

SUNSET DRIVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Morning Worship: 10:00 am July 9, 2017

Entering into Our Worship Together

CHIMES OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

PRELUDE "O, How I Love Jesus" Susan Holsinger and Jozelyn Kann

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Rejoice, people of God! Celebrate the life within you and Christ's presence in your midst!

People: Our eyes shall be opened! The present will have new meaning, and the future will be bright with hope.

Leader: Rejoice, people of God! Bow your heads before the One who is our wisdom and strength.

All: We place ourselves before our God, that we may be touched and cleansed by the power of God's spirit.

*HYMN OF PRAISE "Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation" Hymnal #559

JOYS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH A Modern Affirmation Hymnal #885

MORNING PRAYER

Eternal God: The heavens are rent by your word, and the mountains quake at your presence. You have done awesome and surprising deeds from ages past to the present moment. Yet, in your mercy, you come to meet those who do what is right and remember your ways. Grant your gracious presence to us in this time of worship. Mold us into faithful and grateful servants of your Word as we await the fullness of your reign in glory. This we ask in Jesus' name who 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.

SPECIAL MUSIC "My Country Tis' of Thee" Ainsley Flora

PSALTER READING

Psalm 100

Hymnal #821
(congregation sing Response 1)

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

Daniel 10:4-12,14b
Pew Bible, pg 969-970

*CENTERING HYMN

"Be Thou My Vision"

Hymnal #451

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30
pew Bible, pg 15-16

SERMON

"Living Into The Vision"

Katherine Malloy

Our Response to God's Word

Sending Forth

*SENDING HYMN

"Forth In Thy Name, O Lord"

Hymnal #438

*BENEDICTION

Let us go forth into the world as Spirit-filled and Spirit-freed people. By the intensity of Christ at work in us, let us be openers of shut doors, healers of blind eyes, breakers of enslaving chains. God's peace be upon us, and let us anticipate His guidance. Amen.

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 ...

Bill Glendye

Our Extended Family ...

Bill Gutschmidt (Bev Thompson)

Daniel Lambert (Bev Thompson)

Tyler Powers ((Bev Thompson)

Blake Vanker and family (Shelia Proctor)

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



We welcome home the Reverend Katherine Malloy who was Commissioned a Deacon at the Virginia Annual Conference session this past June. She is the daughter of Esther and Mike Malloy and sister to Alston and Patrick. We look forward to her message for us today.



The altar flowers are In Honor of *Garnett Turner's* 92nd Birthday. From his Children.

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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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