

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST (see REQUESTING PRAYER, below)

Our Church Family

Dixie Elmes	<i>Long-term:</i>
Lorna Rice	Dan LaFon
Karen Gonsman	Chris Clise
Lynne Rittenberg	Wayne Olson
	Christy Swartzbaugh

Our Global Ministries Missionary & World Vision Child

Nan McCurdy, Miguel Mairena (Puebla Mexico) - GBGM

Our Family and Friends (requests in the past two months)

Killian (8-year-old grandson of Conni & Dave Highfield)
Sherri Haines (church administrative assistant)
Meg Oskam (friend of Melinda Setren)
Vivian Dorwart (mother of Anne Dorwart)
Amy Beauchamp (daughter of Charlotte Young)

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Those in Military Service

Jonyae Curry, Army
(Director of Youth Ministry at Westminster UMC)
Alex Gray, Air Force, Ft. Eisenhower, GA
(son-in-law of Steve & Darlene Sadowski)
Jason Marusiak, Army, 82nd Airborne Div., Fort Riley, KS
(son-in-law of The Flinns)

TEMPORARY ADDRESS CHANGE

Dixie Elmes shared that her team moved her to a new facility and she invited us to share her temporary address. Dixie welcomes cards and notes from her WUMC family:
Country Meadows Retirement Community
1920 Trolley Rd. Apt. 115
York, PA 17408

REQUESTING PRAYER

Submit your prayer request via online, email, or phone:

- Online, www.wumcmd.org/prayer-requests.html
- Email Pastor Malcolm, m.stranathan@wumcmd.org
- Email Rev. Ken, k.humbert@wumcmd.org
- Call the church office, 410-848-8325.

REACH

OUR MISSION: To reach out to those within our congregation who are reaching out to us in need of help.

Are you a church member in need of:

- Funeral Lite Fare
- Meals following recovery or mourning
- Transport to local medical appointments

Please contact REACH, directly, for help:

REACH—AUGUST

Carolyn Scott
(443) 536-1030

MONTHLY 90's BIRTHDAYS

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We celebrate our WUMC nonagenarians!

Aug 2 Mrs. Peggy Morningstar
67 Ralph Street
Westminster MD 21157

If we missed you, reach out to Sherri,
s.haines@wumcmd.org.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

by appointment, 410-848-8325

Sherri, s.haines@wumcmd.org
Belinda, financesec@wumcmd.org

TEXTING OPTIONS IN WORSHIP

OFFERING

Text amount
to 844-307-2876

Mail to POB 2316, Westminster 21158

Online offering—please scan QR code



ATTENDANCE

Text "HERE" to 443-234-0806

Pentecost 10
July 28, 2024, 10:30am

On Being: United Methodist

A Six-week Worship Series for the People Called United Methodist

WESTMINSTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
162/165 East Main Street • Westminster, MD 21157 • www.wumcmd.org • 410-848-8325 • 410-876-2124

Attendance — text "HERE" to 443-234-0806.
Visiting?—text "WELCOME" to 443-234-0806.

WELCOME

Pastor Sue Shorb-Sterling

PRELUDE

"An Irish Blessing" (see note on page 3)

Mansfield

* CALL TO WORSHIP

L: The Lord is our covenant friend, gracious to us through all the years of our lives.

P: **We thank you for your loving care, which has filled our days
and brought us to this time and place.**

L: The Lord redeems us, and calls us to a high calling in Christ Jesus.

P: **And gives us this place, in the fellowship of the Spirit and the witness of the Church.**

L: Today, as the generations before us, we come to renew the covenant that binds us to God.

P: **Let us make this covenant of God our own.**

L: Let us join together:

ALL: **Let me be your servant, under your command.**

I will no longer be my own.

I will give up myself to your will in all things.

Lord, make me what you will.

I put myself fully into your hands:

put me to doing, put me to suffering,

let me be employed for you, or laid aside for you,

let me be full, let me be empty,

let me have all things, let me have nothing. *continued on next page...*

ALL: I freely and with a willing heart
 give it all to your pleasure and disposal.
 And may this covenant that I make today be ratified in heaven.

* HYMN *“Take Up Thy Cross”* UMH 415

* PASSING THE PEACE The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

KIDS’ TIME

SPECIAL MUSIC *“How Beautiful”* Twila Paris
 Linda Wood, soloist; Bill Pond, ASL

PASTORAL PRAYER/COMMUNITY PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER (UMH 895)
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.

* HYMN *“I Am Thine, O Lord”* UMH 419

GOD’S WORD IS READ Philippians 1:3-7

REFLECTING UPON GOD’S WORD Pastor Malcolm Stranathan
“On Being: United Methodist—Last Words”

OFFERTORY *“Meditation on ‘Thais’”* Massenet/Hopson
 *Doxology *“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”* UMH 95

*Offertory Prayer
 Text your offering 844-307-2876; Give online at www.wumcmd.org; or Mail to:
 Westminster UMC, P.O. Box 2316, Westminster, MD 21158-2316. Thank you.

* HYMN *“A Charge to Keep I Have”* UMH 413

* SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE (please be seated) *“Toccatina on O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing”* arr. Fedak

MUSIC/PRELUDE NOTE . . .

FROM Peggy Brengle, Organist-CAGO

Today’s Prelude is my gift to Malcolm and Jacki as they embark on their So(ul)journ. May they renew physically, mentally, and spiritually during this time. I also give this gift, today, to my family who are about to leave for Ireland! May we find and experience enrichment and renewal through this wonderful musical opportunity. Listen, as the composer directs me to play, “with good cheer, but not too fast”.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

AUGUST 3, 8am-1:30pm, Jubilee Hall

Make your appt now at redcrossblood.org

SUPPLY PASTORS during Pastor Malcolm’s

Sabbath Leave, Aug 1—Nov 12

Get to know our supply pastors as shown in your upcoming August Herald.

SUMMER FLOWERS . . .

are beautifully blooming and it would be so lovely to display some in our church throughout the summer. If you would like to put an arrangement together for the altar or two narthex tables, please call or text: Kristy (443-789-0346) or Sue (410-917-3149).

—SAVE THE DATE—

CHURCH CONFERENCE
 TUESDAY, NOV. 19, 6:30pm
 Martha Manahan Room



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CROSSROADS CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL

2024-25 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION OPEN

...and filling, fast! Registration packets are available in the narthex.

2yr-old Class: Mon & Fri, 9-11:30am - \$220.00

3yr old Class: Tue-Thu, 9am-12pm - \$245.00

4-Day 4’s Class: Mon-Thu, 9am-12pm - \$270.00

5 Day 4’s Class: Mon- Fri, 9am-12pm - \$290.00

Extended Day Program for 3’s and 4’s: Tue-Thu until 2pm- additional \$42.50 per day, per month.

Questions?

Contact Tracy Hulsman, Preschool Director
 email (crossroadspreschool@wumcmd.org)
 or by phone (410-857-6177).

LOOKING AHEAD TO SUNDAY SCHOOL

Consider teaching or co-teaching in our various levels of Sunday School (ages 3yrs to adult).

Do you have interest in:

Primary, Pre-K-4th

contact Emily at childrensminister@wumcmd.org

Do you have interest in:

Middle, grades 5-7

High, grades 8-10

Young Adult, grade 11 & up

Adult Sunday School

Adult Discussion Class

contact Linda at educationchair@wumcmd.org



SERVICE NOTES INFORMATION BOX

8:15am/10:30am—Music: Peggy Brengle, CAGO-Organist Leading Worship: Rev. Dr. Malcolm Stranathan

10:30am—Liturgist: Rev. Dr. Sue Shorb-Sterling ASL Interpreter: Bill Pond

Slides: Kyler Brengle AV Techs: tbd

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