

Unity Moravian Church of Lewisville



Watchword Text for the Year

*“To all who received him, who believed in his name,
he gave power to become children of God.”*
John 1:12

February 25, 2018
Second Sunday in Lent

Pray for our Church Family:
Alex Black, Evan Huss, Sandra Madison, Richard Spong
Remembering Members who find it difficult to attend:
Jennifer Beard, Dot Faircloth, Kay Huneycutt, Betty Phillips, Dee Young

Pray for our Family and Friends:
Lisa Allgood (cousin of Berry Sink)
Linda Bean (sister of Anita Hughes and Carol Tatum)
Allen Bradshaw (son of Jerrie Bradshaw)
Averi Burke (niece of Teresa Perry)
Helen Byrd (mother of Becky Surratt)
Larry Cook (friend of Will Smith)
Jennie Cornatzer (sister of Nancy Jackson)
Pam Cregger (sister of Teresa Perry)
Frank Diehl (friend of congregation)
Frank Foster (friend of Faye and Charles Johnson)
Polly Fishel (aunt of Lynn Williamson)
Betty Garrison (sister of Mary Conover)
Nadine Haydon (relative of Kim Felton)
Charles Johnson (husband of Faye Johnson)
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)
David Mengel (son of Ellen Sosack)
Steve Parks (son of Bill Parks)
Louise Poindexter (mother of Janet Sowers)
Martha Riddle (friend of Jayne Parks)
Katie Schreiber (granddaughter of Joy Cole)
Phoebe Smith (friend of Maynard and Becky Surratt)
Wilson Sparks (brother-in-law of Edith Ammons and Dick Sheek)
Patricia Vance Starbuck (sister-in-law of Kay Vance)
Clark Steed (brother-in-law of Teresa and Art Perry)
Sadie Taylor (sister of Maynard Surratt)
Ertle and Norma Todd (family members of Kim Felton)
Billie Wenzel (cousin of Beth Basta)
Jon Vickers (friend of Lynn Williamson)

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: *God Leads Us Along*

arr. L. Riley

HEARING GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Liturgy: "Lent 2" Pages 78-81

Reading of God's Word Ed Merritt
Hebrews 11:1-7 New Testament, Page 220

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

Congregation: Thanks be to God.

Anthem: *One Faith, One Hope, One Lord* C. Courtney

Time With Children: Shirley Yoder
*Children (preschool through 5th grade) are invited to attend Children's Worship
with Christa Geyer*

***Hymn:** *O Master, Let Me Walk With You* Hymn 735

***Text for the Day:** Genesis 5:21-32 Old Testament, Page 5

The Message for Today: "A Walk With God" Rev. Barry Foster

Silent Reflection

OUR RESPONSE TO GOD

Worship by Giving:

Offertory: *Nearer, My God, to Thee*

arr. M. Ham

* Offertory Response - Doxology

Hymn 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

Prayer of Intercession

Prayer Response: *Lord Jesus, Think On Me*

Hymn 764

(1st Stanza)

FOLLOWING OUR LAMB INTO THE WORLD

Ministry Opportunities

***Hymn:** *Lord, Dismiss Us With Your Blessing*

Hymn 559

***Benediction**

***Choral Response**

Postlude: *Rigaudon*

A. Campras

**(Please stand if able)*

The beautiful flowers are given by Thelma Shimps
in loving memory of her husband, Rich.



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, February 25	9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship
Monday	6:00 p.m. Unity Friends
Tuesday	9:00 a.m. Christmas trees/crafts 11:00 a.m. Tai Chi 6:00 p.m. <i>Fellowship Hall Reserved</i> 6:30 p.m. Intergenerational Bells 7:30 p.m. Unity Bells
Wednesday	6:30 p.m. Lenten series 7:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal
Next Sunday, March 4	9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship


Unity Friends
Unity Friends will gather at the church on **February 26 at 6:00 PM** for a fun evening of pancakes, games, and prizes. Becky and Maynard Surratt will be the chefs for the evening. Hope all of you can come for a delicious meal and fellowship. Speak with the Surratts if you have questions.


LENTEN SERIES
STUDY OF FIVE INFLUENTIAL CHRISTIAN THEOLOGIANS
Wednesdays in Lent 6:30pm – 7:30pm
If you would like, you may bring your supper with you. The study will begin promptly at 6:30pm and will end promptly at 7:30pm to allow choir members to be on time for choir rehearsal.

Wed. February 28	St. Augustine of Hippo – Most Influential Theologian of the Organized Church
Wed. March 7	St. Thomas Aquinas – Medieval Church Theologian
Wed. March 14	Martin Luther – Theologian for the Reformation
Wed. March 21	Friedrich Schleiermacher – Modern Theologian and Interpreter of Moravian “Essentials”

*Who are the thinkers who originated Christian thought and doctrine?
How have they influenced our faith through the centuries?
Come, let's find out!*

Good News!

We have a new  address for the church!
Our NEW E-MAIL ADDRESS is:
UnityMC@UnityMoravianChurch.org

Please  your records!

We have created a new shared email address for general communications so multiple resources can see the email and allow for faster service for inquiries.

From this point on...all member communications will come from this e-mail account. The old “Windstream” account will be phased out. Please use the **new e-mail address** for all general correspondence with the church office.

For more personal communications only, we still have the following:
Admin: KittyR@UnityMoravianChurch.org - Kitty's
Pastor: BarryF@UnityMoravianChurch.org - Barry's
Treasure: LeeC@UnityMoravianChurch.org - Lee's

Many thanks to Scott Culbertson, Dennis Fort, and Bob Morrell for their assistance in making this transition!

Also, thanks to Scott Culbertson, we have a **NEW AND IMPROVED “WIFI” SYSTEM!** It is named: **UnityMoravianGuest**
No password is needed to connect...just agree to the “terms” and you are immediately connected!

STAY TUNED... THERE IS MORE TO COME!!

Chicken Pies
Chicken pies are available. Pie-for-one is \$3, medium pie is \$6 and the large pie is \$10. Please pay Lynne Huss or put payment for the pies in her mailbox. There are envelopes available at the mailboxes to use for paying.

Chicken pie workdays are scheduled for:
March 9 April 6 May 11
Mark your calendars now and plan to join us for these workdays!

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

Statistics Last Week (02/18/18)	
Attendance Sunday Worship	77
Weekly Needs to Meet Our Budget	\$3,305.89
Offering	\$2,368.60

Volunteers for March 4, 2018	
Liturgist:	Kassidy Stevenson
Usher Team:	Randy Nofle
Greeters:	Gay Sharon Brothers, Louis Baumann
Sound Board:	Bob Morrell
Time with Children:	Linn Parsons
Children's Worship:	Christine Phleps

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.

Blood Drive Volunteers
If you would be willing to donate a cake for one of our Community Blood Drives, please see Becky Norman: or contact her at rnorman7@hotmail.com, telephone: 336-946-1517

The drives are held every other month at local churches, and the next one is scheduled at Shiloh Lutheran Church on **March 10**. If you would, please sign your name and telephone number to the **Bloodmobile List** on the table in the narthex.

We appreciate your gracious support of this very worthwhile outreach ministry.

Our deepest **sympathy to the family of Richard Hartz** who moved into the more immediate presence of our Lord last Friday, February 16. Mr. Hartz was a dedicated supporter of the Little Symphony of Forsyth County and of the Salem Community Orchestra. He played the violin and held the office of Treasurer. Being a friend of Jim and Beth Basta, he often served as a greeter at our concerts and distributed programs. He also was known for his accomplished Moravian Star creations. His memorial service will be conducted in March.