

Memorial United Methodist Church

October 10, 2021

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship -

Come and worship.

God is here.

Listen for God's word.

It is alive and active.

Draw near to the source of mercy.

The God of grace is with us.

Opening Hymn "Would I Have Answered When You Called"

Opening Prayer

There are days, O God, when we feel far from your presence. We long for you, yet we feel no response, no closeness. Give us the strength to cry out in pain, speaking our truth. Give us the courage to complain, even when there is no response. In the emptiness, we long for your presence. We wait, O God, for you. We know that you are the source of all mercy and grace. We trust that you will help us in times of need. Amen.

Hymn "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" **UMH452**

Prayer of Confession **Praying together**

Living God, your way can be hard. How can we give up everything to follow you? We feel so frustrated when we reach out to you and feel only silence. We cling to what we own, fearing the future. Free us from our desire to accumulate more and more. Transform us into generous spirits, sharing your gifts with the world. Work within us, that we may know your real presence, even when we feel so little. We cannot do this alone. We need your help. Amen.

Hymn "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Bible Lesson with Grandma

Time of Personal Prayer for the concerns of the Heart.

Special Music

"The Well"

***Reading of the Psalm**

Psalm 22:1-15

Message

Hymn

"You're Worthy of My Praise"

Benediction

Dismissal with God's Blessing

***Stand if you are able**

Follow Jesus on the pathway of love.
Share the good news of mercy and grace.

Concerns:

Nina Meca	Frances Lowe	Beverly Patton
Carol Moore	Joe Heilman	Cindy Sawyer
Jensen Webb	Nita Hickle	Hallie Nichols
Jennifer Gandee-Barker	Holly	Tallman family
Joseph & Bitsy Gryder	Kevin Starcher	

Unspoken Prayers
The Unchurched of our Community
Those affected by the recent natural disasters
Families suffering the loss of loved ones
Those suffering from Coronavirus and those working on a cure
To add a concern to the Prayer list - please complete a Prayer card or slip of paper and place it in the Offering Plate.

24 Hour Prayer Line 1-888-388-2683

CCLI # 20618466 & 21097952

On-line Worship

Website - www.spencermemorialumc.org

On FaceBook - Memorial UMC - Spencer

On- Youtube - MEMUMC Spencer

The Sunday Morning Service will be uploaded that Sunday afternoon.

Re-Launch Church UPDATED June 27TH

- 1- Entry is still through Sanctuary door **ONLY***.
- 2- Seating is limited to 6ft. distances unless you are in a family unit and come together.
- 3- **Respect a SAFE contact greeting. We discourage greeting with hugs or handshakes.**
- 4- **Singing out loud is allowed. Hymns will be displayed on the TV's and, when possible, will feature the words.**
- 5- You are encouraged to bring your personal Bible with you.
- 6- **Use of facial Masks is still recommended when near others. Once seated, you may remove your mask for Worship.**
- 7- **If you are feeling ill - stay home so as to not spread any illness you may have.**

A Place to Pray

For those times when you need a quiet place to bring your concerns to God and let Him guide you, we have a Prayer Chapel at the back of the Sanctuary. It is available anytime the church is open or by contacting the Pastor.

TODAY

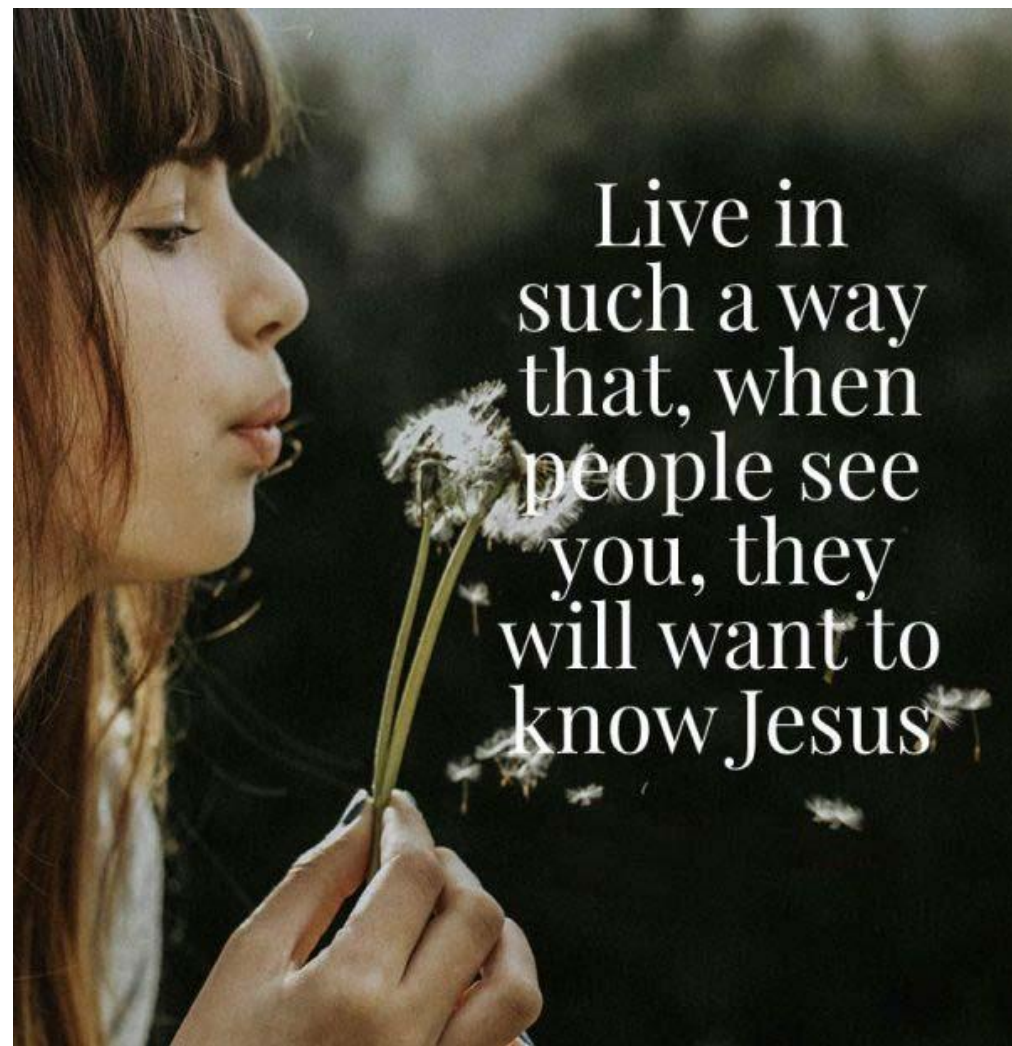
Scheduled time 1:30PM at St. John's UMC. Due to concerns about COVID rates, the plans are subject to revision. **Masks and proper distancing required.**

Our fathers trusted in thee: they trusted, and thou didst deliver them. They cried unto thee, and were delivered: they trusted in thee, and were not confounded.
Psalm 22:4-5

WE CAN TRUST GOD'S CHARACTER!

**Just like He delivered our heroes of the faith,
He will deliver us too, for he has said . . .**

I WILL NEVER LEAVE THEE, NOR FORSAKE THEE.



Live in
such a way
that, when
people see
you, they
will want to
know Jesus

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