

# STEELE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

May 13, 2018

## WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

### PRELUDE

### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is a time to share the work of the Church and recognize the community of believers as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord.

**\*HYMN** No. 469 *"Higher Ground"*

**OLD TESTAMENT READING** Exodus 16:1-8  
This is the Word of God for the People of God!  
**Thanks be to God!**

### CONCERNS AND THANKSGIVINGS

**PASTOR'S PRAYER** with The Lord's Prayer  
Our Father in heaven,  
Reveal who You are.  
Set the world right;  
Do what's best – as above, so below.  
Keep us alive with three square meals.  
Keep us forgiven with You and forgiving others.  
Keep us safe from ourselves and the Devil.  
You're in charge!  
You can do anything You want!  
You are ablaze in beauty! Amen

### PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

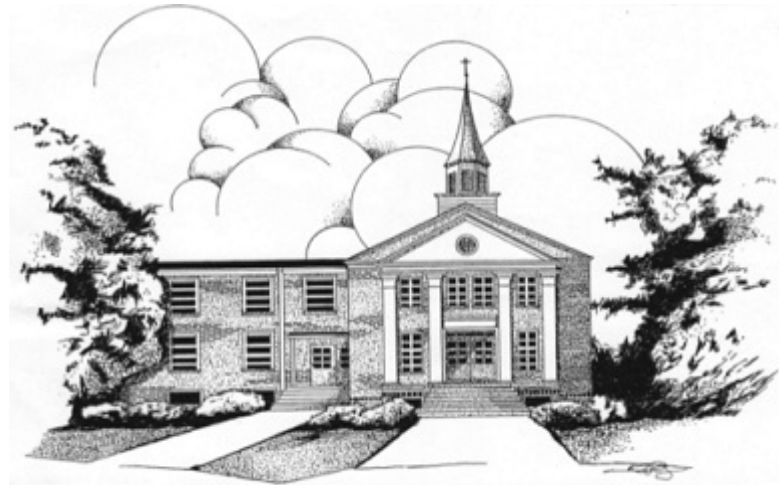
\*Doxology No.94 *"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

**\*HYMN** No. 114 *"Wonderful Grace of Jesus"*

**SERMON** Matthew 6: 25-34 Pastor Kevin Lantz  
*"Bread for the World"*

### \*CLOSING

### \*POSTLUDE



### CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of Steele Memorial United Methodist Church is to ENGAGE with people in order to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; to CONNECT them in their journey of faith; and to offer opportunities to DEVELOP their relationship with the living God through love, worship, and SERVICE.

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Youth Director: Bobby Bannister  
Music Minister: Johnna Adkins  
Pianist: Lynette Call  
Organist: Becky Chenoweth  
Lay Leader: John Call

### Sunday, May 13<sup>th</sup>

8:45 Early Service  
9:40 Sunday School for all ages  
10:45 Worship Service  
6:30 No Evening Worship

### Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup>

9:30 Refit  
6:30 Sea Scouts  
6:30 Cub Scouts  
7:00 Boy Scouts  
7:00 Admin Council Mtg.

### Tuesday, May 15<sup>th</sup>

6:30 CR-Dinner  
7:00 Celebrate Recovery

### Wednesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>

9:30 Refit  
5:30 Cherub/Celebration Choir  
6:00 Youth/All-Stars Dinner  
6:30 All-Stars Class(Last Day)  
6:30 Financial Peace  
7:30 Choir Practice

### Thursday, May 17<sup>th</sup>

7:00 Esther/Ruth Circle

### Friday, May 18<sup>th</sup>

9:30 Refit

### Saturday, May 19<sup>th</sup>

8:00am Men's Bible Study

### Sunday, May 20<sup>th</sup>

8:45 Early Worship  
9:40 Sunday School for all ages  
10:45 Worship Service  
5:00 Pentecost Dinner  
6:30 No Evening Worship



### WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

May 6, 2018

Amount Received	Amount Needed Per Week
11,176.00	\$8, 849.84

### Last Sunday Attendance

Morning Worship 127	Early Worship: 28
Sunday School: 94	Evening Worship: 28

### UPCOMING EVENTS

May 13<sup>th</sup> Mother's Day  
May 14<sup>th</sup> Admin. Council Meeting  
May 16<sup>th</sup> All-Stars Last Day-Celebration  
May 17<sup>th</sup> Esther/Ruth Circle  
May 20<sup>th</sup> Pentecost Dinner  
May 21<sup>st</sup> Evangelism Team Mtg.  
May 28<sup>th</sup> Memorial Day (office closed)

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

Sue Ballengee	Buddy & Lillian Dick	Monica Jackson
Jim Boggess	John Griffith	Whitt/Virginia Keefer
Shirley Bowen	Joan Grove	Brian McMaster
Eloise Baumgardner	Sharon Hockenberry, Fam	Amy Reiter
Arvin Canady		

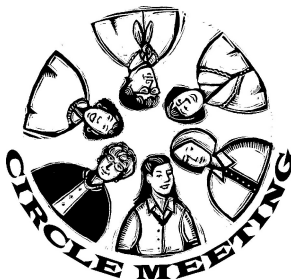
**FRIENDS AND RELATIVES**

Bailee Bell	(Granddaughter of Richard & Louetta Jimison)
Pat Benson	(Sister of Phyllis Johnson)
Jason Berkenbaugh	(Friend of Stephanie Taylor)
Lori Childers Godfrey	(Sherrie Childers' Daughter)
Avanell Cummings	(Mother of Becky Nisbet)
Charlie Insalaco	(Grandson of Mike & Lynette Call)
Mandy Houston	(Daughter of Sandy Rupert)
Phyllis Morrison	(Gina Crews' Mother)
Buddy Muncy	(Becky Damron's Brother-In-Law)

**THE CENTER ARRANGEMENT** is placed today in honor of our mother and grandmother, Claren Perkins by her children and grandchildren.



**ECCHO**—The items for the month of April are dental hygiene items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes and dental floss. The ECCHO box is located in the Narthex.



**THE LYDIA CIRCLE** meets the second Thursday of each month in the Parlor.

**THE ESTHER/RUTH CIRCLE** will meet on the **THIRD THURSDAY**, May 17th at 7 PM in the New Fellowship Hall. Bring a friend as we complete our study by Max Lucado, *Before Amen*, Chapter 9. Hope you will plan to attend!

**EVENING WORSHIP** Because of Mothers' Day activities today, there will be no evening worship

**GIRLS OF FAITH**- The month of May is Pediatric Stroke Awareness Month and the Girls of Faith will be collecting change to donate to Ethan's Toy Box. Ethan McNeely is a current 6th grader Barboursville Middle who suffered a stroke at a young age. Ethan and his sister Abby have created Ethan's Toy Box which allows them to purchase toys and other necessities for the Hoop's Children's Hospital in Huntington. Abby started to dream up this charity while her brother was in the hospital and she saw the sick children and their siblings who just needed something to brighten their day. All proceeds will be collected and given to Ethan and Abby so that they can continue to purchase items for the children in Hoop's. Please clean out your piggy banks and consider helping us out this month! Thank you.

– Megan and the Girls of Faith

**FINANCIAL PEACE** You're invited to take part in the 9-week *Financial Peace University*, a program presented by Dave Ramsey that will teach you everything you need to take control of your money! Financial Peace University will be held Wednesdays at 6:30 PM upstairs in the Fellowship Classroom.

Learn from Life-Changing Lessons. Watch entertaining videos, get your questions answered with financial coaching assistance, and stay on track with digital tools.

- Budget, save, and pay off debt.
- Get on the same page with your spouse.
- Identify which types of insurance you need.
- Plan and save for major expenses.
- Invest for your future, give generously, and more.

**THE REAL DISCIPLESHIP SURVEY!** Do you know what spiritual growth is? We now have access to a tool that will help define where you are as a you respond to Jesus' invitation to "Follow Me!" Friends and members are encouraged to respond to the computer survey that can show you where you are in your spiritual journey in six categories. Results of the survey will help guide our planning in future ministries and education.

- Please log onto [www.discipleshipsurvey.com](http://www.discipleshipsurvey.com) and *click* Church Member Sign Up, using the church code WESTVIRGINIALOVE – in caps.
- From the drop-down menu, choose **Western** district and scroll to our Church name.
- You may also be asked to set up your own individual login information, which you can create.
- Fill in the rest of the necessary boxes as directed.

**THE EVANGELISM TEAM** will meet at 7 PM Monday, May 21<sup>st</sup> at Cracker Barrel to discuss Reaching New People

**CELEBRATE RECOVERY**—A few ways to assist the men at Recovery Point would include donations to the storage closet including umbrellas, overnight bags or backpacks. With warmer weather coming, the CR team is in need of gently used men's and women's lighter weight clothes such as lightweight jackets, jeans, casual slacks, shorts, tees and tennis shoes along with new underwear and socks. Also our new Celebrate Recovery closet is in need of any extra hangers, either plastic or heavy duty you may have to donate. Please place any donations in the MISSIONS BASKET in the narthex.

We are also calling out for group facilitators for a Thursday evening gathering that will engage men and women in topics that are introduced in our weekly Tuesday meeting. We have a small workbook that will be used for these meetings. Contact Pastor Kevin if you would like to hear more about this.

**WEARING RED!** Next week, for Pentecost Sunday, attendees are encouraged to wear red, the liturgical color for the special day!

**Pentecost Dinner**



**FRIENDS AND FAMILY DINNER!** Next Sunday everyone is invited to a Church Cover-Dish Dinner at 5 p.m. Please bring food to share as we meet for this fellowship gathering – and bring a friend!

**WEDDING PHOTO SUBMISSIONS** June is almost here! In honor of the month of weddings, we are asking everyone to send us a wedding picture. Get those photo albums out, dig in those dresser drawers and closets and share your special day with us. You can send them by email at [church@steelememorial.com](mailto:church@steelememorial.com), US Mail PO Box 346 Barboursville, WV 25504 or drop them by the church office. Be sure and write your name on the back so we can return them. Submission deadline is May 21<sup>st</sup>.



**MISSIONS** Thank you to everyone who helped in any way with our collections over the past few months for Heart and Hand House, Scott's Run Settlement House and VIM. I have the privilege of accepting many thanks on behalf of all of you. May God bless you richly for lightening the load of others along this journey.

–Gina