### CONCORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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### THIS WEEK AT CONCORD CHURCH

Sunday, June 29

10:45 AM — Gathering Time 11:00 AM — Worship

Friday, July 4 – Fourth of July!

Sunday, July 6

10:45 AM — Gathering Time 11:00 AM — Worship

Thursday, July 10

6:00 PM — Yoga, Upstairs College Room

Sunday, July 13

10:45 AM — Gathering Time

11:00 AM — Worship & Holy Communion &

Children's Church

Monday, July 14

7:00 PM — Tom Bone's Cartoon Show Reception, Bluefield Arts Center

#### **Announcements**

**Altar flowers** are given to the memory of Carl and Beulah Hubbard on their 83<sup>rd</sup> wedding anniversary, July 3, by their children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

**Princeton Pantry Project** – June – We are collecting canned vegetables.

We have been challenged by Bishop Wallace-Padgett to **donate enough cleaning kits, aka flood buckets**, by the end of July. We invite you to help those affected by recent flooding disasters and devastation in Ohio County. Please help by writing a check to the church or by giving online on our secure website. Disaster Response fund numbers for the WV Conference of the UMC:

#920 WV Flood Relief/Disaster Response

#922 New Vision Depot

**Tom Bone's Cartoon Art Show Reception** will be held on Monday, July 14<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM at the Bluefield Arts Center.

Help Wanted – Worship Leaders \* Scripture Readers \* Children's Moment.

Please use the sign-up sheet in the Anchor Room.



## CONCORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Seek God's Will ~ Teach God's Love ~ Serve God's World

Sunday, June 29, 2025

# Third Sunday after Pentecost

### **ENTRANCE**

Welcome and Announcements

**Opening Prayer** 

\*Call to Worship

Our freedom comes as life in the Spirit.

>We reject the works based only on our fleshly desires.

We live a new life of spirit and truth.

>Let us worship the Lord in full spirit. Amen.

\*Morning Hymn: How Great Thou Art (UMH 77)

Children's Moment

Prayers of the People Together, let us pray for .... Lord, in your mercy, **Hear our prayer.** 

Pastoral Prayer

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able.

Now with the confidence of God's people, may we pray together the Lord's Prayer.

# >The Lord's Prayer (UMH 895)

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

Psalter Reading: Psalm 30:1-12 (UMH 762-763)

Offering and Offertory Music

\*Doxology, Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (UMH 94)

\*Offertory Prayer

### PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Galatians 5:1, 13-25 (New Testament, pew Bible pages 190-191)

Message: Dogsleds and Dogged Determination!

Luke 9:57-62 (New Testament, pew Bible pages 70-71)

## **SENDING FORTH**

\*Closing Hymn: Where He Leads Me (UMH 338)

\*Benediction





Pray for: Sick and shut-in members; The United Methodist Church; Bishops; District Superintendents; Pastors; the President; the Governor; the military and their families; world leaders and elected officials; and pray for peace.

Military Personnel: Tom Bone IV and Andy Walker

June 1: Greg B., it is a joy that Martha Claire B. graduated from law school; Addi I., has a joy that her uncle has come to visit the family from North Carolina; Joe M., this week will be our 56th wedding anniversary; Kathy F., prayers for Jeff G., who passed away early Friday; continued prayers for Lorin A. She had successful stem cell transplant surgery and was released from the hospital; continued prayers for Susan P.; Matt T., prayers for Sawyer K., who was in a motorcycle accident. He is recovering, but he will be in the hospital for a while; Joyce M., a member of our former church, Beth, who had down syndrome and reached 54 years of age, passed away on Thursday. Prayers for her family; Pastor Moeller, prayers for the Mayberry family and the loss of Jimmy M.; Matt T., celebrates that the students from Mercer County and other counties had graduation on Friday; Tom B., prayers for the Curry family and Debbie C. whose funeral was last week.

**June 8:** Kathy S., Edith M. is visiting and it's her birthday; Edith, happy that Kyle and Nubia M. are at church with her; Matt T., a friend Arnold P. had a major heart attack; Tom B. and Richard M., prayers for this week's Annual Conferences in West Virginia and North Georgia; Scott I., his dad Jim is here visiting; Greg B., Aunt Dreama B. is recuperating; Richard M., for our country and its leaders; Elizabeth M., for unspoken concerns.

**June 15:** Bob W., there is an article in the Bluefield Telegraph about Tom B. everyone should try to read; Scott M., he and Lynn are "on call" with disaster response to the residents in Ohio County, WV; please keep them in your prayers; also the Conference Disaster Coordinator, Jim M. suffered an epidermal hematoma while vacationing in Italy; prayers for Jim and his family; Tom B., prayers for the Annual Conference and all our ministers; Michael J., congratulations to Ken and Mary G. on their 57<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. Keep all of our Dad's in your prayers for Father's Day.

**June 22**: From Joyce M., prayers for Janet V.'s daughter Megan, who is having health issues; Tom B., for Chris as she mourns the death of her dog Loki; Scott I., for his mom, who is having day surgery on Tuesday; and from Richard M., celebrating the election at Annual Conference of Greg B., David M., and Lynn M. to the Southern District Board of Trustees.

(Prayer requests will be listed here for four weeks. First names and last initials are used with details omitted to protect privacy).

<sup>\*</sup> Please stand as you are able.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The Lectionary: Daily Readings may be found on our website at concordathens.org