

10:30am Traditional Service

WE APPROACH GOD

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements Betty Hughes

Special UWF Recognition

*Call to Worship

Opening Hymn #2168 “Love the Lord Your God” Faith We Sing

*Affirmation of Faith #881 The Apostles' Creed

*Gloria Patri #70

Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer Rev. Dwight Cartner

Tithes and Offering

*Doxology #95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

WE HEAR FROM GOD

Children’s Time Donna White

Anthem “One Pair of Hands”

Scripture Exodus 2:1-10 Stacey Roop

Sermon “Put It In The Basket”

WE RESPOND TO GOD

*Closing Hymn #382 “Have Thine Own Way, Lord”

*Benediction Betty Hughes

Postlude

**All who are able, please stand*

Oak Forest UMC Staff

Rev. Rick Carter, Pastor
Rev. Dwight Cartner, Congregation Care Associate
Linda Anthony, Director of Music Ministries
Kim Barnes, Administrative Assistant
Gil Hill, Director of Audio Visual
Dianne Johnson, Social Media Coordinator
Tabitha Jones, Preschool Coordinator
Ben Roop, Director of Children & Youth Ministries, Church Treasurer, After School & Summer Camp Director
Stacey Roop, Assistant Director of Children & Youth Ministries

****The August Vital Connection is now on the church website—www.ofumc.org**

Announcements

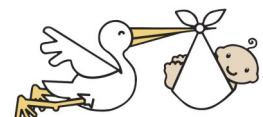
Blood Drive Update. Thank you to all who donated to the blood drive. Thirty-four units were donated. Our next blood drive is scheduled for December 4th.

Financial Peace Class. This class begins Tuesday night at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary. You can still register on-line or with Carla Dry. Cost is \$30.

Wednesday Weekly Prayer Service. The weekly prayer service on **August 17th** from 6:15pm until 6:45pm in the church sanctuary led by members of our congregation. This is a time of praises and prayer requests. Karen Wall will be speaking.

Chicken Pies. We need your help cooking chicken and making chicken pies for the Fall Bazaar! We will be cooking on Thursday, **August 18th** beginning at 8:00am and making pies on Friday, **August 19th** at 6:00pm. Come help if you can!

Never Too Old Game Night. Game night will be Thursday night at 6:00pm in the large FLC classroom. Also the **Never Too Old Club** will meet for lunch on **August 22nd** at 11:00am at the Carriage House Restaurant Winston-Salem. RSVP to Louise Thompson at 704-996-7228 or Jane Vannoy at 336-788-5811 by Thursday.

 **Diaper Drop for Baby Roop.** The SPRC is sponsoring a Diaper Drop **August 21st** through **August 28th** for Ben and Stacey. Please consider bringing diapers, baby wipes and gift cards for our wonderful church staff as they welcome their new arrival. Bring items to either the Sanctuary entrance or the FLC entrance.

Disciple Bible Study Class. There’s still time to sign up for this class led by Pastor Rick on Tuesdays at 6:30pm beginning on **September 13th**. Cost is \$30. Please contact the office or Pastor Rick if you have any questions.

Cruise-In Flyers are available FLC foyer and Church Narthex. If you know someone who has a specialty car, please take them a flyer.

Will You Volunteer? We need volunteers for the 9:00am Children’s Church and the 10:30am Nursery. Please see Stacey or Ben for more information.

GREETERS

August 14th 9:00am	Jay & Lu Ann Deweese
August 14th 10:30am	Billie McGuire & Jane Vannoy

USHERS THIS SUNDAY

Team #9—Nancy Hiatt, Cheryl Cope, Kathy Myers, Janet MacKay

ATTENDANCE (8/7/22)

9:00 Contemporary Service:	57	
10:30 Traditional Service:	87	
Wednesday Night Service (8/10)	30	Total Weekly Attendance: 184
9:00 Facebook Live	5	
10:30 Facebook Live	5	

OFFERING

Weekly Offering Received	\$7,255.13
Weekly Offering Needed	\$5,448.00

Grain Offering. Please don’t forget to donate to the grain offering that is collected on the first Sunday of the month! If you would like to donate, you can bring 2 lbs bags of flour and sugar to the church office at your convenience. Thank you for your donations!

Prayer List (August 7—August 10, 2022)

Please keep these individuals and families in your prayers this week!

JOYS: Josh Andrews will be the Media Assistant at Oak Grove Middle School; Prayers answered for Jason & Tammy Ferrell—Jason’s dad, Jerry Ferrell was found on Friday (8/5); ASP will celebrate End of Summer next Sunday at the 9:00am Worship Service; Red Cross Blood Drive collected 34 pints of blood on Sunday; Grain Offering collected 51 units for July; Stacey & Ben Roop expecting baby boy in October

Church: After school, Full day, and Preschool programs at Oak Forest; all the efforts and hard work to keep everyone safe at our church

Concerns: Ukraine situation. Covid concerns. Individuals: Al Alexander; Dennis Anthony; Suzanne Arnold; Carol Barber; Micheal Beeson (son-in-law of Larry Cromer); John Boggs; Charlie Brewer; Stewart Brewer; Bev Brooks’ in-laws in Ukraine; Tim Bryan; Jason Clodfelter; Judy Clodfelter; Cheryl Cope; Gerri Dee Crummett; Shayda Dunning (niece of Donna White); Jennie Ellington; Kathryn Fowler (daughter of Dwight & Carol Cartner); Ruth Gentry; Jan Harper (sister-in-law of Nancy Spence); Linda Harris; Mark Howard (cousin of Rick Carter); Etta Rachel Howard (aunt of Rick Carter); Toby Hughes (son of Glenn & Betty Hughes); Emily & Dallas King; Sandra Mendenhall (sister of Billie McGuire); James Ogle; LaDonya Pope; Kaye Reeves (sister of Linda Anthony); Warren Reynolds (father of Sam Reynolds); Mark Sanders; Brittany Smith (friend of Dwight & Cathy Smith); Virgie Snyder; Kathy Strader (friend of Betty Hughes); Gene Sykes; Avery Walker (brother of Steve Walker)

Those who are grieving: Andrews/Tise family; Dillon/Campbell family; Jones family; Smith/Hoard family; Spence/Harper family; Swain/Bunn family; Bowman/Witzberger family

Homefriends (Members): Theresa Capps; Jennie Ellington; Phyllis Everhart (Buck); Ruth Gentry; Velva Kennedy; Joanne Lomax; John & Betty McGee; Marilyn White

Special Care Facilities: Sue Alexander; Betty Capps; Judy Graham; Roseanne Marion; Cornelia Motsinger; Nancy Ratledge; Sherwood & Ann Rettmann

Receiving treatment or recovering from cancer treatment: Al Alexander, Carol Barber; Gerri Dee Crummett; Morgan Hanks (nephew of Linda Anthony); Sandra Mendenhall (sister of Billie McGuire); Mark Sanders; Monica Stewart

Military: Nicholas "Nick" Bryan (son of Tim & Micki Bryan); Alex Cook (grandson of Glenn & Betty Hughes); Jake Duncan (son of Todd & Angie Weavil); Mason Hicks (son of Scott & Leigh Hicks); Toby Hughes (son of Glenn & Betty Hughes); Dan Lowery (nephew of Joe Lowery); Kaylen Mylee (daughter of Terry & Tina Inman); Dylan Rogers (nephew of Gale Sicard)

Children/Youth Ministry Info

- Nursery Care is provided during our 9:00am and 10:30am worship services for Infants through 4 years old
- Join us for Children’s class (5-years old & up) every Sunday during the 9:00am service or special Children’s Message at the 10:30am service
- If you are interested in participating in a Bible Study for Middle/High School girls, contact Stacey Roop at Stacey.roop@ofumc.org. The study will be using “Defined: Who God Says You Are” by Priscilla Shirer.
- If you are interested in joining a Bible Study for Middle/High School boys, contact Ben Roop at ben.roop@ofumc.org
- If you are interested in volunteer opportunities in Children & Youth Ministry, contact Ben or Stacey Roop.
- Summer Program Church Service on Sunday August 21st at 9:00am (Kids will be performing songs & a picture slideshow of this summer’s fun). Children & Youth Ministry will be providing a gift for all children & youth that attend that day.
- Check us out on social media page for activity/event details, video lessons, resources, photos & more!

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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August 14, 2022
10th Sunday after Pentecost

9:00 am & 10:30 am
Worship

Welcome to Worship at Oak Forest United Methodist Church!

When Christians worship, we step into an alternative world. Liturgy and ritual, hymns and prayers invite us into another landscape. Jesus’ words and the experience of his presence peel back the rhetoric that pummels our eardrums so that we are able to hear him say to us, “Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.”

(John 14:27, NRSV)

9:00am Contemporary Service

Welcome & Announcements

Children’s Church Dismissal

*Call to Worship

Betty Hughes

*Opening Songs

“Our God”

“Give You Glory”

Praises and Prayer Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Rev. Dwight Cartner

Time of Offering

Song

“Glorify Thy Name”

Scripture

Exodus 2:1-10

Stacey Roop

Sermon

“Put It In The Basket”

*Closing Song

“Voice of Truth”

Benediction

Betty Hughes

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