

**Steele Memorial
United Methodist Church
steelememorial.com
July 16, 2017**

Welcome to Worship



The purpose of Steele Memorial United Methodist Church is to ENGAGE with people in order to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; to CONNECT them in their journey of faith; and to offer opportunities to DEVELOP their relationship with the living God through love, worship, and SERVICE.

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WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Sunday, July 16

8:45 Early Worship
9:40 Sunday School for all ages
10:45 Worship Service
6:30 Evening Worship

Monday, July 17

6:30 Sea Scouts
7:00 Cub Scouts
7:00 Boy Scouts
7:00 Administrative Council Meeting

Tuesday, July 18

6:30 Celebrate Recovery Dinner
7:00 Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday, July 19

5:30 Youth
6:45 Bible Study
7:45 Choir Practice

Saturday, July 22

8:00 AM Men's Bible Study
9:10 Vision Team

Sunday, July 23

8:45 Early Worship
9:40 Sunday School for all ages
10:45 Worship Service
12:30 Vision Team
6:30 Evening Worship

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

Amount Received: Amount Needed Per Week: \$8,497.00
July 2: \$8,512.00
July 9: \$7,665.51

LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE

Morning Worship: 111 Early Worship: 23
Sunday School: 119 Evening Worship: 27

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Kevin Lantz kiplantz@yahoo.com	Pastor Emeritus: Rev. Ralph Sager
Pastor's Home: 304-736-6474	Youth Director: Bobby Bannister
Pastor's Cell: 304-638-4840	Music Minister: Johnna Adkins
Organist: Becky Chenoweth	Pianist: Lynette Call
	Lay Leader: John Call

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is a time to share the work of the church and recognize the community of believers as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord.

STORY FOR YOUNG DISCIPLES

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY** No. 94
"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

***SONGS OF PRAISE**

OLD TESTAMENT READING 1 Samuel 17:20-24,34-37
The Word of God for the People of God!
Thanks be to God!

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH "The Apostles' Creed" No. 881

MORNING PRAYER

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

ANTHEM "Testimony" Choir

No Children's Church until Public Schools start in August

SERMON Psalm 10 Pastor Kevin Lantz
"FAITH: I Believe In God!"

HYMN OF INVITATION No. 378 (1-4)
“Amazing Grace”

BENEDICTION No. 378 (vs. 6)
“Amazing Grace”

***POSTLUDE**

The Sunflowers on the altar are placed in the memory of Dr. Gary Craft. The church family extends prayers & sympathy to Kim Workman in the loss of her brother.

The center arrangement flowers are given to the Glory of God and in the celebration of the 10th wedding anniversary on July 1st of our son and daughter-in-law, Matt and Andrea, and in celebration of the 7th birthday on July 28th of our granddaughter, Emily Camille by Jim and Sandy Boggess.

Prayer Concerns

Rosetta Blake	Sue Ballengee	Shirley Bowen
Lynette Call	Danny Childers	Buddy & Lilly Dick
Larry Dickens	Lori Godfrey	John Griffith
Joan Grove	Phil Herrold	Peggy Hicks
Whitt Keefer	Virginia Keefer	Shawn Kelley
Amy Reiter	Keith Ross	

Friends and Relatives

Ethan (Grandson of Peggy Hicks)
Simon Ballengee (Grandson of Kevin & Cindy Ballengee)
Bub Amis (Friend of Pastor Kevin)
Jim Cava (Brother-in-law of Mike Call)
Charlie Insalaco (Grandson of Mike & Lynette Call)
David Murray (Cousin of DiAnn Willis)
Ed Lombard (Joan Grove's son-in-law)
Leigh Olson (Nate Olson's son)

CHILDREN'S CHURCH – No Children's Church until August when school begins. If you have any questions call Janet Foss.

ECCHO - In checking with ECCHO, rather than our normal monthly food item, they are in great need of toothpaste and

shampoo. Along with our backpack items, please add these items for July donations.

UMW MISSION SUPPORT for July will be school supplies for ECCHO (listed in the bulletin). Please put those donations in the narthex

SCHOOL BACK PACK TIME - The summer is flying by as we all enjoy swimming, picnicking, and vacations with the family. As we enjoy the sunshine it will not be long for the children to head back to school (August 10th).

Each year more and more children in our county will be in need of help getting school supplies. In conjunction with ECCHO a day in July will be scheduled to fill back packs for children Kindergarten through the 12th grade. In order to fill the back packs we need donations of school supplies. Here is a list of items that are needed:

- Back packs for all age groups
- One to one and half inch three ring binders
- Folders
- Spiral notebooks both wide and college rule
- Note paper both wide and college rule
- #2 pencils
- Ink pens
- A box of 24 crayons
- Pkg. of colored pencils
- Highlighters
- Glue sticks
- Erasers
- Pencil boxes---plastic and cloth

There were over 200 back packs filled last year and volunteers for this year will be needed. If you are able to help, please contact Peggy Fillmore or Brenda Chapman. **The July date will be Thursday, July 20th and Friday, July 21st and the back packs will be filled at Milton UMC at 9:00 each morning.** Plan to help with this mission outreach. With your donations and help children in Cabell County will be able to start school on positive note.

SWIM PARTY! July 30 is our Church Swim Party from 6-8 p.m. at the Kennedy Center on Rt. 2. This is a good time to CONNECT friends to the fellowship of your Church! Swim and cover-dish dinner! Don't forget the dinner! Won't you think about inviting a family or friends?

WOMEN'S AEROBICS: REFIT Our Church sponsors women's aerobics class each Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings 9:30 to 10:30 in the Church gym. Stephanie Ross is the group leader, and she uses faith-friendly music to help make the exercise routine something you will enjoy!

As a special treat, Stephanie is offering an event on **Saturday, July 22, 2 p.m.** open to all the public as a way to expose others to the exercise workout, It is free, but any donations for the 90-minute REFIT Class will be collected for charity. Stephanie did this last year as a way of celebrating her Birthday, so don't be surprised if there aren't a few refreshments for the gathering!

GOLFERS mark your calendars for the upcoming annual golf tournament on August 12 sponsored by the United Methodist Men at the Esquire Country Club. Tee Time – 8:00 AM Cost - \$50:00 per person – includes: golf cart, food, prizes Men and Women – get your foursome together Contact – John Call at 304-736-5108 Donations for prizes are gladly accepted. Support for our Scouts and for F.C. A.

GIRLS OF FAITH MISSION: The GOF will be collecting school supplies starting this Sunday, July 16th through Sunday, August 12th. We will be collecting pencils, colored pencils, crayons, scissors, pencil boxes/bags, pens, notebooks, loose leaf paper, highlighters, rulers, and markers. VBS local mission was doing this as well and we will continue it. This mission will benefit local Title I schools in Cabell county for students at Altizer, Guyandotte, Central City, Spring Hill, Explorer Academy, Huntington Middle and Huntington East Middle. Please give to Megan Turman, Jessica Ball, Mollie Bannister, or leave in youth room in a bag marked GOF.

Thank you for your help! Megan

MISSIONS TEAM NEWS: On July 20th at 9:00am we will meet at Milton UMC to assemble backpacks or ECCHO. You may leave your donations in the ECCHO closet or meet us that morning at the church. On July 24th we will travel to Ebenezer Community Outreach Center for a Princess/ Superhero Party with 16 little boys and 19 little girls!!! Any Youth member or Girls of Faith member that would like to “dress-up” and party with us, please contact Gina Crews (304)544-9696. Also, we need donations of cupcakes and drinks please.