OUR PURPOSE



Loving God
Welcoming All

Serving Neighbors

Together through Jesus Christ

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun., Aug 29 - JOHN 19:17-30 The Perfect Cross
Mon., Aug 30 - PSALM 31:19-24 Redemption
Tue., Aug 31 - JOB 12:7-10 Nature's Healing
Wed., Sep 1 - JOSHUA 6:1-20 Before a Breakthrough
Thu., Sep 2 - GENESIS 1:26-31 Child of God
Fri., Sep 3 - PSALM 119:25-32 Well-Marked Path
Sat., Sep 4 - ROMANS 12:9-13 Together in Prayer

Visit www.upperroom.com for more information.

OFFICE INFORMATION

COORDINATOR HOURS

Monday-Friday, 9am-Noon

PASTORAL APPOINTMENTS

Please contact the office at 301-349-2010, office@pmumc.org, or visit www.pmumc.org

PHONE MESSAGES

Messages sent to designated email accounts.

EMERGENCIES

For immediate pastoral care, please email Pastor Tim at PastorTim@PMUMC.org

CHURCH GIVING

AVERAGE WEEKLY GIVING (last 8 weeks) \$4,774.75 as of 8/18/2021 **WEEKLY GOAL - \$5,770.00**

WAYS TO GIVE:

- PLACE in Offering Plate when entering/exiting Worship Service
- MAIL to Memorial's PO Box 358
- DROP in Memorial's secured mailbox next to entrance
- ELECTRONICALLY via PMUMC.org

CHURCH PERSONNEL & CONTRIBUTORS TO WORSHIP

PASTOR - Rev. Timothy A. Dowell
MUSIC DIRECTOR - Janet Hartz
ORGANIST - Linda Custer
BELL CHOIR DIRECTOR - Becky Smalley
HEAD USHER - Dr. Robert Spiker
ALTAR GUILD/COMMUNION STEWARD Janet Spiker

WORSHIP ASSISTANT - Sandy Parnell-Dowell ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Lori Kocur ACOLYTES - Chloe D., Grace P., Evie S., Isabel S., Rachel S., Keefer B., Sam L., Addie S., Charlotte S.

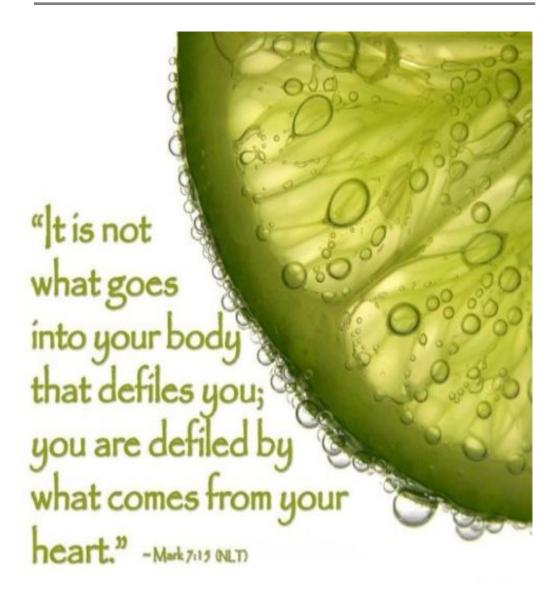
AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm CHANCEL CHOIR - Sandi Baggett, Eleanor Bateman, Tim Dowell, Chris Giarratano, Link Hoewing, Steve Krasner, Priscilla Lyon, David Melton, Tim Melton, Walter Moskwa, Marty Pauley, Roger Powers, Betty Jean Selby, Becky Smalley, Rachel Smalley, Erin Smeller WORSHIP CMTE CHAIR - Priscilla Lyon VISUAL ARTS - Dianna McGrew, Janet Spiker CHURCH COORDINATOR-Shirley Prasada-Rao CUSTODIAN - Pecoe Fleming



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Sunday Worship Service August 29, 2021 at 10:30 am



FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 29, 2021

Thank you for coming together in worship this morning. As we gather, take time to relax and prepare your heart to listen for God through today's time of prayer, song, and scripture study. As you participate with heart and/or voice, the words will be displayed on your screen for your convenience.

* = Please stand in your heart or posture. **UMH** = United Methodist Hymnal. **TFWS** = The Faith We Sing. Regular bold print = recite out loud

PRE-SERVICE Hymn Medley from The Faith We Sing **TFWS**

Worship Service

Introductions and Prayer WELCOME

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise by Matt Limbaugh **PRELUDE**

* CALL TO WORSHIP Scott McGrew

Every generous act of giving is a tribute to God's love for us. LEADER:

Lord, let us be people of generous and abundant gifts for others. PEOPLE:

Be ready to listen and slow to react in anger. LEADER: Lord, prepare us to be peaceful people. PEOPLE:

Keep your hearts and spirits ready to serve the Lord. LEADER:

Lord, open our hearts to hear and respond to your words of life in PEOPLE:

ministries of hope and peace. AMEN.

* OPENING PRAYER

Scott McGrew

Lord of mercy and abundant love, we have gathered here this day to hear your healing words of compassion and to be transformed by your love. Help us to become more faithful servants in our thoughts, words, and deeds. It is in Jesus' Name, we pray. AMEN.

* OPENING HYMN We Are Called **TFWS 2172**

FIRST READING Dennis Minor *James 1:17-27*

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

ANTHEM - PIANO DUET Janet Hartz, Linda Custer

> by Mark Hayes My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

SECOND READING Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 Rev. Timothy Dowell

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

Rev. Timothy Dowell **MESSAGE** Inside Out

Please share your prayer concerns and joys! **PRAYERS**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Poolesville, MD

The Lord's Prayer **PRAY** UMH 895

Together We Serve * CLOSING HYMN TFWS 2175

* BENEDICTION

I Will Exult in the Lord by Lani Smith POSTLUDE

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

| SUN - AUG 29 14th Sunday after Pentecost | 9 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12 pm | Chancel Choir Rehearsal - CANCELED Adult Sunday School - Zoom Worship Service - In-Person & YouTube Worship & Worship Arts Meeting - In-Person | |
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| THU-SEP 2 | 7 - 8 pm | Review/Preview with Pastor Tim - Zoom | |
| SAT - SEP 4 | 1 - 4 pm | The Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry | |
| SUN - SEP 5 15th Sunday after Pentecost | 9 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10 am 10:30 - 11:30 am | Chancel Choir Rehearsal - CANCELED Adult Sunday School - CANCELED Child & Youth Sunday School-Hybrid 1-Room Worship Service - In-Person & YouTube | |
| Tue - Sep 7 | 7 - 8 pm 7:30 - 8:30 pm | Men's Group - <i>In-Person & Zoom</i> Trustees Meeting - <i>In-Person</i> | |
| WED-SEP8 | 7 - 8 pm | Chancel Choir Rehearsal - <i>In-Person</i> | |
| THU - SEP 9 | 7 - 8 pm | Review/Preview with Pastor Tim - Zoom | |
| SAT-SEP 11 | ? 1 - 4 pm | Re-Building Together The Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry | |
| SUN - SEP 12 16th Sunday after Pentecost | 9 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 10:30 - 11:30 am | Adult Sunday School - <i>Zoom</i> Child & Youth Sunday School- <i>Hybrid 1-Room</i> Worship Service - <i>In-Person & YouTube</i> | |

SAYING OF THE WEEK

Never let the things you want make you forget the things you have.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Memorial's Small Groups - some online only, some in-person, some hybrid.

To connect with a group, please email...

- Worship Service visit www.PMUMC.org for instructions
- Adult Sunday School email Fred at cfredlyon@gmail.com
- Youth Sunday School email Betty at bking 21710@gmail.com
- Church Council email Scott McGrew at scott.mcgrew@aol.com
- Trustees Meeting email Gary Hartz at gjalaska@verizon.net
- Review / Preview with Pastor Tim email Pastor Tim@pmumc.org
- Men's Group email Ray at RLHoewing@gmail.com
- Youth Group email PastorTim@pmumc.org or Betty King at bking21710@gmail.com
- Have a calling to start a new small group? Contact Pastor Tim or call the church office.



Rehearsals

CHANCEL CHOIR Starting 9/8/2021 Wednesdays, 7:30-9pm

BELLS CHOIR

Details coming soon



Nancy McElhinnev's new address:

11416 Newgate Crest Dr. Riverview, FL 33579

2021 Church Conference

Tuesday, Oct. 5, 2021 7-8:30 pm

It will be held via ZOOM. Details will be

coming soon.



Washington-Baltimore Conference - Central Maryland District News

Memorial Church Conference - Oct 5, 7-8:30pm - DS Dawn M. Hand will preside via Zoom.

Annual Conference - October 25-27 - Live streamed.

WAVE (formerly ROCK) Youth Rally Planning Meeting - September 18 (10am @ BWC Mission Center) - Young people from the BWC and from the Peninsula-Delaware Conference will join together at a youth rally Jan. 7-9, 2022 in OC. Visit https://www.bwcumc.org/rock/



Bishop's Days on (Central MD & Greater Washington) - September 29 (7-8:30pm @ First **UMC** of Hyattsville) - Bishop Easterling will be meeting in regional conversations with laity.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please send all prayer requests to Prayers@PMUMC.org. The power of prayer is mighty!

To donate to the earthquake relief in Haiti please make check payable to PMUMC with "Haiti Relief" in the memo section.

To find out how you can help with **Afghan** refugees visit www.bwcumc.org/article/ums-respond-to-afghan-refugees



FREE **Daily Devotionals** - Copies of the September-October UPPER ROOM are available outside on the bench or inside under the church office window.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



In accordance with Montgomery County Government, ALL individuals (vaccinated and unvaccinated) will be required to wear a mask in public indoor gatherings at Poolesville Memorial United Methodist Church.

We encourage everyone's participation while observing safety protocols.



Calling all Potential Acolytes: Would you like to bring glory to God by being an acolyte?

Young ladies and young men who will be in at least 6th grade this fall, are invited to become acolytes.

To learn about becoming an acolyte, contact Lori Kocur at kocurs@verizon.net or 240-994-8011.



Child & Youth Sunday School

A hybrid Sunday School will be starting September 5th. Those attending inperson will meet in the Fellowship Hall and we will see the rest of you on



ZOOM! Any questions or to volunteer, please contact Betty King at bking21710@gmail.com.

Memorial Garden & Columbarium - DEADLINE NEAR for MATCHING FUNDS

An anonymous donor will match donations towards our Memorial Garden & Columbarium Project received before Sept. 1, 2021 of a least \$1,000 up to a total of \$20,000.



Please mark your donation, "Columbarium / Memorial Garden."



PMUMC's Walking TACO/Hot Dog/Respite Booth

Poolesville Memorial has offered treats for the community for

years at Poolesville Day. One-third of our booth provides respite from the sun and allows us to show God's love to our neighbors. The other two-thirds of our booth offers our Walking TACOs (Talk About Christ Often), hot dogs, chips, and drinks. Dianna McGrew has chaired this event for years but needs others to take over for this year. So far we have 3 volunteers (2-buying supplies/groceries, 1-general helper). If you are able to help with cooking, prepping food, serving food, cashiering, set-up or clean-up, please reach out to the church office at office@pmumc.org or call 301-349-2010. It's a fun day and many hands make light work!

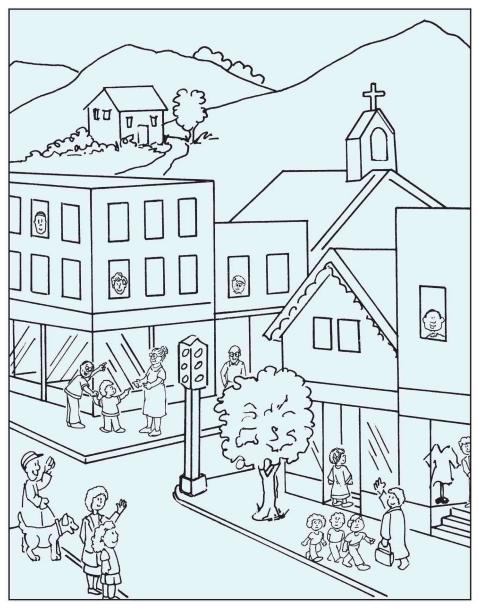
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| LITURGIST | Betty Jean Selby | Bob Bachman | Kirsten Lewis |
| SCHEDULE | Gary Hartz | Ralph Hitchens | Erin Smeller |

God says to look after widows and orphans.



Find the widow and orphans in the town.







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Listening and Doing

"Be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to anger."

Circle in each row the 2 that match.























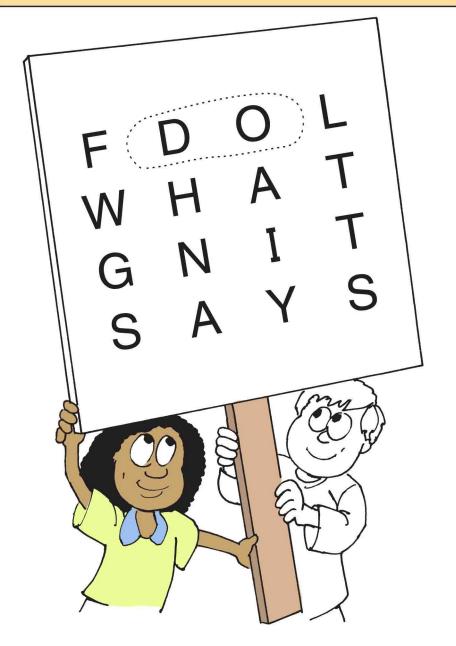
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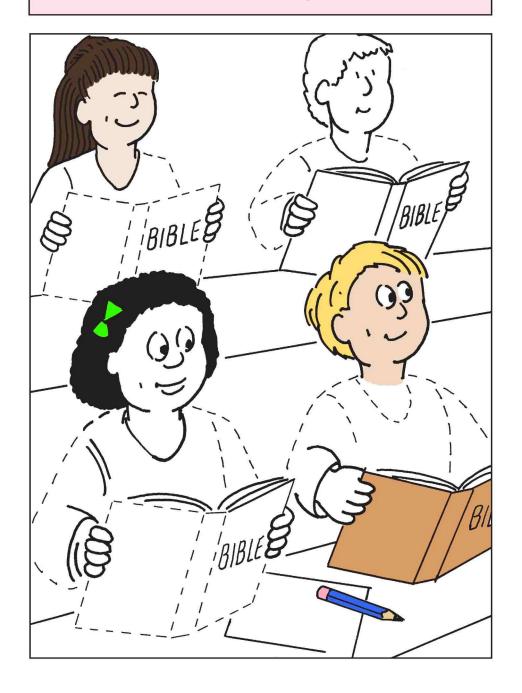
Find and circle these hidden words.

DO WHAT IT SAYS



Do not forget what you have heard.

Trace to finish the picture.



There are many ways to honor God.

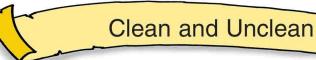
Circle the children honoring God.





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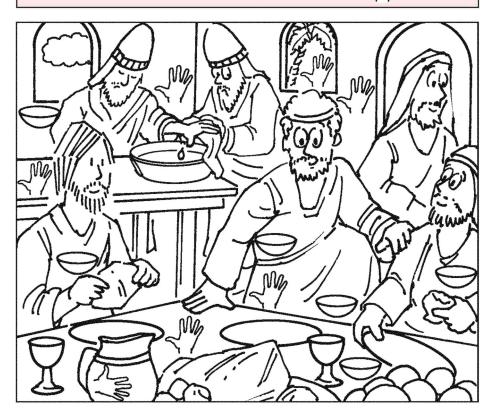


Some leaders asked Jesus why His disciples ate with "unclean" hands.

Find and count the hidden 6 or 7? 7 or 8?



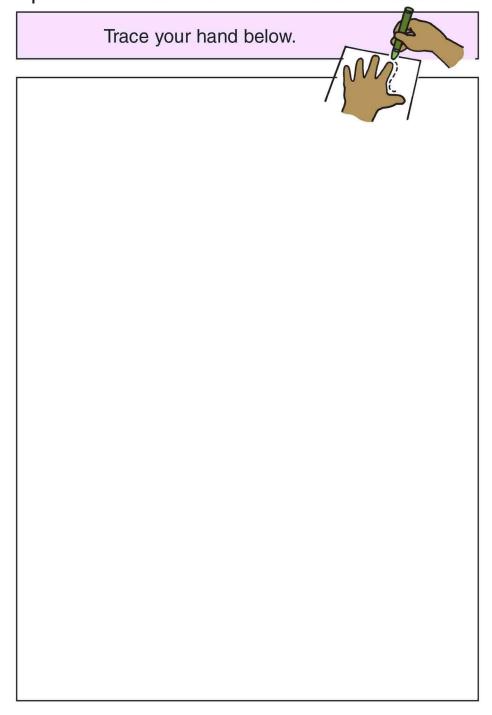




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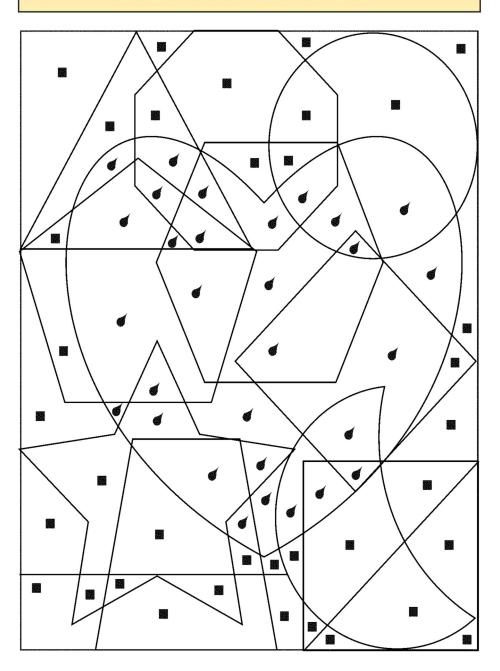


Jesus told them, "Nothing can make a person unclean to God from the outside."



But it's what's inside a person's heart that can be unclean.

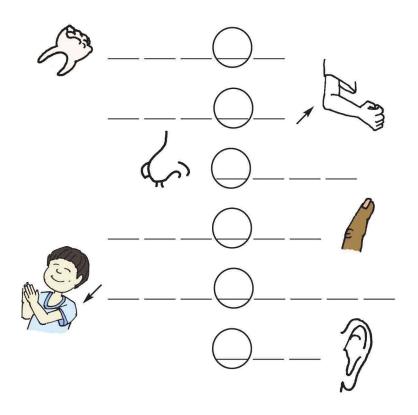
Shade in the shapes with a .





James encourages us to control what we do with 1 little body part in particular!

Name the body parts.
Use the circled letters to complete the warning.



If anyone considers himself religious and does not control his ____ ____, his religion is worthless.



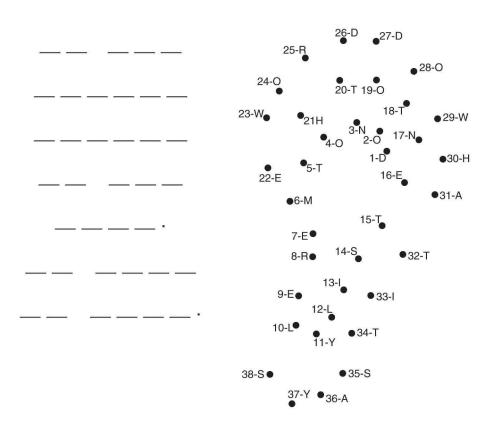
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Knowing what God wants us to do is good – but it is not good enough.

Connect the dots and write the letters in order on the blanks.

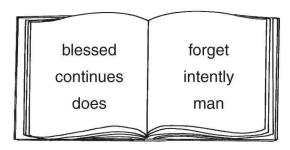


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Listening to God's Word and obeying it is the key to being blessed.

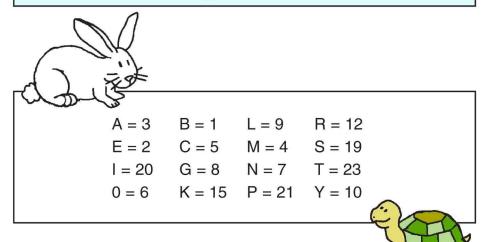
Put the words into the correct blanks to complete the message. Unscramble the boxed letters to find a most important instruction.



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Sometimes it is good to be quick, but sometimes it is better to be slow. Do you know the difference?

Use the key to spell the missing words. Add the numbers in each word. Write QUICK in the speed blank for the highest sum and SLOW in the speed blank for the other 2.



Everyone should be . . .

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Jesus said that unclean things come from within people's hearts.

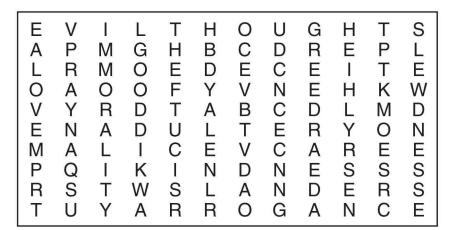
Find these words in the puzzle. Cross them out. The letters that remain include five good words. Find and circle them.

EVIL THOUGHTS MALICE **LEWDNESS IMMORALITY**

ADULTERY ARROGANCE ENVY

GREED DECEIT **SLANDER**

THEFT



Write the five good words you find. The beginning letters are given.



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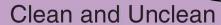




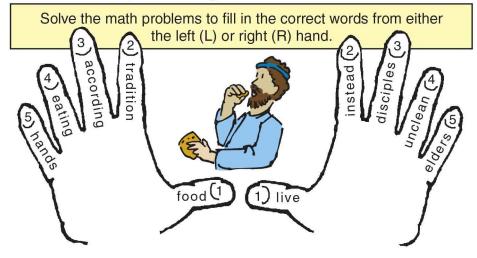
Children's Worship **Bulletin**[™]

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The Pharisees and some of the teachers of the law saw some of Jesus' disciples eating food with unwashed hands.

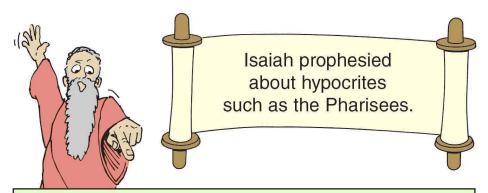


They asked Jesus, "Why don't Your

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| To read Isaiah's prophecy, fit the missing parts of the words into the puzzle below. | | | |
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Jesus called the crowd to Him and said, "Listen to Me, everyone, and understand this."

Follow the correct path through the body and read what Jesus said along the way.

