

Be faithful in prayer - Romans 12:12 October 23, 2022: KUMC giving, pledges & Stewardship Sunday; growth of kids, youth & young adults at KUMC; Bud & Pat; Kaden & Greysin; my mom; family of Jacob Silver (*Carolyn C. cousin*); praise for Kelly; Suzanne & Russ Conklin; Deborah Colburn; Lisa Beaver; Peggy Baker; Mary; Mark Wells; Will Samson; Pastor Gary; Ukrainians; Campbell King Smith; Connie; Kay McDonald; law enforcement officers; my parents; Wes; Homer & Juanita Maddox; Bob & EmmaLou Artz; Ms. Vicky; Sharon & George Teets; Adele Birnbaum; Dorton family; Cody; Cathy Adams; Amy Rafus for healing (*brother of Ruth F. step-mom*); Bennie Bakier; Russell Perry; John Waybright; Dave & Janet; thanks for teaching me to handle disappointment; Sabrina; Valencia; KayleeAnna; Junior; Diane; Tunya & Laura; Judy Smith on the loss of her brother, Bill Magaha, and his family

Care Facilities: Consulate H/C: Connie Mitchell (PA); Lynn Care: Rosalie Wehn; Marilyn Stelzl (112A); Mt. Vernon: Virginia Ebbs; Search Group Home: Steven Dobbin; Spring Arbor: Lloyd Henry (210); Marietta Lipscomb (239); Jean Snider (144); Sunrise at Bon Air: Irene Gates (205); W/C: Linda Sullivan (30) Barbara Wise; Military: Douglas Castro; 2LT Jared Castro; CPO Tiffany McMahan; LTC Tom Crowley; CDR Robert Littman; Other: Clay Knick; Gordons; Jeanne Newlin & Janie Slater; Peggy Gillich, her great-grandson, Lawton, & granddaughter; Missionaries: Gregg & Jayne Yarian; Pr. Michael & Lupe Geiss

October 16, 2022: David; Madonna & Bill Tumblin; George Cupelli; Jim & Mia safe travels; Dorton family; Sharon & George Teets; Vicky Maphis; Sage; Sarah; Bill, praise for Mike; Denny Smith; Harmon Stevens; travel mercies for Richards; my parents; Pastor Ellen Martin; KUMC; Allan, Gregg & Beau Rodgers; Ukraine; the holy catholic church; Burris family; the return of Christ to our country; USA; Suzanne Conklin; Deborah Colburn; Mary; Loretta (Marcy Cormier's sister); Joshua King; Pusateri family; Shanna & Scott Coleman; Connie; Kay McDonald; Campbell King (1 mo. old); SW Florida; Pat & Bud (Charlie D sister & brother); Stephanie; Tyler Gill; Cathy Adams; Jacob; safe travels for Sandy & Ric; Mark Wells; Christina, Joe, Greg & Cindy Petty; Brendan Learn & family; Sandra

Prayer Requests via our website under **CARE** kernstownumc.org/prayer-request. This mailbox is checked two times daily. When a request is received, it is sent to the KneeMail and phone group, or you can email your prayer request directly to prayer@kernstownumc.org

Today's Lay Ministries: Lay Leader: Cathy Richard; Reader Doris Miller & Danny Smith; Greeters: Vicky Maphis & Judy Chapman; Counters: Roger Hill & Lorraine Shelton

Per CDC on 10/20, community level in both Winchester and Frederick County are LOW.

Calendar

Sun., Oct. 30 **Stewardship Sunday** 21st Sunday after Pentecost
Last Sunday for CCAP Thanksgiving items
9:00 Encounter (*Sunday School*)
10:20 Worship
Tuesday, November 1
9:30 PIM (Toms Brook) Pastor Meeting
12-4 Bridge (*fellowship hall*)
Wednesday, November 2
9-11 BSF (3 rooms upstairs)
11:00 Prayer & Care (*fellowship hall*) All Invited
5:30 TOPS upstairs
6:00 Handbells
7:00 Choir
Thursday, November 3
8:30 TOPS (*fellowship hall*)
10:00 Staff Meeting
3:30 Rev Heaton Wedding Rehearsal *offsite*
Friday, November 4
4:00 Rev Heaton Wedding *offsite*
6-8:00 OCC packing (*fellowship hall & upstairs*)
Saturday, November 5
All day Cathy Richard/Crafting (*fellowship hall*)
10-12 Steve Spurr/Gideon's (*DeMoya Rm*)
Sun., Nov. 6 **All Saint's Sunday** 22nd Sunday after Pentecost
Daylight Savings Time Ends
9:00 Encounter (*Sunday School*)
10:20 Worship ~ Mandy Newman Preaching
Reception after worship
3:00 In-Person District Charge Conference at RMA
Lay Ministries for Nov 6: Lay Leader: Cathy Richard; Reader Polly Look; Greeters: Barb & Kevin Mosser; Counters: Gary Lantz & Cathy Richard

Upcoming Dates: 11/8 UWF; 11/9 W&W; 11/10 Trustees; 11/12 W&W Gift Wrapping, UWF; 11/13 Veteran's Recognition & covered dish; 11/15 Care & Connect, new date for Newsletter Deadline; 11/23 Thanksgiving Eve Service (OPC)
Scriptures for the Week: Hab 1:1-4, 2:1-4; Psalm 119:137-144; 2 Thess 1:1-4, 11-12; Luke 19:1-10



Please know that ALL children are **ALWAYS welcome** to attend our entire church service in the sanctuary.
We offer an optional short **Children's** Church program during Sunday worship.

21st Sunday after Pentecost, Reformation
STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY



10:20 a.m. Worship Service October 30, 2022



Rev. Gary Heaton

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Prelude	David Landrum
Ringling of the Bell	Sam Henshaw
Greeting /Announcements	Cathy Richard
*Call to Worship	Doris Miller

The pressing crowds are searching for healing and hope and a home.

We offer them Christ.
Those who are lonely and lost and in need of redemption.
We offer them Christ.
Those who seek meaning and mystery and purpose.
We offer them Christ.
Offer them Christ.
We are the body of Christ.

*Opening Hymn *We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise* TFWs 2031
Lighting of Altar Candles Sam Henshaw
Scripture Lesson Habakkuk 2:1-4 Danny Smith
Response to the Word *What Does It Cost to Follow Jesus?* Choir
Offering and Children's Church *Freely, Freely* vs1 UMH 389

*God forgave my sin in Jesus' name,
I've been born again in Jesus' name,
And in Jesus' name I come to you,
To share His love as He told me to.
He said, "Freely, freely you have received,
Freely, freely give.
Go in My name, and because you believe,
Others will know that I live."*

Prayers of the People Rev. Heaton
Congregational Prayer Rev. Heaton

O God, forgive us for those times when we stood around and watched Jesus touch others and offered negative reactions. At times, we have been self-centered wanting the attention for ourselves. Because of our judgmental behavior, we have often blocked the meetings between Jesus and others like Zacchaeus. Help us to remember that it is we who are Zacchaeus, embarrassed by our spiritual height and trying to get a glimpse of Jesus among so many tall believers. Give us faith to hear You calling our name. Amen.

*Hymn of Preparation *We Are the Church* UMH 558
Sermon "Going Fishing With Jesus" Rev. Heaton
(Sermon Text: Luke 19: 1-10)
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer UMH 895
Invitation to Holy Communion
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.
The Lord's Supper

*Closing Hymn *Freely, Freely* verse 2 UMH 389
*The Benediction Rev. Heaton
*Choral Benediction *God Be with You till We Meet Again*
*God be with you till we meet again; by His counsels guide,
uphold you, with His sheep securely fold you; God be with
you till we meet again. Till we meet, till we meet, till we meet
at Jesus' feet; till we meet, till we meet,
God be with you till we meet again.*

Postlude David Landrum
(*Please stand as able) CCLI # 11408803

Announcements

Who's Who in The Pew - Member Attendance & Visitor Info - Please fill out the card located in the pews and place it in the offering basket. Include your name and any prayer requests or concerns for our church leaders. If you are a visitor, please include your contact info and any requests. These are also used for any COVID contact tracing if needed and so we know that you're aware of our posted protocols.

New Members Class - Our next New Member Sunday is December 11. Orientation classes will be November 20, 27, & December 4. If you have any questions, please see Rev. Heaton or call the church office. This class is open to everyone.




Wednesday Morning Prayer & Care Group - At 11:00 AM, every Wednesday morning, the congregation is invited to meet with the pastor for a time of praying for the concerns of the church. Join us during this journey together each week.

New Encounter Class - When left unchecked, our emotions have the potential to control us. So, how do we silence the voices that fight for our attention? Starting on November 6, Lorraine Shelton will be leading a 6-week Encounter class entitled "You're Not the Boss of Me" by Andy Stanley.

Next Sunday, November 6, is All Saint's Sunday. We will be honoring those members who died in the last year. Because we may have people coming to the service who have compromised immune systems, we ask that you wear a mask during the service. Thank you for your understanding. It is also Daylight Savings Time Ends, don't forget to turn your clocks back.

Today is **Stewardship Sunday** – During the offering time, please bring your 2023 Fishing Expedition blue card forward with your estimated giving for both your financial and service area marked. There are extras in the pew.





2023 Fishing Expedition 

Please indicate below your estimated giving, both financial and service. Along with your estimated financial contribution, please choose one or more of the ministry work areas you will participate in:

____ (Name) \$ _____ ☐ annually ☐ monthly, or ☐ weekly

____ (Contact Information)

☐ Care & Connect ☐ Educate & Equip ☐ Reach & Serve ☐ Worship & Wonder

Children's Encounter (Sunday School) is being offered upstairs in Room 2. The curriculum is aimed at ages 3-8, but 9-year-olds are welcome to attend. Parents drop off children at 9:00 am and pick them up at 10:00 am.

The **Children's Church program** continues as an option. Parents bring their children into the worship service with them. After the offering, Miss Vickie and Miss Beth will lead the children to the first-floor classroom for story, song, prayer, and fun. Children will be returned to their parents in the sanctuary before communion. Parents always have the option of keeping their children with them in the sanctuary: all children are welcome in our worship services.

Thanksgiving Eve Service this year (the 126th annual!) will be on Wednesday, November 23, at 7:00 pm at Opequon. Childcare will be provided. We will celebrate communion and enjoy a fellowship time in the fellowship hall following the service. The offering will go to WATTS since Opequon partners with them on December 26-January 2.

Thanksgiving Eve Special Choir – If you like to join the choir for special Thanksgiving music at Opequon Church on Wednesday, November 23rd, see David for details.

CCAP Thanksgiving items due – Last call, Friday, Nov. 4th, at 10am. Shopping list in narthex on easel.

Care & Connect hosting a reception next week for Pastor Mandy Newman after the worship service. We will also have a covered dish meal after the worship service on Nov. 13th Veterans Sunday. Watch for more details.

