

MILFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 25, 2023 | 4th Sunday after Pentecost | 10:00 AM

Theme: I See You

Jennifer Lovallo, Pastor Jeffrey Fornoff, Music Director

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Salvation belongs to God and God alone!

God saves through Jesus Christ, reflected in all people.

God saves through every people, land, and language.

God saves through every tribe and nation, every race and culture.

God has made each of us to reflect Jesus Christ – salvation for all humanity.

Salvation belongs to God and God alone. Praise the Lord!

*PRAYER OF CENTERING

God of vision and inspiration, you invite us to see the beauty and possibility within our differences. You call us to celebrate the many ways we express ourselves, so we can see you more fully. Continue to transform our hearts, our minds, and our vision to witness you in all times and all places. Expand the ways we worship and witness and gather so this community of faith may best reflect you in whatever we do and say, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN "Holy, Holy, Holy" UMH 64++

PRIDE MOMENT

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE LESSON Revelation 7:9-17 NT p.249-250

SERMON "Many People, One Vision"

SPECIAL MUSIC

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER UMH 895

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Nicene Creed UMH 880

*PASSING THE PEACE

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94++

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Holy and Almighty God, thank you for the unmerited grace you give each of your children, and for your love that knows no bounds. As children of God, who long to serve you, we ask that you accept our offerings, multiplying and using them according to your will in this place and beyond. May our service to you be far reaching and all-encompassing through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*CLOSING HYMN "They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love" TFWS 2223++
*SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILD CARE AVAILABLE DURING WORSHIP SERVICE (NURSERY LOCATED AT END OF HALL IN EDUCATION WING)

CRAFTY LADIES: Every Thursday at 9:30 AM

UPCOMING MEETING SCHEDULE and MEETING ZOOM LINK: bit.ly/MUMCZoom

CONFIRMATION CLASS: Today 2-3:30 PM (Community Room)

FLEA MARKET MEETING: Tuesday, June 27 5:30 PM(Community Room/Hybrid)

CHURCH COUNCIL: Tuesday, June 27 6:30 PM (Online)

RECONCILING MINISTRIES: Wednesday, July 5th 6:30 PM (Hybrid)

TRUSTEES: Wednesday, July 12th 6PM (Conference Room)

RAISE RIGHT Informational Session: This will be held today during Fellowship. Jack Donson and Liz Steen will show a short video and answer any questions about this new resource.

JUNE BOOK STUDY: Session 4 (FINAL): Wednesday June 28th (Hybrid) 7-8PM Join in the conversation, even if you did not read the book! All Welcome!

July 7- 6:15-7:45PM Our Turn to Serve at the Ecumenical Food Pantry

July 14- 6-8PM Game Night - Pizza Served (GF Available) All Welcome! Sign Up by contacting Church Office

Church Wide Flea Market Sat. July 22

Please Sign Up to Volunteer, Donate, or become a Vendor through Church

JULY COMMUNION OFFERING - July's Communion Offering will be dedicated to support our Little Free Pantry. The LFP is being used and we want to ensure it is well-stocked during these challenging economic times. Please GIVE as you are able, LEARN about food insecurity in Pike County (check out the Ecumenical Food Pantry Facebook page) and as always, **PRAY** for our neighbors who may be struggling.



GREETERS | Gail Darcy **LITURGIST |** Dick Weifert FELLOWSHIP| * FLOWERS| *

*Please contact Church Office to sign up for Helping with Fellowship and providing Flowers for the Altar—Thank you!

> Key to abbreviations: OT: Old Testament; NT: New Testament *UMH:* The United Methodist Hymnal *TFWS:* The Faith We Sing ++ Indicates Someone's Favorite Hymn

PRAYER LIST: JOAN PAULEY, Ali Fitzgerald, Roger Fitzgerald, Jodi Hancock, Gloria Schneider, Minnie Weinstock, Marge Carofano, Family of Chet Rideout, Karen Boehning, Arlene & Emil Moglia, Ernie Balch, Pam Trovato, Kathleen Jewel, Michael Gilmore, Kevin Walter, Debbie Conklin, Carl Hendrick, Joan Lucciola, Lori Sheppard, Richard Holt, Lorraine Gregory, Gretel Metzger, Nancy McKeen, Ernie Kotschessa, Steve Urban, Raymond Vetter, Brian Sheppard, Rose Belcastro, Jeanette Hendrick, Patrick Hall, Barbara Urban, Alan & Karen Zuis, Lee Malone, Ellen Lee, Joan Wortman, Robert Keuhne, Sr., Alyre Hayworth, Thomas Harris, Henry Salidino, Bill Davis, Jim Lordi, Christine Pasquarosa, Patty Reynolds, Casey Peguero, Linda Klee, Geoff & Pam Sackett, Diane Siconolfi.

WE WELCOME ALL!

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