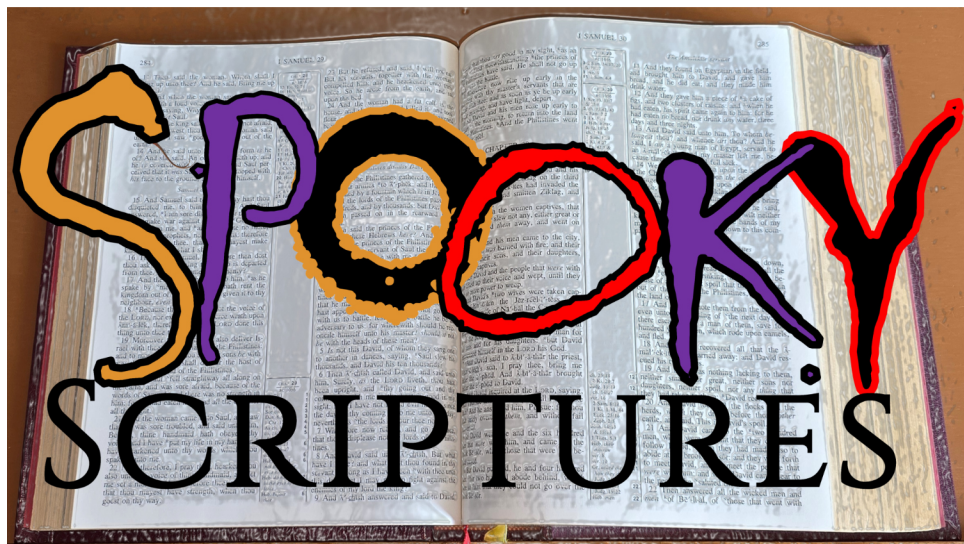


HOLLYWOOD UMC



KNOWING AND MAKING
JESUS JESUS
KNOWN



October 25, 2026

WELCOME

Join us in Person on Online at 10:00AM

PRELUDE

“Victory in Jesus”

Mary Jane Seanor

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

* **OPENING HYMN**

UMH #322

“Low in the Grave He Lay”

* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

Psalm 30

Leader: I will extol you, O Lord, for you have lifted me up and did not let me foes rejoice over me.

People: **O Lord my God, I cried to you for help and you healed me.**

Leader: O Lord, you brought up my soul from Sheol.

People: **You restored me to life from among those gone down to the pit.**

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord, O his faithful ones and give thanks to his holy name.

People: **The Lord’s anger is but for a moment;
the Lord’s favor is for a lifetime.**

Leader: Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

People: **As for me, I said in my prosperity, “I shall never be moved.”**

* **OPENING PRAYER**

From the Book of Worship

Almighty God, through your only Son you overcame death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life. Grant that we who celebrate our Lord’s resurrection, by the renewing of your Spirit, arise from the death of sin to the life of righteousness; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING

Ezekiel 37:1–10

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

Sunday School Dismissal for pre-K through 5th grade

CHORAL ANTHEM

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

A COMMUNITY IN PRAYER

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer

to **WORSHIP**

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* **HYMN OF PREPARATION**

“Spirit of the Living God”

UMH #393

NEW TESTAMENT READING

Matthew 27:45–54

SERMON

“Spooky Scriptures”

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

* **HYMN OF CELEBRATION**

“Victory in Jesus”

UMH #370

* **BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

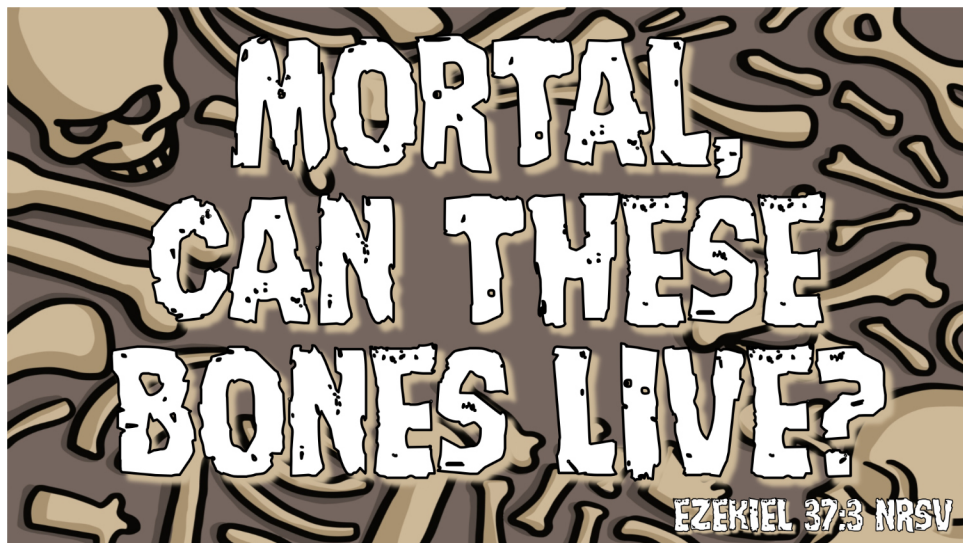
“The Solid Rock”

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)
Mary Ada Candela (4/16)	Teresa Norwicki (4/16)
Beth Carter (10/2)	Lexis Payne (7/26)
Estelle Elmore (5/3)	Iva Poe (6/7)
Brian Frounfelker (1/18)	Nicci Poole (8/6)
Olivia Hepp (9/6)	Leslie Porter (5/13)
Jim & Carole Lupis (5/20)	Mendell Thompson (10/5)

Pray for those who are Battling Cancer

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

Pray for our Homebound

Dave Bruton Sr (Char Hall)
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 Harold Insley.

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!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

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.

A nursery is also available for infants and toddlers. Ask one of our ushers for directions to the nursery.

As always, children are more than welcome to remain with their parents throughout the service if you prefer.

WEEKLY BIBLE STUDIES

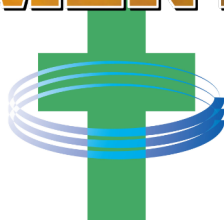
You are invited and encouraged to check out one or all of our Bible Studies.

Experiencing God	Mondays	7:00 PM	Youth Room
Ladies Bible Study	Tuesdays	3:30 PM	Eck Jones Room
Experiencing God	Tuesdays	7:00 PM	Youth Room
Good News Today	Tuesdays	7:00 PM	Youth Room
Kathryn's Class	Wednesdays	10:00 AM	Eck Jones Room

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Scan the QR code, use a Keeping in Touch card, or email the office to let us know the names of loved ones you've lost since November 1, 2025. These names will be read during next Sunday's All Saints Day Service.



YOU are encouraged to attend our annual Church Conference!
Saturday, November 7
11:00 AM
Mt Harmony UMC
Owings, MD

HOLLYWOOD YOUTH GROUP

Tonight is our bonfire at Pastor Wendy's! Dress for the weather! Her address is 23245 Dillow Ct in Lexington Park MD. We will have hot dogs and smores! Bring a friend or six! Stay tuned for more youth news!



Find a way to show Pastor Matthew how much you appreciate his leadership, guidance, preaching, and teaching. Take him to lunch. Buy him a coffee. Buy him a book. Give him a gift card so he can take his family to lunch. Or just say, "Thank you!"

Saturday Nov 14

POTLUCK &

Night

5:00 PM

GH



ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYGIENE items for SOLOMONS

on the first Sunday of each month.

Bring in hygiene items for **Solomons Mission Center** on the first Sunday of each month! Soap! Shampoo! Razors! Shaving Cream! Combs! Deodorant! Toothpaste & Toothbrushes! Thanks!



We are **39 sponsored wreaths** from our goal of **83 wreaths** for our veterans graves at Joy Chapel and Galilee! Thanks to everyone who has helped so far! Sponsorships should be made directly to **Wreaths Across America** at the link. Do not give to HUMC for wreath sponsorships.

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FELLOWSHIP PLANNING

Monday, November 9 at 6 PM
Youth Room

It's time to dream, brainstorm, and get excited about everything we can do together in 2027. We need **your** ideas and enthusiasm! We will talk about ministry priorities, new ways to serve, and how we can turn great ideas into action. Come ready to share, laugh, collaborate, and help shape an incredible year.



Filling Empty Little Tummies
This week's biggest needs are for **mac & cheese cups**, canned chicken or tuna, beanie weenies and Vienna sausages, ramen noodles, oatmeal, cereal, apple sauce, veggie cups/cans, and shelf-stable milk. Thanks for helping us with this vital ministry!

From noon on,
DARKNESS
came on the
whole land
until three
in the
afternoon.

Matthew 27:45 NRSV

MEMBERSHIP CLASS

Interested in finding out more about HUMC? Want to join the church? Find out what it means to join the church? What's expected of church members? What does church membership "get" you? Learn more about the history of Joy Chapel and HUMC? Scan the QR Code to let Pastor Matthew know.



WEEKLY EVENTS

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, October 31	Halloween	
6:00 PM	Safe Stop (Hollywood Nazarene)	
Sunday, November 1	All Saints Day	
	Daylight Saving Time Ends	
	Solomons Mission Center Collection	
Tuesday, November 3	Election Day (Church Office Closed)	
8:00 AM–8:00 PM	Sanctuary Open for Prayer	
Saturday, November 7		
11:00 AM	Church Conference (MOUNT HARMONY, OWINGS!)	
Monday, November 9		
6:00 PM	Fellowship Committee Planning Meeting (EJR)	
Wednesday, Nov 11	Veterans Day—Office Closed	
Friday, November 13		
5:00 PM	Prime Rib Dinner (HVFD)	
Saturday, November 14		
Evening	Game Night & Potluck (GH)	
Monday, November 16		
Noon	Ladies Lunch at ?	
Sunday, November 22		
Before Service	All Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes DUE!	
11:00 AM	Fall Craft Show (HVFD)	
6:00 PM	Community Thanksgiving Service (at HNaz)	

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