

*Welcome to
Otterbein United Methodist Church*

August 6, 2023

10:30 am

Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

*Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.*

THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP

We Gather to Worship the Lord

Welcome

Prelude *Great Redeemer, We Adore Thee* arr. Page

*Greeting (*from Psalm 145*)

L: The Lord is gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

P: The Lord is good to all, his compassion is over all his creation.

L: All the Lord's ways are just,

P: all the Lord's doings are kind.

L: The Lord is near to all who call,

P: to all who call upon the Lord in truth.

*Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn No. 127, UMH
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

Children's Time in Worship Maryann Wolfe

We Proclaim the Word of God

Prayer of Illumination

Guatemala Presentation

Anthem	<i>Holy Lord</i>	arr. Fettke
*Gospel Lesson	Matthew 14:13-21	(NT, page 16)
Sermon	“MIRACLE”	Rev. Adam Blagg

Announcements

We Give Our Thanks

Invitation, Confession, Pardon, & Peace		No. 12, UMH
*Hymn	<i>Break Thou the Bread of Life</i>	No. 599, UMH
*Doxology		No. 95, UMH
Prayer of Dedication		
Celebration of Holy Communion		No. 13, UMH
Pastoral Prayer		

We Go Forth Renewed

*Closing Hymn	<i>All Who Hunger</i>	No. 2126, TFWS
*Benediction		
*Postlude	<i>O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	arr. Powell

This Week's Opportunities

Sunday, August 6

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship

Monday, August 7

4:30 pm Soup Kitchen
5:00 pm Clothes Closet

Tuesday, August 8

10:00 am UWF—Rm. 204

Wednesday, August 9

6:00 pm Admin. Council—
Rm 204
7:15 pm Sanctuary Choir

Thursday, August 10

Friday, August 11

Saturday, August 12

Sunday, August 13

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship

Lay Reader:

Susan Pollard

Attendance Last Sunday:

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Next Week's Nursery Volunteers:

Loretta Crider & Lena Blagg

Otterbein in Prayer

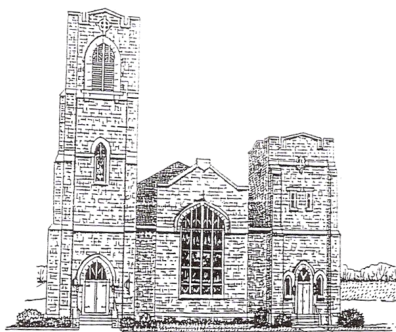
Phyllis Albrite
Susie Ayala
David Angier
Wanda Baker
Gary Billingsley
Millie Bruce
Rev. Louis Carson
Fern Cline
Cliff & Jean Davis
Ann Dellinger
Jo Ellen Dickenson
Mike Earman
Dennis Gaines
Ray & Audrey Griffith
Sue Haag
Doris Hanger
Norma Heath
Richard Holmes
Jeff Johnson
Hailey Joiner
Allene McCoy
Mary Jo Mitchell
Philip Moyers
George & Betty Painter
BJ Payne
Judy Pruett
Linda Ridder
Mary Ellen Rohrbaugh
Kay Schaefer
Maggie Sparks
Dot Swartz
Juanita Taylor
Daisy VanPelt



*The flowers on the altar today are given in honor of Rev. Adam & Christy Blagg on the occasion of their 25th Wedding Anniversary and to the glory of God by their family:
Jacob, Kira, Lena, & Micah Blagg,
Lee & Marilyn Blagg, and Jim & Pat Wingert.*

Announcements

- **United Women in Faith** invites all women to join us for fellowship and food **Tuesday, August 8 at 10 am in Room 204**. This meeting will be our first since May and we're eager to look ahead to new opportunities for study, service, and growth in our faith. ***Current members are encouraged to bring brunch items to share AND if you have read an interesting book on the reading program list, be ready to briefly tell us something about it. Talk to other women about coming! Let's make this a great time for fellowship! Questions? Please contact Pat Wingert (540-405-2204).
- **Newsletter Deadline**—Just a reminder that the **deadline** for the **September Tidings** is **Tuesday, August 15 by 3 pm**. This month is a short turn-around, so late submissions cannot be accommodated.
- **United Methodist Men's Sunday** is planned for Morning Worship on **Sunday, August 27**. The **Men's Choir will practice** on **Wednesday, August 23 at 7:00 pm** and **Saturday, August 26 at 9:00 am** in the Sanctuary. Those who would like to sing with the Men's Choir are invited to attend these practices. Ricky Goodwyn, Jr., a past member of the College Chorale, will be speaking during the service.
- **Assisted Listening Devices** and **large print bulletins and hymnals** are **available**. Please see an usher for assistance.



**TLC Person
of the Week:**

Juanita Taylor
1332 Woodland Park Circle
Harrisonburg, VA 22802

*Remember Juanita this
week with a note or a card.
Let's show her Otterbein's
"tender, loving care"!*

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday - Thursday: 8 am - 3 pm
Friday: Closed