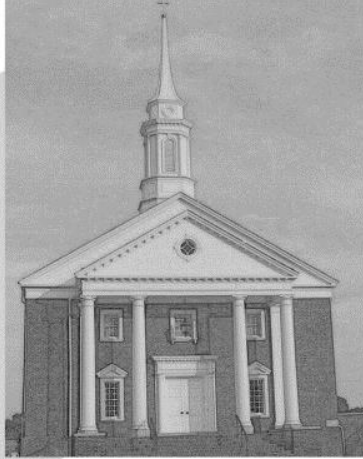


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**Welcome!** “We proclaim God’s unconditional love for all, which compels us to love one another as Christ loves and to provide opportunities to grow through nurture and service”.

**Pastor: Rev. Victor Harner**

# Traditional Service

November 26, 2017

8:15 and 11:00

## SHARING OF OUR MINISTRIES

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| <b>ORGAN PRELUDE</b>                | “Meditation Religieuse”            | <b>Macklin</b> |
| <b>*GATHERING SONG (8:15)</b>       | “ <i>Blessed Assurance</i> ” vs. 1 | <b>Pg. 369</b> |
| <b>*CHORAL INTROIT (11:00)</b>      | “Psalm 107”                        | <b>Proulx</b>  |
| <b>*OPENING HYMN AND PROCESSION</b> | “ <i>The Gift of Love</i> ”        | <b>Pg. 408</b> |

## \*CALL TO CELEBRATION

**Leader:** Come, let us worship Christ our Almighty King!

**People:** **The Lord our Savior will reign forever and ever.**

**Leader:** No power now on earth nor in the age to come is greater than Christ.

**People:** **We are secure in the hands of the Lord for eternity.**

**Leader:** Then let us celebrate and praise God for the wonder of salvation.

**All:** **Blessed be the name of the Lord!**

## GREETING AND SHARING OF CHRISTIAN LOVE

Please sign the Fellowship Book located in the pew.

## PRAYER OF INVOCATION

**All:** **O God, You are the Almighty Creator of all the Universe. All the powers of all the armies in the world are as dust under Your feet. We lift our voices in praise before You, Lord. In Christ we pray. Amen.**

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| <b>SOLO (8:15)</b> | “Bless This House”<br>Norm Smith, Baritone | <b>Taylor and Brahe</b> |
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| <b>ANTHEM (11:00)</b> | “Now Thank We All Our God”<br>Prayer cards are available in the pews. Please fill out and pass to center aisle for ushers to pick up. | <b>J. S. Bach</b> |
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## SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS

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| <b>PASTORAL PRAYER AND OUR LORD’S PRAYER</b> | <b>Pg. 895</b> |
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## OFFERTORY PRAYER

**All:** Glorious God, You are the Lord of resurrection power! You raised Your Son Jesus from death to live and rule at the right hand of Your heavenly throne. We rejoice that You uphold the universe, and yet You treasure every person's life. Send Your Spirit to shine Your light so we will recognize Your great hope for the world. Empower our church to work together to help make Your reign visible in people's lives. Accept our gifts and offerings for the church of Jesus Christ, our Savior. We pray in his name. Amen.

## THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS OF LOVE

**ORGAN OFFERTORY (8:15)** "Remembrance" **Chesterton**

**OFFERTORY SOLO (11:00)** "Bless This House" **Taylor and Brahe**  
Norm Smith, Baritone

**\*DOXOLOGY** "*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*" **Pg. 95**

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION** "*Thine Be the Glory*" **Pg. 308**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON** Matthew 25: 31-46 **NT. Pg. 29**

## CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:

**Leader:** The Word of God for the People of God.

**People:** Thanks be to God! Amen!

## MOMENT OF SILENT REFLECTION

**THE WORD PROCLAIMED** "The Least of These" **Pastor Victor Harner**

**\*HYMN OF PARTING** "*Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*" **Pg. 348**  
Taking the Light and the Word into the World

## \*BENEDICTION

**\*BENEDICTIONAL RESPONSE (8:15)** "*My Hope Is Built*" **Pg. 368**

**\*CHORAL BENEDICTION (11:00)** "Choral Amen" **Wiltse**

**\*POSTLUDE** "We Will Give Thanks" **Ashford**

**\*PLEASE STAND IF ABLE IN HEART OR ATTITUDE**

# CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

November 26, 2017

9:30

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Kim Harner

GATHERING SONG

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Please sign the **Fellowship Book** located in the pews.

PRAISE SONGS

WHAT'S HAPPENIN' IN OUR LIVES

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SHARING FROM THE WORD

"The Least of These"

Pastor Vic

\*COMMITMENT SONGS

\*SENDING FORTH

## MESSAGE FOR NEXT SUNDAY

“The Day is Coming”

Jeremiah 33: 14-16, 1 Thessalonians 3: 9-13

## OUR PRAYER LIST

Danny Benner, Perry Beebe, Phyllis Davies,  
Lorraine Fisher, Charlotte Grimm, Elsie Mason and all of our Shut-ins.

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

|                             |       |                                    |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|
| <b>Greeters</b>             | 9:30  | James and Kristen Westdorp         |
| <b>Ushers</b>               | 8:15  | Everett Simkins                    |
|                             | 11:00 | Rob, Heather, Jordan and Gabe Zell |
| <b>Acolyte</b>              | 11:00 | Ella Widomski                      |
| <b>Reader</b>               | 8:15  | Tony Schramm                       |
|                             | 9:30  | Dan Walker                         |
|                             | 11:00 | Kim Harner                         |
| <b>Cribbery</b>             | 9:30  | Amy Harryman and Leah              |
| <b>Altar Guild</b>          |       | Bonnie Lingelbach and Kay Pokrzywa |
| <b>Sunday School Office</b> |       | Kim Harner                         |

## CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

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| <b>Sunday</b>    | Coffee Hour 9:15, 10:30, 12:00<br>Adult and Children’s Sunday School 9:30                            |
| <b>Monday</b>    | Advent Bible Study 7:00  |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Advent Bible study 12:00<br><b>Ad Board meeting 7:00</b>   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Brownies 6:00; Brownies 6:15<br>Adult Choir 7:30   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Brownies 5:45; Hand Bells 6:00<br>Praise Band 7:15; Seekers Bible study 7:00<br>Community Choir 7:30 |
| <b>Friday</b>    | KC Dance and Fitness 5:30  |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | <b>Private Party in Fellowship Hall 9:00-3:00</b><br>Thrift Shop 10:00                               |



**Advent Readers needed** – If you are interested in being an Advent Reader please call Kim Cole at 443-255-5420.

**Food Pantry-** The totals of Christmas Baskets donations as of Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> are as follows: Yams – 28, Green Beans - 62, Gravy - 37, Cake Mix - 51, Frosting - 37, Stuffing - 68, Corn Bread Mix - 40, Cranberry Sauce - 41, Mashed potatoes - 38. We have received \$1,165.00 in Giant gift cards towards the Turkeys.

**Great News!** An anonymous donor has given us \$1000.00 in Giant gift cards toward our Christmas Turkeys!! We are being challenged to match that amount. PHUMC, we can do this! Pick up a Christmas Turkey (Holiday Basket) envelope located in the Narthex, buy your gift card, and put it in the offering plate.



**Christmas Cards**  
**Postal service comes to PHUMC** – Why not share your Christmas blessings with your church family by using the PHUMC Post Office? On the second floor, just outside the Sunday School office, you will find boxes with the letters of the alphabet on them. The first thing you do is to put the names of the people on the cards and drop them in the corresponding boxes (by the first letter of the last name). Then check the boxes each week with the first letter of your last name and pick up the cards that have your name on it. The **PHUMC Post Office** is open from **Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>** through **Jan. 7<sup>th</sup>**, after that date, any cards left over will be tossed or recycled. Please make sure you send cards to people through the PHUMC Post Office that actively come to church.



**Attention all bakers!** We would like to give fresh baked Christmas cookies along with the Christmas baskets this year. If you would like to contribute, please bag the cookies in quantities of 12, label the bag “Christmas baskets” and place it in the freezer along the outside wall of the kitchen. Cookies can be made from scratch, slice and bake, or scoop and bake – anything you have cooked in the oven. Cookies should be donated by the morning of December 16<sup>th</sup>. If you have any questions, please contact Christy Moore at 410-248-0841.

**Worship Assistant, Cribbery and Sunday School Office Schedules** - Those who plan and schedule the various worship assistants -- please get your 2018 schedules to the church office by **Monday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>**. The schedules are especially needed for the January Bulletin which will be finished before the church office closes for the Christmas holiday. If you have any questions, or need help with the schedules, please call the church office. Thank you.



**Food Pantry Donations** – The Christmas holiday season is upon us. As in previous years we are collecting toys, games, hats and mittens to be given out in conjunction with the Christmas Baskets. Your gift could enable a parent to put a gift under the Christmas tree. We all have experienced the joy of opening a gift on Christmas morning. Help us to create this joy in 100 needy families. Your donations will be greatly appreciated. Please have these to church by December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Let's help make Christmas brighter for those in need.

# Christmas Baskets

Throughout the month of November, we are collecting items for our Christmas Baskets, which will be distributed on Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup>. The Schedule for food donations is.



- November 5<sup>th</sup>** - Yams or sweet potatoes
- November 12<sup>th</sup>** - Cake mix (any flavor), Frosting (canned or mix)
- November 19<sup>th</sup>** - Stuffing and Turkey Gravy (canned or packets)
- November 26<sup>th</sup>** - Biscuit or Corn Bread mix, canned green beans
- December 3<sup>rd</sup>** - Boxed or bagged mashed potato mix and cranberry sauce.

All food items need to be at church by Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. There will be a grocery cart inside the back door from the parking lot and a tub in the narthex for your donations.

To help cover the cost of Turkeys we are collecting gift cards from Giant Food. Please place your gift cards in an envelope marked "Christmas Holiday Baskets" with your name and envelope number and leave in the offering plate or use the "Checks" slot in the mailbox area next to the church office.

Christmas Baskets will be packed Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall. We will distribute baskets on Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM. If you can help at all during this time, please complete this sign-up sheet and place in the offering plate. Any questions, please contact Margaret Hubbard at 410-931-8344 or Peggy Whiting at 410-529-8640. Thank you.

Christmas Basket Schedule: Pack for distribution, Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30  
Distribute Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

I can help pack bags on Thursday, December 14<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

I can help distribute bags Saturday, December 16<sup>th</sup> \_\_\_\_\_

# **MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS**

**Rev. Victor Harner**, (home) 410-256-1028  
**Denise Boyd**, Praise Band and Handbell Choir  
**Mary Schramm**, Administrative Assistant  
**Rachael Desfosses**, SS Superintendent  
**Donald E. Appel**, Director of Music  
**Peggy Whiting**, Senior Lay Leader  
**Kim Harner**, 9:30 Lay Leader  
**Al Simkins**, 8:15 Lay Leader

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