

# Highland United Methodist Church

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*We are an open community of Christians sharing Christ's love and helping each other to develop and strengthen their relationship with God.*

**May 8, 2016**

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## A Service of Word

Prelude

The Ministry of the Acolytes

Welcoming our Guests, Sharing Ministry Opportunities and Celebrating Special Days  
(Jennifer)

Greeting and Sharing the Peace of Christ (Jennifer)

Prepare For Worship: Ringing of the church bell

Call to Worship: (Audrey)

**People: We know the meaning of those words because Jesus Christ rescued us by offering himself as a sacrifice for our sins.**

Leader: God's will is that we all experience that rescue.

**People: Glory to God forever!**

*(From Galatians 1, The Message Translation)*

\*Hymn of Praise (Audrey) "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" UMH pg. 133

Prayer for the Day: (Audrey)

**God, we ask that you give us wise minds and spirits, attuned to Your will. We pray that we will live well for You, making You proud. As we learn more and more about how You work, we will learn how to do Your work. We pray that we will have the strength to stick it out over the long haul—not the grim strength of gritting our teeth but the glory-strength God gives. It is strength that endures the unendurable and spills over into joy. Thank You for making us strong enough to take part in everything bright and beautiful. Amen.**

*(Based on Colossians 1:9-12, the Message Translation).*

Special Music/Mother's Day presentation (Jennifer)

Scripture Lesson

Proverbs 3:5-6

Bobby Thompson

Sermon

**"Thy Will Be Done"**

**Bobby Thompson**

Responsive Hymn (Bobby) "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" UMH pg. 420

## THE RESPONSE TO THE WORD

Sharing of Joys and Concerns (At this time you are invited to share how we can pray with you and for you or someone you care about this week)

Prayers of the People (Audrey)

The Lord's Prayer

**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.**

The Offering; Prayer and Offertory (Audrey)

\*The Doxology (*Praise God from whom all blessings flow...*)

UMH pg. 95

### SENDING FORTH

\* Hymn of Dedication (Audrey) "Have Thine Own Way, Lord"

UMH pg 382

\*Benediction (Bobby)

\* Postlude

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*\*\*\* indicates congregation standing, if able*

### GREETERS

May – Trisha Custer

### ACOLYTES

May 8 – Graham Weaver

May 15 – Jared Jamison

### USHERS

May 8 – The Women

May 15 – The Youth

We welcome Bobby Thompson, the Danville District Lay leader, to our pulpit today. Amy is on vacation. She will be back in town tomorrow night for choir practice and will be in the office on Tuesday morning at 9:00 am. For Pastoral emergencies you can rely on Rev. Kathryn Budzik, Pastor of Gogginsville UMC. Amy cares and you can call her at (804) 694-9759.

### CHURCH LIFE

Scripture for Next Sunday, May 15 – Genesis 11:1-9 and Acts 2:1-13

Flowers are shared today by Lynn Bayly in Memory of Vivian Hyatt and Anne Snead

**Today, Sunday, May 8 – No Disciple I today. We will meet next Sunday, May 15 at 4:00 p.m.**  
People Hope for a Savior.

**Monday, May 9** – The **Adult Choir** will meet at **7:00 p.m.** Please come join us!

**Sunday, May 15** – The **Administrative Council** will meet following the Worship Service. All are invited to join us.

**Operation Christmas Child** – May’s donation is a short sleeved tee shirt. Please choose children’s tees in small or medium. We are hoping you’ll participate with us. Thank you for all the support and love you show for us.

**Saturday, May 21** – The **Callaway Fire Department Ham Supper, 4:30-7:30 pm.** Music to follow with the Dry Hill Draggers. Recommended Donation: \$10.00 Donations of Baked Cakes needed!

**Sunday, May 29** – We will be honoring our Graduates during the service. A Potluck Luncheon will follow the service. Seniors, please bring a graduation or senior picture to put on the display table in the fellowship hall by May 28. We will be honoring Tyler McPherson, Logan Krauss and Paige Brown from FCCHS. If you know of any other graduates from HS or college, let Jennifer know.

### **Scholarship Applications**

Now is the time to apply for the Hartie Price Scholarships. Applicants should have been in attendance at Highland for a minimum of two years immediately preceding application and should be classified and accepted as a full-time undergraduate student at an accredited institution of higher education. **Applicants should submit in own handwriting a dated and signed request on or before June 1, 2016.** Please include e-mail address. Submit application to any of the Scholarship Trustees: Judy Prettyman, Chairman; Bob Prettyman, Vice Chairman & Treasurer; Katherine McPherson, Chairman of Education; Vicki Hodges, Member at Large; Pastor Amy. As a reminder, previous recipients must have submitted receipts in order to be eligible again.

Save the Date: **VBS** will be held **Sunday, June 5 – Thursday, June 9.** More information to follow as the date gets closer. If you have any question, please see Katherine McPherson

**A Note from Pam: I owe Pastor Amy and my congregation a BIG APOLOGY!!!** In typing last week’s bulletin, I made a Huge typo..... When listing Amy’s plan to be on vacation this week, I said that she would be visiting family in Waynesboro and **Richard.** What I was supposed to type was that she was visiting family in Waynesboro and **Richmond!** There is no Richard! I did not mean to imply that Amy was visiting anyone except her family. I am truly sorry and sincerely apologize for any confusion and concerns that this may have raised. I will make every effort to better proofread my typing in the future!

As members of this congregation, we will faithfully participate in its ministries by our prayers (see the prayer list), our presence, our gifts, our service (see announcements) and our witness (all you do and who you are.)” We are thankful that you have blessed Highland United Methodist Church with your presence and your gifts:

4/24/16	67 Present for Worship and \$992.00 received in Gifts
5/1/16	74 Present for Worship and \$2,247.00 received in Gifts

### **Prayer Requests**

May 1 – Mary Thurman, Debra Wray, Gayle Goad, Maymon Furrow, Lisa Ferguson, Nancy Hale, Alice Adkins, Praise for Judy Prettyman’s pain relief, Praise that Cassidy was accepted to Va. Tech., and thank you from Joyce Sledd for all the love shown to her in the passing of her sister

April 24 – Family & friends of Peter Teixeira, Christina Trager, Cody and Rachel, The Family of Dale Nichols, the Family of Martha Custer, The Family of Wade Cox, Verna Gravely, and college students going through exams

April 17 – Joyce Sledd and Family in the death of her sister, Jerry Jamison, Tom Tomberlin (Dempsey Brown’s father-in-law), Mary Mills’ niece-Judy, Betsy Stanley’s co-worker-Kyle, Ed Daniels (Andy’s brother)

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