

# Monticello

United Methodist Church

*Welcome to worship! No matter where you are, where you have been, or where you are on your faith journey, our prayer is that you will find a place to belong in worship and mission with us.*

July 31, 2022

10 am

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## Preparation for Worship

The real measure of our wealth is how much we would be worth if we lost our money.

—J.H. Jowett

Gathering Music

*Come to the Table  
Goodness of God*

New Day

Focus Scripture

Colossians 3:1-4

\*Call to Worship

Psalm 107

Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good.

**God's steadfast love endures forever.**

Make your petitions heard, for God saves us in times of trouble.

**Christ's steadfast love endures forever.**

God satisfies our hunger with good things, and quenches our thirst with living water.

**The Spirit's steadfast love endures forever.**

Let us worship.

Hymn

*Rock of Ages*

No. 361

Common Prayer (Let us pray together...)

**Eternal God, as people raised with Christ, teach us to seek the things that are above, where Christ abides in glory. Even as our true lives remain hidden in you with Christ, grant us a glimpse of our true selves, made pure and whole in your love. Renew your Spirit within us, and make us fit to bear the glory of your image. Amen.**

Scripture

Luke 12:13-21

Anthem

*And the Father Will Dance*

Choir

Kid's Time

Special Music

*My Feet Are on the Rock*

New Day

Message

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Sharing of our Gifts and Lives

Offertory

*Deep River*

Arr. W.M. Angell

Doxology

No. 94

Prayer of Dedication

**We sing your praises, O God, for your love is sure and true, your faithfulness is never ending. You satisfy the thirsty and fill the hungry with good things. Receive the offerings we bring before you this day, that these gifts may continue your work of tending the needy, providing hope for the downtrodden, and blessing those who live in want. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.**

Hymn

*A Charge to Keep I Have*

No. 413

Announcements

Benediction

Having clothes ourselves in Christ, let us be Christ to a world that hungers and thirsts for love.

**We go in peace to serve the world. Amen.**

Postlude

*O Happy Day Medley*

Arr. J. Bennet

Staff and Worship Assistants:

Pastor: Kathy Bueker Sweet

Director of Music: Kathy Brown

Director of Family Ministries: Melanie Burger

Director of Youth Ministries: Will Pontious

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Director of Bell Choir: Barb Ozier

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Office Hours--Monday-Thursday 9 am - 12 noon  
Live Radio Broadcast 8:30 am WCZQ 105.5 FM  
Worship: 8:30 am in person and Facebook Live  
10:45am in person

If you are visiting we welcome and invite you to Fellowship coffee and conversation at Café 2020.

Individual wireless receivers are available from the ushers. Rocking Chairs are located at the back for parents with babies. Our Kids' Corner is stocked with things to educate and entertain your children as well.

### **Food Pantry needs:**

Paper towels, shampoo, deodorant, taco shells & seasoning pkts, granola bars, Pop Tarts, no/low salt foods; no/low sugar foods, ready-to-eat soups

### **Calendar**

#### **Today**

10:00 am      Worship, in-person  
11:15 ish      Cook-out

#### **Monday, August 1**

4:00 pm      T.O.P.S (Take Off Pounds  
Sensibly)

#### **Tuesday, August 2**

8:30 am      Just Walking  
7:00 pm      Zoom Prayer

#### **Wednesday, August 3**

10:00 am      Comm. Assist. Mtg  
1:00 pm      Bible Study

#### **Thursday, August 4**

8:30 am      Just Walking  
12 noon      Ministerial Alliance  
6:30 am      Summer Singers  
7 pm          Finance Committee

#### **Sunday, August 7**

8:30 am      Worship, in-person, online and  
radio  
9:45 am      Adult Sunday School classes  
10:45 am      Worship, in-person

#### **Looking Ahead:**

Aug 14 Youth Group Kick-Off  
Aug 16 Church Council 7 pm  
Aug 17 Area Outreach- Noon  
Aug 21 Kids SS Resumes

### **From the Office**

We at MUMC sometimes have trouble communicating with the parishioners via email and have discovered that, because we are a “.com”, the church emails often get filtered into SPAM. To prevent this, we ask that you please “whitelist” our domain (@monticelloumc.com) so that our messages get through to you. Info on how to do this can be found at the greeter's station in the Atrium. Thanks!