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The Service of Worship Eleventh Sunday After Pentecost

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August 4, 2024 11:00 a.m.

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Ringing of the Church Bells

Choral Introit Walkin, Talkin With My Jesus Trinity Pickers

Words of Welcome and Announcements and Signing of Registration Pads

*Call to Worship

Leader O come, let us sing to the Lord.

People Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

Leader O come, let us worship and bow down.

People Let us kneel before the Lord, our maker,

Leader for he is our God

People and we are the people of his pasture and the sheep of his hand.

*Hymn Standing on the Promises #374

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

O God, along life's pathways, we search continually for signs to point us in positive directions. Christ has given us a sign which points us to healing and hope: that is the sign of the Bread of Life. Nourish us, fill us, enliven us, so that we can feed each other and seek the good of each and all, both near and far. No more shall we hunger and thirst after the tings which cannot sustain us. Now we have been fed and nourished by Christ. Open our hearts in gratitude, Lord, for all the wondrous things you have done for us. This we pray through the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

Special Music Sing Me There Trinity Pickers

Pastoral Prayer Mark Harris

Special Music His Name is Jesus Trinity Pickers

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer (unison)

O God, we humbly admit that we search so often for bread that perishes, rather than the bread of eternal life. We foolishly think that happiness and fulfillment can be attained from our own hands, rather than from your hands. We offer these gifts with the promise that you have

already given us the bread of heaven. You are the Bread of Life. We come seeking to never be hungry or thirsty again. Amen.

*Doxology #95

*Hymn Let Us Break Bread Together #618

Scripture Philippians 4: 4-7, 12-14

Special Music Kathi Hiett

Message Are You Pursuing Happiness? Mark Harris

The Great Thanksgiving #9

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.

Giving of the Bread and the Cup

*Hymn	Take Time to Be Holy	#395
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^{*}Benediction

Schedule of Our Opportunities

Today 9:00 a.m. Heart of Worship in the Social Hall

11:00a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary

Service broadcast on wfbr1590.weebly.com/ or 1590

AM/Facebook Live Stream

Looking Ahead

Aug 9 th	7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.	Missions Concert – Social Hall
Aug 24 th	7:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Rise Against Hunger – Social Hall
Sep 3 rd	10:00 a.m.	Ruth and Rebekah Circle – Teresa Foster's Home
Sep 3 rd	7:00 p.m.	Deborah Circle – Social Hall
Sep 4 th	10:00 a.m.	Quilter's – Ward Room
Sep 8 th	10:00 a.m.	Sunday School Begins
Sep 10 th	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl – Room #58
Sep 10 th	7:00 p.m.	SPRC Meeting – Social Hall
Sep 11 th	6:30 p.m.	Trustees Meeting – Social Hall
Sep 24 th	7:00 p.m.	Finance Meeting – Social Hall
Sep 29 th	1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	Crop Walk – Social Hall
Sep 30 th	7:00 p.m.	Administration Board – Social Hall

^{*}Postlude

Love Offering

With the unexpected passing of Pastor Ken and Kim McDonald's son, Jordan, on Friday, July 26th, many in the church family have inquired about ways in which the congregation can provide support to the McDonald Family during this difficult time. On behalf of Pastor Ken and his family, GBUMC will be accepting a Love Offering to help offset funeral expenses. If you feel so moved to share in a love offering, please designate your check to GBUMC and on the memo line note it as "Love Offering".

In addition, if you would like to express your thoughts and sympathy through cards and notes, the McDonald Family address is: 801 Louisiana Avenue, Cumberland, MD 21502.



RISE AGAINST HUNGER – FREE CONCERT

Join us at Glen Burnie United Methodist Church for a special evening of music in support of Rise Against Hunger. On August 9, 2024, from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM, the Fellowship Hall at 5 Second Ave., SE, Glen Burnie, MD 21061, will host an unforgettable concert.

The event features Sparks & McCoy, an acoustic guitar duo playing timeless classics from the 60s, 70s, and 80s. Also performing are Greg Witte and Jeri Mead with their Christian Worship and Praise music, and the dynamic duo Brandt Dunn and John Pappajohn, offering a mix of rock, folk, bluegrass, blues, country, and jazz.

All proceeds support Rise Against Hunger, an organization fighting hunger globally. Free Brusters ice cream will be served to advance ticket holders (by Aug 2nd) at the web, gbumcRAH.org.

For more information, contact Dick Campbell at 443-517-3084 or rcampbell@bwcumm.org. **Together, we can Rise Against Hunger.**