



# “Transitions”

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### Mission Statement

“The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the World”.

### Apple Pie Ridge Campus:

362 Apple Pie Ridge Road,  
across from the elementary school.

## WE WELCOME YOU TO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

THE TEAR SHEET IN THE BULLETIN is provided for your convenience. As you arrive for worship, please fill it out including your prayer “joy and concern” as well as indicating your desire to participate in some of the ministries and activities provided by our church. Thank you!

WORSHIP IS CENTRAL to the life of our church. Next week, a FUMC Lay Servant continues the series titled “Transitions” with the sermon “ Who?” In preparation, you are invited to read I Samuel 15:34-16:13

Premiering in the July Newsletter is the new section specifically for our church members:

### “Wishes, Announcements, and Messages”

It will give the opportunity to extend

- wishes to others of milestones (birthdays, anniversaries),
- share announcements of life events (births, weddings)
- notes of “thank you” for the FUMC family

Send your article requests by the 15th of the month to the Office Manager at fumcoffice@fumcwinchester.org



Children Are Important at First Church!

FUMC offers Children's Church during our 8:30 & 11am worship services. We also provide a nursery during our 9:45am Sunday School hour. For a list of upcoming Children's Church topics, please visit the information board located outside of the nursery, Room 105.

## Happening TODAY!!!!

### Musician Appreciation Day

During Worship Services  
At 8:30 and 11am

### Lay Visitation Team 2.0 Meeting

At 9:45am between the worship services in The Gathering Place, a brief one hour training will be conducted. Volunteers are needed to be an additional, regular, contact with some of our mobility challenged members. They are needed to help with regular visitation when Rev. White is on vacation or tied up with significant matters related to his role as an Elder. Volunteers are needed to help our church by being an additional welcoming voice for newcomers and visitors.

### Community Garden Tour

Meet at 1:00pm at the APR to see how things are *growing* Hope to see you there!!!

### FIRST FEEDS!

At 11:00am, join Donna White and her team in this ministry. Come to the kitchen to help prepare the meals and also in the delivery.

A farewell reception for Winchester District Superintendent **Larry Thompson**

At 2:00 pm at Macedonia United Methodist Church  
1941 Macedonia Church Rd,  
White Post, VA



# Upcoming Events



Serving in Worship Next Sunday, June 17, 2018 at 8:30 and 11:00am

Acolytes: Sophia Palombi 8:30am ☪ Kaitlyn Nichols 11:00am Worship Leader: Ralph Gronlund

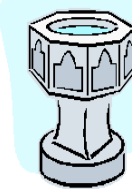
### ABBREVIATION LEDGER

APR - Apple Pie Ridge Campus	OT - Old Testament	TOP - Teens Opposing Poverty
FUMC - First United Methodist Church	RNP - Reaching New People	UMC - United Methodist Church
GF - General Fund	STZ - Stanza	UMH - United Methodist Hymnal
HO - Hunger Offering	TFWS - The Faith We Sing	UMM/W - United Methodist Men/Women
NT - New Testament	TGP - The Gathering Place	

### Baptism Class

Have you been baptized? Have your children been baptized? If your answer to any of those questions is “no”, then please join us on Sunday, June 24, at 9:45am in The Gathering Place for a class with Rev. White.

Sign up using the Tear Sheet.



### NEXT SUNDAY - Father's Day Memory Table

We want to remember Fathers on June 17 in worship. Men and women of the church whose fathers have died are asked to bring in framed photos, or other small memorabilia, for a memory table that will be on display in worship on Father's Day, June 17.

Please bring these items to the Church Office as soon as possible. Label the back of your frames or items with your name and phone number so that they can be returned. You can pick them up after the 11am service on Father's Day.

### Friday, June 22nd is MOVIE NIGHT

We'll watch the movie, “Cars 3” in The Gathering Place munching on popcorn after a pizza dinner ... and ...

A Get Rolling Worship Service  
Sign up on the Tear Sheet.

Always wanted to play a part in the movies? Be the Project Manager for a Movie Night for the July or August. ... Lights! ... Camera! ... Action! ...  
Sign up on the Tear Sheet.

### COFFEE/LUNCH/DINNER WITH THE PASTOR

Please note “Coffee with the Pastor” is weekly on Thursdays at 1:00pm at the Espresso Bar and Café located in the Loudon Street walking mall. The monthly “Lunch with the Pastor” is the last Monday of each month at Mission BBQ at noon. And the monthly “Dinner with the Pastor” is the last Thursday of the month at TGIF at 6:30pm.

Join Rev. White at this fellowship opportunity. Please see your Tear Sheet for dates and to sign up!

## Prayer Concerns

Please remember the following individuals in your prayers:

Andy Kiser, Amy and Stanley Barnes, Reba Cooper, Nancy Crim, Phyllis Lee, Emily Dick, Phyllis Steele, Herbert Darr, Elsie Benegar, Tabby Starks, Stuart Perry, Olin Wright, Eric Hoffman, Anne Ellington, Bob Gray, Eyram Wayem and Edith Schroer.

# Tear Sheet

## Visitors & Members

Please fill out as applicable, then hand to the Worship Leader during the first hymn.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

- Visitor: 06/10/2018
- Desire a Call/Visit
- Wish to become a Member
- Am a Member
  - Please update my info!
- Desire a Call/ Visit

## Prayer Request

### Joy/Concern

\_\_\_\_\_

Submitted by: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- Do not read aloud
- Please share with congregation
- For Church Prayer Chain



- Coffee with the Pastor, Every Thursday, Espresso Bar and Café, Downtown Walking Mall, 1:00pm
- Lunch with the Pastor, on the third week of June, Monday, June 25th, Mission BBQ, 12:00pm
- Dinner with the Pastor, on the fourth week of June, Thursday, June 28th, TGI Fridays, 6:30pm

Sunday, June 10, 2018

# Order of Worship

8:30 & 11:00 am

**Welcome Everyone!** We are delighted to have you in worship. If you are visiting with us for the first time, please use the Tear Sheet portion of the bulletin to provide us with your information. If you would like to join our church, please indicate this on the Tear-Sheet portion as well. Please greet others as they arrive for worship..

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Worship Leader Greg Bowman                      Acolyte 8:30 am - Zeke Wilfong & 11:00 am - Sophia Palombi  
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*The service for today is built on the model of an early twentieth-century Methodist service (1905 Methodist Hymnal). As such, the pastor ("minister" in 1905 language) takes a more active role.*

*Today, the service will also include Musician Appreciation.*

Chimes	<i>The people are seated in preparation for worship.</i>	
Welcome and Announcements		Rev. White
Prelude		Acolyte
Call to Worship	"Jubilate Deo"	Chancel Choir
Collection of Bulletin Tear Sheets		Worship Leader
*Singing	"Blessed Assurance"	#369 (UHM)
*Apostles' Creed		#881 (UMH)
Scripture for the Day	1 Samuel 8:4-11, (12-15), 16-20	Sophia Palombi
Worship in the presentations of Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory Anthem	"In the Sweet By and By"	Chancel Choir
Musician Recognition		Ralph Gronlund
The Sermon	"Why?"	Rev. White
Joy, Concerns, Witness, and Testimony		
Prayers of the People		
The Lord's Prayer		
Singing from the Methodist Hymnal		Rev. White
Invitation to Christ or to Join with the Church		
Solo	"Come, Ye Sinners, Poor and Needy"	Melody Harmon
*Benediction		Rev. White

*After the benediction, the Rev. and Worship Leader will process out.*

\*Singing "Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow" #94 (UMH)

Worship Leader:  
We all face transitions  
we do not want,  
that we know may not be for the best,  
but we cannot avoid.  
In every transition,  
even those we cannot stand,  
God's saving love for us and  
all creation abides.

People: **The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ,  
and the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,  
be with us and remain with us always. Amen.**

# UPCOMING WORSHIP

## Series: "Transitions"

May for many people is a time of transitions. The school year is over, or winding down, for students and teachers. A portion of the student population graduates. June is still among the most popular times for people to get married. People start taking vacations. There are an increased number of home sales as June is a time when many people "pull up stakes" and move. Transitions are a part of life. How we react to them makes all the difference. The book of Samuel describes a time when the Hebrew people underwent a transition, from the leadership of Saul to that of David. It also describes Samuel's transition from that of an inexperienced young person, to that of someone following God's calling. Come see how these transitions of characters in the Holy Bible can help us with our own life transitions.

Week 1: May 27	Life in the Trinity: Prologue to Pentecost	Romans 8:12-17
Last Week: June 3	Rev. Dr. Bob Throckmorton (Rev. White on Vacation)	I Samuel 3:1-10
This Week: June 10	"WHY? (when transition is unwanted)"	I Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20
Week 4: June 17	FUMC Lay Servant (Rev. White at Annual Conference)	I Samuel 15:34-16:13
Week 5: June 24,	"HOW? (will our next stage go?)"	I Samuel 17:32-49

## THIS WEEK (June 11 – June 17)

**Monday** - 6:00pm, Trustees Meeting, Parlor // 7:15pm, Church Council Meeting, Donatos

**Wednesday** - 6:30pm, Last Choir Rehearsal for the summer

**Thursday** - 1:00pm, Coffee with the Pastor, Espresso Bar & Cafe

**Friday** - 8:00am-2:00pm, Relay for Life Blood Drive, James Wood H.S.

**Sunday, Father's Day** - 8:30am Worship Service // 9:45am Sunday School Classes // 11:00am Worship Service

## LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

### ATTENDANCE

**WORSHIP: 8:30am:** 55    **11:00am:** 71    **Sunday School:** 16    **Small Group:** 127

### OFFERINGS TO GOD:

**General Fund Received:** \$3,336.25                      **GF Needed Weekly:** \$6,367.00

**GF Received Year To Date:** \$116,265.18                      **GF Needed YTD:** \$140,074.00

**Hunger Offering:** \$25.00; **Hunger Offering YTD:** \$3,854.00; **Capital Improvements:** \$395.00

## A LOOK AHEAD

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events and keep an eye on your bulletin for more information!

**June 18 - June 22**, Vacation Bible School (VBS), Discovery Preschool

**June 18**, Worship Committee, Parlor, 7:00pm

**June 21**, Coffee with the Pastor, Espresso Bar & Café, 1:00pm

**June 22**, "Get Rolling" Worship Service / Movie Night, "Cars 3", The Gathering Place, 6:00pm

**June 24**, Baptism Class, The Gathering Place, 9:45am

**June 25**, Lunch with the Pastor, Mission BBQ, 12:00pm

**June 25**, PPRC Meeting, Parlor, 7:15pm

**June 28**, Dinner with the Pastor, TGIFridays, 6:30pm

# Sign Me Up!!!

If you are able to make it to one, some or all of these member/guest events, please let us know by checking the box(s) below.

### COMMUNITY GARDEN

- I'd like to be a part of the Community Garden Project.
- I'll provide tomato cages and/or stakes. Stacey Stickley may call me at \_\_\_\_\_ (phone)

### BAPTISM CLASS

- I will attend the Baptism class on Sunday, June 24, at 9:45am in The Gathering Place .

### Get Rolling Worship Service / MOVIE NIGHT on Friday, June 22nd, 6:00pm

- Count us in for the movie and pizza  
Number of adults \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of children \_\_\_\_\_

### MOVIE NIGHT PROJECT MANAGER

I will manage the Movie Night for:

- JULY 20th or 21st (date to be confirmed)
- AUGUST 24th

### ANTIETAM TOUR on 6/30/18

I am interested in the Antietam Tour.

- I will be attending the Overview and Pizza Dinner on Friday, 6/29/18
- I will be interested in providing transportation for the tour on Saturday, 6/30/18

Rev. White can contact me to arrange the details

\_\_\_\_\_ (phone)

### VBS

I am happy to volunteer to help with Vacation Bible School (VBS) during the week of June 18th through 22nd.

- Adult Volunteer - To assist with activities during the day (8:45am to 11:30am)
- Youth Volunteer - To assist with activities during the day (8:45am to 11:30am)
- Provide supplies, materials for activities Allyson Allison can contact me to confirm date(s)

and assignment at \_\_\_\_\_ (phone)

**Please note** that Adult Volunteer duties require current background checks to comply with child protective standards, and the process must be started by 6/11/18.