

# Perry Hall United Methodist Church

October 29, 2023

(\*\*Stand as you are able)

## WELCOME – RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ *Please sign the Ritual of Friendship and pass down the row. When everyone has signed, please pass it back to the center, noting those on your row that you may not know. Be sure to greet them after the service!* ~

**ORGAN PRELUDE** “Aria Semplice” J.S. Bach

**CHORAL INTROIT** “Psalm 100” Messier

**\*\*OPENING HYMN** “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” pg. 384 UMH

## \*\* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Make me to know your ways, O Lord;

**P: teach me your paths.**

L: Lead me in your truth and teach me,

**P: for you are the God of my salvation; for you I wait all day long.**

## OPENING PRAYER

Give us, O Lord, steadfast hearts, which no unworthy thought can drag downward, unconquered hearts, which no tribulation can wear out, upright hearts, which no unworthy purpose may tempt aside. Bestow upon us also, O Lord our God, understanding to know you, diligence to seek you, wisdom to find you, and a faithfulness that may finally embrace you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**SPECIAL MUSIC** “O Master, Let Me Walk With Thee” arr. Gerig & Gladden  
TRIO- Soprano-Heather Mager, Alto-Kathy Wright, Tenor/Guitar-Drew Wright

## CHILDREN’S STORY

**\*\*PRAISE SONGS** “Come, Come, Everybody Worship”  
“Great and Mighty Is the Lord”  
“How Majestic Is Your Name”  
“Enter In”

## CELEBRATION OF OUR SHARED MINISTRY

## SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

## PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

**\*\*SCRIPTURE** Matthew 22:34-46 (pg.25 NT) The Gospel

**\*\*Please stand for the reading of the Gospel**

**THE MESSAGE** “The Lord Commands – Love” **Rev. Margery Schammel**

**\*\*CLOSING HYMN** “O Jesus, I Have Promised” pg.396 UMH

## \*\*BENEDICTION

**SENDING FORTH** “I’m Gonna Live So God Can Use Me”

**ORGAN POSTLUDE** “Toccata in D minor” J.S. Bach



**Children’s Story** – Denise Boyd

**Acolyte** – Leona Mager

**Altar Guild** – Christy Moore and Pat Walter

## MESSAGE FOR NEXT SUNDAY

“A Blessed Multitude” – Revelation 7:9-17

## OUR PRAYER LIST

Cindy Hooten, Kitty Doster, Danny Benner, Dewayne Rye, Julie Rye, those suffering with vertigo, cancer, debilitating illnesses, addictions, those in war-torn countries, and those needing ongoing prayer.

## CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

**Sunday** Coffee Hour  
**Monday** Bible Study 7 pm  
**Tuesday** Bible Study 12 noon  
Scouts 6-7  
**Wednesday** Choir and Band Rehearsal 7 pm-Sanctuary  
**Thursday** WISH Group 10:30 am  
United Women in Faith 7 pm  
**Friday**  
**Saturday** Thrift Shop 9:00 am-12 pm

**Next Sunday, November 5<sup>th</sup> will be All Saints Day.** We hope to remember all those that have gone before us in the past year. Be sure to contact the office by **Tuesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**, with the name of your loved ones so they can be included in our list! Call 410-256-647 or email to [perryhallumc@verizon.net](mailto:perryhallumc@verizon.net).

**Are you enjoying coffee hour on Sunday mornings?** Why not sign up for a Sunday to set up and clean up? It’s easy! If everyone joins in and helps, we will be able to continue each Sunday! There is a signup sheet in the Fellowship Hall on the bulletin board. Stop by today and sign up for a date!

**On Sunday afternoon, November 19<sup>th</sup>** at 2 pm, Mark Kraus will present a lecture on the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the assassination of President John F. Kennedy. Mr. Kraus has done 50 years of research on the subject and will offer an educated opinion of what happened on November 22, 1963. The lecture is free and open to all.

Join us in the Sanctuary on **Sunday, November 26<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm** as **Don Appel presents an Organ Recital**. Everyone is invited to enjoy an afternoon of wonderful music. The recital is open to all and free of charge. There will be a love offering taken to support our church.

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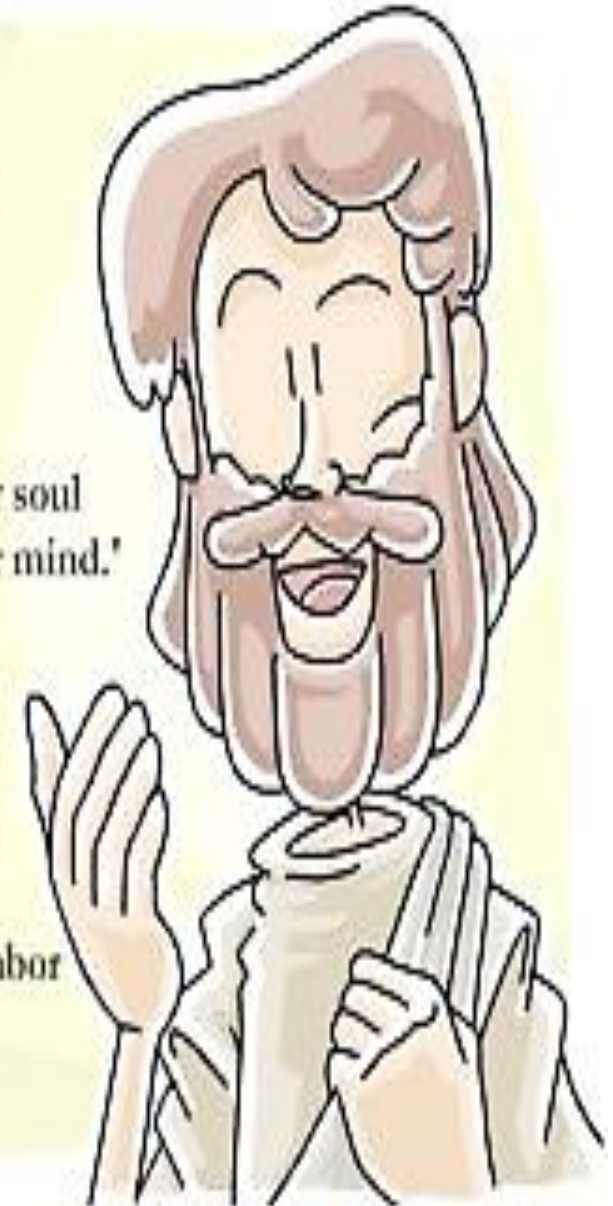
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Jesus replied: "  
'Love the Lord  
your God with  
all your heart  
and with all your soul  
and with all your mind.'  
This is the first  
and greatest  
commandment.  
And the second  
is like it:  
'Love your neighbor  
as yourself.'"



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