

Mt. Zion United Methodist Church

Sunday, August 4, 2024

Countdown/Pre-Service Video/Prelude

Welcome/Birthdays – Anniversaries/Announcements

Opening Hymn **TFWS No. 2108 O How He Loves You and Me**

Opening Prayer: Along life's pathways, we search continually for signs to point us in positive directions. Christ has given us a sign which points us to healing and hope: that is the sign of the Bread of Life. No more shall we hunger and thirst after the things which cannot sustain us. Now we have been fed and nourished by Christ! Open our hearts in gratitude, Lord, for all the wondrous things you have done for us. Open our Spirits to hear your words of hope for us today. AMEN.

Children's Moments – This Little Light of Mine

Special Music – If You Believe and I Believe - The Summer Singers

Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song - **Worship & Song No. 3096 Gentle Shepherd**

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer (Spoken)

Hymn of Preparation – **UMH No 174 His Name is Wonderful**

Pre-Message Video

Message – Paster Shawn Vollmerhausen

Communion Hymn – **TFWS Make me a Channel of Your Peace**

Holy Communion

Offertory/**Doxology UMH No. 94 (with Alleluias)**

Closing Hymn – **TFWS No. 2162 Grace Alone**

Benediction

Parting Song – **UMH No. 666 Shalom to You**

Special Upcoming Event

Meet us at the Tabernacle at Emory Grove on Sunday, August 18th. Plans have been made with opportunities to worship in this historic location. We will feature special music by the Summer Singers (please come and participate.) Our guest soloist will be Joy Keene-el. This is our first community gathering to introduce Pastor Shawn to the area. Please come and support us.

Missions

Did you know that the goat is hungry all the time? Please bring non-perishable foods to help those in need. We also request items, such as, cleaning products, diapers, laundry detergent (powdered) and paper products.

Shepherd's Staff School Supply drive is ongoing. There is a list of items to donate. Monetary donations are also welcome.



Let's Talk Music

I am so grateful to everyone who is participating in the Summer Singers Program. I will be creating a medley of the choruses we have done for Emory Grove and hope that everyone will participate. Even those who sang along in the congregation are welcome to lead the congregation at the Tabernacle.

Choir rehearsals will begin on Thursday, September 5th at 6:30 p.m. This year, we will present more challenging music that will require *multiple mandatory rehearsals* to perfect the anthems. We are in special need of female voices, especially altos. I will be offering additional rehearsals for those who can't make Thursday evenings due to life obligations and/or work schedules. I am creating the music binders now. Please call Leslie at 410-876-9181 if you are ready to start or continue your music ministry.

Prayer List

Daisy Atkinson-Levy	Sandra Hawkins
Aubrey Ball	Bob Hayes
Sandy Bicksler	Don Hennessee
Peggy Bosley	Wanda Law
Marty Brown	Mark Lesky
Martha Carter	Val McNeal
Rev. Joel Cocklin	Rev. Laura Lee Morgan
Tracey Lynn Davidson	Dan Pickard
Olivia Davis	Allen Rhodes
Mathew Davis	Gerri Rhodes
Barb Diaz	Joan Tighe
David Fitzwater	Robert Tighe
Kathy Giroux	Richard
Jan & Fran	Carol & MariLynne
Renee Clifford	

Homebound

Tommy DeMoss	Ginny Hoy
Westminster Health Care	5060 Harney Road
1234 Westminster Rd.	Taneytown, MD 21787
Room 221	
Westminster, MD 21157	Pat Murphy
	138 Lassiter Circle
	Finksburg, MD 21048

Ginny Hoy celebrated her birthday on Wednesday. 39 Again!

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