



You will know the truth, and
the truth will set you free.

JOHN 8:32

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The Service of Worship
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost

*Please turn the sound off on your cell phone

August 11, 2024

11:00 a.m.

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Ringling of the Church Bells

Choral Introit

Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God

Down the Line

Words of Welcome and Announcements and Signing of Registration Pads

***Call to Worship**

Leader Happy Day, O Happy Day.

People **The Son of God washed my sins away.**

Leader Happy Day, O Happy Day.

People **My Savior taught me to watch and pray.**

Leader Happy Day, O Happy Day.

People **In Jesus, we rejoice every day.**

***Hymn**

[Wonderful Words of Life](#)

#600

Opening Prayer (in Unison)

Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings, with your most gracious favor, and further us with your continual help, that in all our works, begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally, by your mercy, obtain everlasting life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Special Music

This Little Light of Mine

Down the Line

Old Testament

Proverbs 20: 27-28

Pastoral Prayer

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

Nearer, My God to Thee

Down the Line

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Prayer (unison)

Heavenly Father, author of perfect peace and truth, bless these gifts and the giver. Stir within us a heart of honesty, integrity, and gentleness to proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ to a world in spiritual need and to reach out and provide relief to our neighbor in social need. This we pray in the precious loving name of Jesus. Amen

***Doxology** #95

***Hymn** [O Happy Day, That Fixed My Choice](#) #391

Scripture [Ephesians 4: 25-30](#)

Special Music Kathi Hiett

Gospel Reading [John 8: 31-32](#)

Message Honesty is the Best Policy Mark Harris

***Hymn** [Be Thou My Vision](#) #451

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

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 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 14 th	9:00 a.m.	UMM Breakfast – 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

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.



WHY WE'RE RISING AGAINST HUNGER

The Glen Burnie United Methodist Missions Committee is seeking 60 to 80 volunteers for our Rise Against Hunger Meal Packaging event on Saturday, August 24, 2024, from 9:00 am to 11:00 am. The need for food among children worldwide is immense, and **Rise Against Hunger** has asked us to increase our meal packaging goal from 10,154 to 14,256 meals. This increase will allow us to feed an additional 20 children for an entire school year. To achieve this, we need to raise \$5,900.

I am praying that we can meet this challenge. Besides the funds, we also need volunteers to help package the meals. Volunteers aged 12 and older are welcome. To sign up, visit www.GBUMChurch.Live or contact Dick Campbell at 443-517-3084 or via email at rcampbell@bwcumm.org.

For those who have already donated, we thank you sincerely. For others considering a donation, whether large or small, you can contribute via cash or check (indicate on your giving envelope: Missions - Rise Against Hunger) or online at GiveToEndHunger.org. Please share this information with friends, coworkers, neighbors, and anyone else who might be willing to help. Remember, a donation of \$10 provides 30 meals, \$25 provides 75 meals, \$50 provides 147 meals, \$75 provides 220 meals, and \$150 provides 440 meals.

One in three people worldwide is adversely affected by vitamin and mineral deficiencies. The meals we will package on Saturday, August 24th will provide a comprehensive array of micronutrients. In 2023, we packaged 10,154 meals that were sent to Africa. Let's continue making a difference for hungry children in 2024.