KINGS 17:1-9** *When the Brook Dries Up*
Sat., August 4 - **ISAIAH 11:1-10** *New Life*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

Memorial's Purpose



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

Last Sunday's Vitals

Worship Attendance - 130
Offering/other income will be
shared next week
Total from 1/1/18-7/15/18: \$278,383
**For online giving options visit
www.PMUMC.org**

Office Information

COORDINATOR HOURS
Mon.-Fri., 9am-12pm

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

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

EMERGENCIES
People in need of immediate pastoral care,
please contact Pastor Tim at
PastorTim@PMUMC.org

Church Personnel

PASTOR - Rev. Timothy A. Dowell
CHURCH COORDINATOR
Shirley Prasada-Rao
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC - Janet Hartz
ORGANIST - Linda Custer
BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley
HEAD USHER - Dr. Robert Spiker
HEAD ACOLYTE - Emma Parker
FACILITIES - Richard Scheetz

Reflections



<https://cdn.quotesgram.com/small/24/16/1986028997-11660-god-doesnt-bless-us-just-to-make-us-happy-he-blesses-us-to.png>

Upcoming Happenings

SUN - JULY 29	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm 11:45 am - 12:45 pm	One-Room Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Corner Worship Committee Meeting
MON - JULY 30	9 am 7 pm - 9 pm	Bulletin Deadline SPRC Meeting
TUE - JULY 31	7:30 pm - 9 pm	Small Group-Men's Group - Meet and Greet with Pastor Tim
WED - AUG 1	5:30 pm - 7 pm	Community Dinner
THU - AUG 2	7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Small Group-Judy's Covenant Grp.
SUN - AUG 5	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm	One-Room Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Corner
MON - AUG 6	9 am 6 pm - 8 pm	Bulletin Deadline Vacation Bible School
TUE - AUG 7	6 pm - 8 pm	Vacation Bible School
WED - AUG 8	6 pm - 8 pm	Vacation Bible School
THU - AUG 9	6 pm - 8 pm	Vacation Bible School
FRI - AUG 10	6 pm - 8 pm	Vacation Bible School
SUN - AUG 12	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm 11:45 am - 2 pm	One-Room Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Hour Trustees Meeting

Upcoming Liturgist Schedule

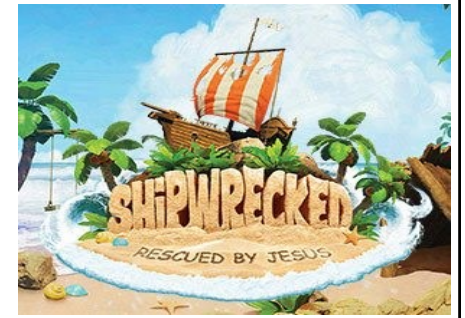
DATE	AUGUST 5	AUGUST 12	AUGUST 19
LITURGIST	Dennis Minor	Gary Hartz	Eleanor Bateman

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Monday, August 6 to Friday August 10
6-8pm ~ Kids 3-12yrs old

All families are invited to eat dinner at Memorial each night at 6pm. If unable to join your child for dinner, please drop off children at 6:30pm.

Fee: \$5 per child - maximum \$20 per family



Memorial's COMMUNITY DINNER - Wednesday, AUGUST 1

Submarine Sandwiches and PB&J's

along with Summer Sides and lots of homemade desserts will be served!

If you would like to help with this dinner please contact Lori at Kocurs@verizon.net.

If you will not be helping, please come enjoy the meal and fellowship.

Men's Group - Meet & Greet with Pastor Tim

July 31 at 7:30pm,
Room 6



Photo Directories are HERE! If you had your picture taken, you may pick up your copy after worship.

Memorial's Prayer Connection

Send prayer requests to prayers@pmumc.org.

One-Room Sunday School

Classes available for ages 3-103
Sundays 9:15-10:15am

If you are interested in helping contact Betty King, bking21710@gmail.com



Church Council Meeting

will be on August 14 at 7pm.
All are welcome to attend.

Music Ministry



The Bell, Children, and Chancel Choirs are off for the summer. Rehearsals will resume in September

Closed for Summer



All are welcome in worship.

Volunteers Needed

Coffee Corner

If you would like to host a Sunday, please see sign up sheet on board at bottom of stairs



West Montgomery UMC

Homecoming 2018 - We Are One

21000 Beallsville Rd., Dickerson, MD 20842
Sunday, August 5 at 10:30am and 3pm
Dinner Served after morning worship.