

WELCOME

CROSS & FLAME MINISTRIES

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCHES

June 30, 2019 • 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Pentecost • Red

UNITY
SERVICE



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

UNITY SERVICE

9:30AM

Call to Worship L: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you

P: And also with you

Congregational Chorus: *"Now is the Time to Worship"*

Praise Team

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: *"Let There Be Peace on Earth"* arr. John Brimhall

Light of Christ Enters

****Hymn of Praise:** *"To God Be the Glory"*

Hymnal #98

****Invocation**

Please See Projection

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

Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers

Special Music *"Start Right Here"* arr. Casting Crowns performed by Alex Baughman

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings by Kristi Miller

Offertory; *"The Old Rugged Cross"* by George Bennard

****Doxology**

Camp Send Off by Roger Smith

Children's Moments by Michelle Parker-Clark

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

Children's Church Procession to Room 205

Offering of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer of Intercession and Blessing

The Lord's Prayer

Scripture: I Corinthians 15:1-9 (ESV)

L: The Word of God for the People of God

P: Thanks be to God

Sermon: *"The Resurrection—First and Foremost"*

Stan Irvin, District Superintendent
Cache River District
Illinois Great Rivers Conference

UNITY SERVICE (cont)

9:30AM

****Commitment Hymn:** *"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"* (vs 1 & 2)

Hymnal #420

Taking the Light of Christ into the World

****Benediction**

****Postlude:** *"Let There Be Peace on Earth Reprise"*

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

TODAY'S WORSHIP	UNITY SERVICE
Music Leaders	Brianna Sitton and Praise Team
Organist/Pianist	Cameron Taylor
Praise Accompanist	
Worship Leaders	Vanessa Lirely mumcministries@gmail.com
Acolytes	Caroline Guthman and Eli Guthman
Prayer Request Reader/Liturgist	Rick Runge / Gaye Auxier
Welcome Hostesses	Barb Hughes and Adrienne Will
Ushers	Rick Runge, Kyle Quigley, Jim Hughes, Bob Eaton, Trina Eaton and Jay Graff
Children's Church Volunteers	Diane Schingel and Sage Lintner
Nursery Attendant	Caitlyn Boyd and Ashlee Sanders
The Memory Book is open to the page honoring: Harry Tindall	

ATTENDANCE AND STEWARDSHIP JUNE 23, 2019

Traditional Service: 167; Praise Service: 56; Sunday School: 35
Offering: \$4,737.16

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

ARE YOU READY TO MEET THE NEW PASTOR AND HIS FAMILY IN OUR SMALL GROUP "LISTENING SESSIONS"? Today you have the opportunity to choose the date and place for the session you prefer. Sign up sheets will be in the Welcome Center before and after today's unity service. Anyone unable to attend church or unsure of his/her calendar may call or text 618-534-1061 to schedule the home of your choice. The sessions begin at 7:00 PM, and light refreshments will be served. This will be a great way for us to meet Danny and Karen (and the children possibly) and for them to meet us as we look forward to their new ministry in Murphysboro.

REMEMBER 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.

THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON TH., JULY 4th IN OBSERVANCE OF INDEPENDENCE DAY.

WE LAUNCH OUR 2019 CARING FOR KIDS COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY! For many years this church has collected school supplies for children in the Murphysboro school district. A few years ago we became aware that school supplies (poster board, construction paper, markers, rubber cement, glue) were not the only things the school children in our community were going without. Other needs range from tangibles such as food for the weekends (kid-friendly Ramen Noodles and microwave popcorn we donate through Gum Drop Kids), clean clothes, shoes, toiletries and feminine products...to basic necessities such as water and electricity in the home. What started as a simple school supply drive has grown into the annual "Caring for Kids" collection. Each week will feature a different need although any of the items can be brought to church each Sunday. We begin our collection next week with a focus upon either money or Walmart or pre-paid VISA gift cards. The money and gift cards will be given to the social workers at our schools to be used at their discretion to meet children's needs. More to follow in the coming weeks' bulletins.

***WHO DOESN'T LIKE ICE CREAM? NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 7, 2019, THE NUTURE AND CARE TEAM WILL BE HOSTING AN ICE CREAM SOCIAL.** Greater details can be found in today's bulletin feature box.

***YOUNG AT HEART WILL BE CELEBRATING THE 4th OF JULY WITH LUNCH ON JULY 9th AT NOON IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.** Wear your favorite red, white and blue! The \$6.00 meal menu: BBQ, chips, cole slaw, and red, white and blue cake with blueberries. Jane Williams, Certified Dementia practitioner and Alzheimer's Association Community Education will present: *Understanding Alzheimer's and Dementia*. Be sure to

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cancel your meal reservation by Mon., July 8th if you sign up and plans change.

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

The next session is **July 10th, 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 Mills (684-5515, deanshield@aol.com).

AN ALL YOUTH TRIP TO THE ST. LOUIS ZOO IS SCHEDULED FOR FRI., JULY 12th.

The bus will be leaving at 8 AM, and we will return around 5 PM. We will provide a lunch. Youth are responsible for the cost of extra snacks, rides and souvenirs. Sign-ups are on the youth bulletin board from today through July 7th. You can also sign-up by contacting Sage via email or text (mumcchildrenyouth@gmail.com or 618-889-7320).

***UNITED METHODIST MEN WILL BE MEETING ON SAT., JULY 13th AT 7:30 AM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL.** The men will enjoy breakfast, a devotional, and maybe a work project. **All men of the church are invited to attend.**

***VBS -TO MARS AND BEYOND BEGINS SUN., JULY 14th THRU THURS., JULY 18th, 5 - 8 PM (MEAL INCLUDED). DON'T FORGET TO INVITE YOUR FRIENDS. WE ALSO NEED VOLUNTEERS.** Contact Lacey Brown or mark the attendance pad if you are interested.

THE UMC SUMMER YARD SALE FOR MISSIONS IS SCHEDULED FOR FRI., JULY 26, 3 PM—6 PM AND SAT., JULY 27, 8 AM—NOON IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL AND CLASSROOMS. Donated items should be clean and in good working order. No cell phones or large, heavy TVs. Electronics should not contain any personal data. Due to lack of space, please reserve winter clothing donations for the Fall Yard Sale. Drop-off dates for items: Fri., July 19 through Wed., July 24 during church office hours or call Lynn Pierson at 684-3601 for access. Volunteer hours are July 22, 23 & 24: 9 AM—noon, 1 PM—4 PM and 6 PM—8 PM; July 25: 9 AM—Noon and 1 PM—4 PM; July 26: 9 AM—6 PM; and July 27: 8 AM—Noon with cleanup to follow.

JOB OPENING

FULL-TIME NURSERY ATTENDANT. Work Sunday mornings plus some week days and evenings, as needed. Must have CPR certification for children. Please contact Jamie Green, MUMC Nursery Chair at 618-201-3355 or jaybegir102@yahoo.com for more information.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY *INDICATES SIGNUP ON ATTENDANCE SHEET

***PRAISE SERVICE CHILDREN'S CHURCH IS IN NEED OF A VOLUNTEER** to help during Praise service. We need help on the 3rd Sunday of the month for the next 3 months (July, August and September).

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/Richard Tierney, 303-3296, menrt@frontier.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/Sage Lintner, 687-2317, mumcchildrenyouth@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)/Sheila Stewart, SStewart61356@gmail.com

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

- Chancel Choir/Sharon Jones, 303-2489, sharonjones1948@gmail.com; or Brianna Sitton, Choir Director, 864-631-3274, bgsitton@yahoo.com
- Hand Bell Choir/Randy Auxier, 565-1238
- Praise Team/Lacey Brown, 525-5106, mumcministries@gmail.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
- Stephen Ministry/Michelle Parker-Clark, 922-3587 or mpclark@siu.edu, to learn how a friend, neighbor, co-worker, relative, or YOU can receive care and/or emotional and spiritual support during or following a tough time

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 2018 Ministry Guide from the Welcome Center, the foyer at 15th and Pine, wall racks throughout the church, or the church office.

"... like good stewards of the manifold grace of God, serve one another with whatever gift each of you has received." 1 Peter 4:10

THANK GOD FOR ICE CREAM!!!



The graphic features a background of vertical stripes in light and dark gray. On the left side, there is a detailed illustration of a tall ice cream cone with four scoops of different flavors and a cherry on top. In the center, a white, cloud-like shape contains the text of the invitation. The text is in a mix of serif and sans-serif fonts, with 'ICE CREAM SOCIAL' in a large, decorative serif font. Below the main text, there are five small circles arranged horizontally. At the bottom of the graphic, a white rectangular box contains additional instructions in a bold, sans-serif font.

You are cordially invited to an
ICE CREAM SOCIAL
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Sun., July 7, 2:00—4:00 pm
Fellowship Hall
Come & enjoy as we welcome
our new pastor and his family

BREAK OUT YOUR RECIPE FOR GRANDMA'S FAMOUS HOMEMADE ICE CREAM, PICK UP A GALLON OF YOUR FAVORITE FLAVOR, OR BRING COOKIES, BROWNIES OR OTHER TREATS TO SHARE. ALSO BE PREPARED FOR FUN GAMES AND ENTERTAINMENT. HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

PRAYER LIST

Earl and Sandra Renshaw	Lee Sullivan	Gary Wece
Connie Gregory	Family of Jack Heern	Pastor Danny Motta & family
Joann Carter	Tamara Weller	Deana Smith
Family of Donna Strothman	Glenn Twenhafel	Ruth Verbal
Lowell Heller	Julie Frederking	Family of Patricia Wackerow
Ralph Bastien	Wilma Kimmel	

- ~ 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.

The Prayer Emphasis for June is Little Free Library.

The Prayer Emphasis for July is Caring for Kids.

Please include these emphases in your daily prayers.

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.