

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*

September 3, 2017
Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost

Pray for our Church Family:

Eric Dozier, 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:

Linda Bean (sister of Anita Hughes and Carol Tatum)
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)
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)
Jeanette Norfleet (friend of Becky Surratt and Kay Vance)
Steve Parks (son of Bill Parks)
Louise Poindexter (mother of Janet Sowers)
Family of Matt Reinstein (nephew of Wayne and Rachel Yancey)
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)
Ron Willard (friend of Dan and Brenda Pugh)

Serving in Missions:

Ed Dehnert and Barb Weide (Bethel, Alaska)

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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: *He Leadeth Me* with *God Leads Us Along* arr. T. Cooper

HEARING GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Liturgy: "Discipleship" Pages 37-42

Reading of God's Word Gabrielle Stevenson
Hebrews 12:1-11 New Testament, Page 221
Liturgist: The Word of God for the People of God.
Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Musical Offering: *In Your Arms* trad.
Maynard Surratt, Guitar

Time With Children: Linn Parsons
(Children (preschool through 5th grade) are invited to attend Children's Worship)

***Hymn:** *O Jesus, My Lord* Hymn 608

***Text for the Day:** "Matthew 16:21-28" New Testament, Page 18

The Message for Today: "Something for Nothing" Rev. Barry Foster

Silent Reflection

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Worship by Giving:

Offertory: *Trust and Obey* arr. G. Prim
* Offertory Response - Doxology Hymnal 817
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

Concerns and Joys for the Community, Nation and World

Prayers of Intercession:

Prayer Response: *Lord, Speak to Me* (stanzas 1 & 4) Hymn 646

FOLLOWING OUR LAMB INTO THE WORLD

Ministry Opportunities

***Hymn:** *God of Grace and God of Glory* Hymn 751

*Benediction

Postlude: *Lord God, All to Thee Give Praise* J. Pachelbel

**(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.



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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Nursery	Brittany Alexander Amy McKay

Community Blood Drive

Please make plans to donate the gift of life
 Saturday, **September 9 - 9:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m.**

We hope to have a good representation of donors as
Unity Moravian is hosting this Drive
 Walk-ins welcome!

Donors will receive a **free haircut** coupon from **SportClips**.
 For more information or to schedule an appointment,
 contact: Becky Norman @ 336-946-1517.

Mark Your Calendar!!
Unity Friends
September 30, 2017

Everyone is invited to the **Surratt's Farm** (rain or shine). Bring a dish to share and a chair. Lunch will be at 12:30 p.m. Come early and stay late!

Maps to the farm are located at the mailboxes.

Activities: hiking, rocking, eating, swinging, fellowshiping,
 four-wheeling, observing wild animals, reminiscing,
 relaxing, story telling, and music.

Team Leader for Crop Walk

We are looking for someone to lead us this year in the
 Annual CROP WALK, which will be held
Sunday, October 15, 2:30pm at Corpening Plaza
 in downtown Winston-Salem.

If you would like to take the lead in this ministry for our congregation, please call the church office and we will get you the information you need. Thanks!!

Foods of the Month

Sunnyside Ministries: Donations
 Samaritan Ministries: Hotel-sized toiletries
 LCAP: Toilet Tissue

Meetings Scheduled

- CE Committee (bag lunch) 12:15pm - Sunday, September 3
- Building & Grounds 6:30pm - Tuesday, September 12
- Church Board 7:00pm - Thursday, September 14

Our deepest sympathy to Wayne and Rachel Yancey on the loss of their niece, Lauren Reinstein. Also, please pray for Lauren's husband, Matt, and their two small children.

Opportunities	
Today, September 3	9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship 12:15 p.m. CE Committee (bag lunch)
Monday	Office Closed 12:30 p.m. Single Sisters' Potluck Picnic
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. Crafts 11:00 a.m. Tai Chi
Wednesday	6:30 p.m. Music Ministry Potluck & Choir rehearsal
Friday	9:00 a.m. Chicken pie workday
Saturday	9:00 a.m. Blood Drive @ Unity
Next Sunday, September 10	9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship 3:15 p.m. Intergenerational Bells

Office closed Labor Day - September 4

Music Ministry Potluck!
 Our Annual Potluck Dinner for **all** those involved with our music will take place
 Wednesday, **September 6 at 6:30 p.m.**
 in the Fellowship Hall. Beverages will be provided.

Following the potluck dinner, the **Choir** will have a short rehearsal.
 All past and prospective choir members are **invited** to attend.

Fall Rehearsal Schedule!!
Wednesdays, beginning **September 6 at 7:30 p.m.** - Adult Choir
Sundays, beginning **September 10 at 3:15 p.m.** - Intergenerational Bells
Tuesdays, beginning **September 12 at 7:30 p.m.** - Unity Bells

Smoked Meat Loaf

Unity Men are planning to smoke their **Specialty Meat Loaf** on **September 23**. They will sell for **\$10.00 each** (including a container of glaze).

There will be no storage available in our freezers due to our Fall Bazaar. You must **pre-order** your **meat loaf** and pick up on Saturday after lunch or Sunday morning (refrigerated) at church.

There is a reservation sheet on the table in the narthex.
Mark Your Calendars!!!! Make Your Reservation!!

Christmas Trees and Crafts
 Tuesday - **9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join the fun and fellowship!

Chicken Pie Workday Schedule
September 8 **October 20**

There are a few \$6 pies and some of the large \$10 pies available for sale. They are in the small freezer by the door of the building. However, when this supply of pies has been sold, there will be **no more pies available until the Bazaar on Saturday, October 28.**

Women's Fellowship Notes
 September 21 - 10:00 a.m. Morning
 September 21 - 7:00 p.m. Evening
 October 28 - 8:00 a.m. Fall Bazaar

Statistics Last Week (08/27/17)	
Attendance Sunday Worship	96
Weekly Needs to Meet Our Budget	\$3,305.89
Offering	\$4,092.00

Volunteers for September 10, 2017	
Liturgist:	Nancy Wonsavage
Usher Team:	Don Harkness
Greeters:	Dinah Howell, Barbara Knouse
Sound Board	Chuck Tatum
Time with Children:	Nancy Lutz-Jackson
Children's Worship	Audrey Hayes
Mower (9/9)	Don Harkness