# **Perry Hall United Methodist Church**

July 16, 2023

(\*\*Stand as you are able)

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS** 

ORGAN PRELUDE "My Soul Waits In Silence" James Southbridge

CHORAL INTROIT "Psalm 104" Bennett

\*\*OPENING HYMN "O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" pg. 430 UMH

\*\* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: May those who love your salvation say continually, "Great is the Lord!"

P: Yes, our heart is glad in God, because we trust in God's holy name.

L: Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!

P: We praise you, O God; we acknowledge you to be the Lord.

#### **OPENING PRAYER**

O God, our Guide and Guardian, you have led us apart from the busy world into the quiet of your house. Grant us grace to worship you in Spirit and in truth, to the comfort of our souls and the upbuilding of every good purpose and holy desire. Enable us to do more perfectly the work to which you have called us, that we may not fear the coming of the night when we shall resign into your hands the tasks which you have committed to us. So may we worship you not with our lips at this hour, but in word and deed all the days of our lives; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

CHILDREN'S STORY

\*\*PRAISE SONGS "Be Bold! Be Strong!"

"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High"
"I Really Want to Worship You My Lord"

"The Heart of Worship"

**CELEBRATION OF OUR SHARED MINISTRY** 

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC "God Really Loves Us" Bowe, Crowder, Glover & Socks

Rob Zell, Tenor

\*\*SCRIPTURE Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 The Gospel

(Please stand for the reading of the Gospel)

THE MESSAGE "Community Garden" Rev. Margery Schammel

\*\*CLOSING HYMN "The Servant Song" pg. 2222 TFWS

\*\*BENEDICTION

**SENDING FORTH** "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

ORGAN POSTLUDE Fantasia on "Austrian Hymn" David Paxton

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**Children's Story** – Carole Webner **Acolyte** – Catherine Reinhart

Altar Guild – Christy Moore and Pat Walter

#### **MESSAGE FOR NEXT SUNDAY**

"Community Garden" - Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23

#### **OUR PRAYER LIST**

Esther Willman, Danny Benner, Dewayne Rye, Julie Rye, Steve Woolford, Helen Geppi, Dean Martin, Pat Doyle, Lorraine Fisher, Betty Ireland, and our Shut-Ins.

#### **CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK**

Sunday Monday

**Tuesday** Scouts 6:00-7:00 pm

Scouts 7:00-8:00 pm

Wednesday

Thursday United Methodist Men 7:00 pm

Scouts 6:15-7:30- pm

Friday Kitchen Cleaning 9:00 am-2:00 pm Saturday Kitchen Cleaning 9:00 am-2:00 pm

Thrift Shop 9:00 am-12 pm

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**United Methodist Men** will be meeting on Thursday, July 20<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm. Our guest speaker will be Pastor Margery Schammel. We invite all the men to come and join us.

**Please lend a hand** at one (or both) of our **KITCHEN CLEANING DAYS!** We will be working on Friday, July 21<sup>st</sup> and Saturday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> to tackle the kitchen and

storeroom. Both days are scheduled for 9 am-2 pm. Lunch will be provided both days. Please contact Denise at 443-787-8687 if you are available! (Looking for both **men and women** to help!)

A Community Wide Food Drive is being held on Saturday, July 29<sup>th</sup> in front of the church. Our food pantry has gotten many, many new families and the need is great! Please be generous and give what you can. Flyers are available in the narthex. We need to get the word out, so take one and hang it at someplace you frequent! All help is appreciated!!

A Pot Luck Luncheon is scheduled for Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup>, immediately after church service. A sign up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the Narthex. Please sign up and let us know what you will be bringing. Make your selection by checking to see what is needed. (We don't want all desserts or sides!) Drinks will be provided.

The Perry Hall Chorale is cancelling all rehearsals until August 19<sup>th</sup> due to surgery and other issues with some members. The children's group, (Kid's Khorale) will resume rehearsals on Sunday, August 19<sup>th</sup>. More information will be available at a later date.

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