

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are excited to again offer coffee outside on the lawn before Worship Service.

Thank you to our hosts/hostesses .

May 26: Sue Dostal, Josh Taylor, Sandy Blank

June 2: Caro MacCourtney, Julie Savage

9: Betty Campbell, Tammy Holland

IF anyone would like to volunteer, please contact the church office.

Sunday School: immediately after the 10:00 service in the conference room. Join Debbie Wallin as she leads a new video on the book of Joshua by Louie Giglio.

Today: In Annabel's absence, we appreciate our guest pianist, Mary Stinson.

Wednesday Dinner/Bible Study and Tuesday Bible Study: We are on summer break. We will resume in the fall.

WNK will continue to meet during the summer.

June 1: WNK 3rd Annual Yard/Craft Sale Event: 8 AM—2 PM in the Cross Roads UMC Gym. Rent a table for \$20.00, bring your items/crafts to sell. You keep your profits and pack up and take home whatever did not sell. See Martha Gill to Reserve your table. This is a great fundraiser that supports the activities and charities of WNK.

June 2: Meeting Night

June 5: September Club will met at noon.

Asbury Woods Summer camps: scan the bar codes for details.



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“Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.”



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TRINITY SUNDAY

10:00 AM: WORSHIP SERVICE & GOD'S BIG HOUSE (PRE-K - 5TH GRADE)

11:10 AM: ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL (CONFERENCE ROOM)

To parents of young children: Relax! God put the wiggles in children; don't feel you have to suppress those wiggles in God's house. Consider sitting toward the front where it is easier for your little ones to engage. Explain parts of the service and actions of the pastor, musicians, and leaders. Sing the songs, pray, and voice the responses. Children learn behavior by mimicking you. If you have to leave the Sanctuary with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. You and your child are a blessing to the church and this congregation. After the Children's Moments, children are welcomed and encouraged to stay and be part of the service or if you choose they can attend God's Big House (Ages: K-5th Grade upstairs with Mr. Andrew and our volunteers) or the Nursery (Ages: Newborn to Pre-K on the main level with Ms. Sarah and our volunteers). As Jesus said, "Let the children come to me."

*Congregation is invited to stand, if able.

GATHERING MUSIC

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

*SONG OF PRAISE: Here I Am to Worship

*CALL TO WORSHIP LED BY SUE DOSTAL

L: GOD, SOMETIMES WE SHOW UP TO WORSHIP READY TO ENCOUNTER YOUR PRESENCE.

P: WE KNOW YOU ARE ALWAYS WITH US.

L: SOMETIMES WE CATCH GLIMPSES OF YOU AT HOME, WORK, OR SCHOOL—IN A SMILE, IN A GENTLE BREEZE, IN THE JOY OF BEING TOGETHER

P: WE KNOW YOU ARE ALWAYS WITH US.

L: BUT GOD, WE HESITATE TO ENCOUNTER YOU IN ALL OF YOUR GLORY, AFRAID TO BE OVERWHELMED BY YOUR LOVE AND HOLINESS.

P: AND YET, WE KNOW YOU ARE ALWAYS WITH US IN THE FULLNESS OF YOUR GLORY.

L: READY OUR HEARTS TODAY TO ENCOUNTER MORE OF YOUR GLORY, YOUR LOVE, HOLINESS, AND GLORY THAT IS ALWAYS PRESENT WITH US.

P: WE COME TODAY TO ENTER THE DANCE OF THE ALL-CONSUMING PRESENCE OF THE TRINITY—FATHER, SON, AND HOLY SPIRIT. AMEN.

*OPENING PRAYER (IN UNISON) LED BY SUE DOSAL

*Creating God, high beyond our understanding,
we worship your mystery! Redeeming God, deep
beyond our deserving, we worship your
mystery! Inspiring God, near beyond
our perceiving, we worship your
mystery! Amen!*

CHORAL ANTHEM

CROSS ROADS UMC CHOIR

A TIME FOR CHILDREN WITH DIANE VARNUM

This, this is where children belong.
Welcomed as part of our worship and song.
Hearing God's Word, sharing love all along.
This is where children belong.

*SONG OF PREPARATION: AMERICA

UMH 697

SCRIPTURE: ROMANS 8:12-17 (NRSV) READ BY SUE DOSTAL

THIS IS THE WORD OF GOD. DO YOU BELIEVE IT?

YES, WE BELIEVE IT.

MESSAGE: SPIRIT OF ADOPTION

REV. DUSTIN MCCUNE

A TIME OF PRAYER

A TIME OF GIVING

*DOXOLOGY

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.

*A SONG OF INVITATION: AMERICA THE BEAUTIFUL UMH 696

*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTIONAL SONG:

THE BLESSING LED BY MARIS AND GIANNA ALUISE

The Lord bless you and keep you. Make His face shine upon you
and be gracious to you. The Lord turn His face toward you
and give you peace. Amen.

*BENEDICTIONAL PRAYER

POSTLUDE