



# The DPUMC Spirit

Sunday, May 16, 2021

## Seventh Sunday of Easter / Ascension Sunday

	<b>8:30AM</b>	<b>11AM</b>
<b>GREETERS:</b>	Joy Grimm & John Moxley	Donna Upton, Randi Carlisle & Cindy Saylor
<b>LITURGISTS:</b>	Joy Grimm	Annie Miller
	<b>NEXT WEEK (MAY 23) PENTECOST SUNDAY</b>	
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### The Two Ways

*Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or take the path that sinners tread, or sit in the seat of scoffers; but their delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law they meditate day and night. They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season, and their leaves do not wither. In all that they do, they prosper. The wicked are not so, but are like chaff that the wind drives away. Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous; for the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish. (Psalm 1)*

**THANK YOU!** – Your continued financial support as we navigate these unprecedented and difficult times is very much appreciated.

**WORSHIP SERVICES** – Today begins our **8:30AM service in the pavilion** which will be on FACEBOOK live, and the **11AM service in the sanctuary**, which will be live streamed on YouTube. Both will be on our website later in the day. We are following the CDC guidelines for your safety. We will be taking attendance and temperatures at both services. Masks are optional at our outside service. Masks are available if you need one. Hand sanitizer is also available. Please observe social distancing. For the sanctuary service an usher will aid in seating to help maintain social distancing, if needed. There is an offering box available at both services for your offering.

### ..... THIS WEEK

**COUNCIL** – No meeting. Contact is Bill Newcomb.

**BIBLE STUDY** - Wednesdays @ 1PM. No need to sign up, just show up! Contact is Keenan Hudson.

### ..... NEXT WEEK

**PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 23** – Pentecost commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other believers, 50 days after Easter. As described in the Book of Acts, the Holy Spirit descended “like a strong wind” and “like wildfire” above the believers’ heads. You are invited to **wear red** next Sunday to symbolize the Holy Spirit coming upon us as flames of fire!

### ..... NEXT MONTH & BEYOND

**VBS VOLUNTEERS** - If anyone is interested in leading a prerecorded or live virtual story time, craft, science experiment, music time or more, please email Melissa (mlhrhoton@yahoo.com) & Jill (jjanocha@yahoo.com), dates of VBS are June 21-25. We have all the materials you will need, just follow the program. Donations are always welcome to help cover the VBS program & crafts.

### ..... ONGOING

**VIDEO CAMERA TRAINING** – We want to have as many people as possible trained. If you have an interest in helping with our online ministry, please let Pastor John know.

**WESTMINSTER COLD WEATHER SHELTER** - Collection boxes in the narthex for food items and socks & new underwear. THEY NEED EVERYTHING! Contacts are Ginny Weaver & Janet Wallett.

**UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONALS** – Available in the narthex. If you need one contact Cindy Saylor. Additional Upper Room resources are available on the website <https://www.upperroom.org/covid-19>.

**2021 CHURCH CALENDARS** – Extra calendars can be purchased (\$5). Want one, see Cindy Saylor.

**AMERICAN FLAGS** - If you have a torn or worn American Flag that you would like discarded, please give to Cindy Saylor in the church office. Carroll Hospice is collecting them for a program called "Stars for our Troops". Questions contact Gary Saylor (443-465-1023). For more information about this program, you can go to [www.starsfourtroops.org](http://www.starsfourtroops.org).

**ONE CALL NOW** - We use this system to inform our members of those who are requesting prayers and send church information including updates to services and building closures. If you are not receiving phone calls and/or emails and would like to be added to the list, please contact Cindy Saylor (410-375-5955).

**CHURCH PROJECTS** - We've done a lot and have more to do. *Would you like to make a donation towards a special project?* Just designate your donation with a note. Funds needed for the **Media** system, **Social hall AC**, the **Playground**, replacement of the back **Stairs**, and the upcoming **Driveway repair**. Thanks for your support.

**BRING YOUR CAN TO CHURCH** - Or box or plastic jar--of food! Let's keep the grocery cart full with our donations for Carroll County Food Sunday by bringing at least one non-perishable item every Sunday. Donors are encouraged to give the kind of nutritious food they would serve their own families. The CCFS Wish List includes: Peanut Butter; Jelly; Hot or Cold Cereal; Canned Soup (non-tomato preferred); Beans (red & black); Pancake Mix; Pancake Syrup. Thanks to all for reaching out to our neighbors in need.

**FEED MY SHEEP** - FMS has converted to carryout meals only. Gary Saylor has taken on the leadership role. If you want to help, contact Gary on 443-465-1023. Financial donations continue to help provide food and supplies. Please mark your donation to FMS.

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**Please submit bulletin announcements by Thursday, 11:00AM to the Office**  
**Prayer Chain: Shirley Miller (Coordinator) 410-861-8292**  
**Chain I Kate Gorsuch 410-876-2745 / Chain II Brenda Six 410-756-2507**  
**Flag raising & lowering: Gary Saylor**



**First Outdoor service, Sunday, May 16, 2021**





**Pastor John is back!**  
**He delivered the**  
**Children's Message**  
**with special effects.**

Mitch Camp  
provided the anthem,  
"There Is a Redeemer"

