

Welcome to the
**MURPHYSBORO UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**



See You on the Trail!

June 7, 2015

2nd Sunday after 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 (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.

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: "There's Something About That Name"
Hymnal #171

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: "Moment religieux" by Rudolf Friml

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

Light of Christ Enters

++Hymn of Praise: "Lift High the Cross" Hymnal #159

++Invocation

Our heavenly Father, we your humble children invoke your blessing on us. We adore you, whose name is love, whose nature is compassion, whose presence is joy, whose Word is truth, whose Spirit is goodness, whose holiness is beauty, whose will is peace, whose service is perfect freedom, and in knowledge of whom stands our eternal life. Unto you be all honor and all glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. 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

Children's Moments

*As the children come down, please pass the red **Money for Mission** buckets in the pews. The noisy mission offering in June will go to **Little Free Library.***

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory: "Litanie" by Franz Schubert

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

Offering of Joys and 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: Philippians 2:6-8

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

P: **Thanks be to God!**

Sermon: "The Single Greatest Gift" Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

++Communion Hymn: "Take Our Bread" Hymnal #640

Ritual of Holy Communion

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

Benediction

++Postlude: "Rejoice in the Lord" arr Henry Purcell

++Congregation is invited to stand as you are able

11:15 a.m. Praise Service

Opening Singing

Greeting Each Other

Welcome and Announcements

Giving Our Offerings

Songs of Worship

Children's Time

Scripture Reading: Philippians 2:6-8

Sermon: "The Single Greatest Gift"

Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Communion

Sending Forth

TODAY'S WORSHIP	TRADITIONAL SERVICE	PRAISE SERVICE
Greeters	Kay Bozarth and Nancy Tillett	Teresa Gilbert and Candy Watt
Liturgist	Nancy McNitt	
Organist/Pianist	Jenny Choo	
Worship Leader	Rosie Wece mumcministries@gmail.com	Angie Baughman mumcministries@gmail.com
Music Leader		Lacey Brown
Prayer Request Reader	Lou Ann Lough	Angie Baughman
Acolytes	Megan McNitt and Wesley Graham	
Welcome Hostesses	Marcia Butler and Barb Hughes	
Ushers	Rick Runge, Kyle Quigley, Jim Hughes, Bob Eaton, Trina Eaton and Mark Twenhafel	Jay Graff and Nicci Steele
Children's Church Volunteers	Tonya Walker	Theresa Mills and Mary Ann Hinchcliff
Nursery Attendant	Katie Schwebel	Katie Schwebel
The Memory Book is open to the page honoring: Lloyd Hewitt		

Stewardship and Attendance for May 31, 2015
Offering (Combined): \$8095.50
Traditional Service: 144; Praise Service: 54; Sunday School: 99
Total May Money for Missions designated to Relay for Life: \$481.09

5th Annual Children's Story Time

Tuesdays, June 9th, 16th, & 23rd
10:00 – 10:45 am, Church Pavilion



Children with a parent or other caregiver are invited to come and enjoy stories, songs, crafts, and refreshments. Children and accompanying adults all will have a good time! Questions? See Susan Patterson, Trina Eaton, Candy Watt or Lacey Brown.



friends, fellowship, faith.

JUNE 9TH
12:00 noon - Fellowship Hall

Menu: Fettuccine with chicken,
cauliflower with cheese,
tossed salad, and rolls. \$5.00

Wear white in honor of all June brides!

Jim Rasor, WSIL TV Meteorologist, will be speaking.

Please check the Young at Heart box on the Registration & Attendance sheet if you plan on attending.



Last chance to
sign up for
THE MAIN EVENT



BREAKFAST

Saturday, June 13th, 7:30 a.m.
Fellowship Hall Rm 104N

ALL MEN ARE WELCOME!

Please check the UMM Breakfast box on the Registration & Attendance Sheet if you plan on attending.



ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Sunday, June 14th
2:00—4:00 p.m.
Church Pavilion

Want a great way to cool off in June? Join us under the church pavilion on June 14th at 2:00 p.m. for an all-church ice cream social. We will have homemade ice cream, toppings, cookies, drinks, music and games. Let's celebrate Flag Day together. Wear red, white, and blue if you'd like. Please check the Ice Cream Social box on the Registration & Attendance sheet if you plan on attending.

The church schedule of activities and meetings is available on our website at www.murphysboroumc.com under "About MUMC" and on the weekly calendar sheets hung outside meeting rooms. A limited number of printed copies can be found on the table at the north end of the sanctuary.



The MUMC Holy Folders are looking for a few good hands. Volunteers are needed the last Wednesday of every month at 9 am. to fold and label the MUMC newsletter.

They also help with other mailings and projects from time to time. Please sign up on the attendance pad, or call Ruth Verbal for more information, at 687-3587.

THE DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS TO THE
JULY COMPASS IS:

MONDAY, June 15, 2015



Do you have a birthday or anniversary coming up in the next couple of months? Do you remember seeing it listed in the Compass newsletter in 2014? If you think we may not have your special days on file, please write them on the Registration and Attendance Sheet, and we'll get them on the newsletter calendars!!!



Call for BIRTHDAYS
and ANNIVERSARIES

New Procedure for Worship Announcements:

From your Worship Committee - effective immediately, all requests for worship service announcements should be sent to the Ministry Support Assistant, Lacey Brown, instead of to individual worship leaders. We believe this will improve communication between congregation members and worship leaders as well as ensure that announcements are made in both Traditional and Praise services. If you would like an announcement shared during the worship services, please send it to Lacey Brown at mumcministries@gmail.com. Thank you for your cooperation!

USHERS NEEDED FOR PRAISE SERVICE

Please check the Usher box on the Registration and Attendance sheet if you would be willing to serve as an usher in praise service.



Prayer List

Marie Quigley Betty Ward Brad and Cheri Grover
Robert Kinslow Dianna Pierson Sue and Jack Cochran

- ~ 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.

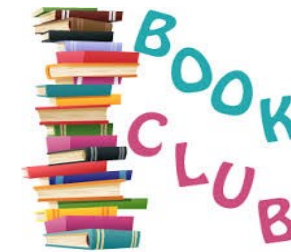
Prayer Emphasis for June is Little Free Library
Please include these in your daily prayers.

Our Interim Visitation Minister

is ready to serve your needs.

Please contact **Michelle Parker-Clark** to arrange hospital, home, or shut-in visitation.

You can reach Michelle at (618) 922-3587, or by email at mpclark@siu.edu.



SATURDAY, JUNE 20TH, 10:15 A.M.
CHURCH LIBRARY (ROOM 110)

Group will be reading *Gray Mountain* by John Grisham. John Grisham has a new hero... and she's full of surprises!

The book for July is *The Girl on the Train* by Paula Hawkins. A debut psychological thriller that will forever change the way you look at other people's lives.

Special Summer Schedule for Youth Meetings

June 14 Youth Group Welcome Picnic, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm
July 26 Youth Groups, 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm
August 9 Youth Outing to be announced

*CYF: Children's Youth Fellowship (3rd - 5th grade)
*JYF: Junior Youth Fellowship (6th - 8th grade)
*SYF: Senior High Youth Fellowship (9th - 12th grade)

In September, the Youth Groups will return to meeting the 2nd and 4th Sundays of every month.