OUR PURPOSE



Loving God
Welcoming All

Serving Neighbors

Together through Jesus Christ

DAILY SCRIPTURE READINGS

Sun., Feb 5 - **JEREMIAH 18:1-10** Carefully Shaped

Mon., Feb 6 - **REVELATION21:1-5** Healing Work

Tue., Feb 7 - PROVERBS 3:5-8 Waiting Faithfully

Wed., Feb 8 - COLOSSIANS 3:1-4 My True Identity

Thu., Feb 9 - JOHN 8:12-19 Light From a Cross

Fri., Feb 10 - **EPHESIANS 2:1-10** *The Gift*

Sat., Feb 11 - PSALM 3:1-8 Psalms

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) \$9,161.07

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
ALTARGUILD/SACRAMENTSTEWARD-Janet Spiker
WORSHIP ASSISTANT - Sandy Parnell-Dowell
WORSHIP CMTE CHAIR - Priscilla Lyon
VISUAL ARTS - Dianna McGrew, Janet Spiker
ACOLYTE COORDINATOR - Roy Melton
HEAD ACOLYTES - Grace P., Sam L.
AUDIO/VIDEO - Tim Melton, Kevin Schramm
NURSERY - Stephanie Parker, Sierra Waterman-Wells

CHURCH COORDINATOR - Shirley Prasada-Rao CUSTODIAN - Ximenia "Patricia" Murdock ACOLYTES - Chloe D., Nicole L., Addie S., Aubrey S. Evie S., Izzy S.,

BELLCHOIR- Brenda Boulter, Jennifer Fielder, Janet Hartz, Cindy Heivilin, Kirsten Lewis, Nicole Lewis, Priscilla Lyon, Beth Parker, Kaitlyn Schramm, Kevin Schramm, Corrine Selby, Evie Smalley, Isabel Smalley

CHANCEL CHOIR - Sandi Baggett, Eleanor Bateman, Tim Dowell, Chris Giarratano, Steve Krasner, Priscilla Lyon, David Melton, Tim Melton, Walter Moskwa, Marty Pauley, Rachel Poirier, Roger Powers, Betty Jean Selby, Becky Smalley, Erin Smeller



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Fifth Sunday after Epiphany - February 5, 2023
Sunday Worship Service at 10:30 am



FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

February 5, 2023

MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH POOLESVILLE, MD



A special welcome to our guests today! Your visit is a blessing and we are glad you are here! 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.

* = Please stand in your heart or posture. **UMH** = United Methodist Hymnal. **TFWS** = The Faith We Sing. *Italicized, BOLD Text* = recite out loud

PRE-SERVICE MUSIC

Linda Custer

Around You, O Lord Jesus

by Jonathan Reuss

Worship Service

Addison S., Acolyte

WELCOME Introductions and Prayer

PRELUDE SELECTION Linda Custer

Bread of Life by Hurd/Trapp

*CALL TO WORSHIP led by Ray Hoewing

LEADER: We are called to bring a new understanding of God: that God so loves

the world.

PEOPLE: We are the salt of the earth.

LEADER: We are called to bring a new hope in God: that God gives us new life.

PEOPLE: We are the light of the world.

LEADER: We are called to follow the commandments and the law.

PEOPLE: The Law of God is to love God and to love one another.

Come, let us be the salt of the earth, the light of the world.

PEOPLE: Come, let us love one another with the love of God. Let us join

together in our love of God to worship and follow Jesus.

*OPENING PRAYER

led by Ray Hoewing

God of mystery and of judgment, who has made us to be salt and light in a tasteless, shadowed world, guide us in this time of worship. Grant us understanding and spiritual discernment so that others may see your good works through us, give you the glory, and be moved to serve you. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN—As a Fire Is Meant for Burning

TFWS 2237

FIRST READING—Psalm 34 (UMH 769 with response)

Ralph Hitchens

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

ANTHEM—MEN OF THE CHANCEL CHOIR

We are Singing for the Lord Is Our Light [Traditional Zulu] arr by Hal Hopson

SECOND REA	ADING—Matthew 5:13-20 This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	Rev. Timothy Dowell		
SERMON	Salt & Light	Rev. Timothy Dowell		
*HYMN OF I	RESPONSE—Bring Forth the Kingdom	TFWS 2190		
OFFERING	(Offering Plates in Spurrier Hall)	Rev. Timothy Dowell		
JOYS AND CO	ONCERNS	Rev. Timothy Dowell		
*Doxology	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	UMH 95		
*COMMUNIC	ON			
	A Service of Word & Table II w/Musical Setting C The Lord's Prayer Let Us Break Bread Together One Bread, One Body Bread of the World Become to Us the Living Bread	UMH page 12-15, 20-22 UMH 895 UMH 618 UMH 620 UMH 624 UMH 630		
*CLOSING H	YMN—We All Are One in Mission	TFWS 2243		
*BENEDICTION		Rev. Timothy Dowell		
POSTLUDE SELECTION Sortie		Linda Custer by Douglas E. Wagner		



Memorial MEL Program is Working! Thanks to the communities generous donations, we are making a difference. Although we are fully stocked with donations (especially walkers), we still need a knee scooter. To donate or request equipment, contact Eleanor Bateman, 301.461.7898.

THANK YOU to Memorial's Youth Group for cleaning and organizing all the durable medical equipment we have available for loan! They tackled it Sunday right after church, did a great job and had fun-wheelchair races!

SCHEDULE	FEBRUARY 12	FEBRUARY 19	FEBRUARY 22 ASH WEDNESDAY	FEBRUARY 26
LITURGIST	Kirsten Lewis Eleanor Bateman	Nicole Lewis Bob Bachman	Scott McGrew Beth Parker	David Melton Brenda Boulter
ACOLYTE	Isabel S.	Grace P.	Isabel S.	Aubrey S.

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

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SUN - FEB 5 5 th Sunday after Epiphany 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am		Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child and Youth Sunday School - Rooms 2, 3, 4 Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube				
Mon - Feb 6	9 am - 4 pm 4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	WUMCO Dental Van Clinic - <i>Parking Lot</i> Girl Scout Troop #32009 Meeting - <i>Room 1</i> Bell Choir Rehearsal - <i>Sanctuary/Spurrier Hall</i>				
Tue - Feb 7	5:15 - 6:15 pm 7 - 8 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - Room 1 Men's Group Meeting - Room 6 & via Zoom				
WED - FEB 8	6 - 7:30 pm 6:30 - 7:30 pm 7:30 pm - 9 pm	Private Meeting - <i>Fellowship Hall</i> Worship Committee Meeting - <i>Room 6</i> Chancel Choir Rehearsal - <i>Room 8</i>				
THU - FEB 9	7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm	Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - Zoom Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall				
FRI - FEB 10	3 - 9 pm	Shine On Together Social (6-8pm) - Fellowship Hall				
SAT - FEB 11	1 - 4 pm 6 - 8 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - <i>On Location</i> Super Bowl Sub Prep (ALL invited to help) - <i>Kit & FH</i>				
SUN - FEB 12 6th Sunday after Epiphany 7:30 - 10:15 am 9:15 - 10:15 am 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:45 am - 1 pm		Super Bowl Sub Assembly - Kitchen & FH Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child and Youth Sunday School - Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4 Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube Super Bowl Sub Pick-Up - Fellowship Hall				
MON - FEB 13	11 am - 12 pm 4:30 - 6 pm 7 - 8:30 pm	Auxiliary VFW Meeting - <i>Room 6</i> Girl Scout Troop #32009 Meeting - <i>Room 1</i> Bell Choir Rehearsal - <i>Sanctuary/Spurrier Hall</i>				
Tue - Feb 14	5:15 - 6:15 pm 7 - 8 pm	Girl Scout Troop #32066 Meeting - <i>Room 1</i> Church Council Meeting - <i>Room 6 & via Zoom</i>				
WED - FEB 15	7:30 pm - 9 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Room 8				
Тни - Feв 16 7 - 8 pm 7 - 8 pm		Review/Preview w/Pastor Tim - Zoom Zumba Class - Fellowship Hall				
SAT - FEB 18	1 - 4 pm	Friendly Thrift Shop Ministry - On Location				
Sun - Feb 19 Transfiguration Sunday 9:30 - 10:15 am 10:15 - 11:45 am 10:30 - 11:30 am 11:30 am - 12:30 pm		Adult Sunday School - Room 6 & Zoom Child and Youth Sunday School - Rooms 1, 2, 3, 4 Nursery - Room 5 Worship Service - Sanctuary & YouTube Fellowship Time - Fellowship Hall Finance Committee Meeting (All Invited) - Room 6				



Community Dinner

Thank you to all that helped and all that attended!



Lent will be here before we know it! Ash Wednesday is Feb 22nd.

Super Bowl Subs are Back and will be ready for pickup after church on Sun., Feb 12th! Both Italian and Turkey will be offered at \$9 each with a \$1 from each sale going to WUMCO and the remaining proceeds funding our Youth Group. Order Forms are in the bulletin and on the table in front of the Church Office's window.



The Youth Group invites ALL TO HELP with Prep and Assembly! Join the fun on Sat., Feb 11th from 6-8 pm and/or Sun., Feb 12th from 7:30-10:15 am. **SSL hours eligible event.**

Local churches along with WUMCO are serving 22 families with this program. If you are FOOD able to pick any items up, please drop them off in the box under the Church Office's window. If you are able to help pack bags on Saturday, Mar 4, or able to drop the bags off at Monocacy and Poolesville ES on Thursdays, contact Catherine at creekiveau@gmail.com. Canned Vegetables • Single serving fruit/applesauce cups • 1 lb bags of rice • 1 lb boxes of pasta • 16 oz jars of peanut butter •Canned tuna • Instant oatmeal packets (plain) •Treats (granola bars/cheese crackers) • 8 oz shelf stable milk • 1 lb bags of dry beans •Canned chicken • Mac & Cheese (multi serving box)

Review/Preview with Pastor Tim



Thursdays via Zoom. Deeper study of Sundays' scriptures. No preparation required!



Help Make Food and/or **Deliver & Serve Food**

to the residents. Questions contact Linda at Linda.Custer@montogmerycollege.edu



Jan-Feb Upper Room

Daily Devotionals are available outside on the bench & inside on the table in entrance.



FELLOWSHIP TIME will

return Sunday, February 19th right after worship. What a beautiful time to hang out and talk!



Calling ALL KIDS

Join in learning about and sharing God's love. Sunday School, 9:30-10:15am



Nursery is Open!

6mo-4vr olds Sundays during Worship

GREETERS NEEDED! Sign up on board at the bottom of the steps Questions, email bispike@verizon.net.



Inurnment in our Columbarium

Information Packets are in fover and at www.PMUMC.org/columbarium.

The Men's Group - next Tue, Feb. 7th. All men invited to join discussing Adam Hamilton's book, Words of Life, Jesus and the Promise of the Ten Commandments Today



DONATE/SHOP/VOLUNTEER

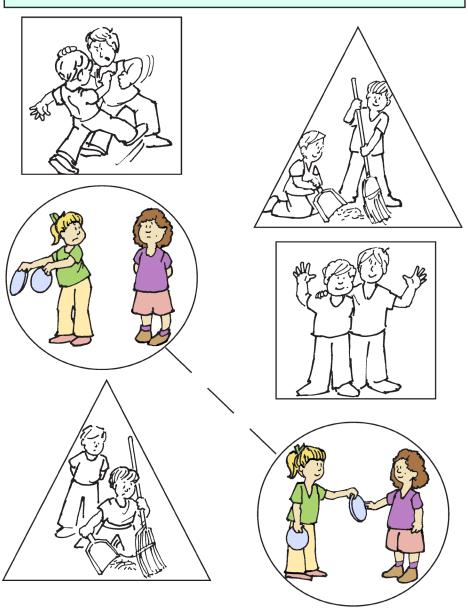
W & F, 2-8pm • Th & Sat, 10am-4pm



Prayers@PMUMC.org

Jesus said, "Your goodness must be greater than that of the teachers of the law so you may enter the kingdom of heaven."

Match the shapes.





Ages 3+

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Salt and Light

Jesus said, "You are the salt of the earth. ... You are the light of the world."

Count how many.



4 or 5



6 or 7



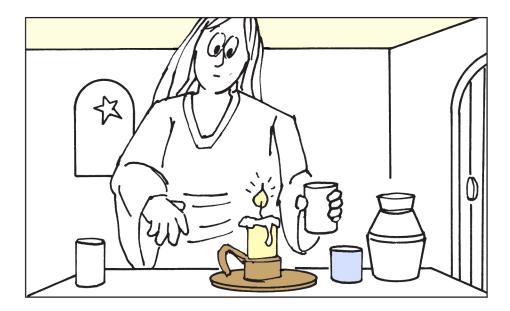
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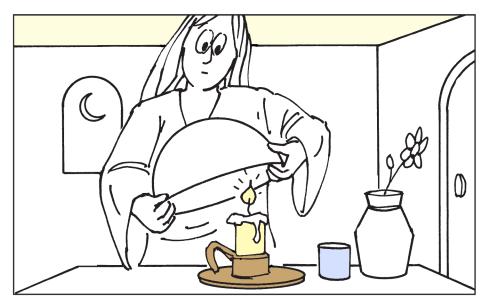


Jesus also said that people do not hide a lamp, but put it out to give light to everyone.

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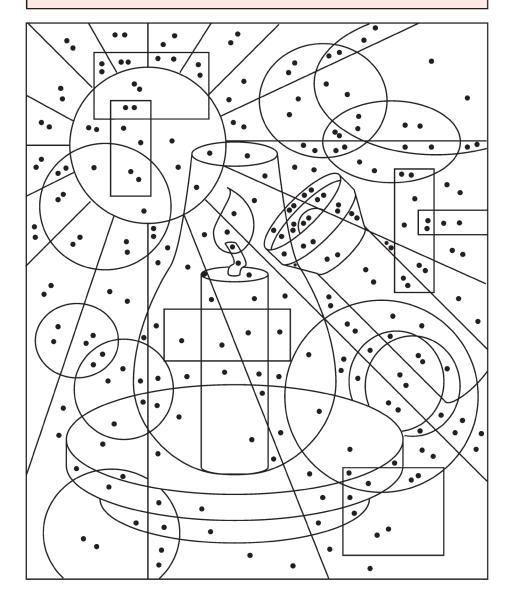
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"In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven."

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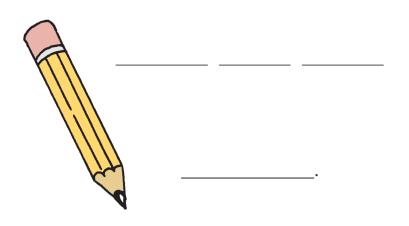




What did Jesus say we need in order to enter the kingdom of heaven?

Cross out the following letters: B C D J K L M Q V W X Y Z. Then, write the remaining letters in order on the lines below

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L	Υ	Т	M	Н	Α	Q	Υ	Т	Z	M	L
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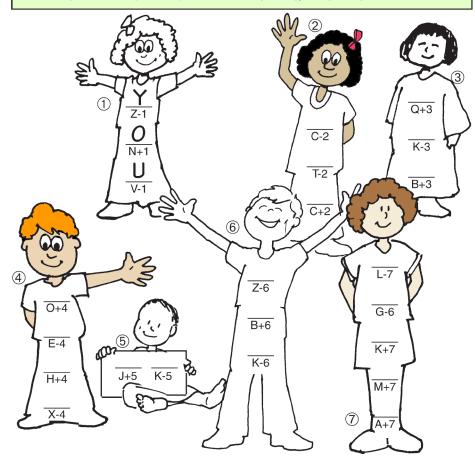
Ages 7+

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Fill in the letters on the lines below to find something Jesus said.

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z



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Jesus also said: "People don't light a lamp and then hide it. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house."

Connect the dots.



