

# Welcome to Worship!

October 8, 2023

## PRELUDE

## GREETINGS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you for signing the attendance pads.

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Colleen Johnson, Liturgist

One: Come and worship the God who created us.

**All: We come to sing praises and offer our prayers.**

One: Come and listen to the God who speaks to us still.

**All: In the Scriptures and in the sermon we listen for God to speak to us.**

One: God is faithful and wants to speak words of life to all.

**All: We are here, O God, to listen and to respond.**

## PRAISE SONG

## PRAYER OF THE DAY with the Lord's 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

## CHILDREN'S STORY

\*INVITATION to the OFFERING with "Doxology"

No. 95

## OFFERTORY PRAYER

Liturgist

## \*HYMN

"Freely, Freely"

No. 389

SCRIPTURE READING: 2 Corinthians 13:5-13

Liturgist

## CHORAL ANTHEM

Choir

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 28:18-20

## SERMON

"New Movements"

Ken Willard,

Directory of Congregational Vitality for the WV Conference

## \*HYMN OF RESPONSE

"Go, Make of All Disciples"

No. 571

## BENEDICTON

## POSTLUDE

\*Please stand as your are able

## NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE CARNATION ON THE ALTER** is placed today in loving memory of Cathy Conard's father, Vernon Adkins who passed away Tuesday, October 3, 2023. Let's remember the Conard family in our prayers during this season of loss.

**PASTOR APPRECIATION DAY!** Today is Pastor Appreciation Day! Thank you Pastor Greg, your hard work and sacrifice are greatly appreciated.

**YOUTH(SWAG)** is seeking volunteers to prepare meals for the youth Sundays at 5:30 p.m. Contact Ashlee Gallion at 304-654-0088 if you are willing to serve.

**ALL STARS 4 JESUS:** Get back in the game and join All Stars 4 Jesus! We have exciting plans for the next few weeks. Come join us Wednesdays 5:30 p.m.-7:10 p.m. for choir, dinner, lessons and fun!

October 11-Lesson on Being Tested

October 18-Pumpkin Parable and Pumpkin Fun

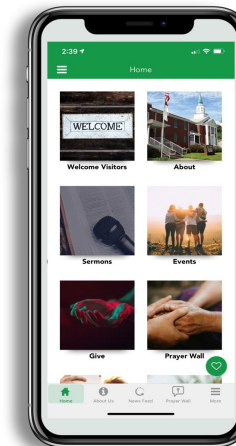
October 25-Fall Fun and Trunk or Treat at Church

**ECCHO NEEDS** for this month include household items such as toilet paper, bar soap, shampoo, toothpaste, deodorant, and non-perishable food items. We especially need financial support to continue to purchase additional commodities. Donations may be placed in the ECCHO Closet in the Narthex.

**CHURCH PICTURE DIRECTORY** — It's time to update our church directory, and it's a DIY! (Do-It-Yourself!) Our photography "studio" will be set up in the church library located on the third floor on consecutive Sundays, October 22 and 29, and November 5 and 12, from 9:00 a.m. — 12:30 p.m. Please plan to make a quick stop for a solo portrait or family picture to add to our online directory which you will be able to access through our church app. You don't have to be a member of the Church. If you are active in attendance, we want to include you!



- Log-in details for the Steele Memorial Church picture directory will be shared soon.
- Information on downloading the Church app is located below.
- Printed copies, or hard-copies, will be available January of 2024.



## DOWNLOAD THE APP!

1. Open your camera app.
2. Scan the code below.
3. Open free Tithely Account.
4. Connect with your church family!



## PRAYER CONCERNS

Phyllis Argabrite  
Eloise Baumgardner  
Teresa Blake  
Sandy Boggess  
Bob Chenoweth  
Buck & Cathy Conard  
Fred Delp  
Dana Godfrey  
Amy Herrenkohl  
Mary Howard  
Monica Jackson  
Virginia Keefer  
Brenda Morning  
Keith Ross  
Chris Roy  
Irma Shy  
Lois Silling  
Jim Smith  
Doris Wooten

## THIS WEEK AT OUR CHURCH

### SUNDAY-8

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:45 a.m.  
Youth (SWAG) 5:30 p.m.

### MONDAY-9

Scouts 6:30 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY-11

All Stars 4 Jesus 5:30 p.m.  
Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.

## WEEKLY REPORT – October 1, 2023

### GIVING

Needed per Week: \$8,039.15

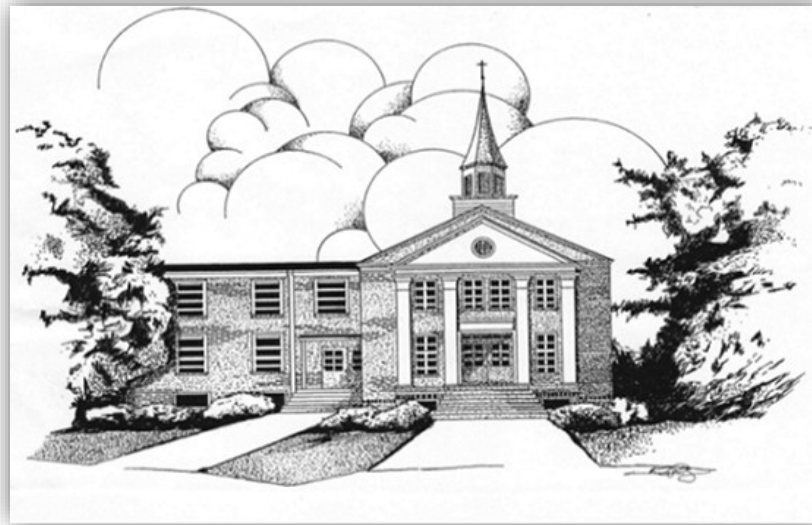
Received: \$9,150.92

Monthly financial statements available upon request.

### ATTENDANCE

Present: 109

Online Views: 17



## FRIENDS AND FAMILY IN OUR PRAYERS

Gary Ashworth (Friend of Chris & Amy Jarvis)  
Bittner Ballard (Former Member of Steele)  
John and Jill Chapman (Friend of Dick & Louetta Jimison)  
Donnie Herndon (Friend of Marlene Black)  
Kimberly Westerfield (Daughter of Jim & Nancy Allman)



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### OCTOBER

16 - Trustees Meeting  
22 - Charge Conference  
25 - All Stars 4 Jesus Trunk or Treat  
29 - All Stars 4 Jesus Bake Sale

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FOR OUR



CHURCH APP

## STEELE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

733 Shaw Street

PO Box 346

Barboursville, WV 25504

## CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Greg Markins  
Secretary: Lisa Rhoades  
Youth Director: Ashlee Gallion  
Music Minister: Johnna Adkins  
Pianist: Lynette Call  
Organist: Becky Chenoweth  
Custodian: Rick Shull

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# WELCOME

to Steele Memorial  
United Methodist Church

October 8, 2023

## OUR 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.

The third piece of our Discipleship Cycle defines spiritual formation with our term to DEVELOP the Christian believer: DEVELOP spiritual growth and understanding so each person can identify their calling as children of God through Bible study, prayer, worship, and fellowship with other believers.





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