

HOLLYWOOD UMC

Kids' Bible Stories

FOR ADULTS



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JESUS N D JESUS
KNOWN

He is Risen Indeed!
August 23, 2026

WELCOME

Join us in Person on Online at 10:00AM

PRELUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* OPENING HYMN

“HALLELUJAH!”

* CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalms 118

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord, for the Lord is good. The Lord's love endures forever.

People: **The Lord is my strength and my power.
The Lord has become my salvation.**

Leader: The right hand of the Lord does valiantly, the right hand of the Lord is exalted.

People: **I shall not die, but I shall live, and recount the deeds of the Lord.**

Leader: I thank you, Lord, that you have answered me and have become my salvation.

People: **The stone which the builders rejected has become the cornerstone.**

Leader: This is the Lord's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

People: **This is the day which the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

* OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, in being claimed by you, we have been brought into the grand story you are telling. Once we were no people, but now we are your people in your story. May your Spirit move through the retelling of these stories that, through them, we may learn more about You, the people we are, and the people you would have us be. Through Jesus Christ, the Author of our Story and Perfector of our Faith. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Mark 16:1–8

Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday School Dismissal for pre-K through 5th grade

SPECIAL MUSIC

Tom Rothwell, Dawn Gilmore,
“Just a Closer Walk with Thee” and Chris Laing

A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

to **WORSHIP**

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* **HYMN OF PREPARATION**

UMH #310

“He Lives”

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Luke 24:1–12

SERMON

“Kids Bible Stories for Adults”

Rev. Matthew Tate

THE APOSTLE’S CREED

UMH #882

TITHES & OFFERINGS

See the back page for a variety of ways to give.

Offertory

Mary Jane Seanor

* Doxology

UMH #95

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

COMMUNION

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION**

UMH #318

“Christ Is Alive”

* **BENEDICTION**

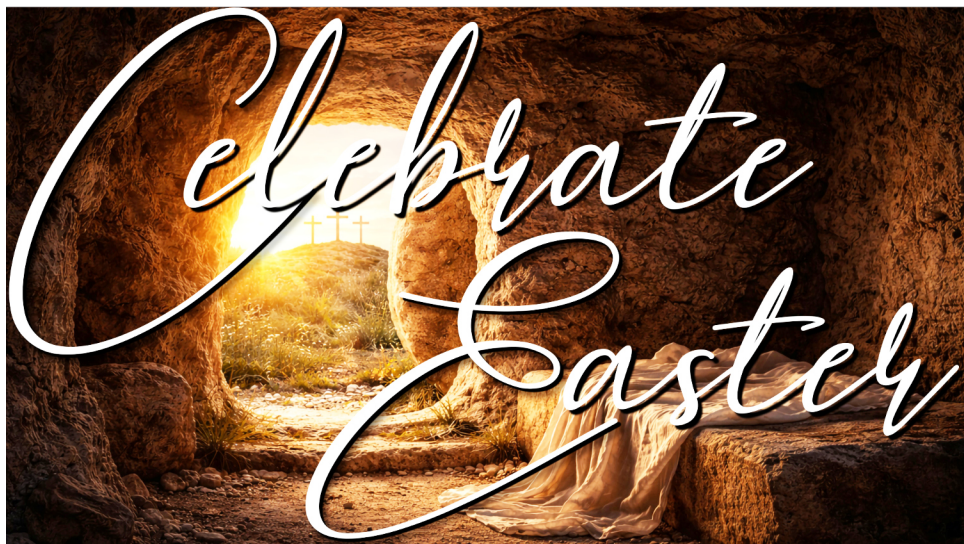
POSTLUDE

Mary Jane Seanor

* We stand in body or in spirit to give glory to God.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS = The Faith We Sing



PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for the Healing of our Church Family, Friends, and Relatives

Jen Brill (8/6)	Tony Merritt (8/6)
Dave Bruton Sr (4/9)	Teresa Norwicki (4/16)
Mary Ada Candela (4/16)	Lexis Payne (7/26)
Estelle Elmore (5/3)	Iva Poe (6/7)
Jim & Deb Fontana (1/18)	Nicci Poole (8/6)
Brian Frounfelker (1/18)	Leslie Porter (5/13)
Robert Haus (2/22)	Linda Smith (2/22)
Jim & Carole Lupis (5/20)	Alice Underwood (2/15)

Pray for our Homebound

Robert & Sharon Hayes (Home)
David Roberts (SMNC)
CD Wood (Hermitage)

Pray for Pastor Matthew & Danielle, and Amelia, Simon, and Ambrose

Pray for those who are grieving, including the family and friends of Ginny Thompson Lacey.

Pray for those who are Battling Cancer

Tim Buckheit	Geoffery Insley	James Rothwell
Kevin Conrad	Harold Insley	Nancy Royer
AJ Davis	Joe Jones	Pat Spear
Connie Evans	Mike Knight	Barbara Tribble
Curtis Graves	Nancy McFarland	Juniper van Vliet
Nathan Gray	Bob Napier	Rich Winford
Elana Harris	Dustin Plunkett	Sarah Zsak

Names in bold indicate new prayer requests or those who need extra prayer this week.

To request prayer, fill out a **Keeping in Touch** card or call or [email the office](#). Please keep us updated on the status of your prayer requests.

PRAYER SHAWLS & SQUARES

Pick up a prayer square in the Narthex. If you would like to receive or give a prayer shawl, please see Karen Melotti. If you would like to join or support this ministry, see Karen Melotti. Thanks!

SUNDAY SCHOOL

We invite our kids, Pre-K through 5th Grade, to join our Children's Ministry Team for their own Sunday morning Bible exploration. Children begin the worship service with their parents and are generally dismissed after the pastor's children's moment.

Children will return to the sanctuary during the Benediction, or in time for communion. As always, children are more than welcome to remain with their parents throughout the service if you prefer.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

You are invited and encouraged to check out one or all of our Bible Studies.

Ladies Bible Study

Tuesdays @ 3:30 PM & 7:00 PM
Eck Jones Room. Priscilla Shirer's
Breathe! YOU can still join us!

Good News Today

Tuesdays @ 7:00 PM * Youth Rm

Kathryn's Class

Taking a break for the summer.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Blessing of the Backpacks

Students and school employees, bring your backpack or satchel and receive a backpack tag to remind through the year that the Lord is with you and that YOU can shine his light to the world.



SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
AFTER WORSHIP

Sign up in the Narthex to bring a dessert for the cake walk. The theme is Americana, so bring a classic, quintessential American side dish or dessert or two to share for the potluck picnic. Fried Chicken, Hot Dog Bar, and Drinks will be provided. Get to know your church family!

HOLLYWOOD

YOUTH GROUP

Join us tonight for a fun time together. Next Sunday, August 30 is our Minute-to-Win-It Game Night! Bring a friend or six. Email Ryan if you have any suggestions for youth group studies and activities for the new school year!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

JOIN
THE
CHOIR

YOU are invited
to join the choir
as we resume
rehearsals at
6:30 PM THIS

Wednesday, August 26. Contact Mary
Jane at mjseanor@yahoo.com.

Special
Music

See Mary Jane or email her at
mjseanor@yahoo.com to schedule
a time this summer (or any other time)
to share **your** musical talents with
us during worship.

INK RECYCLING



Bring in your used
ink cartridges and we
can recycle them for
credits at Staples.

Thanks!

WISHING YOU

Easter Joy
50 YEARS
of HUMPS&K

Support our preschool playground
renewal project!

Scan the QR code
or give in the plate
to HUMPS&K
to help us as we
move toward the
next 50 years!



HANDPRINT BUTTERFLY OF NEW LIFE

The butterfly reminds us of new life
and the Resurrection. After three days,
Jesus rose from the dead and brings us
the hope of new beginnings. This
simple craft helps children celebrate
that joyful truth.

What you need:

- Light-colored construction paper
- Card stock
- Glue
- Paint
- Paintbrush
- Paper towel or baby wipe



What you do:

- Cut out a butterfly body from the construction paper.
- Glue the butterfly body onto the card stock.
- Use a paintbrush to coat the palm of one hand with paint.
- Press your painted hand beside the butterfly body to create a wing.
- Repeat with your other hand to make the second wing.
- Clean your hands with a paper towel or baby wipe.
- Optional: Add Luke 24:5-6 (NIV) around the butterfly or on its body:

"Why do you look for the
living among the dead?
He is not here; he has risen!"

WEEKLY EVENTS

Sundays	10:00 AM	Morning Worship Service (In-Person/ YouTube)
	6:00 PM	Youth Group
Tuesdays	3:30 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Eck Jones Room)
	7:00 PM	Ladies Bible Study (Eck Jones Room)
	7:00 PM	Good News Today Bible Study (Youth Room)
Wednesdays	11:00 AM	Kathryn's Class Bible Study (Galilee Hall)
	6:30–8:00 PM	Choir Rehearsal
Thursdays	10:00 AM	Deadline for Bulletin Info for Next Sunday
Fridays		Pastor's Sabbath

~~Event~~ indicates a weekly event that will not be held this week.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, August 23	Blessing of the Backpacks
Wednesday, August 26	First Day of School (SMCPS)
	Office Manager Off - AM
6:30 pm	Choir Rehearsals Resume!
Sunday, August 30	
6:00 PM	Minute-to-Win-It Youth Group School Year Kick Off
Sunday, September 6	Solomons Mission Center Collection
September 7–11	HUMP&K School Year Begins
Monday, September 7	Labor Day—Office Closed
Sunday, September 13	
After Worship	Americana Church Picnic (GH)
Monday, September 21	
Noon	Ladies Lunch at Mac's (Leonardtown)
Wednesday, Sept 23	First Day of Fall
September 24–27	St. Mary's County Fair



October is Pastor Appreciation Month

Sunday, October 4	World Communion Sunday—UMC Offering
	Solomons Mission Center Collection
Friday, October 9	Memorial Service for Charlie Dean (Joy Chapel)
Saturday, October 10	
8:00 AM	Fall Church Clean Up Day (?)



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