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The Service of Worship
Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost
Back to School - #3 of 3

August 31, 2025

11:00 a.m.

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Ringling of the Church Bells

Choral Introit

Thy Word Is a Lamp

Donna Haehl & Dottie Ripple

Words of Welcome and Announcements and Signing of Registration Pads

***Call to Worship**

One: Come to rejoice together; God is present with us. Sing praises to God, all you faithful ones.

All: **We are restored to life morning after morning. We will exalt our God, Who lifts us up.**

One: Come to be washed and cleansed, forgiven and freed. Renew your commitment to the One Who calls us.

All: **We have come to listen for God's word to us. We will give thanks to God's holy name.**

One: Come to enter the race for an imperishable goal. Proclaim the joy of serving in God's name.

All: **We are here to find where God will send us. We come ready to serve in Christ's name.**

***Hymn**

[Morning Has Broken](#)

#145

Opening Prayer (in unison)

Gracious God, we give you hearty thanks for the rest of the past night and for the gift of a new day, with its opportunities of pleasing you. Grant that we may so pass its hours in the perfect freedom of your service, that at eventide we may again give thanks unto you. Amen.

Special Music

I Saw the Light

Donna Haehl and Dottie Ripple

Children's Time

Pastor Martin

Reception into Glen Burnie UMC

Lu Lan by transfer from Magothy UMC

Lu Wei by transfer from Magothy UMC

Lisa Ann Sachs-Thompson by transfer from Bethany UMC

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.

Invitation to the Offering**Offertory Music**

Mazurka (Homage to Chopin) by N. Faber

Clara L. Brooks

***Doxology**

#95

***Prayer of Dedication** (in unison)

Gracious God, You call us to transform our world into a place that reflects Your love through peace. Accept these gifts that allow us to reflect Your glory to Anne Arundel County and the ends of the earth. Amen.

Special Music

Be True to Your School

See Insert

The Hebrew Bible Lesson[2 Kings 5:1-14](#) (NRSV)**Special Music**

Written in Red

Donna Haehl and Dottie Ripple

Message

Back to School! – God's Call to the Young, God's Call to Us All

The Reverend Martin P. Brooks

***Hymn**[Great Is Thy Faithfulness](#)

#140

Benediction**Postlude****Liturgist** – Mark Harris

Be True to Your School

When some loud braggart tries to put me down
And says his school is great
I tell him right away
"Now what's the matter buddy, ain't you heard of my school?"
"It's number one in the state"

So be true to your school now
Just like you would to your girl or guy
Be true to your school now
And let your colors fly
Be true to your school

I got a letterman's sweater with a letter in front
I got for football and track, I'm proud to wear it now
When I cruise around the other parts of the town
I got a decal in back

So be true to your school now
Just like you would to your girl or guy
Be true to your school now
Let your colors fly
Be true to your school

(over)

On Friday we'll be jacked up on the football game
And I'll be ready to fight
We're gonna smash 'em now
My girl will be working on her pom-poms now
And she'll be yelling tonight

So be true to your school now
 Just like you would to your girl or guy
 Be true to your school now
 And let your colors fly
 Be true to your school

Rah-rah-rah, be true to your school
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Schedule of Our Opportunities


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

Looking Ahead

Sep 2 nd	10:00 a.m.	UMW Circles – Social Hall
Sep 2 nd	7:00 p.m.	UMW Deborah Circle – Social Hall
Sep 3 rd	10:00 a.m.	Quilting Mission (Every Wed.) – Ward Room
Sep 7 th	10:00 a.m.	Children Sunday School Begins
Sep 9 th	10:00 a.m.	Prayer Shawl Meeting – Rm #59
Sep 10 th	6:30 p.m.	Trustees Meeting – Rm #59
Sep 13 th	9:00 a.m.	UMM Prayer Breakfast – Social Hall
Sep 23 rd	7:00 p.m.	Finance Meeting – Social Hall
Sep 28 th	1:00 p.m.	The Crop Walk – Social Hall
Sep 29 th	7:00 p.m.	Administrative Meeting – Social Hall

*****THERE WILL BE NO SEPTEMBER VISITATION TO THE NURSING HOMES.**



****Starting in September, every 4th Sunday will be “Feed My People” day. This is a combined effort between GBUMC and NcEon. Any donations are appreciated and can be left in the cart by the basement elevator door. Thank You and God Bless!





The Walk is
VIRTUAL,
but the
NEEDS
could not be more
REAL.

September 28, 2025

Virtual CROP Hunger Walk Mantra
North Anne Arundel Co. Walkathon
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

**ENDING
HUNGER
ONE STEP
AT A TIME
CROP HUNGER WALK**

NORTH ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY CROP HUNGER WALK

**SUNDAY,
SEPTEMBER 28, 2025
1:00 PM ET**

Join Us to End Hunger!

You're invited to take part in the walk to end hunger—both in our community and around the world. We will gather at Glen Burnie United Methodist Church, 5 Second Ave., S.E., Glen Burnie, MD 21061, before stepping onto the B&A Trail for a walk of your choice: 1, 2, 3, or 4 miles.

To register as a walker or to join an existing team, simply visit GiveToEndHunger.org or scan the QR code above.

For more information

Contact:
Colin Grayson, *CROP Walk, Chair*
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AGES
4-18

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sept
7th

Kick Off

JOIN US FOR AS WE KICK OFF OUR
NEW SCHOOL YEAR OF FUN AND
FELLOWSHIP AS WE LEARN MORE
ABOUT JESUS!

10
AM



Glen Burnie United Methodist Church

FOR MORE INFO, CALL OUR OFFICE AT 410-761-4381

Volunteer Sign Up



Being God's hands and feet

starting point for all volunteers

**GBUMC is requesting volunteers for
Communion Stewards! Please call or
email the office if you are interested. (410-
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