



5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany  
10:45 am Worship

February 10, 2019  
10:45 Children's Sunday School

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## **GATHERING**

### **/ENTRANCE /PRELUDE**

*"Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts!"* Mary A. Lathbury

### **RINGING OF THE BELL**

### **WELCOME/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

The invitation is given to every person by Jesus Christ:  
"Come to me! Follow me! Be my disciples!"

**We come to this place, to this time,  
at the invitation of Jesus Christ.**

In the name of Christ,  
**we accept the invitation to discipleship.**

In the name of Christ,  
**as his disciples, we worship and praise God.**

In the midst of a world where cruelty abounds,  
**we proclaim the God of Compassion.**

In the midst of despair that threatens to swallow up  
whole lives, whole peoples,  
**we proclaim the God of Hope.**

In the midst of indifference and apathy,  
**we proclaim the God of Love.**

Come, let us worship together  
and share our witness of God's living presence in the world.



# Monaca United Methodist Church



## February 10, 2019 we thank:

**Greeters: Dennis & Helen Bloom**

**Acolyte: Don Lynch**

**Liturgist: Adam Davidson**

The altar flowers today are given in honor of  
**our Mom, Ann Dvorzak and Mary Corless**  
**on their February 15<sup>th</sup> Birthdays.**

## **February Counters**

Mike & Jane McCullough

Mary Margaret Corless

## February 17, 2019

**Greeters: Sara Hill**

**Acolyte: Mary Beth Shannon**

**Liturgist: Donna Hesser**

## **Sunday Feb. 3 - Attendance 57**

Envelopes	\$6775.00
Loose Offering	\$35.00
We Care	\$13.00
Altar Flowers	\$30.00
Food Pantry <b>"Souper Sunday Offering"</b>	<b>\$308.00</b>
Clean for Today	\$10.00
Sunday School	\$10.00
Initial Offering	\$10.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$7191.00</b>

## PRAYER REQUESTS

If you are interested in joining our church Prayer Chain, please contact Nancy Beringer at 724-775-5331 or Bobbie Dierdorf at 724-774-5487. This is a vital and important ministry in our congregation. Please call one of these women to place a need on the prayer chain.

**Shut-ins:** Nicole Hesser, Pat Brandt, Bonnie Sanders, Jack Ralston, Virginia Basalyga, Ruth Shawger

**Continuing Needs:** Amanda, Jordan & Austin Miller, Ruth Graham, Penny Hart, Gene Wolfe, Bob Graham, M. Wolfe, Carl and Carolyn Wolfe, Mac McCullough, Dylan Mattern, Jane Lee, Sue Heidel, G. Heidel, Doug Johnson, Sandy & Dan Householder



**Current requests:** Mona Lynch, Larry and Barbara Pintar, Shana Stewart, Betsy Ruckert, Mariam Budacki, Mandie Melnyk, Jennifer Dierdorf, Bernadette Haase, Eileen Tritt, Randy Sturm, Ally Backes, Lyric Rickasha, Kendle Kraft, Robert Graver, Larry McCampbell, Donna Ramsey, Nancy Cermak's granddaughter, Niki Hesser, Carol, Doris Hogue, Frank Belk, Jr., Shirley Hood, Nick Zupsic, Virginia Korah, Janna Zupsic

*Please place your Prayer Request slips in the offering plate each Sunday to be included in next week's bulletin.*

### FOOD PANTRY

Tuesday, February 12 will be the next date for Food Pantry. This month we are in need of cereal, canned tuna and canned potatoes. In March, we will need to stock up on canned fruit and peanut butter. The date for March is the 12<sup>th</sup>.

Thank you for your generous participation in the "Souper Bowl Sunday" offering. The total received to support the Food Pantry was 308.00

## *PRAYER FOR GENERAL CONFERENCE*

Lord, we need you. Our church needs you. Our world needs you.

We acknowledge that we often feel that we are right and others are wrong. Forgive us for treating those we disagree with poorly.

We ask that you would protect us from ourselves. Help us to see only you, help us to seek only you. Help us to love our neighbors as ourselves.

We lift General Conference 2019 before you and ask that your Spirit would lead the delegates. We pray that the way we respond would not harm anyone, but rather would point them to you. Help us to show the world your love through the ways we work with one another. Amen.

## **SPAGHETTI DINNER TICKETS**

Many people signed up to work on **Saturday, February 23, to for the Spaghetti dinner** and we thank everyone. In addition we need **to all sell tickets** in advance to make the dinner profitable. **Tickets are available today. See John Hesser.**

## **GOOD NEWS – “Reviving Ministries”**

Would you love to hear the Bell Choir in our church again? Betsy Hemer is planning to “revive” our Bell Choir. Those interested please call Betsy Hemer at 724-544-6006 for more information. She will schedule practices the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Let’s hear those “bells” ringing in our church soon!.

Another new ministry will be **“Busy Hands Knitting for Charity”** meeting on the 21<sup>st</sup> of February in the choir room from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. This group will meet on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays of the month. Betsy Hemer is organizing this group to knit or crochet items to be donated to charitable causes. Teaching these skills will be available by our “veterans”. Donations of cash or supplies are welcome to get started. Bring your talent and come join us!

## THIS WEEK AT MONACA UMC

<b>Sun. Feb. 10</b>	<b>10:45 am</b>	<b>Worship Service</b>
<b>Sun. Feb. 17</b>	<b>10:45 am</b>	<b>Contemporary Service</b>
		<b>Carey Center</b>
<b>Sun. Feb. 17</b>	<b>6:00 pm District Gathering, Unionville UMC</b>	

### Every Week at MUMC

<b>Monday</b>	6:00-8 pm	Basketball
<b>Tuesday</b>	5:30-8:30 pm	Soccer Practice
	7:00 pm	Bowling
<b>Wednesday</b>	2:00 pm	NA
	6:00:-8 pm	Basketball
<b>Thurs.</b>	5:30-8:30 pm	Soccer Practice
<b>Friday</b>	6:00-9:00 pm	Soccer Practice
	8:30 pm	NA

## MONACA VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT, No. 1

There will be a Spaghetti Dinner fundraiser benefiting John DiMarzio who is in desperate need of a kidney transplant. John has been a member of the Monaca #1 VFD for 25 years. The dinner is scheduled for Sunday, March 10 from 12 Noon to 6:00 pm at the Monaca Turners. Cost is Adults: \$10.00, Children 10 and younger: \$6.00. Take-out orders are available. Presale tickets are available at: Monaca Library 724-775-9608 Monaca Turners 724-884-7007 St. John's office 724-775-3940.

**Office Hours:** Tues. & Thurs. 10am - 3pm

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**Pastor:** Rev. Nancy Shute

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**Organist:** Norma Coast

**Choir Director:** Kay Carrier

**Secretary:** Norma Coast

**Custodian:** Sean Bunney

**\*OPENING PRAYER**

**God, the encourager, God, the compassionate,  
God, the merciful, holy, blessed:**

**Disturb us. Rouse us from our sleep.  
Lift us into consciousness of your presence.  
Change us, move us, mold us for the better;  
so that, at the sound of your voice,  
at the call of our name,  
we will never be the same.**

**May our worship do this and so much more,  
in the name of Jesus. Amen.**

**WORSHIP IN PRAISE**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE**

**“Holy, Holy, Holy”  
Hymnal #64**

**WORSHIP THROUGH GOD’S WORD**

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**

**Isaiah 6: 1-13  
Pew Bible pg. 487**

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

***“I Love to Tell the Story”*  
Mary Beth Shannon & Norma Coast**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING**

**Luke 5: 1-11  
Pew Bible pg. 728**

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION**

**“Amazing Grace”  
Hymnal #378**

**MESSAGE**

**Fishing Season**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**The Lord’s Prayer**

**RESPONSE TO THE WORD**

**PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Offertory

*“Precious Name”*

\*Doxology

Hymnal #94

\*Prayer of Dedication

\*CLOSING HYMN “Lord, You have Come to the Lakeshore”

Hymnal #344

\*BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE**