

Welcome to Otterbein United Methodist Church

June 22, 2025

10:30 am

Second 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

Flutes

Langlais

Laura Douglass, organist

***Greeting**

L: When we long for your presence,

P: you are there with us, O source of comfort.

L: When we face dangers and perils,

P: you are there for us, O source of strength.

L: When we need to do justice,

P: you are there within us, O source of courage.

L: So we come with songs and praises,

**P: that all the ends of the earth and all the families of the nations may
know of your love. Let us praise God!**

***Opening Prayer**

***Opening Hymn** *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

No. 452, UMH

Children's Time in Worship

Karen Cannon

We Proclaim the Word of God

Prayer of Illumination

Mission Moment Isaiah 117 House Jenny Butcher

Epistle Lesson Galatians 3:23-29 (NT, pg. 189)

Sermon “BELONG TO CHRIST” Rev. Adam Blagg

Baptism No. 39, UMH

Announcements

We Give Our Thanks

Invitation, Confession, Pardon, & Peace No. 12, UMH

*Hymn *Here I Am, Lord* No. 593, UMH

*Doxology No. 95, UMH

Prayer of Dedication

Celebration of Holy Communion No. 13, UMH

Pastoral Prayer

We Go Forth Renewed

*Closing Hymn No. 445, UMH

Happy the Home When God Is There

*Benediction

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| *Postlude | <i>Pasticcio</i> | Langlais |
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*We celebrate the baptism of **Ryder James Drees** today.
Ryder is the son of Casey Andrade & Ryan Drees and the
grandson of Kevin & Bonnie Andrade.*

This Week's Opportunities

Sunday, June 22

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship
11:30 am SPRC Meeting—Rm.
204

Monday, June 23

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

Tuesday, June 24

1:00 pm Tidings Crew—Rm. 204
6:00 pm Admin. Council

Wednesday, June 25

7:15 pm Choir

Thursday, June 26

Friday, June 27

Saturday, June 28

7:30 am UMM Meeting—MH
2:00 pm Norma Heath Mem.
Service—Mill Creek
Church of the Brethren

Sunday, June 29

9:30 am Sunday School
10:30 am Worship



*The flowers on the
altar today are given
to the glory of God and in
celebration of Ryder
James Drees' baptism,
with love from Grandma
and Grandpa.*

Otterbein in Prayer

David Angier
Rosalie Bailey
Carole Barber
Gary Billingsley
Whitney Bradley
Millie Bruce
Rev. Louis Carson
Nissa D'Andrea
Cliff Davis
Ann Dellinger
Jo Ellen Dickenson
Elva Downs
Mike Earman
Judi Espinoza
Charles Glassick
Ray Griffith
Art Hanger
Fred Hopkins
Tina Jolly
Steve Lily
Chuck Macklin
Liam Macomber
Art & Mary Jo Mitchell
BJ Payne
Maxine Perry
Judy Pruett
Emma Rexrode
Dot Swartz
Carolyn Stroop
Juanita Taylor
Daisy VanPelt
Michelle VanPelt
Hazel Willi
Gina Wyse

Lay Reader:

Bill Pollard

Attendance Last Sunday:

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Next Week's Nursery Volunteers:

Mary Sue Wenger & Anna Steele

- **Celebrating the Firefly**—The Creation Care Taskforce invites you to attend "*Celebrating the Firefly (lightening bug)*," **Tuesday, June 24th, 8:45—10:45 pm** at **Heritage Oaks Golf Course** (680 Garbers Church Rd, Harrisonburg). See details on the Creation Care Taskforce bulletin board.
- **Lunch Out**—Our next lunch out will be **Wednesday, July 2 at The Galley** (2430 S. Main Street, Harrisonburg). We will meet at the restaurant.
- **Directory Update**—We would like to print an updated address directory soon. **Please submit any changes or additions to the office by Monday, June 30.** (oumcdadm@hotmail.com, 540-434-7747, or put them in Melissa's box)
- **Summer Book Studies**—This summer Otterbein is offering you the opportunity to read a book with us. You will find below a wide variety of selections; pick one or more and start reading! In the next few weeks, we will provide a chance for you to indicate what you are reading and we will plan a time for each group to gather with their leader for a discussion. Hopefully, you will find something of interest to read this summer from our list. Enjoy!
 - ***The Undertaking*** by Thomas Lynch (Adam Blagg)
 - ***Political Tribes*** by Amy Chau (Adam Blagg)
 - ***Gilead*** by Marilynne Robinson (Christy Blagg)
 - ***Night*** by Elie Wiesel (Adam Blagg)
 - ***Address Unknown*** by Kathrine Kressmann Taylor (Peg Harkness)
 - ***Keeping Creation*** by Caleb Cray Haynes (Betty Redmond)
 - ***The Tears of Things*** by Richard Rohr (Dan Brown)
 - ***Living Resistance: An Indigenous Vision for Seeking Wholeness Every Day*** by Kaitlin B. Curtice (Jim Wingert)
 - ***Forgiveness in the First Degree*** by Hammer & Robinson (Kathy Billhimer)
- **Employment Opportunity**—Weekday Religious Education (WRE) is seeking a Bible Teacher for Cub Run Elementary School in Penn Laird. To find out more or to obtain an application, please call the WRE office at 540-438-9997, 540-908-1964, or email WRERocks1929@gmail.com.
- **Clothes Closet**—The clothes closet is in need of **NEW white athletic socks for men and women**. This is our biggest request, especially in the summer. Thank you in advance if you can help the closet fulfill this constant need.

**TLC Person
of the Week:**

Mary Ann Glendye
1045-C Moore Street
Harrisonburg, VA 22802

*Remember Mary Ann 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