

### **Glen Burnie United Methodist Church** 5 Second Avenue, SE Glen Burnie, Maryland 21061

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# The Service of Worship The Sixth Sunday of Easter

\*Please turn the sound off on your cell phone

May 25, 2025 11:00 a.m.

**Prelude** 

**Ringing of the Church Bells** 

Choral Introit Let Us Go Rejoicing Chancel Choir

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

#### \*Call to Worship

Leader Jesus has given us a new commandment:

People We are commanded to love one another.

**Leader** Just as Christ has loved us, so we ought to have love for one another.

People By this, everyone will know we are Christ's disciples:

**Leader** By our love for one another.

People We should love each other, because love comes from God.

Leader Everyone who believes in Jesus and loves is God's child.

People Let us worship our God!

\*Hymn America #697

#### **Opening Prayer** (in Unison)

Most loving Father, you have taught us that without love whatever we do is worth nothing. Send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts your greatest gift, which is love. We seek to base our lives on the love of Christ, that from day to day we may be passionate and patient, caring and kind, forgiving and faithful in loving one another and all in your world. Grant this for the sake of your only Son Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Anthem In Memorium Chancel Choir

Pastoral Prayer Rev. 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.

\*Affirmation of Faith #882

\*Gloria Patri

#### **Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings**

#### Offertory Prayer (unison)

God, may these offerings be used to spread your love, mercy and grace, just as Christ demonstrated through his selfless act. In the name of the One who sacrificed himself for us and was resurrected for us, we pray. Amen.

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Offertory Music Kathi Hiett

\*Doxology #95

\*Hymn They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love See Insert

Scripture John 13: 31-35

Anthem Land of the Free Chancel Choir

Message Love One Another Rev. McDonald

\*Hymn Love Divine, All Loves Excelling #384

#### **Schedule of Our Opportunities**

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

10:00a.m. Sunday School

11:00a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary

Service broadcast on wfbr1590.weebly.com/ or 1590

AM/Facebook Live Stream

#### **Looking Ahead**

| Jun 8 <sup>th</sup>  | 9:00 & 11:00 a.m.      | Pastor Ken's Last Services at GBUMC                |
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| Jun 23 <sup>rd</sup> | 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Vacation Bible School (ends Jun 27 <sup>th</sup> ) |
| Jul 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | 7:00 p.m.              | Bible Study – Social Hall                          |
| Jul 3 <sup>rd</sup>  | 10:00 a.m.             | Bible Study – Social Hall                          |
| Jul 6 <sup>th</sup>  | 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. | Reverend Martin Brooks' First Service at GBUMC     |
| Jul 11 <sup>th</sup> | 6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.  | Benefit Concert for Abilities Network              |

<sup>\*</sup>Benediction

<sup>\*</sup>Postlude

THE NATURE OF THE CHURCH

# 2223 They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love



- 1. We are one in the Spir-it, we are one in the Lord,
- 2. We will walk with each oth er, we will walk hand in hand,
- 3. We will work with each oth er, we will work side by side,
- 4. All praise to the Fa-ther, from whom all things come,



the Spir-it, we are we are one in one in the Lord, we will walk with each oth-er, we will walk hand in hand, we will work with each oth - er, we will work side by side, and all praise to Christ Je-sus, God's on - lv Son,



and we pray that all u - ni - ty may one day be re-stored: and to - geth - er we'll spread the news that God is in our land: and we'll guard hu-man dig - ni - ty and save hu-man pride: and all praise to the Spir - it, who makes us one:



And they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love, by our



love; yes, they'll know we are Chris-tians by our love. \_\_\_\_\_

WORDS: Peter Scholtes (John 13:34-35; Eph. 4:4-6)

MUSIC: Peter Scholtes

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## Volunteers Needed

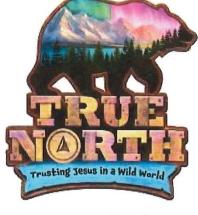
We have a dedicated group of members who count the weekly offering collected during our Sunday morning worship services. We are in need of adding some additional counters. If you would care to share your talents in this area, please see John Ward of Donn Koenig for more information.

## Scholarships

The GBUMC Scholarship Committee has been blessed to be able to assist members of our congregation who are furthering their education by attending a trade school or college. We will be accepting applications until May 31st. See Debi in the church office or email <a href="mailto:office@gbumchurch.org">office@gbumchurch.org</a> for an application. Please call Mary Ann Clevenger at (410)760-5011 or 410-253-6209 with any questions.



Looking for mountains of fun?





## You otter be here!

New friends • Amazing experiments • Creative games Super-fun snacks • Surprising adventures • Incredible music



# Join us Monday, June 23 - Friday, June 27 9am-12pm for our 2025 Vacation Bible School!

Kindergarten - 5th grade!

Scan the QR code to register or call our church office at 410-761-4381









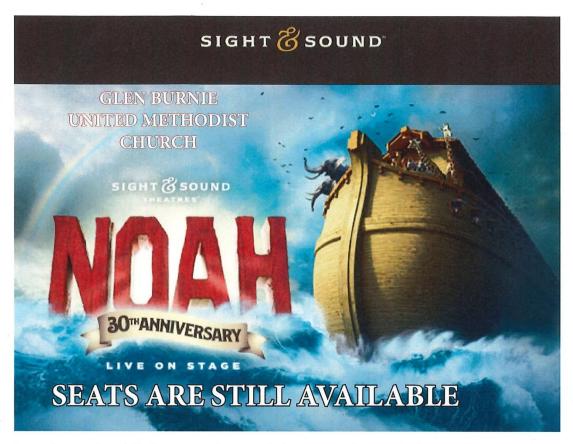
July 11 ~ 6 to 9pm A benefit concert to support

# Abilities Network®

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Tickets: <a href="https://anbenefitconcert.eventbrite.com">https://anbenefitconcert.eventbrite.com</a> Questions? Contact us at <a href="mailto:ggaydosh@abilitiesnetwork.org">ggaydosh@abilitiesnetwork.org</a>



Join us for an unforgettable day trip to Sight & Sound Theatre in Strasburg, PA for the triumphant return of NOAH—a spectacular live stage experience featuring 40-foot sets, toe-tapping music, professional actors, and real animals filling the stage and aisles!

Watch Noah and his family answer God's call in a land that's never seen rain—then step aboard the enormous ark that surrounds the audience on three sides. After the show, enjoy a delicious smorgasbord lunch at the renowned Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant.

#### Trip Details - Tuesday, September 9, 2025

Price: \$170 per person | Children (ages 5–12): \$115

Deposit: \$25 per person (due at sign-up) | Balance due: June 27, 2025

Make checks payable to Linda Zuck (put in the collection plate with Memo: Sight & Sound Tickets)

#### Itinerary

8:00 AM - Depart Glen Burnie UMC

11:00 AM - Showtime: NOAH at Sight & Sound Theatre

2:15 PM - Lunch at Bird-in-Hand Family Restaurant

6:00 PM - Return to Glen Burnie UMC

All-Inclusive: Transportation, show tickets, lunch, taxes, and driver gratuity included!