THANK YOU FOR REGISTERING ATTENDANCE VIA TEXT
Please text your FIRST/LAST NAME: 443-234-0806

* please stand

Restroom use during worship - youth, especially, are encouraged to access private restrooms via the exit door, front left wall near the altar rail.

WELCOME — Lorna Rice

PRELUDE — *"When Peace Like a River"* — arr. Burkhardt

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Blessed are those who mourn, for God promises comfort and hope.

People: We remember the saints who have gone before us and give thanks for their lives.

Leader: Blessed are those who hunger for righteousness, show mercy, and work for peace.

People: We seek the joy and blessing that come from living in God's ways.

Leader: Our present circumstances do not define the fullness of God's promises.

All: We worship with hope, trusting that God's work of love and grace is not finished yet!

* OPENING HYMN — *"For All the Saints"* — UMH 711

stanzas **1-2 ALL**, 4 Choir (only), **6 ALL**

* GATHERING PRAYER

Eternal God, source of every blessing, we give thanks for the saints who have gone before us and the ways their lives revealed your love. Comfort us in our grief and strengthen us in our hope. Remind us that the circumstances of today do not define the promises of tomorrow, for your work is not finished yet. Guide us as we seek to follow Christ and live as faithful witnesses of your grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* PASSING THE PEACE The peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

KIDS' TIME

ANTHEM *"All Shall Be Amen and Alleluia"* Thomas Keesecker

COMMUNITY PRAYER / LORD'S PRAYER (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 Matthew 5:1-12 (CEB)

REFLECTING UPON GOD'S WORD "The Source of Happiness" Pastor Amanda McMurtrey

ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE

OUR MEMBERS—Eileen Burgher, Jackie Cage, Tom Groft, Sally Majewski, Faye Rosier, Carolyn Scott, Martha Weser, Gary Wilson

OUR FAMILY—Robert Greenway, Susan Hershberger, Sue Hurwitz, Gerry Pardini, Joan Wilburn, Albert Vogel, Sr.

COMMUNION LITURGY

MUSIC DURING COMMUNION "*Deep River*" arr. Owens

Text your offering 844-307-2876; Give online at www.wumcmd.org; or Mail to: Westminster UMC, 165 E Main Street, Westminster, MD 21157. Thank you.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION
Gracious God, we give thanks for this holy meal that nourishes our faith and unites us with all your saints, past and present. Through this bread and cup, remind us that your love is stronger than death and your promises extend beyond what we can see today. Strengthen us to live with mercy, compassion, and hope, trusting that your work in us and in the world is not finished yet. Send us forth to share your blessings and bear witness to your everlasting grace. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

* CLOSING HYMN *"Joy in the Morning"* (TFWS use recommended) TFWS 2284

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE *"All Saints, All Souls"* arr. Mayernik
please be seated for the Postlude

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

TUESDAY, NOV 3, 1-6pm—JUBILEE HALL
Go to redcross.org and search 21157 to bring up our drive & make your online appointment. Walk-ins welcome, too!

UWFAITH INDOOR YARD SALE

SATURDAY, NOV 7, 8am-1pm—JUBILEE HALL
Come! Shop church and vendor tables.
All the Yard Sale Finds … None of the Weather!

UPCOMING 3-PART SMALL GROUP STUDY "LOVE ALIKE"

ONSITE - SUNDAYS, 9AM, NOV 8, 15, 22, 29
ZOOM - THURSDAYS, 7PM, NOV 5, 12, 19
Study seeking deeper conversations around identity, justice, and inclusion through the lens of faith, grounded in Wesleyan theology, and shaped by real-life stories with meaningful reflection on how we live out God's call to love—not in sameness, but in solidarity. To sign-up, contact Sharon Row, reconcilingchair@wumcmd.org.

CHRISTMAS WREATHS, POINSETTIAS, AND ALTERNATIVE GIVING

DUE DATE—WREATHS—NOV. 22
DUE DATE—FLOWERS—NOV. 29
DUE DATE—ALTERNATIVE GIVING—DEC. 6

Are you familiar with our Christmas poinsettias, wreaths, and alternative giving? Each order or giving may be accompanied by a dedication printed in the Christmas Eve bulletins.

Orders of wreaths and poinsettias help us decorate our exterior doors (wreaths) and altar area (flowers). Wreaths remain on the doors until Epiphany; poinsettias are available for purchasers to take home after the 7pm Christmas Eve service or after the Dec 27, 10:30am worship service.

Alternative giving is a charitable alternative to support our Loaves & Fishes soup kitchen or to support the church through deficit reduction.

Order forms are on the wall desk in the narthex (to your left when exiting the sanctuary). While there, be sure to take a look at other resources.

SAVE THE DATES

SUN, NOV 22, 11:30am—Advent Wreath Potluck

SUN, NOV 29—Advent begins

FRI, DEC 4, 5:30pm—A Night in Bethlehem
SAT, DEC 5, 5:30pm—A Night in Bethlehem
Interactive and immersive experience; guided tours; costumed characters; a unique opportunity to experience the wonder of Jesus' birth.

SAT, DEC 12, 7pm—Shepherd's Staff Concert

CHRISTMAS EVE, 4pm—Family Service
CHRISTMAS EVE, 7pm—Candlelight Service

DONATIONS FOR NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM

Please consider donating white or solid color FLAT sheets. Please bring donated FLAT sheets to worship and give to Beverly Humbert. Thank you.

HEARING ASSIST—

Six hearing assist devices are available for Sunday worshipers. Questions? See any greeter, Chris Brown, or Larry Bohn or contact Kyler Brengle: k.brengle@wumcmd.org.

COMMUNITY HEALTH SURVEY

Carroll Hospital Ctr and Carroll Co. Health Dept. asked us to share this survey link to help shape health programs & services in Carroll County.

UWFAITH THANK YOU AND RESULTS

Our Annual Rummage Sale garnered $8,700+ in proceeds! A big thanks to all who donated and served. These proceeds will be added to the funds UWFaith donates to local and global charitable organizations.

MONTHLY 90+ BIRTHDAYS

We celebrate our nonagenarians and centenarians!

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

SERVICE NOTES INFORMATION BOX

Music: Peggy Brengle, CAGO-Organist
Chancel Choir: Kyler Brengle, Director
Liturgist: Lorna Rice
Slides: Will Somers
Leading Worship: Rev. Amanda McMurtrey
Praise Band: Rich Umla, Worship Leader
ASL Interpreter: Bill Pond
AV/Slides:

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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."

COMMUNION OFFERING—UM Student Day

Use the UM Special Sunday envelopes on the narthex bulletin table to make your contribution.

BULLETIN PRAYER LIST

Our Church Family

Norman Hirtle
Charles Sterling
Sandy Hirtle
Lorna Rice
Arlene Hirtle
Dixie Elmes
Betty Ridgell
Lily Clendaniel
Susan Harry
Dick & Bonnie Clendaniel

Long-term:
Wayne Olson
Christy Swartzbaugh

Our Family and Friends

(requests in the past two months)

Rev. Dawn Corlew (sister-in-law of Gary & Michele Bowman)
Charles Howren (brother of Debbie Cook)
Amy Beauchamp (daughter of Charlotte Young)
Chris & George (sister & brother-in-law of Carole Roberts)
Robin Watson (daughter of Fern Schmidt)
Mack Demetrakis (great-grandson of The Parlamans)

REQUESTING PRAYER

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

REACH MINISTRY →→→

Are you a church member in need of:

- Funeral Lite Fare
- Meals following recovery/mourning
- Transport to local medical appt's

NOVEMBER
Jan Halman-Miller
(443) 929-2367
Gerri Reck
(410) 848-4908

Please contact coordinators, directly.

In Military Service

Jonyae Curry, Active Duty Army Chaplain
(former WUMC Director of Youth Ministry)

John Sherouse, Air Force, Israel
(good friend of Pastor Malcolm & Jacki)

Alex Gray, Air Force, Ft. Gordon, GA
(son-in-law of Steve & Darlene Sadowski)

Jason Marusiak, Army, 82nd Airborne,
Fort Carson, CO (son-in-law of The Flinns)

ATTENDANCE—
LET US KNOW YOU'RE HERE.

Complete this tear-off for the offering plate or text this info to 443-234-0806.

DATE: _____

YOUR NAME:_____

Names of those with you, today:

_____

☐ Are you a visitor to our church?

Are you seeking a new church home?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Unsure

Preferred contact: _____

THE WEEK AHEAD, ON CAMPUS

church ministries and charter organization

TODAY—All Saints' Sunday
9am Faith Exploration
10:30am Worship
11:45am Children of Hope—Bell Room
6pm Youth Group—Youth House

MONDAY
12:15pm Soup Kitchen—Jubilee Hall

TUESDAY
9:30am NIB Crafts—Olson Suite
10:45am Education Workgroup—SS#200
1pm Red Cross Blood Drive—Jubilee Hall
1pm Archive Project—Conference Room

WEDNESDAY
11am Fellowship Lunch OFFSITE—CLV Bistro
6:30pm Handbell Rehearsal—Bell Room
7:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal—Choir Room

THURSDAY—Deadline for Dec/Jan Herald articles
10:30am Staff Meeting—ConfRm
6pm Praise Band Rehearsal—Sanctuary

FRIDAY
9:15am Susanna Circle—Youth House
12:15pm Soup Kitchen—Jubilee Hall
2pm SETUP Indoor Yard Sale—Jubilee Hall

SATURDAY
8am UWFaith Indoor Yard Sale—Jubilee Hall