

Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

July 15, 2018 8:30 am

Prelude

Welcome

***Opening Songs**

“To God Be the Glory”

UMH #98

“My Tribute”

UMH #99

Announcements, Joys and Concerns

Prayer Song

“Near to the Heart of God” (v. 1&2)

UMH #472

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Song

“Near to the Heart of God” (v. 3)

UMH #472

***Passing of the Peace**

Children’s Moment

Rev. Tom

Scripture Lesson Ephesians 1:3-14

L: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God. Amen

Message

“Being a ‘Blessing’ to God is A Way to Christian Unity”

Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr.

**Please rise either in posture or in spirit.*

Giving in Response to God’s Love

Offertory

***Congregational Response**

“Give Thanks”

TFWS #2036

Give thanks with a grateful heart; give thanks to the Holy One,

Give thanks because he’s given Jesus Christ his Son.

And now let the weak say, ‘I am strong;’ Let the poor say, ‘I am rich,

Because of what the Lord has done for us.’ Give thanks!

***Prayer of Dedication & Lord’s Prayer**

***Closing Song**

“For All the Saints”

TFWS #2283

***Sending Forth with God’s Blessing**

***Response**

“The Lord Bless and Keep You”

TFWS #2280

***Postlude**

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*The flowers on the altar today are presented by Donald & Shirley Trott
in celebration of their son Dale’s 65th birthday*

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Lection Reading for Following Sunday

2 Samuel 7:1-14a Psalm 89:20-37 Ephesians 2:11-22 Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

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OUR FAITH IN ACTION

Our Prayers: Joan Windland’s brother Sonny Owen suffering from bladder cancer, Sally Lounsbury – recovering from surgery, Donna Griffin – recovering from surgery, Jennifer Greiner’s sister-in-law Melissa (suffering from cancer) and her family, Connor Goonan, Tim Gillikin – recovering from a fall, Jane Bowman, Helen McGill, Elizabeth Stinson, Bob & Van King, Tyler Madden, People in transition, Olivia Gammel – friend of Chris Heyer, Sarah Stallings, Jerome Stallings, Shirley Wood, Carl Stallings, Sr, Those who travel, For the healing of the nation.

Our Presence: Worship Attendance Last Sunday 199
 Average Weekly Worship Attendance 197

Our Gifts: Please strive to tithe! The Bible asks us to tithe 10% of our income to God. Many of our members are doing this already. How about you? You may give your offering electronically (EFT). Call the church office to set it up. *Stewardship is rather a way of life than an annual campaign. Thank You for your faithful stewardship!*

Record of Giving (Funds Received by the Church)

	January-May 2018			
	Actual	Budget	Surplus / (Deficit)	Var %
General Fund	\$138,908	\$154,114	(\$15,206)	-10%
Missions Fund	\$8,642	\$9,098	(\$456)	-5%
P&I Fund	\$11,590	\$7,859	\$3,731	47%
Building Fund	\$25,992	\$25,072	\$920	4%
Kitchen Fund	\$11,715	\$4,160	\$7,555	182%
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal 25	Other 8	YTD Cereal	788

*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$127,286/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$314,691 as of May 31, 2018

Our Service:

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org
Music Team	Sandy Melson Griese, Holly Reynolds Lee, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
Children & Youth Ministry Coord.	Courtney Eversfield, cymc@friendshipmethodist.org
Custodian	Jim Fowler
Counters	Will Fowler & Pat Shumate
8:30 Greeters	Harry Hill & Keith Ulrich
8:30 Sound Tech	John Wilson
Altar Guild for July	Bee Hobbs (301-855-5269)
Stephen Ministry Coordinator	Paula Madden 443-262-2635 (C)
Pastor	Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr. revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org

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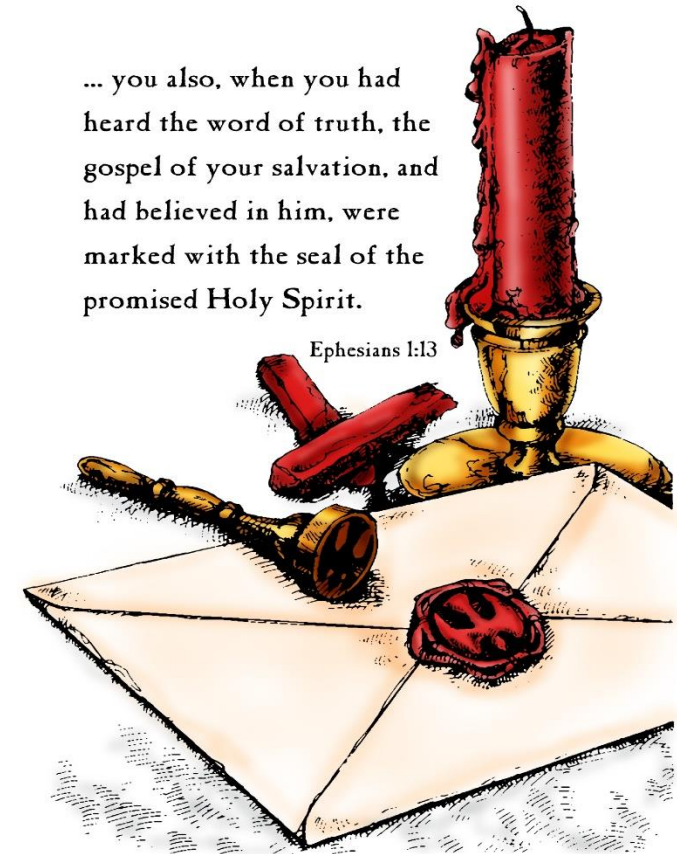
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FRIENDSHIP UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, July 15, 2018
 8:30 am Worship Service

... you also, when you had heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and had believed in him, were marked with the seal of the promised Holy Spirit.

Ephesians 1:13



Our Mission: “Grow as Disciples, Serve as Friends.
 Love All; Serve All; Follow One!”

Our Motto: ”Each One, Reach One!”