

A worship bulletin
for **Sunday, June 21, 2020**
with Barboursville First UMC
Father's Day
Pastor Kerry's Final Sunday

Join us **online** at Facebook.com/FUMCWV

WORSHIP SERVICE at 11am
and then available for viewing afterwards

Email: firstchurchville@gmail.com

Upcoming Events:

Sun. June 21

Father's Day

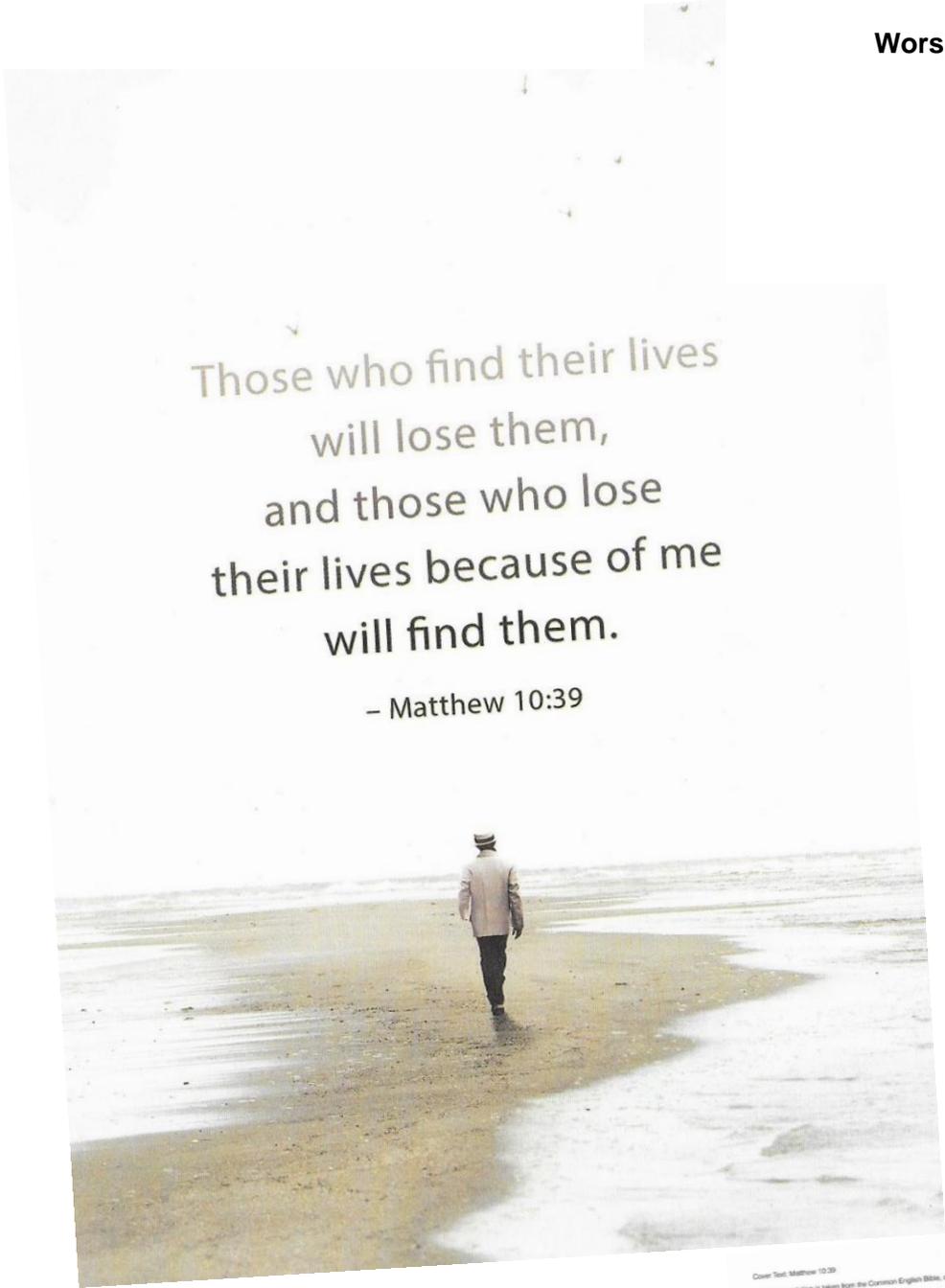
Sanctuary open for worship, 11:00am
(with facemasks and distancing)
(service available online as well)
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Sun. June 28

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July 5

Worship service online



Those who find their lives
will lose them,
and those who lose
their lives because of me
will find them.

- Matthew 10:39

Cover Text: Matthew 10:39

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Readings for the Third Sunday After Pentecost (Father's Day), June 21, 2020: Genesis 21:9-21;
Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 or Psalm 17; Romans 6:10-11; Matthew 10:24-39

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...to share the love of God with people in a hurting world...

June 21, 2020 11:00 a.m.
Father's Day | Pastor Kerry's Final Sunday

We Gather For Worship

WELCOME:

Greetings in the name of the One who was, who is, and who is to come;
 Almighty God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit; one God, mother of us all.
 We welcome you to the service today,
 and pray that you experience the loving and active presence of God in our midst this morning.

We are live "in-person" in the sanctuary today, and we will continue to offer an online option.
 You can join us online live at 11am (www.Facebook.com/FUMCWV) or later at the same site.
 You do not need to have a Facebook account to view the service.

Prelude "Amazing Grace! (How Sweet the Sound)" `McConnell

***Responsive Reading** Psalm 32 (with sung response) 766

Psalm 32

Ps. 32:11
 Gary Alan Smith

RESPONSE (General)

Be glad in the Lord and re - joice;
 shout for joy, you up - right in heart.

Blessed are those whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

**Blessed are those whom the Lord does not hold guilty,
 and in whose spirit there is no deceit.**

When I did not declare my sin, my body wasted away
 through my groaning all day long.

**For day and night your hand was heavy upon me;
 my strength was dried up as by the heat of summer.**

I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not hide my iniquity;
**I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the Lord";
 then you forgave the guilt of my sin. R**

Therefore let those who are godly offer prayer to you;
At a time of distress, the rush of great waters shall not reach them.

You are a hiding place for me, you preserve me from trouble;
you encompass me with deliverance.

**I will instruct you and teach you the way you should go;
I will counsel you with my eye upon you.**

Do not be like an unruly horse or a mule, with understanding,
Whose temper must be curbed with bit and bridle.

**Many are the pangs of the wicked;
but steadfast love surrounds those who trust in the Lord.**

Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice, O righteous;
shout for joy, all you upright in heart! R



***Opening Hymn**

WORDS: Edward H. Plumptre, 1865

Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart"

UMH160

MUSIC: Arthur H. Messiter, 1889

Refrain: Rejoice,(rejoice,) rejoice,(rejoice) rejoice, give thanks and sing.

1. Rejoice, ye pure in heart; rejoice, give thanks, and sing;
your glorious banner wave on high, the cross of Christ your King. **R**
2. Your clear hosannas raise, and alleluias loud;
whilst answering echoes upward float, like wreaths of incense cloud. **R**
3. Yes, on through life's long path, still chanting as ye go;
from youth to age, by night and day, in gladness and in woe. **R**
4. At last the march shall end; the wearied ones shall rest;
the pilgrims find their heavenly home, Jerusalem the blest. **R**
5. Praise God who reigns on high, the Lord whom we adore,
the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, one God forevermore. **R**

Open wide the window of our spirits, O Lord, and fill us full of light;
Open wide the door of our hearts, that we may receive and entertain
Thee with all our powers of adoration and love. Amen.

Scripture Reading Galatians 5:13-25 (CEB)

¹³You were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only don't let this freedom be an opportunity to indulge your selfish impulses, but serve each other through love. ¹⁴All the Law has been fulfilled in a single statement: Love your neighbor as yourself. ¹⁵But if you bite and devour each other, be careful that you don't get eaten up by each other!

Two different ways of living

¹⁶I say be guided by the Spirit and you won't carry out your selfish desires. ¹⁷A person's selfish desires are set against the Spirit, and the Spirit is set against one's selfish desires. They are opposed to each other, so you shouldn't do whatever you want to do. ¹⁸But if you are being led by the Spirit, you aren't under the Law. ¹⁹The actions that are produced by selfish motives are obvious, since they include sexual immorality, moral corruption, doing whatever feels good, ²⁰idolatry, drug use and casting spells, hate, fighting, obsession, losing your temper, competitive opposition, conflict, selfishness, group rivalry, ²¹jealousy, drunkenness, partying, and other things like that. I warn you as I have already warned you, that those who do these kinds of things won't inherit God's kingdom. ²²But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, ²³gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against things like this. ²⁴Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the self with its passions and its desires. ²⁵If we live by the Spirit, let's follow the Spirit.

Response to the Word: What's PK got to say?

Write your thoughts here

Hymn

WORDS: Kerry William Bart, 2004

“In the Breaking of the Bread”

MUSIC: Kerry William Bart, 2004

Refrain:

*In the breaking of the bread,
You are made known, You fill my soul.
In the blessing from the cup,
You lift me up, You make me whole.*

Verse 1: My Life

In my life are times of hope and times of fear.
There are times when no one's there to know my tears.
But the Lord, He heard my cries,
He took my hand, He cleared my eyes,
And I know that Jesus lived His life for me.

Refrain

Verse 2: Jesus' life

Jesus lived a life of true humility.
He healed the lame, He fed the poor, the blind made see.
And on the night before He died,
A holy meal He redefined:
“When you eat and drink,” He said, “Remember Me..”

Refrain

Verse 3: In the Church

When we take of Jesus' body and His blood
in community we share God's holy food.
For His people God provides:
He gives us strength to live our lives
filled forever with the goodness of His Son.

Refrain (with “our”, followed by final refrain with “my”)

Prayers of the People

With the Lord's Prayer

***Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.***

***Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.***

Offering

Thank you, God, for the ways your image is reflected in every one of your children. As we offer ourselves to you today, transform our gifts into food for those who hunger, homes for those who are displaced, peace for those who experience violence and hope for those who despair because of injustice. In addition to our financial gifts, receive our personal commitment to live in a way that repairs and restores your beautiful creation. Amen.

*First Church thanks you
for your faithful giving.
PO Box 293, Barboursville WV 25504*

Farewell to a Pastor (UMBOW598-599)

Pastor:

I thank you, the members and friends of Barboursville First United Methodist Church, for the love and support you have shown me while I have ministered among you. I am grateful for the ways my leadership has been accepted, I ask forgiveness for the mistakes I have made. As I leave, I carry with me all that I have learned here.

Congregation:

We receive your thankfulness, offer forgiveness, and accept that you leave to minister elsewhere. We express our gratitude for your time among us. We ask your forgiveness for our mistakes. Your influence on our faith and faithfulness will not leave us with your departure.

Pastor:

I accept your gratitude and forgiveness, and I forgive you, trusting that our time together and our parting are pleasing to God. I release you from turning to me and depending on me. I encourage your continuing ministry here and will pray for you and for your new pastor, Teresa Adams.

Let us pray

All:

Eternal God, whose steadfast love for us is from everlasting to everlasting, we give you thanks for cherished memories and commend on another into your care as we move in new directions. Keep us one in your love forever, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Special music

“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”

Greg Racer

Sending forth

Children of God, go forth as the church,
commissioned, empowered, and sent into the world.

**We go with God's Spirit and God's power,
sharing the Gospel, and bearing the hope of new life.**

May the God who breathed life into creation be your delight.
May Christ Jesus give hope to your dreaming,
and may the Holy Spirit, your advocate and supporter,
set your hearts ablaze with a passion for peace.

**We go in peace to love and serve the Lord.
In the name of Christ. Amen.**

Closing Hymn

WORDS: John R. Peacey, 1975

"Go Forth for God"

UMH670

MUSIC: *Genevan Psalter, 1551*

1. Go forth for God, go to the world in peace; be of good courage, armed with heavenly grace, in God's good Spirit daily to increase, till in the kingdom we see face to face. Go forth for God go to the world in joy.
2. Go forth for God, go to the world in love; strengthen the faint, give courage to the weak; help with the afflicted; richly from above God's love supplies the grace and power we seek. Go forth for God, go to the world in love.
3. Go forth for God, go to the world in strength; hold fast the good, be urgent for the right; render to no one evil; Christ at length shall overcome all darkness with his light. Go forth for God, go to the world in strength.
4. Go forth for God, go to the world in joy, to serve God's people every day and hour, and serving Christ, our every gift employ, rejoicing in the Holy Spirit's power. Go forth for God, go to the world in joy.

Scripture Reading

2 Corinthians 13:11-13

NRSV

¹¹ Finally, brothers and sisters, farewell. Put things in order, listen to my appeal, agree with one another, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you. ¹² Greet one another with a holy kiss. All the saints greet you. ¹³ The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with all of you.

Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

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Annual Conference: www.WVUMC.org

Western District: www.WDUMC.org

Ministers:	all of us
Pastor:	Kerry W. Bart
Music Director:	Trina Smith
Organist:	Becky Baldwin
District Superintendent:	Okey Harless
Bishop:	Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball

Thank you to today's counters, Ed Miller and Mike Tatum June 21 and 28:

THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD

by Sally Wells in memory of husband, Jack Wells.

THE FLOWERS WERE GIVEN TO THE GLORY OF GOD last Sunday

by Brenda Rucker in memory of Roger Rucker and granddaughter, Maddie Rucker.

ACTIVITIES AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAYS OF JUNE: Today we continue with the "ReLaunch" in-person worship guidelines. We have put the following measures into place for everyone's safety: limited seating areas, wearing of facemasks during worship, and no congregational singing. Worshipers will have their temperature scanned upon entry into the church, and we must take care to avoid hugging and handshakes. We will do the same on June 28.

We do not yet know what the worship services will look like for July 5, or July 12, but we will communicate those events as they near.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation with our safety measures, and please contact Greg Racer (736-9622) if you have feedback regarding in-person worship.

If you are feeling unwell, please remain home.

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PRAYER REQUESTS JUNE 21, 2020

Please remember the following people with prayers,

Names are carried on this list for the calendar month. Requests and changes can be reported in writing on worship prayer request cards or by calling the church office. All prayer cards must be dated and signed by the person who is sharing the information. Thank you for your ministry of intercessory prayer.

NURSING HOMES AND ASSISTED LIVING

Virginia Chapman, Midland Meadows

Bob Maxwell, The Wyngate

Charles Gerwig, Huntington Health & Rehab

HEALTH NEEDS

Sara Alexander

Mary Gerwig

Winona Holbrook

Jim Mannon

Beryl Myers

Jim Myers

Linda Reid

Leo Savilisky

Millie Smith

Naomi Sparks

Sally Wells

OTHER RELATIVES AND FRIENDS WHO NEED OUR PRAYERS

Bishop Sandra Steiner Ball

DS Okey Harless

The United Methodist Church

President Trump

our First Responders

Boedy Higson

Lushie Preece

Cindy Stickler

Triplett Family

Sarah Clay

Pat Lawrence

Bettina Doyle

Marianne Russell-Herr

Shane Summers

Carey Hasty

Rich & Donna Oderwald

Jack Day

Ashley Sinclair

Rick Clark

Sherry Hickey

Debbie Jackson

Corky Martin

Hannah Caserta

Joanie LaRosa

Luke White

Ann Handley

Martha Spaulding

Larry Clark

Lanny Adkins

Michelle Sinclair

Tommy Fife

Allen Bleigh

Brittany McComas

Ron White

Becky Wilson

Patsy McComas

Sonny Rice

Axl Colt Barber

Belinda Amos

Aunt May

Lilly Heath-Massey

Robin Darby

Bobby Sinclair

Mark Horwich

Brad Caserta

Roger Ray

Ricky Chapman

David McComas

Rusty Bowling

Brandy Facemyer

Flohouse family

Barb Ellis

Mary Alice & Rockie Holbrook

Unspoken

the pandemic

Pastors and congregations in transition

Brad Hooper

Donna M.

Uncle Harold

Bill Vipperman

Pastor Teresa

Matt Cleveland

Judy Mayo

Lisa Howard

Anthony Cobb

Cade Click

REST IN PEACE

Blaker Bolling

Rev. Ralph Cazad

George Floyd

Rayshard Brooks

We are... BARBOURSVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Our purpose is to continue becoming more Christ-like
and to share the love of God with people in a hurting world.

We are a part of The United Methodist Church.
Our mission as United Methodists is
to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

To find out more about The United Methodist Church, check us out online:
www.umc.org www.wvumc.org www.wdumc.org www.FirstChurchBville.com www.UMCOR.org
Pastor Kerry's sermons are archived online at www.WordsFromPK.blogspot.com

DURING THIS TIME of GLOBAL PANDEMIC
PLEASE CONTINUE TO BE THE CHURCH

Your prayers are needed.
Your non-anxious presence is needed.
Your devotion and witness are needed.

And yes, your offerings are needed.
Our local church enables and empowers ministry
because of your faithful giving.

United Methodist churches around the state of West Virginia
enable and empower ministry around the state
and around the *globe*
because of your faithful giving.

Our financial giving is one of the ways that we participate in the body of Christ.
Offerings can be mailed to First UMC, PO Box 293, Barboursville WV 25504,
or dropped off at the church building (please call ahead to 610-304-5437 to drop off),
or even picked up by a church member.

Thank you for your continued faithfulness.

Please keep in your prayers
West Virginia Annual Conference's elected delegates
for General Conference 2020 and Jurisdictional Conference 2020.
GenConf2020 will take place in Minneapolis, August 31 – Sept 10, 2021

<p><u>WVUMC Annual Conference</u> will take place August 1 and 2, 2020, in Buckhannon WV.</p>

GC20 Laity: Judi Kenaston, Rich Shaffer, Erin Sears
GC20 Clergy: Amy Shanholtzer, Jeff Taylor, Lauren Godwin

JC20 Laity: Rachel Flynn Fulton, Kristi Wilkerson, Royce Lyden
JC20 Clergy: Mary Ellen Finegan, Mike Estep, Joe Hill

Laity alternates: Bree Moll, Judy Raines
Clergy alternates: Sharletta Green, Joe Kenaston

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