



The DPUMC Spirit

Sunday, May 23, 2021

Pentecost Sunday

8:30AM

11AM

GREETERS: Joy & George Grimm,
John Moxley & Cindy Davis
LITURGISTS: John Moxley

Donna Upton, Randi Carlisle
& Cindy Saylor
Annie Miller

NEXT WEEK (MAY 30) TRINITY SUNDAY

GREETERS: Joy & George Grimm,
John Moxley & Cindy Davis
LITURGISTS: Terry Caudill

Donna Upton, Randi Carlisle
& Cindy Saylor
Joy Grimm

God the Creator and Provider

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. Yonder is the sea, great and wide, creeping things innumerable are there, living things both small and great. There go the ships, and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it. These all look to you to give them their food in due season; when you give to them, they gather it up; when you open your hand, they are filled with good things. When you hide your face, they are dismayed; when you take away their breath, they die and return to their dust. When you send forth your spirit, they are created; and you renew the face of the ground. May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works—who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke. I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being. May my meditation be pleasing to him, for I rejoice in the Lord. Bless the Lord, O my soul. Praise the Lord!

(Psalm 104:24-34, 35b)

THANK YOU! - Thank you all for the cards and prayers that I received while I was out recuperating from my surgery. Your comforting words of Get Well wishes and encouragement meant a lot. Pastor John

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

PENTECOST SUNDAY – Today! 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. We **wear red** to symbolize the Holy Spirit coming upon us as flames of fire!

ATTENTION! - Do we have anyone graduating from High School or College this year? If you know of someone, please let Cindy Saylor know so she can give you a form to fill out.

WORSHIP SERVICES – Our **8:30AM services are being held in the pavilion** and are on FACEBOOK live, **and our 11AM services are held in the sanctuary**, and are 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 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

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

.....NEXT WEEK

MEN'S BREAKFAST - After a year of waiting and anticipation, we are resuming our monthly Men's Breakfast at Bob Evans restaurant. Our first meeting this year will be June 3, at 7:30am. Come and enjoy some Bible, prayer time and some good conversation as we start the day together. Please bring a Bible or your electronic device. Pastor John

.....**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.starsforourtroops.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.

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



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.

We've slowed down a bit lately, so let's pick up the pace—the need for food is still there.

