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# The Service of Worship

## Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

July 23, 2023

11:00 a.m.

### Prelude

### Lighting of the Altar Candles

### Ringing of the Church Bells

### Words of Welcome and Announcements and Signing of Registration Pads

### Reception of New Member

Laura Fulton

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### \*Call to Worship

**Leader** Come and worship, all you who love and serve the Lord --

**People** **outsiders and insiders, old-timers and new-comers, the young, old and the in-between.**

**Leader** Come as you are, for this is God's house – a house of prayer for all people,

**People** **and God welcomes each one who comes.**

### \*Hymn

[O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing](#)

#57

### Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Jesus, with open arms You welcome all who call on Your name – who acknowledge You as Lord, and look to You in faith. No one stands outside the circle of Your mercy and love. And so we come to offer You our worship – to declare that You are our God, and that we are Your people, called and chosen by You from the very beginning. Through the presence of Your Holy Spirit open our eyes to see You here; open our minds to receive Your truth, and our mouths to speak and sing Your praise. For You alone are God – worthy of all praise and worship, now and to the end of time. Amen.

### Special Music

Donna Haehl & Dottie Ripple

### Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Kenneth McDonald

### The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

### Special Music

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### Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

**Offertory Prayer** (unison)

God of Salvation, as we give our offerings, remind us again of the fruit you desire – justice and righteousness are the ones your prophet Isaiah suggest. Forgive us for the times when our offerings have fallen short and when the only fruit you’ve received is our own self-centeredness. Help us bear the fruit that brings you joy. In the name of your son, our teacher and savior, we pray. Amen

**Special Music** Kathi Hiett

**\*Doxology** #95

**\*Hymn** [Blessed Assurance](#) #369

**Scripture** [Isaiah 56: 1](#)

**Special Music** Kathi Hiett

**Message** Grace to All Chaplain Doralyn Osei

**\*Hymn** [Grace Greater than Our Sin](#) #365

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

**Schedule of Our Opportunities**

**Today** 9:00a.m. Heart of Worship in the Social Hall  
11:00a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary  
Service broadcast on [wfbr1590.weebly.com/](http://wfbr1590.weebly.com/) or 1590 AM/Facebook Live Stream

**\*\*\*Please keep the Shaw family in your prayers. Irene Shaw passed away on July 17th. The family will be receiving visitors at Gonc Funeral Home (4001 Ritchie Highway) on July 26<sup>th</sup> from 3-5p.m. and 7-9p.m. The funeral will take place on Thursday at 11a.m. followed by interment in Meadowridge Memorial Park.**

**\*\*\*Please also keep the Herndon family in your prayers. We were notified that Reverend Olin Herndon passed away this past week. Reverend Herndon was our Pastor here at GBUMC from 1988-2000. We do not have funeral arrangement information at this time.**

WELCOME GUESTS! To all who seek a warm and spirit filled place to worship;  
To all who seek a church home; to all who struggle and desire victory;  
To all who mourn and need comfort; to all who are tired and need rest;  
To all who are friendless and want friendship;  
To all who are joyful and want to celebrate;  
To all who are grateful and want to give thanks; to all who sin and need a Savior;  
And to whosoever will our Pastor and the members open wide the doors of  
Glen Burnie UMC, and in the name of Jesus the Lord, says – WELCOME!

\*Sign-up to receive our weekly church eNews at [www.gbumcenews.org](http://www.gbumcenews.org)

\*\*Reserve your free tickets for our benefit concert on August 18th to raise funds for Rise Against Hunger (9/16/23) and CROP Hunger Walk (9/24/23). Visit the web at [www.GBUMChurchRSVP.org](http://www.GBUMChurchRSVP.org) to reserve your free ticket as seating is limited.

\*\*\*Sign-up to volunteer to help make 10,000 meals for Rise Against Hunger on Sept 16th. Register at [www.gbumcRAH.org](http://www.gbumcRAH.org)