

Be faithful in prayer - Romans 12:12 NIV

5th Sunday after the Epiphany

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.

Jan.29: June & Nate W; Sandy Wilson; Judy G; Athena & family; safe travels for the Lantz's daughter & husband; Mary; thanks for constant care, friends, family, the beauty in this world; Lisa Yowell; Ruth Folger's children; Bud; Pat; Greysin & Kaden; Tina Spencer; Barbara Greene; Sandy Burgoyne & family; Sandy (Vicky's sister); Audrey Dorton; Wilsons; Walkers; Drew; Bennie Baker; Frank & Ashley Moore; family of Mickey Grandstaff; Rosie Walsh; Dee Doyle; David Hess; family of John Miller; Susan; my three children; Emily, Caroline, Addy; Deanna Wells; Mark Wells; Rosie Walsh; Sharon's brother & sister-in-law; John F. Font; Ann & Will Rodgers; Mary Kathryn; my parents; Pam; Peggy Gillich; Betty Lou Langager; Cathy Richard; Chip

Jan.22: Sam Sponaugle's family (Madonna's brother-in-law who passed); Mary Kathryn Clark; Sandra Keiter; Deanna Wells; Mark Wells; Karen Burns; Ann & Will Rodgers; churches; Cathy Richard; Lee Lichvar; John Fount (Judy Chapman's brother-in-law); Connie; Denny Lee; Kay McDonald; Joe & Carolyn Eshbaugh; Clay Knick; Mary; Carlin; Ann, Polly, Sabrina; thanks for blessings too many to count; June & Nate W.; Sandra B.; CJ; Bennie Baker; Frank & Ashley Moore; Vera Kordela, Austin Madigan; Picolo family; Kurt, Morgan; Jocely & Lyla Cooper; Tom Sciolino; persecuted Christians; Seabright family; Phil Shobe; Sarah; Sage; Amanda; the Gregory family; the Pursutte family; Sandra Bean; Leigh Ann Whitacre; Doug Hulver; Suzanne & Dan Conklin; Deborah Colburn; Glenn Maddox; Burgoyne family (David Carper's finance, Nikki's, father); the family of Tina Spaid; Pat; Bud; Greysin & Kaden; Sam, Pat; Ralph & Bill; Dianna; my parents; Jane & Ronnie Lamp (JR's aunt/cousin on loss of Uncle Glen); Richie Cookus (Doris' niece, Dawn's, husband); Phil's family

Today's Lay Ministries: Lay Leader: Carolyn Carney; Scripture Reader: Doris Miller; Greeters: Danna Doyle & JoAnne Carper; Counters: Roger Hill & Carolyn Carney

Scriptures: Isaiah 58:1-12; Psalm 112:1-10; 1 Corinthians 2:1-16; Matthew 5:13-20

Calendar

<p>Sunday, February 5 9:00 New Members Orientation Plus 9:00 Encounter/Sunday School 10:20 Worship Service</p> <p>Tuesday, February 7 12-4 Bridge (fh) 7:00 Educate & Equip</p> <p>Wednesday, February 8 9-11 BSF (3 rooms upstairs) 11:00 Prayer & Care (fh) 5:30 TOPS 6:00 Bells 7:00 Choir</p>	<p>Thursday, February 9 8:30 TOPS (fh) 11:00 Staff Meeting 6:30 Trustees (</p> <p>Sun., February 12 9:00 New Members Orientation Plus 9:00 Encounter 10:20 Worship C♥ffee S♥cial after worship (fh) Reader: Nancy Tisinger Greeters: Charlie Donohoe & Judy Chapman Counters: Gary Lantz & JR Richard</p>
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Upcoming: 2/14 UWF; 2/15 W&W; 2/21 C&C; 2/22 Ashes to Go & Ash Wednesday Srvc.



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.



10:20 a.m. Worship Service

February 5, 2023



Rev. Gary Heaton

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* All who are able, please stand; bold print - all respond

Prelude David Landrum
 Ringing of the Bell Sam Henshaw
 Greeting /Announcements Carolyn Carney
 *Call to Worship Rev. Heaton
 We are called to bring a new understanding of God: that God so loves the world.
We are the salt of the earth.
 We are called to bring a new hope in God: that God gives us new life.
We are the light of the world.
 We are called to follow the commandments and the law.
The Law of God is to love God and to love one another.
 Come, let us be the salt of the earth, the light of the world.
Come, let us love one another with the love of God. Let us join together in our love of God to worship and follow Jesus.

*Hymn	<i>For the Healing of the Nations</i>	UMH 428
Lighting of Altar Candles		Sam Henshaw
Scripture Lesson	Matthew 5:13-20	Doris Miller
Response to the Word	<i>Let Everything that Hath Breath</i>	Chancel Choir
Offering and Children's Church	<i>Shine, Jesus, Shine</i>	
	<i>Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory, blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire; Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy, send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light. Lord, the light of Your love is shining in the midst of the darkness shining; Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us. Shine on me, shine on me.</i>	
Prayers of the People		Rev. Heaton
Congregational Prayer		Rev. Heaton
God of mystery and of judgment, Who has made us to be salt and light in a tasteless, shadowed world, guide us in this time of worship. Grant us understanding and spiritual discernment so that others may see Your good works through us, give You the glory, and be moved to serve You. Amen.		
*Hymn of Preparation	<i>What Does the Lord Require of You</i>	TFWS 2174
Sermon	“Conditional Love” Isaiah 58:1-12	Rev. Heaton
Pastoral Prayer & 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		
*Hymn	<i>Here I Am, Lord</i>	UMH 593
*The Benediction		Rev. Heaton
*Choral Benediction	<i>Precious Name</i>	
	<i>Take the name of Jesus with you, child of sorrow and of woe; it will joy and comfort give you; take it then, where'er you go.</i>	
	<i>Refrain: Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of earth and joy of heaven.</i>	
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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 PLUS - Our next New Member Sunday is February 19, 2023. Orientation classes will be today and Feb. 12 at 9:00 in the pastor's office. If you have any questions, please see Rev. Heaton or call the office. This class is also open to anyone who wants to learn about the United Methodist Church and belong to Kernstown UMC. It is a good opportunity to learn and share about Methodism and the church. If you are already a member and want to brush-up on your Wesleyan spirituality or have questions about current events in the life of the church; please come to this open forum.



UWF Souper Sunday Event to benefit CCAP. Bring a can or cans of soup today and 2/12 to predict the winner of the Super Bowl. There will also be an extra bin for "I don't care who wins". Thanks for your support.

KUMC: Please join us for a Valentine's Day Coffee Hour and refreshments in the fellowship hall on February 12, after the service. We pray you will join us, *the Hospitality Team, Care & Connect Work Area*



Per CDC on January 26, community transmission rates are **MEDIUM** in both Winchester and Frederick County.

Substitutes for Children's Church: Help Needed: Kind, friendly adult needed on Sunday mornings for 20 minutes. **Duties:** sit in a comfortable rocking chair and watch the teacher lead Children's Church activities. No skills in classroom management needed. No heavy lifting required. No singing of silly songs required...(but you might want to). **Compensation:** satisfaction of helping parents of young children enjoy a sermon without the need to retrieve toys from under pews. Interested parties may apply in writing on the yellow attendance card. See Feb/Mar newsletter for more details.

WIFI – our wifi password is LoveJesus, sign in as KUMC guest.

Our **Youth** want to meet you: Youth Encounter is looking for new people in our congregation to meet at Starbucks on Pleasant Valley Road in Winchester on Sunday mornings at 9. If you did not get a chance to talk with our youth last year, please sign up at: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0A4FA4A728A4FC1-coffee>

Readers & Greeters for 2023 - If you would like to read scripture or be a greeter, please sign up in the narthex or see Susan Hill. You may also sign up electronically: Readers → <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48AAA72FA5F4CF8-readers> OR Greeters → <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E48AAA72FA5F4CF8-greeters>