

Seventh Sunday of Easter
May 29, 2022 – 10:55 A.M.

*Please stand as you are able

ENTRANCE

MEDITATIVE MUSIC

Jeanne Banks, Pianist

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Will Waller

CHIMING THE HOUR

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Prelude—Martin

Lynn Meeks, Organist

ACOLYTE MINISTRY

GREETING

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Becky Newbill, Liturgist

L: Lord, they held us, fed us, and cared for us.

P: We thank you Lord for our parents.

L: While not all of us can reach out and touch our parents, we know the impact that they had on us.

P: We thank you Lord for our parents.

L: Teach us how to honor our parents. Show us how we may honor them now and honor their memory.

P: We thank you Lord for our parents. Amen.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Happy the Home

No. 445

INVITATION TO THE CHILDREN

Where Children Belong

TFWS No. 2233

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng.

Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

CHILDREN'S TIME

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(Afterwards, children in preschool through 2nd grade may go to Children's Church.)

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Deuteronomy 5:16 (OT pg. 156)

Ezekiel 22:6-8 (OT pg. 742)

Proverbs 23:22-25 (OT pg. 571)

Liturgist: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON

Ten Commandments: V

Rev. Waller

OFFERTORY

Sortie on "National Hymn"

***THE DOXOLOGY**

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below:

Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,

Whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

ANTHEM

Help Us to Be Like Them—Besig

Chancel Choir/Dea McClure, Flute

PRAYER REQUESTS

CALL TO PRAYER

All I Need Is You

TFWS No. 2080

All I need is you, Jesus, all I need is you. You are the source of all I need.

All I need is you.

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

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.

SENDING FORTH

***CLOSING HYMN**

The Family Prayer Song (sing twice)

TFWS No. 2188

***THE ACOLYTE MINISTRY**

***BENEDICTION**

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

As We Go

As we go, may your spirit go before us. As we go, may we follow where you lead.

May we live what we have learned, share the message we have heard,

and be a light unto the world, as we go.

***GOING FORTH**

Rev. Waller

***POSTLUDE**

Mrs. Meeks

The flowers on the Communion Table are given by Mike and Lynn Meeks to the Glory of God and celebration of the marriage of daughter, Emily to Michael Littlely.

Serving Today:

Liturgist: Becky Newbill
Greeter: Judy Anderson
Acolyte: Annette C. Board
Usher: Benny Gibson
Children's Church: Martha Sue Gibson
Nursery: Jane Roseberry
Counters: Martha Sue Gibson, Becky Newbill
Locking Up After Worship: Benny Board

Serving Next Week (June 5):

Liturgist: Benny Gibson
Greeters: P. D. and Mittie Hambrick
Acolytes: Lera Gibson and Miles Gibson
Ushers: P. D. and Mittie Hambrick
Children's Church: Martha Sue Gibson
Nursery: Callie Angle
Counters: Martha Sue Gibson, Becky Newbill
Locking Up After Worship: Jim Anderson

Prayer Concerns:

Our country, our church and those serving in our armed forces; People of Ukraine; Peggie Foster; Kathleen Higgins; Lillie Hatchett; Jerry Davis; Tim Funk; Barbara Huffman; Lynn Cooper; Anna Campbell; Betty Dillon; CO Brickey; Dick Shoemaker; Jennifer Cooper; John Cooper; Arnold Dillon, Sr.; Janis Odom (DJ Pritchard); Richard McDaniel (Lindsay McDaniel); Doris Ferguson (wife of Bill Ferguson, former pastor of RMUMC); Everett Cotter (LuAnn Dunbar); Becky Bennett (Jennie Ardis); Sophia Moore (CO Brickey); Mike Shea (Enna Roseberry); Melissa Hays-Smith (Marsha Robertson); Debbie Ford (Ben Whitesell); and Dennis Holland (Cyndee Holland).

Forget-Me-Nots:

Eleanor Woody

**Will Waller, Pastor
Lynn M. Meeks, Director of Music/Diaconal Minister
Jeanne Banks, Pianist
Valerie Latimer, Administrative Assistant
Jennifer Ardis, Nursery Attendant
Rebecca Dillon, Children's Church Coordinator
Craig Jamison, Custodian**

Meetings and Announcements:

- **Monday, May 30** **The church office will be closed in observance of Memorial Day**

- **Wednesday, June 1** **7:00 p.m.**, Town Hall Event discussing the UMC current stands on LGBTQ inclusion

- **Next Sunday, June 5** **10:00 a.m.**, Small Groups
 10:55 a.m., Worship

- **Monday, June 6** **5:00 p.m.**, United Women in Faith Annual Picnic at the home of Dan and Linda Walters

- **Wednesday, June 8** **7:00 p.m.**, Chancel Choir

- **Sunday, June 12** **10:15 a.m.**, Chancel Choir

- **Thursday, June 16-
Saturday, June 18** **Virginia Annual Conference in Hampton**

Assistive listening devices are available outside the sanctuary.

On June 1, Pastor Will Waller and Lay Leader Tammy Burdick will host a town hall style event discussing where the United Methodist Church current stands on LGBTQ inclusion, the proposed changes on inclusion within the United Methodist Church, and the formation of the Global Methodist Church. Some may have many questions and we want to answer those questions in a thoughtful manner. We believe that informed people are less likely to be anxious people. The event will be held in the Atrium of the church, starting at 7 pm. Nursery will be available.

Lives so beautifully lived deserve to be beautifully remembered. Please join us as we celebrate the lives of Fred and Cecile Bussey at a graveside service to be held on Thursday morning, June 9 at 11:00 a.m. at Pigg River Primitive Baptist Church Cemetery, Swenfield Road, Callaway, VA 24067. The Rev. Bruce D. Tuttle, officiating.

The Samaritan offering for Virginia United Methodist Homes will be received through Father's Day, June 19. Your gift supports residents who have been blessed by longevity but have outlived their financial resources. Samaritan gifts are not used for operational, capital, or administrative cost but are instead made available only for benevolent care. Make your checks payable to RMUMC and designate "Samaritan Offering" on the memo line. Thank you!

Save the Date: How does packaging 10,000 meals in just over an hour sound? Impossible. Come to church on September 11, 2022 and see.

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We are collecting canned tuna for Heavenly Manna this month. Please put your donations in the barrel located in the narthex. Thank You!

The directories are out and they look great! If you would like an extra one or if you did not have your picture taken or submitted, please let our church office know. Call 483-5338 or email admin@rm-umc.org.

Valerie Latimer, Administrative Assistant, will be on vacation this week.