



Come, Holy Spirit

June 4, 2023
Trinity Sunday

WESTMINSTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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WELCOME

Ronnie Bohn

PRELUDE

“Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty”

arr. Livingston

* CALL TO WORSHIP



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We worship God, who created the heavens and earth,
God's reign endures forever.

We follow Jesus, who made God's love known to us,
Through his life, death, and resurrection.

We listen for the Holy Spirit, who breathes in us,
And grants us wisdom and insight.

Come, worship our God together,

We come to celebrate all the ways God is made known to us, now.

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* HYMN *"Come, Thou Almighty King"* UMH 61

* GATHERING PRAYER

Triune God, You are our Creator God, neither made nor fashioned by anyone. You are our Savior and Servant who shows us Perfect Love; You are our Holy Intercessor and Constant Presence. You are three intimately united as a community of love. You gather, protect, and care for us, your beloved, and invite us to be part of your community of love. This you have done from the beginning of the world and will do to the end. We praise you and give you thanks for this unending relationship. Amen.

KIDS' TIME *"A Dance Invitation"*

* HYMN *"Come, Join the Dance of the Trinity"* bulletin insert

PASTORAL PRAYER / COMMUNITY PRAYER

GOD'S WORD IS READ Matthew 28:16-20

REFLECTING UPON GOD'S WORD Sermon Series *"Come, Holy Spirit"*
"Belonging to the Triune Community" Rev. Dr. Sue Shorb-Sterling

ANTHEM *"Thou Art Holy"* Craig Courtney

COMMUNION LITURGY UMH 12

HYMN *"Let Us Break Bread Together"* UMH 618
As the communion stewards come forward let us join in singing hymn UMH 618.

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION *"Panis Angelicus"* C. Franck
Text your offering 844-307-2876; Give online at www.wumcmd.org; or Mail to:
Westminster UMC, P.O. Box 2316, Westminster, MD 21158-2316. Thank you.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* HYMN *"What a Mighty God We Serve"* TFWS 2021

* SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE (please be seated) *"Prelude on 'Bryn Calfaria'"* arr. Landin

PEACE WITH JUSTICE—TODAY

UMC SPECIAL SUNDAY

Communion Giving will support ministries to educate, equip, & mobilize actions in support of Economic, Health, and Gender Justice Properties.

STRAWBERRY ICE CREAM SOCIAL

TODAY, JUBILEE HALL, after worship

Hosted by Fun Fellowship. Ticketed event.

Freewill offering benefits our December “*Night in Bethlehem*” event.

CONGRATS, GRADS! Send your high school or college grad’s info for recognition in June.

Email Sherri at s.haines@wumcmd.org by June 5, include:

- Graduate name (and relation to you)
- School name (and degree, if applicable)
- Post graduation plans

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

...just a few weeks away!

GET EXCITED—join a Team of Heroes.
We are Called Together to Serve God.

PARTICIPATE—scan this QR code, or go to <https://wumcmd.mycokesburyvbs.com/>
4yrs to rising 6th grade—registration is open.

Tell your young friends!!! We have open spots.
Leaders/Assistants—registration is open.

DONATE—Stop by the VBS station outside the Sanctuary to drop-off donations and/or pick-up a donation list. Thank you, generous family.



COMMUNITY BLOCK PARTY FAMILY EVENT

JUNE 10, 11am-4pm, Union Street—free event!

FROM THE TRUSTEES—

Utilities costs increased up to 21%; please turn off lights and appliances; set unoccupied A/C temp to 78° — *except Sanctuary*, which maintains climate-control temp for organ, piano, & other instruments. Thx.

COFFEE-TIME FELLOWSHIP

SUNDAYS AT 10am, in the narthex/foyer

Cups and lids provided—or—bring your own.

Hosted by committees, led by our Fun Fellowship.

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Linda Wood, Chairperson education@wumcmd.org

CHILDREN’S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays, 9am

(ends, June 11; resumes in the Fall)



3yrs through 5th grade—

Register online

Sunday School Tower

Children’s Ministry Emily Gibbs:

childrensminister@wumcmd.org, 410-848-8325,x17

6th-8th grade—Youth House

9th-12th grade—invited to attend our adult classes, at this time (more info, coming soon).

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

resume in the Fall, Sundays, 9am

SUMMER FAMILY FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, 9-10am, June 18-July 30

Westminster City Park (Rain-days = Jubilee Hall)

ALL AGES—Prayer—Bible Stories—Nature

Boxes—Games—Music—Play Share Ideas—

Connect Spiritually as families & church family.

Drop-in/out - Parents/ caregivers responsible for child supervision. For more info contact Emily childrensminister@wumcmd.org, or Jonyae umyf@wumcmd.org

VBS—June 25-29—see announcement box to left

WUMC SOFTBALL TEAM, Church League, Thu, Apr 27-Jul 13, Carroll County Sports Complex
Tim Edwards, Jr, vualum95@gmail.com, 410-596-8760.
Next game—June 8, 7:30pm, Field #3

SERVICE NOTES INFORMATION BOX

Masking is optional; we respect your personal health choice.

Music: Peggy Brengle, CAGO-Organist Chancel Choir: Kyler Brengle, Director
Praise Band: Rich Umla, Worship Leader ASL Interpreter: Bill Pond Liturgist: Ronnie Bohn
Slides: Katherine Scherck, Kyler Brengle AV Techs: Maddie Schryer, Mark Gieselman
Leading Worship: Rev. Dr. Sue Shorb-Sterling, Rev. Dr. Malcolm Stranathan, Rev. Ken Humbert

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Contact Kyler Brengle, Director of Music Ministries, for additional details, if needed.

Our Mission: “Changing lives through Jesus Christ to make a difference.”

BULLETIN

*Printed in advance, 5/25/23;
look for updates in the June 11 bulletin.*

PRAYER LIST

Our Church Family

Sue Harbold	<i>Long-term:</i>
Ron Morningstar	Ellis Lawson
Ron Grill	Chris Clise
June Hicks	Grace Justice
Tricia Rossig	Dave Taylor
Eileen Burgher	John Carbaugh
Jeff Kimble	Christy Swartzbaugh
Wayne Olson	
Hank Diener	
Dan & Carol LaFon	

Our Family and Friends (requests in the past two months)

Amy Beauchamp (daughter of Charlotte Young)
Caitlin, Ty, and twin babies (daughter of Patty O'Brien)
Lorraine Hinton (Chris Brown's aunt)
Bonnie Pavlik (friend of Mary Louise Poole)
Jeff Slaubaugh (friend of Mary Louise Poole)

Our Global Ministries Missionary & World Vision Child

Nan McCurdy, Miguel Mairena (Puebla Mexico) - GBGM
Onney Khosa (Zimbabwe) - World Vision/WUMC UMYF

Those in Military Service

Bailee Stevens, Air Force, Germany
(granddaughter of Ann & Steve Hull)
Alex Gray, Air Force, Ft. Gordon, GA
(son-in-law of Steve & Darlene Sadowski)
Jason Marusiak, Fort Riley, KS
(son-in-law of The Flinn's)

STEWARDSHIP HIGHLIGHTS CORNER—

Lisa Goretsas, Kairos Wealth Management,
gave a presentation this morning, 9-10am.

In the near future, we
will publish a link to the
recorded presentation.



REACH

OUR MISSION: To reach out to those
within our congregation who are
reaching out to us in need of help.

Are you a church member in need of:

- Funeral Lite Fare
- Meals following recovery or mourning
- Transport to local medical appointments

Please contact REACH, directly, for help:

REACH—JUNE

Michelle Olson—(443) 605-7569

MONTHLY 90's BIRTHDAYS

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We celebrate our WUMC nonagenarians!

June 26 Mrs. Mary Etta Kirby
701 Sullivan Road
Westminster MD 21157

If we missed you, reach out to Sherri,
s.haines@wumcmd.org.

TEXTING OPTIONS IN WORSHIP OFFERING

Text amount
to 844-307-2876



Mail to POB 2316, Westminster 21158

Online offering—please scan QR code

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REQUESTING PRAYER

Submit prayer requests:

- Online, www.wumcmd.org/prayer-requests.html
- Email Pastor Malcolm,
m.stranathan@wumcmd.org
- Email Rev. Ken, revkenh@starpower.net
- Call the church office, 410-848-8325.