



Shake it up!

Open Your Heart

These were his instructions: “Take nothing for the journey except a staff—no bread, no bag, no money in your belts.”⁹ Wear sandals but not an extra shirt.¹⁰ Whenever you enter a house, stay there until you leave that town.¹¹ And if any place will not welcome you or listen to you, leave that place and shake the dust off your feet as a testimony against them.” - Mark 6:8-11

July 7, 2024

10:00 am Worship Service
Sunday, July 7, 2024

WELCOME-- OPENING PRAYER

HYMN

"O God Our Help in Ages Past"

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Beloved, when our bodies feel unable and incapable, and the voices around us disparage us and criticize us as weak and worthless, God calls to us...

Congregation: Open your heart to your weakness and my strength.

L: When we persist in the false belief that we should and must do everything on our own, never asking for help and persisting in our drive for full independence, God calls to us....

C: Open your heart to your weakness and my strength.

L: When we feel shame because we need help, and the deep vulnerability of our need pierces our hearts, God calls us to...

C: Open your heart to your weakness and my strength.

L: Listen! Pay Attention! God calls to us in our weakness, not to erase our failures or bemoan all the things society may tell us we lack, but to empower us within the vulnerability of our humanness, naming us *Beloved* in the fullness of who we are.

ALL: God, May we open our hearts in worship to receive the goodness in our weakness and the power in strength of God's love for all of God's vulnerable creation. Amen

PRAISE SONG

"The Power of Your Love" "More Love, More Power"

SIGNS OF PEACE

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER

PRAISE SONG

"Amazing Grace"

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Mark 6:1-13

MESSAGE

"Shake it Up"

WE CELEBRATE COMMUNION

Invitation

Confession

The Great thanksgiving

LISTENING FOR GOD

MAKING MINISTRY HAPPEN

PRAISE SONG

"Your Grace Is Enough"

GIVING OURSELVES AND OUR GIFTS

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

**Prayer requests cards are now in each pew.
Prayer requests can be placed in the offering
plate or in the black offering box in the back
of the sanctuary.**

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Dick and Esther Ocker, Donna Hockensmith, Norma Sherman, Austin Selby, Ann Carney, Deb Shipley, Judy Waggoner

LONG TERM ILLNESS: Dennis Byerly (Pastor Deb's father), Liz Lehman, Todd Eckenrode, Teresa Bellish, Harry Schulz, John McAllen (Asonia Wolf's son), Alesha Holsinger (Linda Kimmel's friend), Barb Elting, Gaylea Kelly, Loretta Calaman, John Edwards (Andy & Mary Groshans), Asonia Wolf, Vera Egolf, Jackie Weary, Ed Hair, Stewart Lamma, Anne Stanford, Dick Lindsey, Charles Sherman, Josiah Claire (Becky Smith), The Matrese Family, Steven Hair, Freddy Rodriguez (Deb Kraft).

GRIEF: Family of Tim Barrick, Family of Richard Lindsey

OUR WORLD MISSIONS: Mountains of Hope, Furcy, Haiti; Gideons.

THOSE DEPLOYED IN MILITARY SERVICE: Jady Barrett (Navy), Alex Myers (Army), Gerad Calaman (Air Force), Dylan Kupp (Navy), Justyn Padua, Brandon Padua, Dustin Jeardoe (Marine), Erin Driver (Army), John Durnin II (Marine).

NURSING HOMES: Thorwald Home: Pauline Hollenbaugh
COG: Jane Sunday



**Susquehanna Conference of the
UMC Circle of Prayer Churches**

**For the weeks of June 30 - July 6
and July 7 - 13**

**Please pray for All Congregations
and Pastors going through a time
of transition**



thank you!

Each Week it takes many hands to prepare for worship.
 Thank you to our Worship team who are serving this Month
 and to those scheduled to serve this week!

	JULY		
ROLE	7	14	21
Acolyte		Zac Peters	Holden Clouse-Beddia
organist/pianist		Linda Kimmel	Linda Kimmel
Praise Band:			
	Dave Billman	Dave Billman	
	Elizabeth Peters	Elizabeth Peters	Elizabeth Peters
	Travis Clouse	Travis Clouse	Travis Clouse
	Seth Lawton	Seth Lawton	Seth Lawton
Tech Team	Tim Walsh	Joe O'donnell	Tim Walsh
Sound Team			
Ushers:			
Gathering/Downstairs	Andy Groshans	Glenn Kimmel	Linda Eckenrode
Pastor/Sanctuary	Jim Stevens	Earl Smith	Sue Walsh
Greeters:			
Hospitality Greeter	Mary Groshans	Linda Kimmel	Carolyn Bloom
Bulletin	Fred & Ruth Hair	Darlene Smith	Marian Smyser & Gwynn Sorrentino
Lector	Seth Lawton	0	0
Communion:			
bread maker	Linda Eckenrode		
servicing			
	Linda Eckenrode		

July Celebrations



JULY Birthdays

1 Sarah Kuhn

4 Pauline Hollenbaugh

4 JT Rose

6 Dylan Haney

7 John Henson

8 Marvin Wingert

9 Christine Cohick

9 Barbara Preston

9 Gwynn Sorrentino

11 Linda Kimmel

13 LJ Henson

16 Isaac Clouse

17 Mike Peele

19 Cheryl Brady

21 Heather Haney

22 Gabrielle Coler

24 Mary Otey

26 Laurie Barrick

28 Abigail Cable

29 Sandy Stuart

30 Liz Rusnak

31 Luke Earhart

JULY Anniversaries

2 Phil & Kim Coler

3 Tim & Susan Walsh

MUMC Community Yard Sale



Got stuff you want to get rid of?

Join us for a community yard sale
in the parking lot of MUMC. Spaces are available for \$10 (table
included) additional tables for \$8 per table. proceeds from these
spaces and tables go to our local outreach ministry.

Saturday, July 20th 8am to 2pm

**Pick up your registration form today
located in the gathering space!**

Ways you can help through Food Donations?

Our Outdoor Concerts: (Last Fridays of the month)

Baked goods (individually wrapped, NO NUTS please)
Hot dogs
Hot dog buns
Individual serving size snacks (chips, pretzels, etc.)
Ice
Bottled water

Country Meadows Food Pantry: (year round)

Non- perishable food

Community CARES Breakfast:

(1st Saturday of each month.)
Breakfast items hot or cold.

Senior Scams, Financial Fraud & Romance Scams



Mary Bach, the Red Flag Lady
and Special Guest, Kate

MONDAY, JULY 8, 2024
NOON to 2:30 p.m.

**Great
Food,
Friends &
Information**

Mary Bach is an Independent Consumer Advocate & Chair of AARP PA Consumer Issues Task Force. She will be discussing relevant updates regarding Senior Scams and Financial Fraud. Mary's guest speaker, Kate, is a specialist in Romance Scams & Seniors and will offer tips and tricks to help you recognize romance scamming of seniors. You won't want to miss this program because you will gain helpful information to keep you safe.

Golden Lights Senior Adult Ministry
Middlesex United Methodist Church
218 N Middlesex Road
Carlisle, PA 17013

RSVP on the Sunday Bulletin
Connection Card or contact the
church office by phoning
(717) 249-2449

**EVERYONE IS
WELCOME!**



A \$5 donation is greatly appreciated, but is not required to attend this event.



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***Our Vision: Alive in Christ in the Community
so that the Community is Alive in Christ.
Serving Christ for over 150 years!***

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