

Welcome to the
**MURPHYSBORO UNITED
 METHODIST CHURCH**



See You on the Trail!

July 20, 2014
 Sixth Sunday of Pentecost
 Pentecost—Red

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

New to Murphysboro UMC?

We want to help you get connected!

Welcome Center:

Come visit the Welcome Center following the 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!

Newcomers Reception:

Approximately once per quarter we will host a Newcomers Reception, at which Pastor Larry will be present to meet and share information with the newcomers. At that same event, we will offer a church tour and brief orientation to the ministries of our church.

ATTENTION PARENTS:



Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service. If you prefer, a nursery for children 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, will be dismissed for CHILDREN'S CHURCH in Room 205, following the Pastoral Prayer. Also see our new "Helping Children Experience Worship" cards in front of the pew Bibles.

9:00 a.m. Traditional Service

Call to Worship

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

P: And also with you.

Congregational Chorus:

"Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus" (twice) Hymnal #349

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: "On Eagle's Wings" by M. Joncas, arr. L. Smith

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

Light of Christ Enters

++Hymn of Praise: "To God Be the Glory" Hymnal #98

Noisy Offering: During this hymn, the children will pass buckets and collect loose change. The noisy offering for missions in July will go to **School Supplies.**

Invocation

Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart. Here is the citadel of all my desiring, where my hopes are born and all the deep resolutions of my spirit take wings. In this center, my fears are nourished, and all my hates are nurtured. Here my loves are cherished, and all the deep hungers of my spirit are honored without quivering and without shock. In my heart, above all else, let love and integrity envelop me until my love is perfected and the last vestige of my desiring is no longer in conflict with thy Spirit. Lord, I want to be more holy in my heart. Amen.

++Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting

If due to health concerns you are unable to stand and share in this time of greeting, please know that our hearts are yours in Christ Jesus.

Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers

Special Music Children from Weird Animals VBS

Children's Moments

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: From "Summer" (The Four Seasons) by A. Vivaldi, arr. J. Nixon

++Doxology: "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymnal #95

Hymn: "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" (Verses 1,2,4) Hymnal #382

Offering of Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession and Blessing

The Lord's Prayer

Hymnal #895

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Children's Church Procession to Room 205

Scripture

Proverbs 13:24

Hebrews 12:4-11

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God!

Holy Bible (in pew)

Old Testament p. 596

New Testament p. 227

Sermon

"Hurts Me More Than You"

Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

++Commitment Hymn: "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian" Hymnal #402

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Benediction

++Postlude: "The Heavens Are Telling" by Joseph Haydn, arr. C. Hand

++Congregation is invited to stand as you are able

11:15 a.m. Praise Service

Opening Singing

Greeting Each Other

Welcome and Announcements

Collection of Tithes and Offerings

Songs of Worship

Special Music

Children from Weird Animals VBS

Children's Time

Scripture Lesson

Proverbs 13:24

Hebrews 12:4-11

Holy Bible (in pew)

Old Testament p. 596

New Testament p. 227

Message: "Hurts Me More Than You"

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Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Closing Song

Benediction/Sending Forth

TODAY'S WORSHIP	TRADITIONAL SERVICE	PRAISE SERVICE
Greeters	Jim and Imogene Tedrow	Gene Schwebel & Katie Schwebel
Liturgist	Trina Eaton	
Organist	Judy Little	
Worship Leader	Rick Runge rrunge@frontier.com	Angie Baughman angie_baughman@hotmail.com
Music Leader		Dennis Goforth
Prayer Request Reader	Wilma Westerfield	Angie Baughman
Acolytes	Aiden McNitt & Cadence Brown	
Welcome Hostesses	Jennifer O'Donnell & Patti Shields	Brooke Guthman
Ushers	Todd Lirely, Scott Ballard, Sandy Herring, Dick Graff, Ralph Bastien, & Vanessa Lirely	Jay Graff, Brant Wingerter, & Ricky Pierson
Nursery Attendant	Tania Cruz	Katie Schwebel

The Memory Book is open to the page honoring: Ethel Hanson

Stewardship & Attendance for July 13, 2014

Offering: \$7,565.00; Traditional Service: 188; Sunday School: 94

The white rose on the altar today is in memory of
Viola Buchholz.



LIFTED HANDS REHEARSALS

Lifted Hands will have rehearsals **TODAY** and on Sunday, August 3rd from 3:30 - 5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. We will be learning a new song to offer as special music during Traditional Service on Sunday August 10. All ages are welcome! Contact Angie Baughman at 618-201-0139 with any questions.

CARING FOR KIDS MONTH



July is "Caring for Kids" month at Murphysboro UMC. We are asking the church family to come together and donate items that will support and encourage the children of our community. Each Sunday will have a special collection focus, but all items can be dropped off throughout the entire month. If you prefer to donate money, please put it in the offering plate and label it "Caring for Kids." Weekly collection focuses:

July 6 —Backpacks and new socks

Last Sunday—WalMart gift cards

TODAY—New or gently used children's books

July 27—School supplies



OUR NEIGHBOR'S TABLE

Sunday, July 27, at Noon

If You're Interested

- Judy Little will be offering a prayer practicum that introduces a form of Christian meditation on Wednesdays August 6, 20, and 27 at 11:00 a.m. Details will be in the August Compass, and sign-ups will start next Sunday.



The deadline for submissions to the August Compass is **MONDAY, JULY 21ST.**



CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY

Order forms available for Trail Day shirts! Box at back of sanctuary.
3:30 p.m. Lifted Hands Rehearsal in Sanctuary

Monday, July 21, 2014

Meals on Wheels: Kathy Blackwell & Betty King
Nancy Fager & Sharon Jones

6:00 p.m. Mom's Group in Rm 204

7:00 p.m. AA Big Book in Rm 104

Tuesday, July 22, 2014

Meals on Wheels: Loyd & Ruth Ebersohl
Ralph & Joan Bastien

6:30 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal in Sanctuary

Wednesday, July 23, 2014

Meals On Wheels: Candy & Dave Watt
Sharon Graff & Peggy Schuster

6:00 p.m. Boy Scouts in Rm 104

7:00 p.m. AA Meeting in Rm 107

7:00 p.m. AA/AL in Rm 109

Thursday, July 24, 2014

Meals on Wheels: Lynn Pierson & Wilma Nelson
Pete & Caroline Pederson

4:30 p.m. Girl Scouts in Rm 104

Friday, July 25, 2014

Meals on Wheels: Jack Herring & Jack Cochran
Rick Pierson & Dick Graff

3:00 p.m. Church Yard Sale in Rm 104

Saturday, July 26, 2014

8:00 a.m. Church Yard Sale in Rm 104

10:00 a.m. AA Meeting in Rm 107

Sunday, July 27, 2014

12:00 p.m. Our Neighbor's Table

5:00 p.m. Youth Groups

**We keep an updated CHURCH CALENDAR
on our website at www.murphysboroumc.com**



LET'S CELEBRATE A NEW SCHOOL YEAR!

When: Sunday, August 3, 2:00 p.m.

Where: South Fellowship Hall (104S)

This is an all-church event for ages 8 to 80—a friendly competition with **YOU** as the competitor, or just come to enjoy the "show!" Expect fun, prizes, desserts bar, and much more! Let Kristi Miller know (924-5535, kbramm68@gmail.com) if you are interested in forming a team. *Please check the "Are You Smarter?" box on the Registration and Attendance sheet if you plan on attending.*

ALL YOUTH GROUPS INVITED!

Sunday, August 10th, 2:45 p.m.

YOUTH PICNIC/SWIM AT BIGHAM LAKE

Parents and Grandparents are welcome too!

Van leaves at 2 p.m.

Full details in August Compass!

Bring a Friend!



Prayer List

Myrtle McKinnie
Elene Swafford
Patsy Springs
Betty Ward
Jane Mitchell
Lisa Wright
Paula Chapa
Angela Wingo

Josh Nelson
Rick McLaskey
Linda Rozich
Ina Mae Williams
Tom Vestal
Brad Hinchcliff
JoAnn Schirmer

Sandra & Keith Flynt
Ed Lirely
Lori Chapman
Alberta Sullivan
Francis Addison
Nancy McNitt
Leone Ryan

◆ The family of Viola Buchholz

- ~ 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@frontier.com
- ~ Names will be published in the bulletin for 4 weeks. Please contact the office if you want a name to run longer.
- ~ Copies of the long-term and ongoing prayer list are on the bulletin table for those who wish a copy for their prayer time at home.

Wednesday Prayer Group

Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Prayer Room.
Intercessory prayer for the joys and concerns of our church family, community and the world.

Prayer Emphasis for July is School Supplies

Please include this in your daily prayers.

ICE CREAM AND OTHER DESSERTS NEEDED

ICE CREAM AND OTHER DESSERTS NEEDED FOR AUG. 3RD 2:00 P.M. ALL-CHURCH "ARE YOU SMARTER THAN A 5TH GRADER?" EVENT. Please contact Kristi Miller (924-5535, kbramm68@gmail.com) or Nancy Vallino (924-3781, nancy.vallino@yahoo.com) if you would like to donate.



Save the Date!

**Celebrate Christmas
with the Worthing10s!**

Nov. 30th

A fun-filled, music-filled evening!



YOUTH GROUP CALENDAR

JULY 27th *Youth Group Meetings 5:00 - 6:30 p.m.

*CYF: Children's Youth Fellowship (3rd - 5th grade)

*JYF: Junior Youth Fellowship (6th - 8th grade)

*SYF: Senior High Youth Fellowship (9th - 12th grade)

*Youth meetings are the 2nd and 4th Sunday every month