

WELCOME

CROSS & FLAME MINISTRIES

MURPHYSBORO • DESOTO

UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

July 30, 2017 • 8th Sunday after Pentecost

Pentecost • Red



The mission of our church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

9:00AM

Call to Worship

L: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

P: **And also with you.**

Congregational Chorus: "Something Beautiful"

Hymnal #394

The Greeting

Sharing of Parish Opportunities and Attendance Ritual

Please fill out the prayer request cards, if needed, located in the pew Bibles, and hand them to the ushers after the Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting.

Prelude: Theme from "Trois Chorals, No. 1" by César Franck

Light of Christ Enters

Please begin a quiet time of centering for worship when music begins.

****Hymn of Praise:** "Standing on the Promises" (vs 1,2,4)

Hymnal #374

****Invocation**

Please See Projection

****Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting**

Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers

Special Music: "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross," tune by Hamburg/L. Mason, arr. Larry Shackley

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "There Is a Land of Pure Delight," tune by Jordan/W. Billings, arr. Larry Shackley

****Doxology:** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Hymnal #95

Children's Moments

*As the children come down, please pass the red **Money for Missions** buckets in the pews. The noisy mission offering in July will go to **Caring for Kids**.*

Children's Church Procession to Room 205

Offering of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession and Blessing

The Lord's Prayer

Hymn: "Be Still, My Soul"

Hymnal #534

Scripture: Ephesians 6:10-16 and Hebrews 11:1

L: The Word of God for the People of God

P: **Thanks be to God**

Sermon: "Sons and Daughters"

Angie Baughman

Commitment Hymn: "Sons and Daughters" by North Point Worship

Please See Projection

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

****Benediction**

****Postlude:** "Be Thou My Vision," Traditional Irish Melody, arr. Larry Shackley

****Congregation is invited to stand as you are able**

PRAISE SERVICE

11:15AM

Opening Singing
Greeting Each Other
Welcome and Announcements
Giving Our Offerings
Children's Time
Sharing Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
Songs of Worship
Scripture Reading: Ephesians 6:10-16 and Hebrews 11:1
Sermon: "Sons and Daughters"
Closing Song: "Sons and Daughters" by North Point Worship
Sending Forth

Angie Baughman
Please See Projection

TODAY'S WORSHIP	TRADITIONAL SERVICE	MUMC PRAISE SERVICE
Music Leader	Richard Tierney	Lacey Brown and Brian Vincent
Organist/Pianist	Jenny Kirby	
Worship Leader	Vanessa Lirely mumcministries@gmail.com	Kristi Miller mumcministries@gmail.com
Acolytes	Maggie Jenkins and Caroline Guthman	
Prayer Request Reader	Nancy Fager	Kristi Miller
Liturgist	Nancy Fager	
Welcome Hostesses	Susan Patterson and Nancy Tillett	
Ushers	Todd Lirely, Scott Ballard, Sandy Herring, Ralph Bastien, Dick Graff and Vanessa Lirely	Rick Pierson and Brant Wingerter
Children's Church Volunteers	Diane Schingel	Emily Hargraves
Nursery Attendant	Caitlyn Boyd	Megan Gale
The Memory Book is open to the page honoring: Mrs. Emma McDaniel Morris		

ATTENDANCE AND STEWARDSHIP JULY 23, 2017

Traditional Service: 164; Praise Service: 37; and DeSoto: 22 / Sunday School: 69
Offering: To Be Published Soon

CELEBRATIONS OF LIFE

One white rose on the altar today celebrates the life of Charles "Chuck" Higgs who passed away on July 4th. Chuck was the son-in-law of Kay Bozarth.

The other white rose celebrates the life of James "Jim" Rendleman who passed away on July 21st. Jim was the widower of Lee Rendleman.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

REMINDER: TODAY IS THE LAST SUNDAY FOR OUR MONTH OF JULY CARING

FOR KIDS COLLECTION. A complete list of needed items can be found at 15th & Pine entrance, Education Wing hallway doors, and on the bulletin board in hallway. After today, donations may be dropped off at the church office.

COME AND ENJOY THE OUR NEIGHBOR'S TABLE FREE MEAL TODAY AT NOON IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. This is a perfect opportunity to share the love of Jesus with folks who maybe don't attend church.

***A YOUTH MINISTRY "DESSERT AND DISCUSSION" MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 6th, AT 2:00 PM, RM 104N (FELLOWSHIP HALL).**

Youth supporters are needed to: bake cookies, fix sandwiches or serve pizza for a youth meeting, drive the bus to an outing, occasionally chaperone an event, lead devotions or even share with the youth a skill you possess. If you feel you can support our youth ministry in any of these (or other) ways as we continue to build our youth program, come join us. At least come and have dessert.

***YOUNG AT HEART WILL CELEBRATE SUMMER WITH A PICNIC THEMED**

LUNCHEON ON TUES., AUG. 8, NOON, IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL. The menu: sloppy joes/hot dogs, chips, baked beans and ice cream with toppings. Meals are \$6. If you sign up and plans change, please contact the church office by Aug. 7. Mike Bost, U.S. Representative, will discuss issues of local interest.

BIBLE JOURNALING YOUR FAITH class meets the second Wednesday of every month.

The next session is **Aug. 9, 7:00—8:30 PM in Rm 204.** Newcomers are welcome! Additional information about this class can be obtained from either Rosie Wece (559-8167, rwece50@gmail.com) or Patti Shields (684-5515, deanshield@aol.com).

***UNITED METHODIST MEN** will conduct their regular monthly breakfast meeting on **Sat., Aug. 12, 7:30 AM** in our Fellowship Hall Rm. 104. **All men of the church are invited to attend.** Please contact Jay Graff at 618-967-9848 if you have any questions.

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ALL JUNIOR HIGH AGE YOUTH ARE INVITED TO HELP ANIMALS IN NEED BY PARTAKING IN A VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY AT ST. FRANCIS CARE ON SAT., AUG. 12. Participants will walk dogs, play with cats, and do some light cleaning. Those who would like to attend should drop their name and \$2 in the youth bulletin board drop box **by next Sun., Aug. 6.** Bus departs at 8:30 a.m. and will return to the church parking lot by 11:30 AM.

A BACK TO SCHOOL BASH IS SCHEDULED FOR SAT., AUG. 12, 2:00—4:00 PM AT THE DESOTO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH PARKING LOT. This fun-filled, FREE event includes a giant slide, snow cones, popcorn, games, balloons, school supplies and more. Come out and enjoy!

THE ANNUAL BIGHAM LAKE YOUTH OUTING IS SCHEDULED FOR SUN., AUG. 13, 2:00—7:00 PM. For those needing a ride, the church bus will be leaving the parking lot at 1:30 PM. Dinner at 5:00 PM. If possible, send your child with a life jacket! Sign up by August 9th using the cards on the youth bulletin board.

***THE PILGRIMAGE CONTINUES: PILGRIMAGE MODULE 4—SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES—WILL BE OFFERED AUGUST 17, 24 AND SEPTEMBER 7, 6:30-8:00 PM, RM 204.** This may be the next step on the trail for you. Learn ways to strengthen the Christian practices in your life. You don't have to have attended the other modules of the Pilgrimage to attend this one. Childcare by request. Sign up on our Attendance and Registration Sheet.

***CHANGE IN DEADLINES TO SIGN UP FOR THE NEXT MISSION TRIP TO CAMP RESTORE, SEPTEMBER 24-30.** This is an adult mission trip to New Orleans. Cost is \$300 per person with \$150 due by signup deadline of August 15th and the remainder is due by **September 1st**. The contact for this trip is Gene Schwebel, 521-0879, if you have any questions.

LOOKING TO INVITE OTHERS TO YOUR MUMC EVENT? To promote a fellowship event, class/study, or mission project, just go to the church website (murphysboroumc.com) and click on Resources, Forms, Request for Promotion of Event. By submitting this one form, the information will be sent to everyone needed to get your event into the Sunday bulletin, *Compass* newsletter, on-screen slides, website, Facebook, current events flyers, and more. It's easy!

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

***FAITHFUL FRIENDS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS NEEDS A NEW LEADER, OR CO-LEADER.** Class is made up of women of all ages, and curriculum is decided by the leader, though assistance is available if needed. If interested in more information, check the attendance pad or contact Teresa Gilbert (pathways@teresagilbert.com or 618-521-1917).

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VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR LITTLE GRASSY EVENTS

Little Grassy is hosting a Native American Indian Festival August 19-21, to include the solar eclipse viewing on Monday, August 21st. Parking volunteers are needed from 11:00 AM until late evening on the 19th, all day and into the evening on the 20th, and probably all morning on the 21st. Additional details are available at www.igrc.org/festival. Reverend Ed Hoke, Minister of Mission Expansion/Site Manager, Little Grassy UM Camp, is the contact for expressing interest in helping. He can be reached at ehoke@igrc.org or 618-457-6030.

HOW DO I CONNECT?

Would you like to connect with other adults?

- Saturday Morning Book Club/Emily Hargraves, 559-0329, ehargraves88@gmail.com
- United Methodist Men/Jay Graff, 967-9848, jgraff4@yahoo.com
- Women's Ministry/Rosie Wece, 559-8167, rwece50@gmail.com
- Young at Heart/Michelle Parker-Clark, 922-3587, mpclark@siu.edu

Do you have young children?

- Children's Church/Emily Hargraves, 559-0329, ehargraves88@gmail.com
- Nursery/Jamie Green, 201-3355, jaybegirlo2@yahoo.com
- Children's Youth Fellowship: 3rd-5th grades; Junior Youth Fellowship: 6th-8th grades; and Senior High Youth Fellowship: 9th-12th grades/Lacey Brown, 687-2317, mumcministries@gmail.com or Sage Lintner, 687-2317, mumcchildrenyouth@gmail.com
- Acolytes: children ages 8-11 (3rd-6th grades)/Mary Jane Williams, 412-0008, mjwilliams1121@gmail.com

Do you enjoy music and like to be involved in music ministry?

- Hand Bell Choir/Randy Auxier, 565-1238
- Praise Team/Angie Baughman, 201-0139, angie_baughman@hotmail.com

Do you like to help those in need?


- Our Neighbor's Table, free meal to the community, last Sunday of every month/Jennifer O'Donnell, 534-3822 or Rindy Eisenhauer, 967-1380

Do you want to add a prayer request to the MUMC Email Prayer Chain?

- Contact Mary Ellen Tierney at 684-8847 or send an email to mumcprayerchain@yahoo.com.

The above ministries are just a sampling of the scores of ministries offered at MUMC. For a complete listing of ministries and ways to connect with those ministries, please pick up a 2017 Ministry Guide from the Welcome Center, the foyer at 15th and Pine, wall racks throughout the church, or the church office.

NEXT SERMON SERIES

 <p>WE ARE MESSENGERS</p> <p>SERMON SERIES AUG 20 - SEP 24</p> <p>Like the prophet Jeremiah, God is calling us to be used by Him in big ways. Are we ready?</p> <p>WILL WE ANSWER?</p>	<p><i>This sermon series examines the characteristics of a prophet using Jeremiah's call story in Jeremiah 1:1-17 and also challenges the listener to strive to have these same characteristics so that we might be used by God today.</i></p>
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WEEK #	DATE	SERMON TITLE	BIBLICAL REFERENCE
One	Aug. 20	"Listen"	Jeremiah 1:4: <i>The word came to me . . .</i>
Two	Aug. 27	"Obey"	Jeremiah 1:7: <i>You must go . . .</i>
Three	Sep. 3	"Trust"	Jeremiah 1:8: <i>Do not be afraid . . .</i>
Four	Sep. 10	"Depend"	Jeremiah 1:8: <i>I will rescue you . . .</i>
Five	Sep. 17	"Discern"	Jeremiah 1:12: <i>You have seen correctly . . .</i>
Six	Sep. 24	"Prepare"	Jeremiah 1:17: <i>Get yourself ready . . .</i>

PRAYER LIST

Lee and Alberta Sullivan
Earl and Sandra Renshaw

Gary Wece
Bill Voss

Ruth Verbal
Sandra Williams

- ◆ The family and friends of Charles "Chuck" Higgs, who died 7/4/17. Chuck was the brother-in-law of Kay Bozarth.
- ◆ The family and friends of James "Jim" Rendleman, who died 7/21/17. Jim was the widower of Lee Rendleman.
- ~ If you would like to place or remove someone on the prayer list, please call the church office at 687-2317 or send an email to murphysboroumc@gmail.com
- ~ Names will be published in the bulletin for 4 weeks. Please contact the office if you want a name to run longer.

Prayer Emphasis for July is Caring for Kids.
Prayer Emphasis for August is Murphysboro Food Pantry.

NEW HERE?

WELCOME to Murphysboro United Methodist Church! We're so glad you came to worship with us and want to do all we can to help you feel at home.

VISITING FOR THE FIRST TIME? Help us get to know you!

- Please fill out the visitor card located in the card holder in the pew in front of you, and place it in the offering plate.
- Stop by the Welcome Center following service today. The Welcome Center is located just outside the north sanctuary doors. We have a "sweet" gift for you, and we would love to meet you!

ATTENTION PARENTS

Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service. If you prefer, a nursery for children (suggested ages infant through three years old) is available during both the worship and Sunday School hours. The Nursery is located in Room 201, just outside the north sanctuary doors. Children who desire, ages 3 through grade 3 (suggested), will be dismissed for Children's Church in Room 205 prior to the pastor's message. Also see our "Helping Children Experience Worship" cards in front of the pew Bibles.

LOOKING TO BECOME A MEMBER? Approximately once per quarter, Pastor Larry offers an informational meeting for those interested in learning more about the process to become a member of MUMC. Watch the bulletin for dates and times.

CONTACT INFO, MEDIA & OTHER RESOURCES

CONTACT US: 618-687-2317 **ADDRESS:** 1500 Pine Street, Murphysboro, IL 62966

OFFICE HOURS: M-Th 9:00 am—2:00 pm; F 9:00 am—noon

EMAIL: murphysboroumc@gmail.com

PASTOR GILBERT'S CELL PHONE: 618-201-2658

PASTOR & TERESA GILBERT'S MAILING ADDRESS: 2575 Edgewood Lane
Carbondale, IL 62901

WEBSITE: www.crossandflameministries.com  facebook.com/murphysboroumc

SERMON BROADCAST on  or find link at www.murphysboroumc.com

CHURCH LIBRARY: Room 110

LITTLE FREE LIBRARY: 16th St. N of parking lot exit

WEEKLY ROOM CALENDAR: Outside every meeting room and inside west doors.

Please contact church office to reserve a room.