

**Faxon-Kenmar
United Methodist Church**

1301 Clayton Avenue
Williamsport, PA 17701

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Rejoice with those
who rejoice,



weep with
those who **weep.**

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Service of Worship

An Informal Time of Praise and Prayer

Welcome! We are delighted that you have chosen to worship with us this morning.
Helping you grow in faith is our primary purpose.

Gathering Music	<i>Servant Medley</i>	Hayes
Announcements and Celebrations		
Music for Meditation	<i>I Worship You</i>	Berry
* Opening Song	<i>Here I am to Worship</i>	(Hymn of the Month, insert in pew)
Scripture Lesson	Romans 12:9-16	(Pg 162 NT).
Songs of Praise		
<i>Father Welcomes</i>		#52
<i>Foolish Pride</i>		#61
Silent Prayer ~ Spoken Prayer ~ The Lord's Prayer		
* Gospel Lesson	Matthew 16:14-19	(Pg. 18 NT).
Message	<i>Eight Little "Be's" that Build up the Church</i>	
Gifts of Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory	<i>Revive Us Again</i>	Husband/Bock
*Doxology	<i>Great is Thy Faithfulness</i> (Chorus Only)	# 73
*Prayer of Dedication		
* Closing Song	<i>Go Out as People of God</i>	#69
* Friendship Circle		
* Prayer of Blessing		
* Greet Each Other		

Service of Worship

A Traditional Expression of Worshipping the Lord

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We Gather to Worship

Lighting the Altar Candles		
Gathering Music	<i>Reformation Suite</i>	Pethel
Greeting Each Other		
Announcements and Celebrations		
Meditation	<i>Christian Unity</i> (for your own meditation use)	#556
Music for Meditation	<i>Give Thanks</i> Smith/Wilson	Joyful Ringers
* Hymn	<i>Stand Up and Bless the Lord</i>	#622
	<i>(During this Hymn the Ushers will collect the prayer requests)</i>	
* Call to Worship (<i>responsively</i>)		
L: Enter into God's courts with praise. Magnify God's name together.		

P: O Lord, teach us your ways and direct our understand.

L: Blessed are those who hunger after righteousness and thirst for God's truth.

P: Your Word is a lamp to our feet and a light to our path.

***Morning Prayer** (*Unison*)

God of all creations, you cause the sun to shine in splendor and the moon to rise in radiance. Open our eyes to see the beauty of your handiwork. Increase in us the longing to behold you face to face. Establish us in your truth and help us to walk in all of your ways, to praise your holy name. Amen.

We Pray and Hear God's Word

Scripture Lesson Romans 12:9-16 (Pg 162 NT).

A Time with the Children (*Afterwards, children may attend Little Church with Jeanne Peterson.*)

Music for Inspiration *A New Song (Psalm 40:3)* Williams

(*During the music you are invited to come to the communion rail to pray*)

Silent Prayer ~ Spoken Prayer ~ The Lord's Prayer (*unison*)

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

***Hymn** *Here I am to Worship* (*Hymn of the Month, insert in pew*)

***Gospel Lesson** Matthew 16:14-19 (Pg. 18 NT).

L: This is the Word of God, for the People of God

P: Thanks be to God

Message *Eight Little "Be's" that Build up the Church*

Pastoral Prayer

We Go to Serve and Witness

Giving Our Tithes & Offerings

Offertory Anthem *Reflection (Psalm 72:3)* Wagner

*Doxology *Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow* #95

*Prayer of Dedication

***Closing Hymn** *O Zion Haste* #573

***Benediction**

***Music for Greeting Each Other in Peace & Love** *A Festive Trumpet Tune* Martin

***Please stand as you are able**

Greetings and welcome to all! Families, friends, visitors are welcomed in the name of Christ. Let us rejoice with hearts and voices and spirits as we worship God, our Creator, Redeemer, and Friend.

Joys, Concerns and Notices of our Church Family

- ◆ The Flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and by Shirley Woodruff in loving memory of her grandson, Hamilton, on his 24th birthday.
- ◆ Meetings this Week: Wed. Oct. 28th, 5:30pm Dinner & Devotional, SH; Wed. Oct. 28th, 7pm, Church Council, SH.
- ◆ The people of the Central PA Conference and the Wyoming Conference are invited to a joint worship service on Saturday, October 24, 1:30 pm at the Community Arts Center. 4th Street, Williamsport. Both Bishop Middleton and Bishop Hassinger will be there to lead in our time of worship and praise. A time of fellowship following the service. Cider is being provided. Each church that attends is being asked to bring cookies to share at the event.
- ◆ Today was the deadline for the All Saints Info and Pictures. Please see that the Pastor gets your loved ones information as next Sunday, Nov. 1st is All Saints Day.
- ◆ Deadline for handing in Advent Devotionals is Sunday, Nov. 1st, please give them to Dave Koskey, Thank you.
- ◆ Deadline for Veterans Day Information & Photo, Nov. 1st, please give to Jim Knowlden. Thank you.

- ◆ The first Dinner and Devotional will be Wednesday, October 28th at 5:30 pm in Stiner Hall. Bring a casserole, salad or dessert and share a meal and some fellowship.
- ◆ It is time for Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes. Faxon-Kenmar UMC has done this mission outreach for the past 10 years. All of the information is on a display in the narthex. We have neat boxes this year that you may take and fill up with goodies for the children. We need the boxes back by Nov. 15th. If you would rather that either Carolyn or the Youth go shopping please give the donation to Carolyn or Diane Derrick or Liz no later than Nov. 8th and they will buy the items to fill in the box. Please do not take a box if you are not going to use it. If the boxes are all taken, you may use a regular adult size shoe box just like we always have. Please also pay attention to the pamphlets that explain what you can and cannot put in the boxes. Thank you for your generosity in spreading the word to a child who has nothing.
- ◆ There is going to be a Drama as part of the Christmas Cantata. The parts are on the piano. Please go check them out and let Dave know as soon as possible which part you would be interested in playing!
- ◆ This Month's Food Drive – Thanksgiving Food: canned vegetables, instant potatoes, stuffing mix, cranberry sauce, canned pumpkin, pie crust, etc.
- ◆ This is the time to look through your Christmas Decorations, and donate those you no longer want to the Thrift Store. The store will be having its annual Christmas Room weekend(s) the last weekend in October and the first weekend in November. We'll be setting things up in the Board Room for this sale, and we will have a roomful! This is usually our biggest sale time of the year, so plan to attend and be sure to let all your friends know that this is coming up.

This Week at Faxon-Kenmar UMC

TODAY	8:00 am	Worship
	9:00 am	Sunday School
	10:15 am	Worship
	11:30am	The King's Kids
	12:00 pm	Teen Celebration
Monday		
Tuesday	5:00 pm	Karate/mpr
Wednesday	9:00 am	Thrift Store Work Day
	5:30pm	Dinner/Devotion/SH
	7:00pm	Church Council/SH
Thursday	1:00pm	Newsletter/Conf Rm
	6:00pm	Joyful Ringers
	7:00pm	Inspirational Singers
	8:00pm	Cantata
Friday	9:00 am-4:00 pm	Thrift Store Open/Big Sale
Saturday	9:00 am-12:30 pm	Thrift Store Open/Big Sale
Sunday	8:00 am	Worship/All Saints Sunday
	9:00 am	Sunday School
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<u>Stewardship Report from Last Week</u> (10/18/09)	
Given for Current Expense	\$ 3,176
Total Amount of Bills paid last week	\$ 5,694
Balance available for Current Expense	\$ 207
Outstanding Unpaid Obligations Due	\$ 20,032
(includes shares of ministry)	
<u>Given for Designated Needs</u>	
Missions	\$ 29
Memorial Gifts	\$ 50
Given for Capital Funds	\$ 199
Memorial Gifts	\$ 1,540
Balance of Capital Funds	\$ 26,160.16
Balance of Loan	\$854,576.55

Key: BR-Becht Bd Rm; MPR-Becht Multi Purpose Rm ; SH-Stiner Hall; SSR-Upper Sunday School Room

Helping Us inWorshipToday

8:00 a.m. Service

Usher: John Lauchle

Our Staff

Director of Music Ministries: David Koskey

Custodians: Connie Hamilton, Chris Lauchle

Office Manager: Liz Broshkevitch

10:15 am Service

Ushers: (Captain) John Wheeland, Al Caloz,

Quentin Novinger, Tim Reidy, Nelson Ulshafer

Greeters: Martha & John Shuman

Acolyte: Kyle Durrwachter

Media Team: Bruce Huffman, Dwayne Rummings, Scott Schramm

Pastor: Rev. David Brinker

Ministers and Servants of the Lord: All Members of the Congregation