



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.

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

WELCOME

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE

PRAYER

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Piano Sonata No.8 "Pathétique", II. Adagio cantabile by Ludwig van Beethoven

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: People of God, who do you come to worship?

***People:* We come to worship the one true God.**

Leader: How do you worship?

***People:* Not with words alone, but by living lives of justice and love.**

Leader: Come, you who belong to God. Come, you who are foolish in the eyes of the world.

***People:* Come and abide in God's tent and in God's heart, now and forever.**

* OPENING HYMN

What Gift Can We Bring UMH 87

* OPENING PRAYER

Loving God: We come this morning seeking to abide in your presence. Open our minds to your spirit of wisdom, that we may know how to live as your people. Open our hearts to your spirit of truth, that we may love all your people with a love that speaks of justice, kindness, and radical grace. May this time of worship prepare us to live lives that are pleasing to you. In Jesus' name. Amen.

ANTHEM

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross by Gilbert Martin

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE READINGS

Micah 6:1-8 Kirsten Lewis

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

Matthew 5:1-12 Rev. Timothy A. Dowell

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REFLECTION/MESSAGE

Blessed Rev. Timothy A. Dowell

* HYMN

Be Thou My Vision UMH 451

OFFERING OF TITHES AND GIFTS

OFFERTORY

Prelude Op.28 No.9 in E Major by Frederic Chopin

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.

COMMUNION

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN

Near to the Heart of God UMH 472

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

The Gift to Be Simple (American Shaker melody) arr by Dale Wood

Selection of Readings Pertaining to Fellowship

Micah 6:1-8

6 Hear what the LORD says:

Rise, plead your case before the mountains, and let the hills hear your voice.

2 Hear, you mountains, the controversy of the LORD, and you enduring foundations of the earth; for the LORD has a controversy with his people, and he will contend with Israel.

3 “O my people, what have I done to you? In what have I wearied you? Answer me!

4 For I brought you up from the land of Egypt, and redeemed you from the house of slavery; and I sent before you Moses, Aaron, and Miriam.

5 O my people, remember now what King Balak of Moab devised, what Balaam son of Beor answered him, and what happened from Shittim to Gilgal, that you may know the saving acts of the LORD.”

6 “With what shall I come before the LORD, and bow myself before God on high?

Shall I come before him with burnt offerings, with calves a year old?

7 Will the LORD be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousands of rivers of oil? Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?”

8 He has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?



Matthew 5:1-12

5 When Jesus saw the crowds, he went up the mountain; and after he sat down, his disciples came to him. **2** Then he began to speak, and taught them, saying:

3 “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

4 “Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.

5 “Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.

6 “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.

7 “Blessed are the merciful, for they will receive mercy.

8 “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.

9 “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.

10 “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

11 “Blessed are you when people revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. **12** Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

*Fourth Sunday
after Epiphany*

FEBRUARY
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2020

10:30 am

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Daily Scripture Readings

Sun., Feb 2 - **ECCLESIASTES 4:9-12** *Gathering Together*
 Mon., Feb 3 - **PSALM 19:1-6** *Heavenly View*
 Tue., Feb 4 - **ISAIAH 49:8-10** *In God's Time*
 Wed., Feb 5 - **LUKE 10:25-37** *I've Been There*
 Thu., Feb 6 - **MATTHEW 26:36-44** *My Solitary Place*
 Fri., Feb 7 - **PSALM 89:1-4** *Loyal Love*
 Sat., Feb 8 - **PSALM 78:1-7** *Pioneers of Faith*

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

Memorial's Purpose



Church Giving

AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING
 (the last 8 weeks)
\$5,310.12

WEEKLY BUDGET GOALS
\$5,770.00

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

CUSTODIAN - Pecoe Fleming

Thoughts/Prayers

Blessed

*feeling full of joy
 even when things
 aren't perfect*

Upcoming Liturgist/Greeter Schedule

DATE	FEBRUARY 9	FEBRUARY 16	FEBRUARY 23
LITURGIST	Ray Hoewing	Jan Deloria	Scott McGrew
GREETERS	Jennifer Bowen Jan Deloria	Scouts Andrew & Kirsten Lewis	Link Hoewing Ray Hoewing

Upcoming Happenings

SUN - FEB 2	7:30 am - 9 am 9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 1 pm	Super Bowl Sub Preparation Sunday School Worship Service Super Bowl Sub Distribution
MON - FEB 3	7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Small Grp: Learn Spanish Bell Choir Rehearsal
TUE - FEB 4	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8:30 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Zumba Small Grp: Men's Group Small Grp: Grief Recovery - CANCELLED
WED - FEB 5	5:30 pm - 7 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Community Dinner Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THU - FEB 6	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Small Grp: Review/Preview with Pastor Tim Zumba Class Small Grp: Judy's Covenant Group
FRI - FEB 7	All Day	Youth at ROCK Retreat in Ocean City
SAT - FEB 8	All Day	Youth at ROCK Retreat in Ocean City
SUN - FEB 9	All Day 9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm 11:30 am - 1:30 pm 1pm - 2:30 pm	Youth at ROCK Retreat in Ocean City Sunday School Worship Service Coffee Hour Trustees Meeting Women's Group Meeting
MON - FEB 10	4:30 pm - 6 pm 7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Room 1 RESERVED Small Grp: Learn Spanish – Last Class Bell Choir Rehearsal
TUE - FEB 11	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8:30 pm 7 pm - 9 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Zumba Room 2 RESERVED Church Council Meeting Small Grp: Grief Recovery
WED - FEB 12	7:30 pm - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
THU - FEB 13	7 pm - 8 pm 7 pm - 8 pm 7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Small Grp: Review/Preview with Pastor Tim Zumba Class Small Grp: Judy's Covenant Group
FRI - FEB 14	❤️	Happy St. Valentine's Day! ❤️
SUN - FEB 9	9:15 am - 10:15 am 10:30 am - 11:30 am	Sunday School Worship Service



Amy Zimmerman
for sharing your musical talents with us today!

33rd Youth Group Super Bowl Sub Sale



Pick-up in Fellowship Hall TODAY, 12-1pm

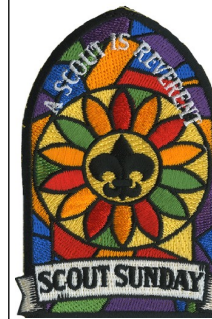


Free Community Dinner

Wed., Feb. 5th, 5:30-7pm
Baked Chicken • White Rice
Mixed Veggies • Applesauce,
Dinner Rolls,
Homemade Desserts
Meal is open to the community and free to everyone! To help, please contact
Lori Kocur at
Kocurs@verizon.net.



The Women's Group will meet February 9th from 12:30-2:30pm (after Coffee Hour) for a short business meeting and to make Valentine Baskets for shut-ins. We are asking for cookies, candy (some sugar-free), small Kleenex, and/or chapstick donations. We need names and addresses, or locations for the shut-ins. If you know of someone you think would enjoy a Valentine Basket, please contact Cindy Heivilin at cheivilin@comcast.net.



Boy Scouts Girl Scouts Cub Scouts

Memorial will celebrate Scout Sunday during worship service on February 16th. All active Boy, Cub and Girl Scouts and Leaders are invited to wear their uniform to church and arrive early at 10:10am to help welcome the congregation. Scouts and Leaders in attendance will earn a Scout Sunday patch. Contact Kirsten Lewis 301-349-2750 with questions.

WUMCO Help Inc - Drivers Needed -

volunteers provide rides for our aged and home bound neighbors to medical appointments and is in great need of more drivers! Drivers sign up for rides at their convenience, and can run errands, etc while WUMCO's clients are at their appointments. If you are interested please call WUMCO's transportation coordinator at 301-972-8481, ext. 4 or email wumco2@gmail.com. Thanks!

On-Call Table/Chair Set-up Team Members Needed -

If you are interested in being part of this elite group of movers and shakers, please contact Shirley at office@pmumc.org

BWC Scholarship Application

The BWC awards scholarships to qualified students currently attending college along with high school seniors who plan to attend college in the fall. **The application is open now and closes March 5.** To be considered students must:

- complete the full online application
 - provide contact information for their pastor and one additional church reference (they will be asked to submit info on student's church participation)
- Learn more and apply -- <https://www.bwcumc.org/administration/local-church-resources/scholarships/>.