

Announcements, continued

Care & Connect Wednesday Morning Prayer & Care Group - At 11:00 AM, every Wednesday morning, the congregation is invited to meet with the pastor for a time of praying for the concerns of the church. Join us during this journey together each week. Be faithful in prayer - Romans 12:12 NIV *Prayer Concerns:* Krista Baker; Anna Dunlap; CJ Castro; people in Israel & Palestine; hostages in Gaza; Jerry Chapman; Bennie Baker; Terri Smith; Tim Barnes; Wayne Cheshire; Joe Patterson; Rick Slater; Cher Linaweaver; Pat; children who are trafficked; June & Nate; Jae Hinson; Doug Barnett; Dusti; Ian & Emily Epstein; Abby Anglin; those in conflict; our church family; thanks for memories and for all the beauty in this world; Annie, Emily, Ashley, & Aiden; Caleb; Emma; Gary Lantz; Sage; Sarah; Amanda; unspoken; Ralph & Dee Grim; Sandra L. Waggy (*Vicky's sister*); safe travel for Cindy & Eric; Marie & Jackwood; Russ & Helen Fitch; Jeff; William Rust (*Seabright's son*); those who are hurting, depressed, or lonely; my parents; Tom Chicca; Steve Spurr (*death of stepmom*); Laban Sadtler; Mark Wells; Sandie's son-in-law; Daniel Whitacre; Mary Kathryn Clark; Shirley Dick; Marilyn Stelzl; Mary Shetler; Jane Thomas; Wilsons; Dawna Wilson; Mary Walker; Tina & Shane Weagley; Nellie Snoots; Florence Roman; Sharon & George Teets; Simon & Vicky Newlin; Doc Madagan; Rev. Clay & Lisa Knick; Nelda & Charles Harless & family; Amy, Frank Haines & boys; Adele Birnbaum; our world

Scriptures: Exodus 33:12-23; Psalm 99; 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10; Matthew 22:15-22

Calendar

<u>Sunday, October 22</u> 9:00 Art of Hospitality Leader Class 9:00 Bible Study Book of John 10:20 Worship 2:00 Zoom District Conference 7:00 Small Group Adult Pop Topic (<i>offsite</i>) <i>Reader:</i> Stacey Park <i>Greeters:</i> Vicky Maphis & Judy Chapman <i>Counters:</i> Lorraine Shelton & JR Richard <u>Tuesday, October 24</u> 12-4 Bridge (<i>f. hall</i>) 2:00 Worship & Wonder <u>Wednesday, October 25</u> 9-11:30 BSF (<i>2-3 rooms upstairs</i>) 11:00 Prayer & Care (<i>f.hall</i>) 5:30 TOPS 6:00 Handbells (<i>f.hall</i>) 7:00 Choir (<i>f.hall</i>)	<u>Thursday, October 26</u> 8:30 TOPS (<i>f.hall</i>) <u>Friday, October 27</u> 9 ³⁰ -2 ³⁰ Bridge (<i>f. hall</i>) <u>Sunday, October 29 Commitment Sunday</u> 9:00 Art of Hospitality Leader Class 9:00 Bible Study Book of John 10:20 Worship 7:00 Small Group Adult Pop Topic (<i>offsite</i>) <i>Reader:</i> Sarah Gordon <i>Greeters:</i> Carolyn Sibert & Vicky Maphis <i>Counters:</i> Roy Walker & Brian Henshaw Upcoming: Nov. 5 Daylight savings Time Ends Nov. 12 Charge Conference at Macedonia Nov. 22 Thanksgiving Eve Service 7pm
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Please know that ALL children are **ALWAYS welcome** to attend our entire church service in the sanctuary. We offer an optional short **Children's** Church program during Sunday worship.

21st Sunday of Pentecost



10:20 a.m. Worship Service

October 22, 2023



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** All who are able, please stand; bold print - all respond*

PreludeDavid Landrum

Ringing of the BellSam Henshaw

Greeting /AnnouncementsCathy Richard

* **Call to Worship**

We gather today to remember and proclaim that we are God’s people.

We are God’s people! God’s presence is among us!

Like Moses, we seek an encounter with God’s goodness.

God, show us Your goodness that we may glorify You in all that we do.

God’s goodness passes by us every day in the gracious gifts of creation and in the faces of our neighbors.

God, help us notice Your goodness in everything and everyone that we meet..

When we notice God’s goodness all around us, we recognize this truth: all things are God’s.

Let us give to God the things that are God’s! Amen.

JJ Gibbs

*Hymn

Lighting of Altar Candles

Scripture Lesson

Response to the Word

Offering and Children's Church

Stewardship Moment

How Firm a Foundation

1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Back to the Church in the Wildwood

Give Thanks

Give thanks with a grateful heart, give thanks to the Holy One, give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ His Son. And now let the weak say, "I am strong"; Let the poor say, "I am rich because of what the Lord has done for us." Give thanks.

UMH 529

Sam Henshaw

Stacey Park

Choir

Roy Walker



Educate & Equip Work Area Presentation

Prayers of the People

Congregational Prayer

Ric Dunkle

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Loving, living God, be among us now. Show us Your ways. Guide our steps.

Live in us, that we may be people of steadfast hope and powerful giving. Help us hear Your words, challenging us to give You all the things that are Yours.

Help us remember that all we are and all we have are gifts from You, gifts to be shared in service and love. Holy One among us, help us be a holy people who receive Your word with joy and live Your message with love. Amen

*Hymn

Sermon

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Invitation to Holy Communion

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord's Supper

*Hymn

*The Benediction

Blest Be the Dear Uniting Love

"Render unto Caesar"

Matthew 22:15-22

O How I Love Jesus

UMH 566

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UMH 895

UMH 170

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* Choral Benediction

God Be with You till We Meet Again

UMH 672

God be with you till we meet again; by His counsels guide, uphold you, with His sheep securely fold you; God be with you till we meet again. Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet at Jesus' feet; till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

(*Please stand as able)

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David Landrum

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Who's Who in The Pew - Member Attendance & Visitor Info - Please fill out the card located in the pews and place it in the offering basket. Include your name and any prayer requests or concerns for our church leaders. If you are a visitor, please include your contact info and any requests.

Zoom Shenandoah River **District Conference** today - All members are welcome to attend the SRD Conference at 2:00 today, Sunday, October 22. To attend, click on the zoom link below.
<https://zoom.us/j/95716686196> Passcode: 573945

CCAP Reach & Serve will be collecting items again this year for Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners. Shopping Lists are in the narthex, collections run thru November.



Thanksgiving
Food Drive



CHRISTMAS
FOOD BASKETS

CCAP·Thanksgiving·&·Christmas·
Dinner·Donation·List¶

Thanksgiving·Items·need·to·be·at·
church·by·Oct·29th·¶

&·Christmas·items·need·to·be·at·
church·by·Nov·26th·¶

Canned·Yams¶

Canned·Green·Beans¶

Marshmallows¶

Cranberry·Sauce¶

Boxed·Potatoes¶

Gravy·Packets/Cans¶

Dressing/Stuffing·Mix¶

Brownie/Cookie·Mix¶

Pancake·Mix¶

Cooking·Oil¶

Roasting·Pans¶

Turkeys¶

Hams¶