



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. If you prefer,
a nursery for infants through preschoolers is available in Room 5.

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

When I Survey The Wondrous Cross

by Mark Hayes

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The one who parted the waters to save Israel will set our feet on dry land.

People: We will walk forward in faith.

Leader: The one who restored the fortunes of Zion will fill our mouths with laughter.

People: We will dream of life renewed.

Leader: The one who raised Jesus from the dead will do a new thing in our lives.

People: We will rest in the peace of Christ.

All: Come, let us worship the God of our salvation.

OPENING HYMN

Your Love, O God

UMH 120

* OPENING PRAYER

Lead us, Lord, into the mystery of your presence. As we gather in this time of worship, free us from the fears that bind us, that our hearts may be filled with joy and our tongues may sing your praises. Teach us the glory of knowing your son, and help us know the joy that comes from loving freely. Guide us in your ways and renew our hope, that we may perceive signs of your Spirit springing forth from your abundant love. With joy-filled trust, we pray. Amen.

ANTHEM

We See Christ

by Joel Raney

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 3:4-14

Eleanor Bateman

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

John 12:1-8

Rev. Timothy A. Dowell

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REFLECTION/MESSAGE

True Vision

Rev. Timothy A, Dowell

* HYMN

On Jordan's Stormy Banks I Stand

UMH 724

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

The Old Rugged Cross

by Dale Wood

* 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.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS DURING COMMUNION

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

UMH 298

For the Bread Which You Have Broken

UMH 614

Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast

UMH 616

Here, O My Lord, I See Thee

UMH 623

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN

Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross

UMH 301

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

At the Cross, Her Station Keeping

by Robert Hebble

Selection of Readings Pertaining to Fellowship

Philippians 3:4-14

⁴ even though I, too, have reason for confidence in the flesh.

If anyone else has reason to be confident in the flesh, I have more: ⁵ circumcised on the eighth day, a member of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew born of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee; ⁶ as to zeal, a persecutor of the church; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

⁷ Yet whatever gains I had, these I have come to regard as loss because of Christ. ⁸ More than that, I regard everything as loss because of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things, and I regard them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ ⁹ and be found in him, not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law, but one that comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God based on faith. ¹⁰ I want to know Christ and the power of his resurrection and the sharing of his sufferings by becoming like him in his death, ¹¹ if somehow I may attain the resurrection from the dead.

¹² Not that I have already obtained this or have already reached the goal; but I press on to make it my own, because Christ Jesus has made me his own. ¹³ Beloved, I do not consider that I have made it my own; but this one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and straining forward to what lies ahead, ¹⁴ I press on toward the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.



John 12:1-8

¹² Six days before the Passover Jesus came to Bethany, the home of Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead. ² There they gave a dinner for him. Martha served, and Lazarus was one of those at the table with him. ³ Mary took a pound of costly perfume made of pure nard, anointed Jesus' feet, and wiped them with her hair. The house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume. ⁴ But Judas Iscariot, one of his disciples (the one who was about to betray him), said, ⁵ "Why was this perfume not sold for three hundred denarii and the money given to the poor?" ⁶ (He said this not because he cared about the poor, but because he was a thief; he kept the common purse and used to steal what was put into it.) ⁷ Jesus said, "Leave her alone. She bought it [c] so that she might keep it for the day of my burial. ⁸ You always have the poor with you, but you do not always have me."

*Fifth Sunday
of Lent*

APRIL 7
2019

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Daily Scripture Readings

Sun., April 7 - **PROVERBS 4:1-9** *Daily Walk with Christ*

Mon., April 8 - **PSALM 62:1-2, 5-8** *Diligently Stressed*

Tue., April 9 - **PSALM 92:5-15** *Growing Older*

Wed., April 10 - **ROMANS 8:1-11** *Grace*

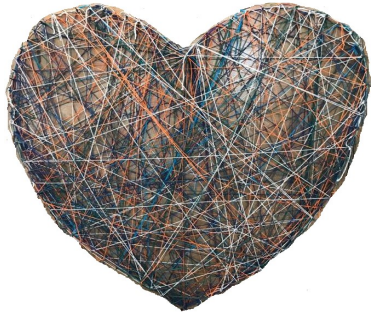
Thu., April 11 - **NEHEMIAH 8:1-10, 18** *Loving God's Word*

Fri., April 12 - **PSALM 40:1-5** *Bearing Burdens*

Sat., April 13 - **MARK 10:13-16** *"A Child Shall Lead Them"*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

Memorial's Purpose



Loving God
Welcoming All
Serving Neighbors
Together Through Jesus Christ

Office Information

COORDINATOR HOURS

Monday-Friday, 9am-Noon

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

Thoughts / Prayers / Inspiration

It is tenderness for the past, courage for the present, hope for the future. It is a fervent wish that every cup may overflow with blessings rich and eternal, and that every path may lead to peace.

- Agnes M. Pharo

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Upcoming Liturgist Schedule

DATE	APRIL 14 Palm Sunday	APRIL 18 Maundy Thursday 7pm	APRIL 21 Easter 8 am	APRIL 21 Easter 10:30 am	APRIL 28
LITURGIST	Jan Delorica	Erin Smeller	Ralph Hitchens	Ray Hoewing	Beth Parker

Upcoming Happenings

SUN - APR 7 <i>Fifth Sunday of Lent</i>	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12 pm	Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Corner
MON - APR 8	9 am 7 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Bulletin Deadline Wesmond Townhouse Association Meeting Bell Choir Rehearsal
TUE - APR 9	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Zumba Class Church Council Meeting - CANCELLED Small Grp: Ingles para Latinos (English for Spanish Speakers)
WED - APR 10	7:30 pm - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THU - APR 11	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Small Grp: Review/Preview with Pastor Tim Zumba Class Small Grp: Judy's Covenant IOOF #97 Meeting
SAT - APR 13	12 pm - 3 pm	Community Easter Egg Hunt
SUN - APR 14 <i>Palm Sunday</i>	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12 pm 11:30 am - 2 pm	Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Corner Trustees Meeting
MON - APR 15	9 am 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Bulletin Deadline Bell Choir Rehearsal
TUE - APR 16	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Zumba Class Small Grp: Men's Group Meeting Small Grp: Ingles para Latinos (English for Spanish Speakers) Small Grp: "Good Grief: Coping with Loss" Small Grp: Grief Recovery
WED - APR 17	7 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	The Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THU - APR 18 <i>Maundy Thursday</i>	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Maundy Thursday Service with Communion Zumba Class Small Grp: Judy's Covenant IOOF #97 Meeting
FRI - APR 19 <i>Good Friday</i>	3 pm - 7 pm	Stations of the Cross - Self Guided
SUN - APR 21 <i>Easter Sunday</i>	8 am - 9 am 9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12 pm	Worship Service Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Corner



Fun Was Had By All!

Congratulations to our
1st Annual Foosball Tournament Winners:
1st Place - Julee Brower and Kirsten Lewis
2nd Place - Chloe & Pastor Tim Dowell

Community Easter Egg Hunt

Sat., April 13th, 12-3 pm, Whalen Commons
Come dressed to get messy and have fun!
*Easter Egg Hunt Games Face Painting
Story Time Easter Bunny Photo Op Food*
Egg collection bags provided!

Help Needed - See sign-up sheets
inside Memorial's main entrance.

Fun for All!



Holy Week Schedule

April 14 - Palm/Passion Sunday

Sunday School - 9:15-10:15am
Worship Service - 10:30am

*Children's Time begins during Worship then
dismiss to Social Hall for Craft and Refreshments*

April 18 - Maundy Thursday

Worship Service w/Communion - 7pm

April 19 - Good Friday

Stations of the Cross, *Self Guided* - 3 to 7pm

April 21 - Easter Sunday

Sunrise Worship Service - 8am
Sunday School - 9:15-10:15am
Worship Service - 10:30am



Music Ministry Rehearsals

Bell Choir - Mondays, 7:30-9pm
Chancel Choir - Wednesdays, 7:30-9pm

Memorial's Prayer Connection

Send prayer requests to prayers@pmumc.org.



Checkout Upcoming Events

at Poolesville Area Senior Center on
board outside of Work Room

Thank You for Your Generosity!

Memorial supported UMCOR this past week
by donating a total of \$1,002.

Community Dinner

Thank You to all that came out to
help and/or enjoy a delicious meal
and fellowship! Next Community Dinner will
be at St. Peter's on May 1st and then back at
Memorial on June 5th.



Doing Some Spring Cleaning?

The Ladies of Memorial will be
participating in the Big Flea in
Whalen Commons on June 8th.

All of your "no longer needed treasures" will
be joyfully welcomed! We will start accepting
household items, accessories- costume
jewelry, purses, belts, etc after Easter. If you
have clothing, please donate to Poolesville
Friendly Thrift Shop. More details to come
as we get closer. All proceeds will go toward
the cost of the Ladies of Memorial's retreat.

Join in the fun this Spring!



April 13 - Community Easter Egg Hunt

April 14 - Kids Time during Worship

April 21 - Easter Sunday & April

 Birthday Celebration Day

(3rd Sunday of each month we will celebrate all
the birthday for that month)

June 2 - One Room Sunday School Starts

Sunday School!

9:15-10:15 am



Backpack Bites Program provides a
weekend meal to our community's
children in need. *See table in
Memorial's main door to see
how you can help.*

