Be faithful in prayer - Romans 12:12

October 2: Barbara & Gene Wise; Jacob; Pat & Bud; Sarah & Sage; my parents; Mark Wells; Deanna Wells; school teachers; Pastor Gary; Lisa Yowell; Lori Morris; Bobbie Ford; Peggy; Kay McDonald; Wayne; Connie; Florida first responders; Peace; President Putin; Sabrina: Kelly: Laura: Valencia: Diane: Barbara: thanks for hope, timelessness with God, love, family, friends, imagination, blessings too many to count especially those that we take for granted; Bennie Baker, Sue Corenet, Carolyn Cordova, Dennis Henry; Mary Monte; Dorton family; Ann & Will Rodgers; our world; Madonna, Brenda Lineburg

Home: Cheryl Spurr; Tina Weagley; 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 Crowlev: 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

September 25, 2022: Barbara Wise; Michelle; Lisa Yowell; my kids; parents who are mourning; Mary Kathryn Clark; my parents; David Gantz; praise for good test reports; Dot; Susan Lynch & family; Wilsons; Becky Horton & children; Gary Baylis; Ann & Will Rodgers; Dorton family; June & Nate; Wilsons; Trudy; Sandy Keiter; Barnetts; Sarah; Sage; Alice; Kay McDonald; Wayne; Connie; all those in hurricane path; Mark Wells; Suzanne Conklin; Deborah Colburn: Sarah Wilson: Dawna Wilson: Mike Harless: William Harper & family; Chesnee Anton; Debbie & Russ Parish; Marietta, Mark & Pam Lipscomb; Chief (Ret.) Daniel Doyle (Danna's brother); Dan and Polly Stiefvater; Lay Leadership/Nominations Committee, upcoming Charge Conference

COVID transmission rates - Winchester & Frederick Co. are both **MEDIUM**. Covid test kits are in the narthex on the shelf, see Doris for assistance. Updated 9/29.

From the Office: Church Directories are printed quarterly and can be found in the narthex. Stewardship letters are in the mail, if you do not receive one, let us know and we will ensure you are added to our mailing list and get your card and letter.

Today's Lay Ministries: Lay Leader: Cathy Richard; Greeters: Jean Ann Ayers & Maria Castro; Counters: Roy Walker & Brian Henshaw

Calendar Sunday, Oct. 9 18th Sunday after Pentecost 9:00 Encounter (Sunday School) 10:20 Worship 2-4 Hill's Open House (CCAP donations) Monday, October 10 Holiday Office Closed Tuesday, October 11 10:00 UWF Bridge (fellowship hall) 12-4 7:00 Reach & Serve Wednesday. October 12 9-11 BSF (3 rooms upstairs) 11:00 Praver & Care 5:30 TOPS upstairs Handbells 6:00 7:00 Choir Thursday, October 13 8:30 TOPS 10-1 R&S Lunch for FDES staff

6:30 Trustees

Friday, October 14

9-11 Fellowship Hall in use (P. Look sorority)

Sunday, Oct. 16 19th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 Encounter (Sunday School)

10:20 Worship

Tentative Coffee Time after worship

Lay Ministries for Oct. 16: Lay Leader: Cathy Richard;

Reader: Charlie Donohoe; Greeters: & Polly Look;

Counters: Lorraine Shelton & Cathy Richard

Scriptures for the Week: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7; Psalm 66:1-12; 2 Timothy 2:8-15; Luke 17:11-19

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Oct 17 Newsletter Deadline

Oct 18 Care & Connect

Oct 25 SPPRC

Oct 27 Church Council & Charge Conference



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.

18th Sunday after Pentecost



10:20 a.m. Worship Service **October 9, 2022**



Rev. Gary Heaton

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Prelude

David Landrum

Ringing of the Bell

Sam Henshaw

Greeting /Announcements

Cathy Richard Rev. Heaton

*Call to Worship

Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!

Where we need healing, make us whole!

Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!

Where we are isolated and excluded, bring us near!

Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!

Where we are chained, break our bonds!

Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!

Where we are dying, bring us back to life!

*Opening Hymn Trust and Obey UMH 467
Lighting of Altar Candles Sam Henshaw
Scripture Lesson Luke 17:11-19 Bill Erbach
Response to the Word What a Beautiful Name Choir
Stewardship Moment Steve Spurr
Offering and Children's Church He Has Made Me Glad

I will enter His gates with thanksgiving in my heart
I will enter His courts with praise.
I will say this is the day that the Lord has made.
I will rejoice for He has made me glad.
He has made me glad, He has made me glad.
I will rejoice for He has made me glad.
He has made me glad, He has made me glad.
I will rejoice for He has made me glad.

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

We can get caught up in selfish pursuits and completely overlook the wonders of Your creation, O God. All around us are majestic reminders of the beauty You offer to us. But we are weak and easily trapped into attitudes of indifference or destructive behavior. You have not given this world to us that we should destroy it, but rather that we should cherish it and make sure that all receive from its bounty. Forgive our overwhelming greed and selfishness. Help us to let go of the petty desires for wealth, position, and power, and bring us into a ministry which proclaims Your love and justice for all Your people. These things we pray in the name of the Master Servant, Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn of Preparation I Surrender All UMH 354
Sermon "Too Proud for Grace" Rev. Heaton
(Sermon Text: 2 Kings 5: 1-15)

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer UMH 895

Invitation to Baptism Renewal & Healing

Eternal Father: When nothing existed but chaos, You swept across the dark waters and brought forth light. In the days of Noah, You saved those on the ark through water. After the flood, You set in the clouds a rainbow. When You saw Your people as slaves in Egypt, You led

them to freedom through the sea. Their children You brought through the Jordan to the land which You promised. In the fullness of time, You sent Jesus, nurtured in the water of a womb. He was baptized by John and anointed by Your Spirit. He called his disciples to share in the baptism of his death and resurrection and to make disciples of all nations. Pour out Your Holy Spirit, to bless this gift of water and those who receive it, to wash away their sin and clothe them in righteousness throughout their lives, that, dying and being raised with Christ, they may share in his final victory. AMEN

*Hymn Something Beautiful UMH 394

*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, at Jesus' feet; till we meet, till we meet, God be with you till we meet again.

Postlude

(*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 Nevember 20, 27 % Describer 4

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.

UWF meeting this Tuesday, October 11 at 10 am in the fellowship hall. All women are invited!

Calendar correction: **Reach & Serve** is meeting **this Tuesday, October 11,** at **7pm**.

Care & Connect would like to organize meals for the Wise family. Please review the available slots on the link below to sign up. Please list meal or restaurant so others can plan. Deliver between 5-6:00pm, address is 120 Wilkins Dr., Winc 22601. No allergies, favorites are Chinese & Applebees. Thank you, Roger Hill

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48AAA72FA5F4CF8-wise

Youth Encounter is still in need of congregation members who would like to get to know the KUMC youth better! We meet each week at Starbucks (Pleasant Valley) at 9am, for coffee and good conversation! The following dates are available: 10/16.

Jouth Encounter

10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/20, 11/27, 12/4 and 12/11. If interested, please reach out to the Henshaws at wthenshaw@comcast.net or 540-247-6231 or signup at the following link:

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0a4fa4a728a4fc1-coffee

Open House - Thank you KUMC family for all your prayerful support during our displacement in January, we have now been back home for two months. As an expression of our gratitude for all the meals, cards, phone calls, gift cards, and prayer support, we invite you to stop by our house for light refreshments on Sunday, October 9th from 2-4 pm. Praise be to God!, *Roger and Susan* Address:114 Laurel Hill Drive Stephens City, Virginia 22655 *Note: Canned good donations for CCAP will be accepted (no gifts)*

Greeters – We have an opening next week for a greeter & also for November 6 & 27 for two greeters each week. Even if you are new, you are invited to greet and hand out bulletins on Sunday morning. Call the church office or let Susan Hill know if you would like to help with worship.

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.

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