

Unity Moravian Church of Lewisville



Watchword Text for the Year

*“In Jesus Christ you also are being built together for
a dwelling place of God in the Spirit.”*
Ephesians 2:22

July 30, 2017
Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

Prayers of Intercession

Prayer Response: *Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak*

Hymn 646
(stanzas 1 & 4)

FOLLOWING OUR LAMB INTO THE WORLD

Ministry Opportunities

*Hymn: *I Love Your Kingdom, Lord*

Hymn 513

*Benediction

Postlude: *Break Forth Into Joy*

J. S. Bach

*(Please stand if able)

Prayer Concerns

Anyone who has prayer requests or concerns to be shared during worship or to be placed in the bulletin, please complete one of the pink forms in the narthex and give to an usher.

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*Please see an usher if you need equipment
for the hearing impaired or a large print hymnal.*

THE CONGREGATION GATHERS FOR WORSHIP

Welcome and Call to Worship

(Please register your attendance by signing the pew pad)

Prelude: *My Heart Ever Faithful*

J. S. Bach

HEARING GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Reading of God's Word

Matthew 13:31-33, 44-46

Kay Brown

New Testament, Page 14

Liturgist: The Word of God for the People of God.

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Time With Children:

Treasure Hunt

Rachel Yancey

(Children (preschool through 5th grade) are invited to attend Children's Worship)

Hymn: *Like a Tiny Seed of Mustard*

Text: Patricia Hunt

Tune: RESTORATION

Like a tiny seed of mustard, stored with life, invisibly,
Grows and grows, each day increasing and becomes a mighty tree;

Like the leaven in the mixture swells inside while hid from view,
Living, rising and transforming simple grain to bread anew;

Like the priceless treasure, hidden in a field which folk pass by;
One soul finds it, knows its value, sells his all that field to buy;

Like the merchant, fine pearls seeking, searches, yearning for the best;
Finds it, clasps it, claims and buys it, selling all that she possessed.

Like all these is God's great kingdom, growing from the smallest part;
Rising, swelling, coming, dwelling, in each new believer's heart.

The Treasure

Hymn: *Would I Have Answered When You Called* Text: Herman G. Stuempfle
Tune: KINGSFOLD

Would I have answered when you called, "Come, follow, follow me?"
Would I at once have left behind both work and family?

Or would the old, familiar round have held me by its claim
And kept the spark within my heart from bursting into flame?

Would I have followed where you led through ancient Galilee,
On roads unknown, by ways untried, beyond security?

Or would I soon have hurried back where home and comfort drew,
Where truth you taught would not disturb the ordered world I knew?

Where Are We Looking?

Hymn: *Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God*

Hymn 605

But, What Exactly Did Jesus Say?

Hymn: *When Peace, Like a River*

Hymn 754

Finding The Treasure

Hymn: *Good News! Our Christ Has Come!*

Hymn 630

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Worship by Giving:

Offertory: *Trusting Jesus*

Donna Shore

arr. M. Ham

* Offertory Response - Doxology
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye Heav'nly hosts;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!
Prayer

Hymnal 817

Concerns and Joys for the Community, Nation and World



What's Happening at Unity Moravian Church

Welcome! May God's blessings be yours and the fruits of regular worship bring peace and joy in your heart. We are grateful that you have chosen to share in our worship experience today. Our church is a family committed to the promise of God that Jesus Christ is Lord of life, and that His love unites us in spirit and truth. We are glad you are with us today and we invite you into our fellowship. For more information, speak with our pastor.



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Opportunities	
Today, July 30	9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. Crafts 11:00 a.m. Tai Chi
Thursday	6:30 p.m. Building & Grounds Committee
Next Sunday, August 6	9:45 a.m. Intergenerational Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship 12:15 p.m. CE Committee (<i>bag lunch</i>)

Help Wanted!!
One of our nursery employees will be on vacation **September 3** and **September 17**. If you would be willing to volunteer to assist in the Nursery for either Sunday School, Worship, and/or both, please contact Shirley Atkinson: sschoolpal48@aol.com / 336-575-8468.

Christmas Trees and Crafts
Tuesday - **9:00 a.m. - 11:00 am**
Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join the fun and fellowship!
Join us **August 1 at 9:00 a.m.**

Women's Fellowship
Crossnore (Children's Home)
If you are willing to contribute to the needs of Crossnore, please call Judy Duke (336-945-5639) and she will pick up and deliver your donations. A list of needed items is on the narthex table.

LCAP
Please be mindful that today is our **LCAP** collection to benefit **Lewisville Community Assistance Program** and the **Backpack Program** at Lewisville Elementary School. For your convenience, we have placed envelopes in the bulletins. Please make your check **payable to Unity Moravian Church**.

SPECIAL SUNDAY SCHOOL IN AUGUST
"RELIGION IN AMERICA"
Join us in the Fellowship Hall the four **Sundays in August** for a light breakfast and a look at the evolution of religion in America. We'll begin at **9:45am** each **Sunday** morning.
Everyone is invited!!

Sunday, August 6	Colonial America	(1620 – 1780)
Sunday, August 13	The New Nation	(1780 – 1830)
Sunday, August 20	A Nation Divided	(1830 – 1865)
Sunday, August 27	Post Civil War	(1865 – Present)

Pray for our Church Family:
Ernie Hughes, Evan Huss

Remembering Members who find it difficult to attend:
Edith Ammons, Jennifer Beard, Dot Faircloth, Betty Phillips, Dee Young

Pray for our Family and Friends:
Allen Bradshaw (son of Jerrie Bradshaw)
Janice Bray (sister of Donna Shore)
Patricia Brown (sister-in-law of Dottie Sayers)
Tommy Brown (nephew of Dottie Sayers)
Elsie Cole (sister of Maynard Surratt)
Larry Cook (friend of Will Smith)
Jennie Cornatzer (sister of Nancy Jackson)
Pam Cregger (sister of Teresa Perry)
Frank Foster (friend of Faye and Charles Johnson)
Polly Fishel (aunt of Lynn Williamson)
Phyllis Grunewald (cousin of Beth Basta)
Richard Hartz (friend of Jim Basta and Dennis Fort)
Nadine Haydon (relative of Kim Felton)
Brooke Hollar (niece of Beverly Merritt)
Tami Kipple (cousin of Beth Basta)
Mary Lamar (cousin of Henry Pearce)
David Langill (friend of Henry and Jean Pearce)
Bonnie Lawrence (daughter of Dee Lawrence)
Maude Martin (mother of Joyce Carden)
Jennifer Helderman (friend of Donna and Michelle Shore)
Mary Nolen (friend of Maynard and Becky Surratt)
Jeanette Norfleet (friend of Becky Surratt and Kay Vance)
Steve Parks (son of Bill Parks)
Louise Poindexter (mother of Janet Sowers)
Martha Riddle (friend of Jayne Parks)
Dick Sheek (brother-in-law of Edith Ammons)
Giles Smith (neighbor of Teresa and Art Perry)
Miriam Spangler (friend of Hilda Vestal)
Wilson Sparks (brother-in-law of Edith Ammons and Dick Sheek)
Joyce Spong (mother of Richard Spong)
Clark Steed (brother-in-law of Teresa and Art Perry)
Sadie Taylor (sister of Maynard Surratt)
Ron Willard (friend of Dan and Brenda Pugh)

Serving in Missions:
Ed Dehnert and Barb Weide (Bethel, Alaska)

Chicken Pie Workday Schedule
August 11, 2017 **September 8** **October 20**

Chicken pies are currently available in all sizes, 9-inch deep-dish pie for \$10, small pie for \$6 and pie-for-one for \$3. However, when the current supply of pies has been purchased, there will be **no more pies available until the Bazaar on Saturday, October, 28**. Let family, friends, and neighbors know that they are available until this supply is exhausted.

Foods of the Month
Sunnyside Ministries: Donations
Samaritan Ministries: Hotel-sized toiletries
LCAP: Toilet Tissue

Statistics Last Week (07/23/17)	
Attendance Sunday Worship	87
Weekly Needs to Meet Our Budget	\$3,305.89
Offering	\$2,194.00

Volunteers for August 6, 2017	
Liturgist:	Ed Merritt
Usher Team:	Randy Noftle
Greeters:	Kay Brown, Richard Williamson
Sound Board	Arthur Perry
Time with Children:	Rev. Barry Foster
Children's Worship	Audrey Hayes
Mower(8/5)	David Hauser