

# Friendship Day Holy Communion Sunday

August 5, 2018, 8:30 a.m.

*Every culture has its own bread. It may be leavened or unleavened, round or rectangular, flat or airy, sourdough or sweet dough. Jesus understands the significance of bread and uses it as a metaphor to describe God's comprehensive care for all people. Jesus himself is the Bread of Life, who satisfies all who hunger for righteousness.*

## Prelude

*You are asked to fill in the requested information and then pass to the next person the attendance registration pad found in each pew for that person to fill out.*

## Words of Greeting

**\*Call to Worship** (based on Ephesians 4)

L: I beg you to lead a life worthy of the calling to which you have been called.

**P: There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God who is above all and through all and in all.**

L: Each of us was given grace according to the measure of Christ's gift.

**P: Speaking the truth in love, we must grow up in every way into him who is the head.**

L: Let us worship God!

**\*Opening Praise:** W&S 3177 "Here I am To Worship"

## Announcements, Joys and Concerns Pastoral Prayer

## Children's Moment

Ruth Bailey

## Scripture Lesson

John 6:24-35

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

**P: Thanks be to God. Amen**

## Message Prayer

**"I Am The Bread of Life"**

Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr.

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

## Giving in Response to God's Love

Offertory "We Are Yours"

by Joe Wise

Praise Team

## \*Congregational Response

**"Give Thanks"**

*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

## Service of Holy Communion

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The Giving of The Elements

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**\*Closing Song:** W&S 3093 "Fill My Cup, Lord"

**\*Sending Forth with God's Blessing**

**\*Response:** W&S 3182 "Benediction Hymn"

## \*Postlude

*The flowers on the altar today are sponsored in loving memory of  
Brian & Katherine Wilkerson by Martha Woodridge & Family*

## OUR FAITH IN ACTION

**Our Prayers:** Travel mercies for Jennifer Greiner and family as they travel to Michigan for the funeral of her sister-in-law, Melissa, Bonnie Revell for the death of her brother-in-law, Charlie Wight recovering at home after being hospitalized, Russell Butler's Dad, John, in rehab at Asbury Solomons for broken collar bone and rib, Joan Windland's brother, Sonny Owen suffering from bladder cancer, Sally Lounsbury – recovering from surgery, Donna Griffin – recovering from surgery, 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                      198  
    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-June 2018					
	Actual		Budget	Variance	Var %	
General Fund	\$162,567		\$182,683	(\$20,116)	-11%	
Missions Fund	\$9,554		\$12,561	(\$3,007)	-24%	
P&I Fund	\$12,451		\$9,141	\$3,310	36%	
Building Fund	\$31,720		\$29,262	\$2,458	8%	
Kitchen Fund	\$14,810		\$4,995	\$9,815	196%	
Weekly SCAN Report	Cereal	25	YTD Other	72	YTD Cereal	865

\*Kitchen Fund Balance = \$131,031/ Mortgage Loan Balance = \$308,692 as of June 30, 2018

**Our Service:**

Ministers	All Members and Volunteers at Friendship
Secretary	Bonnie Dean <a href="mailto:bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org">bsuedean@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Music Team	Sandy Melson Griese, Holly Reynolds Lee, Chrys Hill, Micah Cooley
Children & Youth Ministry Coord.	Courtney Eversfield, <a href="mailto:cymc@friendshipmethodist.org">cymc@friendshipmethodist.org</a>
Custodian	Jim Fowler
Counters	Joyce Terry & Judy McGowan
8:30 Greeters	Harry Hill
8:30 Sound Tech	John Wilson
Altar Guild for August	Bonnie Revell (410) 741-5268
Stephen Ministry Coordinator	Paula Madden 443-262-2635 (C)
Pastor	Rev. Thomas E. Young, Jr. <a href="mailto:revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org">revtyoung@friendshipmethodist.org</a>

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Sunday, August 5, 2018  
 8:30 am Worship Service



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

**Our Motto:** ”Each One, Reach One!”