

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

SILENT COMMUNION

PRELUDE "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" (Converse/Schram)  
Instrumental Duet – Donna Jones & Susan Seders

CALL TO WORSHIP (Stand if able)

L: Good news, God is always great news! We are never cut off from the love of God.  
God's mercies never come to an end.

**P: They are renewed every morning for great is God's faithfulness.**

L: Each new day is a miracle in itself,

**P: and therefore we are full of hope and happiness.<sup>1</sup>**

OPENING HYMN "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" UMH No. 140

OPENING PRAYER

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Natasha Zirkle

JOYS, CONCERNS, PASTORAL PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory "Pray Now" (Clark/Farren/Peck/Haun)  
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE I Timothy 2:1-7  
"The Right Time"

COMMUNION

HYMN OF DEDICATION "Sweet Hour of Prayer" UMH No. 496

BLESSING

POSTLUDE "I Must Tell Jesus" (arr. by Jennifer Cook)  
Susan Seders

<sup>1</sup>The Call to Worship is copyrighted material by Bruce D. Prewer. Used by permission.

GIVING THROUGH September 25<sup>th</sup>

Needed for budget: \$322,500 Received for budget: \$297,269 Budget for 2022 is \$430,000

Church Staff

Senior Pastor Brian Seders ([blseders@gmail.com](mailto:blseders@gmail.com))

Administrative Assistant Rhonda Elmer ([rhonda@fumcelkinswv.com](mailto:rhonda@fumcelkinswv.com))

Associate Minister Trudy Carowick

Pastor Emeritus Basil Hensley

Council on Ministries Director Greg Johnson

Youth Minister Natasha Evans (Zirkle)

Financial Secretary Julie Civiello

Music Director Susan Seders

Pianist/Handbell/Choir Director Susan Seders

Custodian Donna Abbott

Nursery Supervisor Tammy Casto

Scripture Readings:

Monday: Colossians 2

Tuesday: Colossians 3

Wednesday: Colossians 4

Thursday: Jeremiah 29:1 4-7

Friday: Psalm 66:1-12

Saturday: II Timothy 2:8-15

Sunday: Luke 17:11-19

**ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Mission Team with Woodford UM Church will host "Lunch with Neighbors" on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays starting from 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm in the Family Life Center.**

**Council on Ministries will meet on Tuesday, October 11, at 6:30 pm in the Parlor.**

## THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS (as of September 25)

**MILITARY** – Zach Corcoran (Army Reserves), Joel DiStefano (Andy Montgomery's cousin), Robert Jerow (Jerry Jerow's son), Ben McDonald, Patrick Spears, Isaac Stalnaker (Denise "Stalnaker" Losh's son), Joel Timmons (Seth and Michelle Pratt's son-in-law), Aaron Wetsch, Max White (Andy Montgomery's nephew), Sgt. Megan White (Kit Phillips' niece), Staff Sgt. Abigail Yardley, Air Force, (Steve and Loleta Yardley's granddaughter)

### **Prayer Requests will run only three consecutive weeks unless requested differently:**

September 11: Beck Kirkpatrick, Neil Poe

September 18: Faye Cowgill, John Klingerman, Twila Marshall, 66Neil Poe, Allen Rosier, Ken Trail

September 25: Trudy Carowick, Faye Cowgill, Rev. Greg Godwin, John Klingerman, Menendez Family, Neil Poe, Allen Rosier, Patty Simmons, Smith Family

Maxine Cooper, Vanessa Davis, Carrie Denny (Barbara McQuain's friend), Franco (Marieta Reel's nephew), Jim Harman, Christina Harris, Bob and Sara Hinkle, Van Jacobs, Brian Jenkins, Deborah Johnson (Catherine Poe's sister), Joe Jones, Allen Judy, Bill Loudin (Sara Hinkle's brother), Jim and Patty McCloud, Kevin McKinnie, Sharon McQuain, Christa Myers, Marcia Myers, Pandemic, Joan Plant, Gary "Doc" Rexrode, Ross Riffie, Celcilia Riggelman, Faith Seders, Susan Seders, Delores Sibley (Sharon McQuain's sister-in law), Jim Smith, Lloyd Teter, Debbie Trupo, Janet Velez (Beck Kirkpatrick's cousin), Mike Welshonce, Ralph Wilmoth, Mary Louise Yokum

**MOUNTAIN MEMORIES (Formerly COLONIAL PLACE)** – Barbara Carroll, Jo Conway, Betty Durst, Willard Herron, Phoebe Johnkoski, Marylou Raikes, Carolyn Rice, Tom Schoonover, Pat Seders, Zan White, Tom Williams

**ERCC** – Evelyn Jean Wamsley

**LAVENDER FIELDS** – Dee Clark, Ruth Hepler, Pat Kenney

**NELLA'S** - Mabel Phares

**Seniors- Serve the seniors in the church by sending a card, keeping them in your prayers and making a phone call or a visit.**

Glenda Fitzwater– 279 Hillcrest Dr., Elkins, WV 26241.

Betty Walden – 51 Barron Ave., Elkins, WV 26241.

## CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

*to the families of*

Pat Cassidy, Frankie Menendez, and Betty "Pickle" Smith.



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- ❖ Contemporary Worship is now available live on Facebook
- ❖ Sunday Traditional Worship is also available live on Facebook
- ❖ Communion served on the first Sunday of each month
- ❖ Children do appear on the Livestream during Children's Message. If you have a concern about their image being shown on Facebook or Youtube, please have children stay with guardian until dismissed for Children's Church, or contact the Pastor.

October 2, 2022

Pentecost 17 C

### **9:30 am Contemporary Worship**

Silent Communion

Gathering Songs

"Talking to Jesus" (Elevation Worship)

"I Speak Jesus" (Charity Gayle)

"Say Amen" (Finding Favour)

Welcome & Announcements

Song

"As It Is In Heaven" (Matt Maher)

Pastoral Prayer

Song

"Lord, I Need You" (Matt Maher)

Scripture & Message

Communion

Song

"Build Your Kingdom Here" (Rend Collection)

Blessing

**COME, SHARE, REJOICE...**

**SUNDAY, October 2**

- 9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP – Sanctuary / Live-Streaming
- 9:30 AM ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL– (via Zoom; to join contact Shelley Hyre)
- 10:45 AM ADULT BIBLE STUDY CLASS – Senior Adult Sunday School Class
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- CHILDREN'S CHURCH AFTER CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

**MONDAY, October 3**

- 12:30 PM LUNCH WITH NEIGHBORS / Family Life Center (12:30pm-1:30 pm)
- 5:00 PM PIONEER TEEN MEETING / Youth Room
- 6:00 PM CONWAYRINGERS REHEARSAL / Handbell Room
- 7:00 PM CHANCEL CHOIR REHEARSAL / Choir Room

**TUESDAY, October 4**

- 12:30 PM LUNCH WITH NEIGHBORS / Family Life Center (12:30pm-1:30 pm)

**WEDNESDAY, October 5**

- 10:00 AM BIBLE STUDY / Parlor – **WILL NOT MEET**
- 12:00 PM FOREST FESTIVAL CRAFTS & MORE SET UP IN FLC
- 6:00 PM BACKPACK PROGRAM / FLC Stage
- 7:00 PM OCC FILLING BOXES / OCC Room in basement

**THURSDAY, October 6**

**CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED**

- 6:30 AM MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST @ Hardee's
- 9:00 AM FOREST FESTIVAL CRAFTS & MORE / FLC (9am-7pm)
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**FRIDAY, October 7**

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## TYRAND'S PARTNERS IN MISSION

### SCHEDULED ITEMS FOR TYRAND'S HOLIDAY FOOD BASKET



FOOD  
BASKETS

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Cash donations are also welcome in lieu of food donations. Checks can be made payable to Tyrand Cooperative Ministries and mailed to the following address:

Tyrand Cooperative Ministries  
Belinda Toms, Executive Director  
PO Box 365  
Mill Creek, WV 26280

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Games-Volunteers to work one of the game stations. Games provided.

**Crafts- Volunteers to assist children at a craft table. Crafts provided.**

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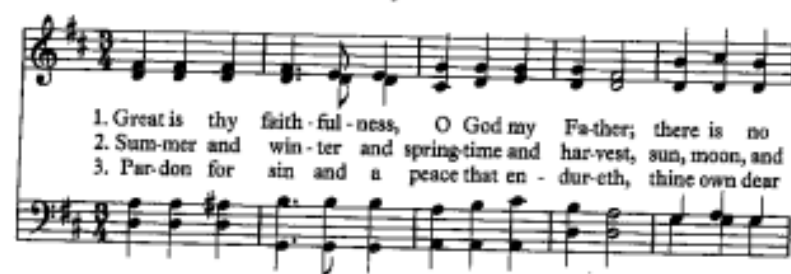
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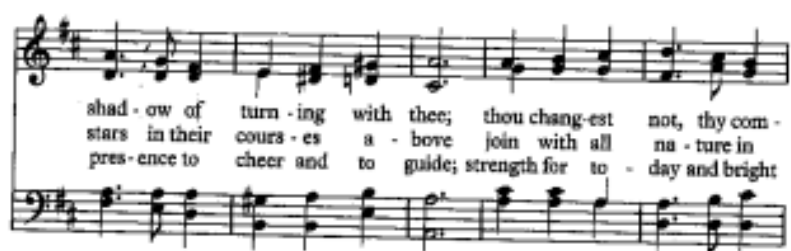
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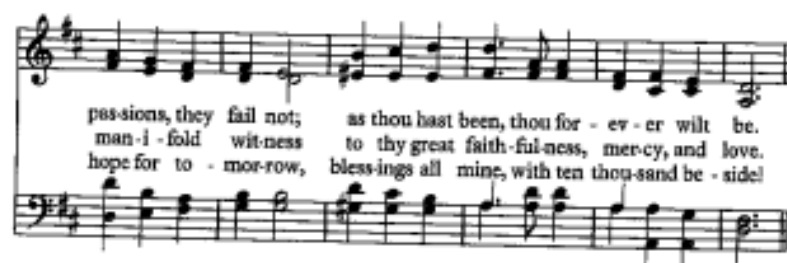
## Great Is Thy Faithfulness



1. Great is thy faith-ful-ness, O God my Fa-ther; there is no  
2. Sum-mer and win-ter and springtime and har-vest, sun, moon, and  
3. Par-don for sin and a peace that en-dur-eth, thine own dear

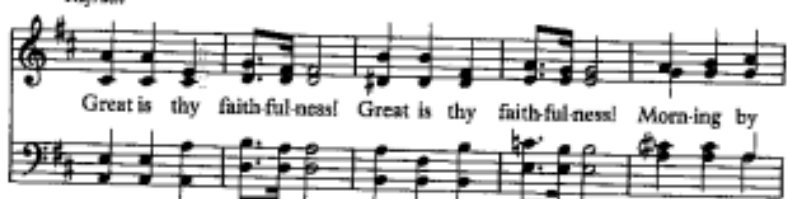


shad-ow of turn-ing with thee; thou chang-est not, thy com-  
stars in their cours-es a-bove join with all na-ture in  
pres-ence to cheer and to guide; strength for to-day and bright



passions, they fail not; as thou hast been, thou for-ev-er wilt be.  
man-i-fold wit-ness to thy great faith-ful-ness, mer-cy, and love.  
hope for to-mor-row, bless-ings all mine, with ten thou-sand be-side!

## Refrain



Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Great is thy faith-ful-ness! Morn-ing by

WORDS: Thomas O. Chisholm, 1923 (Lam. 3:22-23)  
MUSIC: William M. Runyan, 1923  
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FAITHFULNESS  
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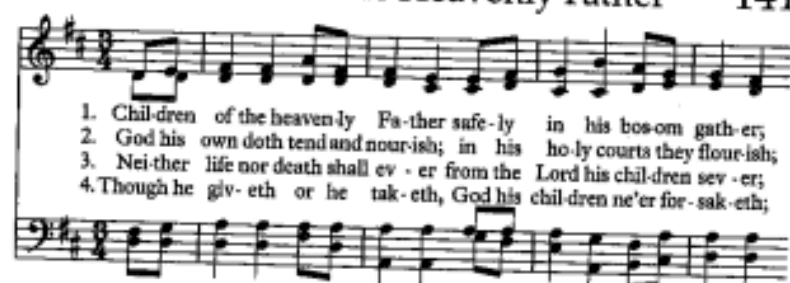


morn-ing new mer-cies I see; all I have need-ed thy

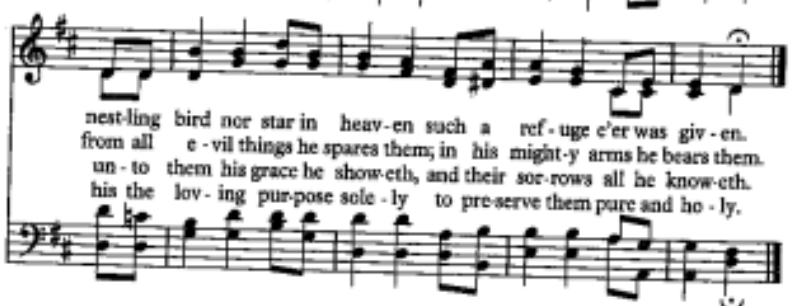


hand hath pro-vid-ed; great is thy faith-ful-ness, Lord, un-to me!

## Children of the Heavenly Father 141



1. Chil-dren of the heav-enly Fa-ther safe-ly in his bos-om gath-er;  
2. God his own doth tend and nour-ish; in his ho-ly courts they flour-ish;  
3. Nei-ther life nor death shall ev-er from the Lord his chil-dren sev-er;  
4. Though he giv-eth or he tak-eth, God his chil-dren ne'er for-sak-eth;



nest-ling bird nor star in heav-en such a ref-uge e'er was giv-en.  
from all e-vil things he spares them; in his might-y arms he bears them.  
un-to them his grace he show-eth, and their sor-rows all he know-eth.  
his the lov-ing pur-pose sole-ly to pre-serve them pure and ho-ly.

WORDS: Caroline V. Sandell-Berg, 1885; trans. by Ernst W. Olson, 1925 TRYGGARE KAN INGEN VARA  
MUSIC: Swedish melody  
Trans. © 1925, renewed 1953 Augsburg Fortress 88-88



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# Sweet Hour of Prayer

1. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer! that calls me  
 2. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer! the joys I  
 3. Sweet hour of prayer! sweet hour of prayer! thy wings shall

from a world of care, and bids me at my  
 feel, the bliss I share of those whose anx - ious  
 my pe - ti - tion bear to him whose truth and

Fa - ther's throne make all my wants and wish - es known.  
 spir - its burn with strong de - sires for thy re - turn!  
 faith - ful - ness en - gage the wait - ing soul to bless.

In sea - sons of dis - tress and grief, my soul has  
 With such I has - ten to the place where God my  
 And since he bids me seek his face, be - lieve his

of - ten found re - lief, and oft es - caped the  
 Sav - ior shows his face, and glad - ly take my  
 word, and trust his grace, I'll cast on him my

WORDS: William Wallford, 1845  
 MUSIC: William B. Bradbury, 1861

SWEET HOUR  
 LMD

tempt - er's snare by thy re - turn, sweet hour of prayer!  
 sta - tion there, and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!  
 ev - ery care, and wait for thee, sweet hour of prayer!

## Send Me, Lord

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*Leader*  
 Send me, Lord.

*All*  
 1. Send me, Je - sus, send me, Je - sus, send me,  
 Je - sus, lead me, Je - sus, lead me,  
 Je - sus, fill me, Je - sus, fill me.

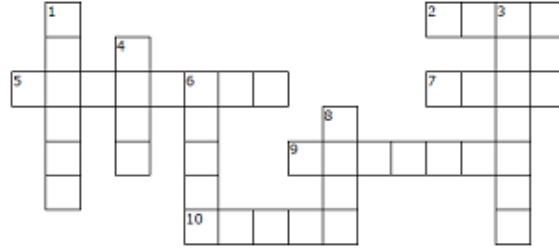
1, 2 3  
 2. Lead me, Lord.  
 3. Fill me, Lord.

1, 2 3  
 Je - sus, send me, Lord. 2. Lead me,  
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 Je - sus, fill me, Lord.

WORDS: Trad. South African (Is. 64)  
 MUSIC: Trad. South African

THUMA 1

## Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

2. To be physically ill
5. Having great strength
7. To perform songs with your voice
9. A time of difficulty or need
10. Enjoying pleasure, satisfaction, or joy

### DOWN

1. To pour oil on someone during a religious ceremony
3. To admit that you have sinned
4. To make a person well
6. To believe and trust in God
8. To speak to or make requests to God

trouble	sing	heal	confess	powerful
happy	pray	sick	faith	anoint



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## Children's Worship Bulletin

### The Prayer of Faith

James 5:13-16

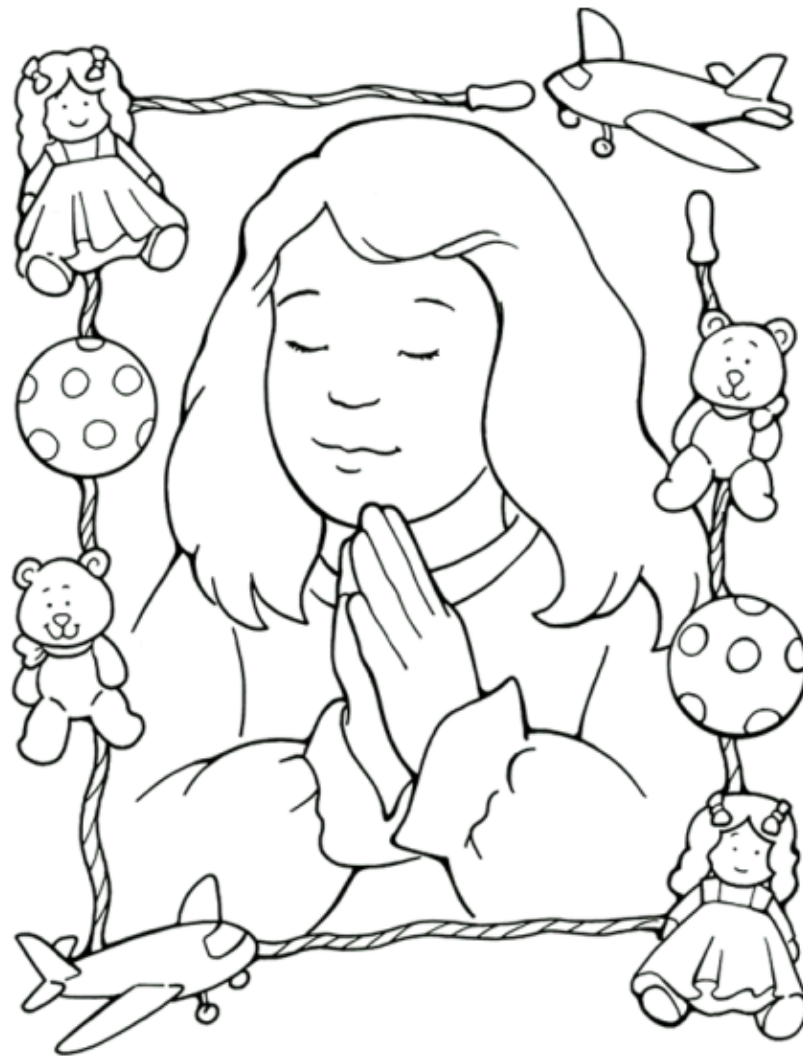
### Word Search Puzzle

O Q G T O S D S C M F S I C K  
S J F G R E Q M F A H A O G L  
K R J E L Y T P O N I A I R T  
L I D A S C V R R O Z W P T Z  
K L E G S O C A G I N I K P H  
E H N N W N T I I N A L X S Y  
C O I M B F R S V T J P H N R  
S S R L T E N E E U C E J E I  
I J C K L S W A N Y O N E C G  
D L H E E S C J S I N G G R H  
S K U T P O W E R F U L R R T  
C K R X K R S C V R A I S E E  
X U C Y P R A Y E R K X L Z O  
L N H S H N N T R O U B L E U  
I P G E F F E C T I V E P U S

trouble	songs	church	confess	prayer
anyone	praise	anoint	sins	righteous
happy	sick	faith	forgiven	powerful
sing	elders	raise	healed	effective

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## Coloring Page



**Keep on Praying**

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## Decoder Puzzle

Each number represents a letter of the alphabet. Substitute the correct letter for the numbers to reveal the coded words.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
K	R	W	G	B	Y	J	T	O	X	D	P	S	V	Z	M	I	N	C	U	A	F	L	H	Q	E

- 24-21-12-12-6 \_\_\_\_\_
- 21-18-9-17-18-8 \_\_\_\_\_
- 22-21-17-8-24 \_\_\_\_\_
- 12-2-21-17-13-26 \_\_\_\_\_
- 13-17-19-1 \_\_\_\_\_
- 19-24-20-2-19-24 \_\_\_\_\_
- 12-2-21-6-26-2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 8-2-9-20-5-23-26 \_\_\_\_\_
- 19-9-18-22-26-13-13 \_\_\_\_\_
- 24-26-21-23-26-11 \_\_\_\_\_

prayer	healed	confess	happy	anoint
sick	faith	church	praise	trouble

