Announcements

Fellowship Meal: Today – 12:00 Noon – Wesley Hall. Time to lighten up! We will have a salad lunch – church will provide grilled and fried chicken tenders – you bring salads, sides and desserts to go with it!

VBS: Tonight-Wednesday, July 10 – 5:00-7:00 pm – Kindergarten-5th graders. We need workers – helpers in the kitchen, volunteers to shepherd kids around, volunteers to bring snacks!! Please contact Pam or the office if you can help in any of these areas. **VBS Set up will be immediately following the fellowship lunch – stay and help if you can!** Register kids online on our website, by emailing us at fumc324@gmail.com, or by calling the church office.

Youth Cookout: Thursday July 11th - 6 pm at the Powells.

Women's Bible Studies: No Wednesday bible studies through the month of July!

Men's Club Breakfast: Sunday, July 21st – 8:00 am – Norman Barnett Hall

Summer Camp: July 22-27 - Blue Lake - for 3rd graders-Seniors

Work trip for Hurricane Michael Relief: We are trying to organize a work trip to help with new construction in the area affected by Hurricane Michael. If you would be interested in participating in this, please let us know in the church office. We're thinking this will be a 2-3 day trip – dates and details are being worked out, we basically just need to know if we have any interest.

Acolyte/Crucifer Schedule: There is a June and July Acolyte/Crucifer schedule in the Narthex beside the Usher list. Please sign your child up for Sundays(s) that you will be in town. If you know of any children who would like to serve our church by being a crucifer or an acolyte, please contact Christi Wiggins at 564-4190.

Upcoming Events at Monroe County Library

- MPD will be offering free child fingerprinting July 9th at 11:00 am
- Big Brother Big Sister Recruitment Luncheon July 11th from 12:00-1:00 pm FREE LUNCH

Contact Stephanie Curtin @ 251-743-3818 with questions

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Church Staff

Senior Pastor: Rev. Bill Curtin
Pastor Emeritus: Dr. Thomas Lane Butts
Minister of Education: Rev. Pam Barnhardt
Director of Music Ministries/Organist: Nancy Carleton
Church Business Administrator: Jessica Hankins
Nursery Director: Christi Dunn
Nursery Attendants: Letitia King & Rosie Parker

Morning Worship

Fourth Sunday After Pentecost

ENTRANCE

Gathering

Prelude
Opportunities
Greet One Another

Introit

Prelude
Opportunities
Rev. Pam Barnhardt
Rev. Barnhardt
Rev. Barnhardt
Chancel Choir (9)
Gather Us In
Ensemble (11)

The Great Thanksgiving Minister and Congregation

The Lord be with you!

And also with you!

The risen Christ is with us!

Praise the Lord!

† Hymn 2269 TFWS Come Share the Lord Congregation

PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

† Prayer for the People Rev. Bill Curtin

Hear the Good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us.
In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen

| † Hymn 2065 TFWS | More Precious Than Silver | Congregation |
|---------------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| Bringing Our Gifts to God | Wonderful, Merciful Savior At This Moment | Chancel Choir (9) Ensemble (11) |
| Doxology | Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow | Hymnal, 95 |
| Children's Sermon | | Rev. Barnhardt |
| Scripture | Psalm 30:11-12 | Rev. Curtin |
| Sermon | Coming to the Table | Rev. Curtin |

THE HOLY COMMUNION

Communion Liturgy Minister and Congregation

Leader: All you who love God,
All: Come to the Lord's Table!

Leader Are you in need to confess your sin?

All: Come to the Lord's Table!
Leader: All who wish to be at peace,
All: Come to the Lord's Table!

Leader: Pour out your Spirit on these gifts.

All: Pour out your Spirit on us.

Leader: Make these gifts the body and blood of Christ.

All: Pour out your Spirit on us.

Leader: Make us, through them, Christ's body alive in the world.

All: Pour out your Spirit on us.

Leader: Abba, Father!

All: Let your kingdom come!

Leader: Come, Lord Jesus!

All: Be our daily bread.

Giving the Bread and Cup Servers

The Communion Rail Offering supports our Local Mission Fund.

SENDING FORTH

† Hymn 298 When I Survey the Wondrous Cross Congregation

† Benediction Rev. Curtin

† Benediction Response Sent forth by God's Blessing Chancel Choir (9) Sent forth by God's Blessing Ensemble (11)

Going Forth Postlude Nancy Carleton

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† Standing as able Please silence or turn off your cell phones.

SERVERS USHERS CRUCIFERS ACOLYTES 9:00

11:00 Charles Martens

ALTAR GUILD Alison Montgomery

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY Sunday Worship – 58 (9) / 49 (11) Sunday School – 41

The Altar arrangement today is given to the greater glory of God and in honor of Jack and Mary Whetstones' 65th Wedding Anniversary by their Children.