

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Our Lead Pastor on Renewal Leave

Rev. Dr. Malcolm Stranathan and wife, Jacki

Our Church Family

Dixie Elmes	<i>Long-term:</i>
Lorna Rice	Dan LaFon
Karen Gonsman	Chris Clise
Lynne Rittenberg	Wayne Olson
	Christy Swartzbaugh

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

JoAnn (friend of Mary Louise Poole)
Amy Beauchamp (daughter of Charlotte Young)
Killian (8-year-old grandson of Conni & Dave Highfield)
Sherri Haines (church administrative assistant)

Our Global Ministries Missionary & World Vision Child

Nan McCurdy, Miguel Mairena (Puebla Mexico) - GBGM

Those in Military Service

Jonyae Curry, Army
(Director of Youth Ministry at Westminster UMC)
Alex Gray, Air Force, Ft. Eisenhower, GA
(son-in-law of Steve & Darlene Sadowski)
Jason Marusiak, Army, 82nd Airborne Div., Fort Riley, KS
(son-in-law of The Flinns)

ADULT BIBLE STUDY

Leader: Anne Dorwart

Current: Study of the Minor Prophets of the Old Testament, starting with Hosea and going in order from Hosea to Malachi.

NEW LIFE IN CHRIST CLASS

Oct 20-Nov 24, LEARN TO LIVE GRATEFULLY
Teacher: Rev. Dr. Sue Shorb-Sterling
Explore the role of gratitude from biblical, ethical, psychological, and sociological perspectives and discover the benefits of living a grateful life.

REQUESTING PRAYER

Submit your prayer request via online, email, or phone:

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

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—OCTOBER

Linda Catania (410) 596-5067

MONTHLY 90's BIRTHDAYS

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We celebrate our WUMC nonagenarians!

Nov 2 Mrs. Marion Geyer
1000 Weller Circle, Apt 309
Carroll Lutheran Village
Westminster MD 21158

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

EDUCATION HOUR, ages 2yrs-adult

*Register online
for Sunday School,
2yrs-10th grade*



Lower/Preschool Level Hallway
-Nursery Childcare, ages 5yrs & under
-Nursery Sunday School, ages 2-4yrs

Sunday School Tower
-Primary, ages 4yrs-grade 5

Youth House
-Middle/High, grades 6-10

NLIC Room
-New Life in Christ Class

Disciple Room
-The Adult Bible Study Class

TEXTING OPTIONS IN WORSHIP

OFFERING

Text amount
to 844-307-2876

Mail to POB 2316, Westminster 21158

Online offering—please scan QR code

ATTENDANCE

Text "HERE" to 443-234-0806



Attendance — text "HERE" to 443-234-0806.
Visiting?—text "WELCOME" to 443-234-0806.

WELCOME

Greg Goodell

* PASSING THE PEACE May the Peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

PRELUDE

"Take My Life and Let it Be"

arr. Rowland-Rayold

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus calls us today as in every day saying,

"Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also."

**So let us lay up for ourselves treasures in heaven,
and not settle for the treasures of the earth.**

It is written that the Lord loves a cheerful giver,

**So let us give in full measure,
that our joy in the Lord may be complete.**

It is a good and joyful thing, always to give thanks.

So let us be thanks-filled in the joy of our giving!

* HYMN

"All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

UMH 75

GATHERING PRAYER

Great you are, O Lord, and greatly to be praised. You have brought forth the seed of the ground in due season and the fruit of the vine, that your people should neither hunger nor thirst of body or spirit. The sum of your kindnesses, providence, and mercy is greater than our capacity for thanks, but not beyond our joy in believing and receiving. Our hearts are restless 'til they dwell with you. We draw nearer with our praise, expressed in generous giving and conscientious tending to the gifts you have given us and all your children. So may we be both faithful stewards and cheerful givers. Amen.

A JOYFUL WITNESS

Larry Bohn

KIDS' TIME

ANTHEM

"Be My Church"

Lantz

STEPPING UP, STEPPING OUT

Jennifer Munch

PASTORAL PRAYER/COMMUNITY PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER (UMH 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.

GOD'S WORD IS READ II Corinthians 9:6-9 (RSV); John 2:8-11 (RSV/KMHV)

REFLECTING UPON GOD'S WORD

"An Affair of the Heart ... The Rest of the Story"

Rev. Ken Humbert

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

OFFERTORY

"Consider and Hear Me"

arr. Wilson

*Doxology

"Bless Thou the Gifts"

UMH 587

*Offertory Prayer

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.

* HYMN

"Blessed Assurance"

UMH 369

* SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE (please be seated)

"Paeon of Praise"

Smith

THIS MORNING,
WE WELCOME TO THE PULPIT:

Rev. Ken Humbert

Bio for Rev. Ken Humbert is in your August Herald newsletter, page 2. Additional August Herald newsletters available in the narthex & online at our website's "What's New" tab or directly at www.wumcmd.org/monthly-newsletters.html.



BWC BLOOD DRIVE

BWC MISSION CENTER IN FULTON

SAT, NOV 2, 9am-2pm

The Baltimore-Washington Conference is in Partnership with Project SPIRIT Sickle Cell, Inc. and the American Red Cross to host a blood drive. For more info, see BWC flyer on our Community Bulletin Board.

CONTRIBUTE TO DISASTER RELIEF FOR RECENT HURRICANES—You can make a financial donation with checks payable to WUMC, marked "UMCOR" in the memo line. 100% of all gifts go directly to relief work. (no "overhead") We will forward donations to UMCOR, who will get them to those who need it most.

As countless families and communities face the overwhelming aftermath of two catastrophic storms, UMCOR is supporting conference disaster response ministries across the region. Cleaning and hygiene kits are being delivered. Early Response Teams are removing debris, tarping roofs and cleaning homes. Please pray for all impacted, as well as first responders and volunteers! Together, United Methodists can help bring hope and healing.

ADVENT TRADITIONS DEVOTIONAL

SUBMISSIONS DUE OCT 30—Electronic submissions (WORD doc) to Carolyn Scott: carolynss@yahoo.com. Mailed submissions to: Carolyn Scott, 1000 Weller Circle, Apt. 214, Westminster, MD 21157 —or— submit to a Worship Arts Team member before worship (narthex) / after worship (front, near piano).

SING THE SEASON!

Join the Chancel Choir to sing the four Sundays of Advent and Christmas Eve. Rehearsals are every Wednesday, 7:30pm, Nov 13 through Dec 18 (exception Tues. Nov 26 rather than Wed. Nov 27). The anthems for these services will be practiced first in rehearsal. Please contact Kyler to let him know of your interest: k.brengle@wumcmd.org; call/text 443-789-9754.

JOYFUL WITNESS (10:30am service)

Share your 3-minute joyful witness! Contact ronniecbohn@gmail.com to schedule.



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TAKIN'-UP-TUESDAYS!

FASTING & PRAYER, TUESDAYS THRU NOV 5
Takin'-Up-Tuesday weekly posts are on our website www.wumcmd.org and Facebook.

SO(UL)JOURN IN THE HOLY WORD!

YOU... ACTUALLY WRITING SCRIPTURE

THE STORY OF JESUS' BIRTH—

A Kinetic Learning experience. Scripture will be presented HERE during Night in Bethlehem and in our Christmas Eve services. TODAY, after church... Sign up to participate.

SERVICE NOTES INFORMATION BOX

8:15am/10:30am—Music: Peggy Brengle, CAGO-organist Leading Worship: Rev. Kenneth Humbert
10:30am—Chancel Choir: Kyler Brengle, Director Liturgist: Greg Goodell
ASL Interpreter: Bill Pond Slides: Kyler Brengle AV Techs: tbd

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