

**SUNSET DRIVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

Morning Worship: 10:00 am May 7, 2017

***Entering into Our Worship Together***

PRELUDE Lets Be In An Attitude of Prayer

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: God gives vigor to the weary, new strength to the exhausted.  
**People: Young people may grow weary and faint, even the fittest stumble and fall.**  
Leader: But those who look to the Lord will win new strength,  
**People: They will soar as on eagle's wings.**  
Leader: They will run and not feel faint, march on and not grow weary.  
**All: The Lord is our strength, our shield, our guide. Praise the Lord!**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE "Jesus Shall Reign" Hymnal #157

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "A Modern Affirmation" Hymnal #885

**MORNING PRAYER**

**Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, we beseech you to engender in us during these holy days of Eastertide such spiritual understanding that we may remember the life and labor of our Lord. Help us to do so, not vainly as a thing long ago, but fruitfully for our own day. May your eternal Spirit reveal to all your children your glory, grace, and mercy through your Son Jesus who bore the cross for our sake and taught us to pray.....**

**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.**

ANTHEM "This Is My Story" Adult Choir

***Response and Offerings***

OFFERTORY

**\*OFFERTORY RESPONSE**

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION**

**CHILDREN'S TIME AT THE ALTAR**

(Children's Church is offered for children ages 4-11 years old)  
(Our nursery is available for children from birth to 3 years old)

**Proclamation of God's Word**

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 107:1-9, 43  
Pew Bible, pg 668

\*CENTERING HYMN

"The Gift of Love"

Hymnal #408

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

2 Corinthians 5:20b-6:2  
Pew Bible, pg 242

SERMON

"How Great Salvation!"

Pastor Murphy

CELEBRATING HOLY COMMUNION

pg. #11  
*(Served at the pew)*

**Our Response to God's Word**

**Sending Forth**

\*SENDING HYMN

"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus" TFWS Hymnal # 2129

\*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Our Acolytes lead us out as we go forth to serve.

## Prayer Concerns

*(Prayer requests must be received in the office at 540-896-3970 or office@sunsetdriveumc.com by Thursday at 10am to be included. Names stay on for **two weeks.**)*

### Our Church Family ...

Fred Olson

### Our Extended Family ...

Linda Cash and Family (Lisa Thacker)

Orville Collins (Lisa Thacker)

Carol Driver (Peggy Grandle)

Dorothy Gochenour (Peggy Grandle)

Sandy Good-Wetsel (Peggy Grandle)

Kandy Nagy (Peggy Grandle)

Gene Nesselrodt (Judy Rhodes)

Phyllis Wampler (Peggy Grandle)

### Prayer for Our Military Family.....

Will Freds: U.S Army (son in law of CW and Peggy Grandle)

Mark Hadley: U.S Navy (son of George and Janet Hadley)

David Lee: U.S Army (grandson of Jane Garrett)

Mark Long: U.S Navy (son of Dawn Long)

Chris Mullenax: U.S Army Special Forces

Tim Slutman, U.S Army (close friend of the Almquist family)



### Staff

Pastor: Tom Murphy

Secretary: Lisa Thacker

Custodian: Angie Coffman

Music Coordinator: Brenda Hoover

Youth Coordinator: Lacey Roberts



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**Over 128 years of serving God and the Community**



**Seeking to live our faith, growing in our discipleship, and reaching out to others."**

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**Transition Team Meeting** on Tonight at 6pm.

The **"Out to Lunch Bunch"** will be going to the Cracker Barrel restaurant in Harrisonburg on Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>. We will be leaving from the church parking lot at 11 am, if you wish to carpool. I will be making reservations a few days before, so please let me Kay Bowman know at 896-7665.

**Prayer Shawl Ministry** will meet on Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup>, from 1pm to 3pm. New members are welcome.

**Nomination Committee** will meet on Tuesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.

**UMM Community Breakfast** on Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, from 7:30am to 9am. Meal includes-Turner ham, bacon, pancakes, sausage gravy, scrambled eggs, hot and cold drinks. Donations to be used for United Methodist Men's projects. The breakfast is open to the Community, so spread the word. *This will be the last Community Breakfast until September 9<sup>th</sup>.*

**Church Clean-up:** We are planning on cleaning up the church lawn in pulling weeds, trimming trees and hedges and spreading mulch on Saturday, May 13<sup>th</sup> after the men's breakfast.

**June 2017 Newsletter Deadline:** Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>. Please have all information to church office.

**Sunset Drive Ladies** will meet on Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm.

**Administrative Council Meeting** on Monday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm.

**Stewardship Report –April 30, 2017**

Church School Last Sunday 38  
Worship Last Sunday 95

Worship Last Sunday	\$	3,325.00
Sunday School	\$	3.00
Faith Class	\$	17.00
Repair Reserve	\$	110.00
Sound System	\$	65.00
Back Pack Fund	\$	10.00

*Current financials are on the bulletin board for you to examine.*

# Mother's Day Bulletin

In Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

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Submitted by \_\_\_\_\_

Amount given \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Cost: \$1.00 for each name listed:** Funds *will go to The Flower Fund*

(Please put cash or check with the form in the "Mother's Day" envelopes located in the pews. Then place the envelope in the offering plate or turn into the church office)

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