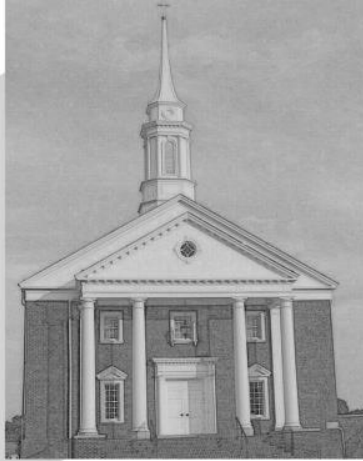


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**A Congregation of  
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Church**

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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

July 8, 2018

10:00

## SHARING OF OUR MINISTRIES

**ORGAN PRELUDE** Prelude on “The Lord’s My Shepherd” **James Denton**

**\*GATHERING SONG** “*Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*” vs. 1 **Pg. 89**

**\*OPENING HYMN AND PROCESSION** “*O God, Our Help in Ages Past*” **Pg. 117**

## **\*CALL TO CELEBRATION**

**Leader:** Praise the Lord.

**People:** **Let all who draw breath praise the Lord.**

**Leader:** Happy are those whose help is from God - the One who made heaven and earth, the One who created the seas and all that is in them.

**People:** **Happy are those whose hope is in God - the One who keeps faith forever, the One who feeds the hungry and defends the oppressed.**

**All:** **God will reign forever, for all generations. Praise the Lord!**

## **GREETING AND SHARING OF CHRISTIAN LOVE**

Please sign the Fellowship Book located in the pew.

## **PRAYER OF INVOCATION**

**All:** **Holy Jesus, You call us into a life that others have told us is easy, but it is not. You challenge us to forgive, to love our enemies, to bless those who curse us. We want the easy way, but You have given us the hard path. Grant us the patience and endurance to journey with You, to allow ourselves at times to stumble, to live into the hard way so that we might fully experience Your love, grace and peace in this world, by becoming a people full of love and grace and forgiving others. In Your name we pray. Amen.**

**SOLO** “Give Me Love” (Give Me Peace on Earth) **G. Harrison**

Don Appel, Baritone and Sam Schott, Guitar

Prayer cards are available in the pews. Please fill out and pass to center aisle for ushers to pick up.

## **SHARING OUR JOYS AND CONCERNS**

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**All:** Holy God of new beginnings, through your son, you have sent us forth in the world to witness and to share the message of repentance. Too often, the church has looked more like a club for the affirmation of members instead of a distribution hub for your transforming power. As we bring our gifts, may they be deployed for your purposes; and may we also be deployed for your purposes. We pray this in the name of our Shepherd to whom you have given care of many sheep. Amen.

**THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS OF LOVE**

**OFFERTORY SOLO**

“Peace Is Flowing Like A River”

**Carey Landry**

Soloist: Jenna Anderson, Soprano

**\*DOXOLOGY**

“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

**Pg. 95**

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION**

“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

**Pg. 381**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

John 15: 12-17

**NT. Pg. 109**

**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**

“What A Friend We Have in Jesus”

**Debbie Siegert**

**\*HYMN OF PARTING**

“Blessed Assurance”

**Pg. 369**

Taking the Light and the Word into the World

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*BENEDICTIONAL RESPONSE**

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds” vs. 1

**Pg. 557**

**\*POSTLUDE**

“Glorious Majesty”

**Lani Smith**

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

## MESSAGE FOR NEXT SUNDAY

“Reconnecting To Sabbath”

Exodus 23: 10-13

Exodus 31: 12-18

## OUR PRAYER LIST

Danny Benner, Perry Beebe, Charlotte Grimm, Joan Martin,  
Denise Siegert, Liz Smith, and all of our shut-ins.

## WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

<b>Greeters</b>	Helen Geppi and Carol Franz
<b>Ushers</b>	Everett Simkins, or Rob, Heather, Jordan and Gabriel Zell
<b>Acolyte</b>	TBD
<b>Reader</b>	Kay Pokrzywa
<b>Cribbery</b>	Willow and Ryan Schneider
<b>Altar Guild</b>	Bettye Gramlich and Lois Welsh

## CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	Pot Luck Luncheon 11:00 – 12:30 Softball Emmorton Rec. - Field 2, 4:00
<b>Saturday</b>	Thrift Shop 10:00 Folk Music Night 7:00-10:00



**Monthly Folk Music Night** - The July Folk Music Night will be held Saturday, **July 14th**, from 7:00 to 10:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Come hear live music and enjoy light refreshments. The featured performer this month will be **Doug Alan Wilcox**. The remainder of the evening will be an "open mike night". Admission is free, but donations are welcome. If you wish, you may bring a dessert or snack to share. Questions should be directed to Neil Zimmerman at 410-529-7176.

**Pastor Vic** will be on vacation July 5th until July 15th. If you're in need of pastoral care services Rev. David Coakley from Union Chapel will be on call. The church office, SPRC chair Debbie Siegert or Peggy Whiting will have the information to contact him.

**Hold the Date: Fall Bible Study** - Starting on Monday, September 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 pm or Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 (noon). Come and join us in the adventure. Signup sheets available late summer. 1-2 Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians - (Genesis to Revelation Series) By: Edward P. Blair.

**What's cooking at PHUMC? We are looking to print our own cookbook.**

We are looking for **recipes** for:

- Appetizers
- Desserts
- Soups
- Side dishes
- Family Favorites
- Vegan Dishes
- Main Dishes



Please include the name and any tips that you would find helpful when preparing the dish. Please include your name. Please put the recipes in the box in the back of the church.

Deadline is July 31, 2018. You can also email them to Jen Malatesta @ [jenmiketaylor@yahoo.com](mailto:jenmiketaylor@yahoo.com)

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**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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