# Welcome to Epworth United Methodist Church

Worship: 9:30 AM

Pastor- Jeffery White Lay Leader- Christine "Chris" Mosig Pianist- Catherine Medovich

# UPCOMING EVENTS

November 2, 2025---End of DST, Turn clocks back!

November 3, 2025---PPRC Committee mtg. 6pm

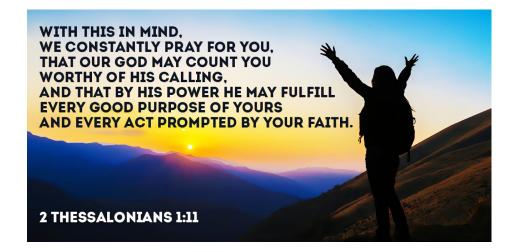
November 6, 2025--- Thursday "Sunday School" 7:30 on Zoom

November 13, 2025--- Prayer meeting" 7pm on Zoom November 13, 2025--- Thursday "Sunday School" 7:30 on Zoom

November 20, 2025--- Thursday "Sunday School" 7:30 on Zoom

November 30, 2025---First Sunday in Advent

November 30, 2025---Fifth Sunday Joint Parish Service at Halesford UMC 11am



# WASHINGTON COOPERATIVE PARISH November 2, 2025

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**Christine Mosig, Lay Leader** 

Sue Haupert-Johnson, Presiding Bishop

Rev. Dr. Sarah Calvert, District Superintendent MountainViewDS@vaumc.org

## TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

November 2, 2025

The Mission of the United Methodist Church: To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world

# THE CHURCH GATHERS

#### PRAISE HYMN

Hymn No. 2150 (TFWS) "Lord, Be Glorified"

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### \*GATHERING HYMN

Hymn No. 711 "For All the Saints" vv. 1-2, 4

## **CALL TO WORSHIP**

When we need to climb a tree to look for help, Christ proclaims,

"I am coming to your house today."

When we feel lost and have nowhere to turn, Christ assures us,

"I am coming to your house today."

Christ is coming. Christ is with us even now. Worship the Lord with joy and praise.

## UNISON PRAYER

Righteous One, hear our cries in the bitter watches of the night. We come before you with zeal in our hearts, ready to stand at our watchposts, ready to receive the vision you promise your people. We come seeking justice for the weak, hope for the downtrodden, and healing for the afflicted. In times of trial, we yearn to see your face, and behold the glory of our salvation. Be the vision we need, that we may find the courage to persevere, that salvation may come to our homes this day, through the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

#### JOYS AND CONCERNS

#### PASTORIAL PRAYER

#### PASSING THE PEACE

Today, salvation has come to this house of worship, for in Christ, we are renewed and made whole, through the power of the Holy Spirit. Let us share God's grace, as we exchange signs of Christ's peace this day.

# TO HEAR THE WORD

1st **Lesson** Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-4 **2<sup>nd</sup> Lesson:** Psalm 119:137-44

3<sup>rd</sup> Lesson 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4, 11-12\*\*

**4<sup>th</sup> Lesson:** Luke 19:1-10

Lectionary Reading\* Sermon Lesson \*

#### +JUNIOR CHURCH

Hymn No. 191" Jesus Loves Me, This I Know" v.1 + Children are invited to follow teachers to Junior Church

# TITHES AND OFFERING

## INVITATION TO THE OFFERING

# \*DOXOLOGY

Hymn No. 95 "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

SERMON Pastor Jeff

# **RESPONDING IN FAITH**

#### \*COMMUNION HYMN

Hymn No. 614 "For the Bread Which You Have Broken"

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\*CLOSING HYMN Hymn No. 530 "Are Ye Able"

#### \*BENEDICTION

God's love surrounds us.

We go with God's blessing.
God's joy lifts us.

We go with God's blessing.
God's hope nurtures us.

We go with God's blessing.

Leave carrying the light of Christ into the World

\*please stand if able