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**Women at the Well | Sundays | 9:50 - 10:45am | Library**. There will be short bible study lessons and discussion questions. Come spend some time with fellow Christian women and learn about different things in the life of our Lord. All women are invited to attend. Please join us, if you have questions or thoughts please contact Kim Szelc 412-908-4723 or <u>kszelc@zoominternet.net</u>

#### DIGGing Deeper | Sunday at 9:45am | Wesley Room

The book of Numbers tells us of the journey of the Israelites from Mt. Sinai through the desert to the banks of the Jordan River. It tells of two censuses and two generations. The first generation was rebellious and did not follow God's instructions resulting in wandering through the desert for 40 years. The second generation was faithful to God and was ready to enter the promised land. And Numbers gives us more insight into Moses as a mediator between God and his chosen people. You are invited to join us as we begin a survey of the book of Numbers, known in Hebrew by the title "In The Wilderness."

#### Enjoy the Convenience of Electronic Giving in many ways:

**Online Giving:** If you go to our website at <u>www.bakerstownumc.org</u> and select the donations link it will take you to a website that processes our electronic giving, called VANCO. Once you are there you can chose to set up a recurring donation, make a one-time donation or view your online donation history.

**Bill pay via your bank:** Many of us pay our bills via online banking. Why not set up Bakerstown UMC as one of your "bills"? Set up Bakerstown United Methodist Church 5760 William Flynn Highway Gibsonia, PA 15044 as the payee. From there you can select if it is a recurring donation or a one-time donation. The bank sends the church your donation via a paper check. This service costs nothing to you or the church and you can leave your checkbook at home and come immerse yourself in worship.

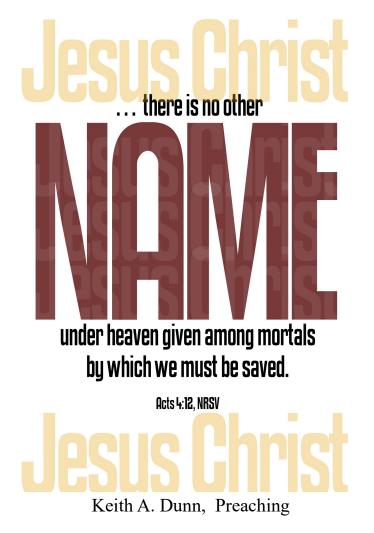
As you contemplate future contributions, please consider electronic giving. If you have any questions, please contact Kay Cramer, Financial Secretary at 724-443-2847.

# **Bakerstown United Methodist Church**

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# Rev. Keith A. Dunn, Senior Pastor

Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.



**Welcome!** We appreciate you joining us for Sunday worship at Bakerstown United Methodist . We hope you experience God's presence and love in our midst.

April 21, 20248:30am & 11:00am Worship Service\* Please stand if able where indicated

**I**relude

## Greeting & Announcements

# Call To Worship

Leader:	We gather to worship Christ the Lord, our hope and
	salvation!
People:	Praise be to Jesus, who died on the cross and rose from
	the grave to give us victory over sin and death!
Leader:	Even though He was rejected, Christ is now glorified as
	Lord.
People:	Let us worship our Savior and Lord!

## \*Opening Worship

"Crown Him with Many Crowns"	0	,	#327 ~ 8:30am
"At Your Name"			Rhythm of Grace
"Your Great Name"			Rhythm of Grace

# Opening Trayer

O Lord, Our God, your love is beyond understanding. Even though Christ was rejected, you would not be deterred from building your kingdom on Him. We too deny you and your teachings yet your love for us remains. Strengthen our faith that our lives may be built upon you. Empower us with your Spirit to be the people you call us to be. We pray in the name of Jesus our Lord. Amen.

Children's Moment

Ministry of Music  $\sim 8:30$ am

"Jesus, Your Name"

Sanctuary Choir

Presentation of Gifts, Tithes and Offerings

\*Doxology ~ \*Prayer of Dedication

# Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Song of Preparation

"The Church's One Foundation" "Holy Forever" #545~ 8:30am Rhythm of Grace

# Pastoral Frayer & Lord's Frayer

Scripture Lesson Acts 4:5-12

*Message* "The Name Brings Salvation" Pastor Keith, Preaching

# \*Closing Worship

"All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name" "Your Name" #154 ~ 8:30am Rhythm of Grace

\*Dismissal with Blessing \*Postlude

\*Tithes or offerings can be placed in the offering plates at the rear of the sanctuary.

The baskets near the offering plates in the rear of the sanctuary are for any giving to the Missions of Bakerstown UMC. These funds are used to bless the community and the world through the work we do and the ministries we support. Thank you!



The 2024 Pittsburgh District Conference will be held on **Sunday, April 21 at 3:00pm.** at <u>Dutilh UMC 1270</u> Dutilh Rd, **Junior Church:** May 5, 12, and  $19^{th}$  during the 11:00 service, following the children's moment, Kindergarten-5<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to come back to Junior Church where we will learn more about God in a smaller and fun setting. <u>RSVP Here</u>

**Volunteers for Junior Church** —- We cannot make it happen without volunteers. Please consider volunteering! If you need assistance in obtaining your clearances, please let Jennie Smith know and she will help you do so. Please RSVP to volunteer<u>here</u>

**JUMP:** Our last JUMP of the school year will be **May 5** from 12:15-1:45pm. This is a drop off event for 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders. <u>RSVP Here</u>

**Kingdom Kids:** Our last Kingdom Kids of the school year will be **May 17** from 6:00-7:30 pm. This is a drop-off event for Kindergarten-2<sup>nd</sup> graders. <u>RSVP Here</u>

End of the Year Celebration Lunch: Please RSVP if you plan to attend our Children's Ministry end of the School Year Celebration Lunch on May  $19^{th}$ . All families and volunteers are invited to attend this pot-luck lunch. A sign-up for items to bring will be sent out by May  $1^{st}$ . We will celebrate our  $5^{th}$  graders who will be moving to Youth Group in the fall, have some games set up, and will also have some pre-VBS stations where individuals can help with creating some decorations, cut items for crafts, and sorting items that have been donated already. <u>RSVP for the lunch here</u>

**Deadline to sign up for VBS is May 15<sup>th</sup>!!!!** Any signups after that date will include a small fee.

VBS 2024 SCUBA - Children ages 4 years old through entering 5th grade are invited to RSVP to Vacation Bible School! June 17th-21st from 9:00am-12:00pm. We will be learning about how God is a friend! Registration is free until May 15th! If you have any questions reach out to Jennie Smith at jsmith@bakerstownumc.org

**VBS Volunteers**<u>-</u> We CANNOT make VBS happen without volunteers. There are many opportunities to volunteer, including ones the week before to ensure that everything is ready to welcome children to learn about Jesus and God! Volunteers who will be volunteering during VBS hours the week of VBS must have current Child Abuse and State Police Clearances on file with the church or be willing and able to obtain them. Please consider volunteering, if you have any questions reach out to Jennie Smith at jsmith@bakerstownumc.org

**VBS HUB-** For participant and volunteer registration, wishlists for donations, and information about obtaining clearances go to <u>https://linkin.bio/bumcvbs2024</u>

#### Happy Birthday

04/22 Esther Ramsden 04/22 Kellen McGrath 04/22 Howard Cope 04/23 Ben DeVore 04/24 Benjamin Brown 04/24 Bob Conroy 04/24 Tenley Kennah 04/26 Diana Werkmeister 04/27 Sherry Swarmer 04/27 Michele Rossi



This copy of the Gospel of John is only \$3.99 per copy! Each child who attends VBS will go home with their own Gospel of John book after learning some amazing memory verses and discovering the wonderful skill of reading God's word! They can continue their learning at home with their families! Consider donating a copy or two, so that each child can get one to take home and keep!



These Bible Buddies are \$36.49 for 10 sets, enough for 10 kids! Each Bible Buddy will be introduced throughout the week and on the bottom of the themed Bible Buddies is the memory verse for the day! Kids will get the chance to learn their memory verse and continue to play with a fun reminder of the amazing truths they learn this summer for months to come! Please consider donating

to support children receiving an amazing keepsake that will help to write God's truth on their hearts and minds!

We have some items we will need for VBS that you can begin saving. Over the next few months, we will be collecting these items on the shelves outside of the Children's Ministry office.

- Shoe boxes with lids (attached or unattached lids are fine)
- Cleaned Plastic Bottle Caps of various sizes
- Firm Plastic Bottles with Lids Cleaned and labels off (example: gatorade, pure leaf tea, snapple, etc)

Christian Discipleship 2024— Join United Methodists from churches around our annual conference in growing in our discipleship. Each month there will be a new step to Christian Discipleship.

#### April — Shower Generosity

Try to GIVE to another in a new CREATIVE way!

**Increase missional awareness with pocket "Change for Good.**" Put a jar, can, bucket, or boot somewhere where folks can help you by giving their pocket change each Sunday. Then pick a mission and show the world some Christian generosity!

**Give someone ONE HOUR of your time** (each week, month, whatever you decide)... it may sound silly to propose ONE hour in a month as a *generous* gift, but it is an hour more than you have given them before.



Food Lighthouse Food Pantry Collection for the month of April Pantry are pasta (regular and gluten free), pasta sauce, diced Needs tomatoes

It is almost Junque Sale time! That means we need volunteers for the week of April 22nd and for the day of the sale, April 27nd. Please use the link below to sign up to volunteer.

Help is needed during the week to unload, sort, price, and display merchandise. Of course, food is needed to sustain our hungry workers as well! On the day of the sale we will need volunteers to work in the kitchen, and as cashiers, loaders, general help, and clean up. The Junque Sale is traditionally our biggest fundraiser. Please consider volunteering! Just use the link <u>Junque Sale</u> <u>Signup</u>

Junque Sale donations can be dropped off starting April 22nd. Please remember we do NOT take, TV'S, computers, printers, DVD players, or any other electronics, no encyclopedias or magazines, no clothing or shoes, or fitness equipment. All other donations are welcome. We would appreciate your donations be clean and in working order. Thank you! If you have any questions, please contact the church office at 724-443-3184

#### The Neighborhood Table May 2 | Fellowship Hall

BUMC is continuing to partner with the Fox Chapel UMC to provide meals to the Sharpsburg Community.

Volunteers are needed to help prepare the meal at BUMC starting at 2:30 PM. The meals are then transported to Sharpsburg and volunteers are needed there to help serve and clean up afterwards. This has been a very rewarding ministry so far, so please consider volunteering by calling Roger Cramer at 724-443-2847.

#### Men Doing Stuff |Monday, May 6th | 6:00pm

All men and boys are welcome to come to the church ,we will spend the evening working outside (weather permitting) under the supervision of our head groundskeeper, Jody Mankamyer. Bring your favorite outside tools and have some fun in the dirt. Food and drinks will be provided. If it looks like bad weather, we will do some cleaning work inside the church.

RSVP's are not required, but are appreciated to help me have an idea how many mouths there will be to feed.

#### Drive Thru Dinner | May 7 |Fellowship Hall

The Mission Team has been serving a monthly meal for The Lighthouse . If the Lord is calling you to participate in this ministry either by helping with food prep in the kitchen, packing meals, delivering them to our church friends or to cars, please plan on coming to the fellowship hall at 2:30pm, or if you have any another questions, please contact Carol Skolnik at <u>cnik-</u><u>skol@gmail.com</u>.

**Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study** Then please mark your calendars for our once a month Summer Series in May through August at 10:00am. We have a wonderful lineup again of guest Bible study leaders!!

May 23<sup>rd</sup> – Katie Lowell June 13<sup>th</sup> – Marcia Shipley July 18<sup>th</sup> – Dawn Conroy August 15<sup>th</sup> – Pastor Alyce Weaver Dunn

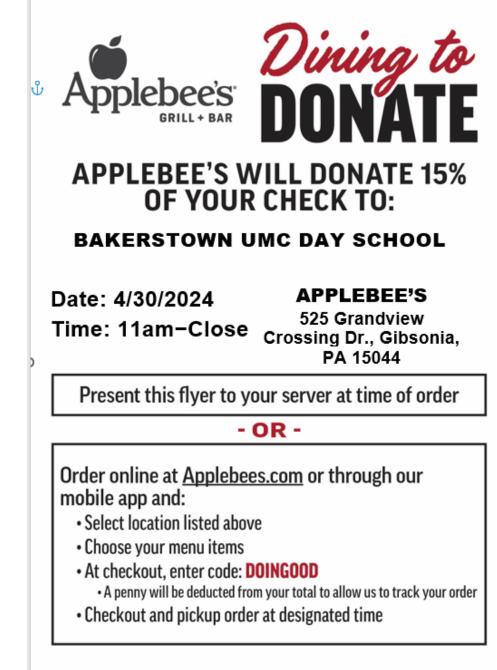
**Confirmation and Youth Sunday will be celebrated on May 19th** at the 11:00am Service. We will be receiving youth members. Our youth group will be leading this service.

Today	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
<ul> <li>8:30am Worship</li> <li>9:45am DIGGing</li> <li>Deeper</li> <li>9:50am Women at</li> <li>The Well</li> <li>11:00am Junior</li> <li>Church</li> <li>11:00am Worship</li> <li>6:00pm Ignite</li> </ul>			<b>7:00pm</b> Grief- share <b>7:00pm</b> SPRC Meeting	<b>6:00pm</b> Rhythm of Grace <b>7:00pm</b> Sanctuary Choir		<b>8:00am</b> Junque Sale	<ul> <li>8:30am Worship</li> <li>9:45am DIGGing</li> <li>Deeper</li> <li>9:50am Women at</li> <li>The Well</li> <li>11:00am Junior</li> <li>Church</li> <li>11:00am Worship</li> <li>6:00pm Ignite</li> </ul>

# Spring Flower Sale Fundraiser

The Day School is selling hanging baskets for Mother's day. We are getting the baskets from McTighes garden center.

10" HANGING BASKET (\$25.00 each)	
Million Bell Petunia	
Vining Petunia	
Non Stop Begonia	
Rieger Begonia	
Questions? Call Sharon Chapman at 724-272-6032 Thank You !	y, May 9th
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