



Transfiguration Sunday
March 3, 2019
8:30 & 11:00 a.m.



We Gather to Celebrate
New Life in Christ

Prelude "Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us" William B. Bradbury,
arr. M. Barnhouse

Service of Light Jesus said, "I am the Light of the World."

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship
Jesus leads his three disciples up a high mountain and is transfigured before them.
The light of the Gospel will forever shine on the darkness of the world.
No longer can anything separate God's people from the love Christ came to reveal.
The glory of Christ shone in order that God's will would be known.

(8:30) Opening Hymn UMH No. 154 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"
(11:00) Praise Songs "All Who Are Thirsty", "Hungry"

Opening Prayer

Greet One Another As Christ Has Greeted You

Good News for Children "Go, Tell It On the Mountain"
(please sing as the Children come forward)
Go, tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere:
Go, tell it on the mountain, that Jesus Christ is born.
Change Jar for U.M.C.O.R. (United Methodist Committee On Relief)
(Children age 2 – 3rd grade leave for COOL Kids)

Choir & Orchestra Anthem "Behold the Lamb (The Communion Hymn)"
Getty/Townsend, arr. David Shipp

Joys, Concerns, and Prayers

Offering Back to God
Offertory "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise" Welsh melody,
arr. M. Barnhouse

Offertory Response UMH No. 95
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below;
Praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Scripture Luke 9:28-36

Words to Live By "A Transfiguration Experience" Ellis Conley

The Great Thanksgiving
Our Lord's Prayer No. 895
Giving the Bread and Cup—You are invited to come forward and receive communion by "intinction". You will receive a piece of bread which you will dip into the cup. After you partake you may choose to pray at the altar rail. As United Methodists, we celebrate "open communion", meaning it is not necessary to belong to this congregation to receive the sacrament. John Wesley believed the sacrament had "saving power", and no one should be denied. Children are always welcome. During communion please join with others in singing the following hymns: UMH 413, 419, 420.

(8:30) Closing Hymn UMH No. 410 "I Want a Principle Within"
(11:00) Praise Song "All the People Said Amen"

Service of Light Jesus said, "You are the Light of the World."

Benediction "Let There Be Peace on Earth"

(8:30) Postlude "Lead On, O King Eternal" Henry T. Smart,
arr. M. Barnhouse

(11:00) Postlude "All the People Said Amen" Praise Band

We Scatter to Witness and Serve, Using the Gifts God Gave Us

Christian sympathy is extended to Hermit Stover upon the death of his brother Harold Stover, Pt. Pleasant; to family and loved ones upon the death of Liz Neumeyer.

Remember in Your Thoughts and Prayers (as of 2/28/19)

Davis Antis, Kristin Bowers (Jerry & Karen Lilly's daughter), Rayna Criswell (Sandy Vargo's cousin), Maurice DeLung, Evelyn Easter, Jean Ellis, Bob George, Jack Gibson, Katherine Given (Jeff Given's mother), Gertrude Graham, Jean Herman, Dick Hinshaw, Holly Hudson (Joe Ann Gyke's cousin), Maxine Hunt, Nancy Jepson, Allison Kays, Pastor John Lowther, Corky Martin, Denzil Meadows (Connie Smith's uncle), Wanda Mumford (Susan Caldwell's mother), Bob Neumeyer, Steve Neumeyer, Jay & Millie Proud (Jean Kirk's parents), Barbara Ramey, Carol Rowsey, Jan Rowsey, Bob Samson, Betty Smith (Kelly McFadden's mother), Victoria Spurlock, Pam Stallings (Jean Herman's daughter), Betty Strain, Bill Trent (Ellen Shoub's brother), Peggy Vance (John Vance's mother), Joe Varian, Evelyn Warner, Jack Wilson

Cabell Healthcare Center: Gayle Rowsey, Gloria Balshaw (John Simmons' mother)
HealthSouth ("Encompass"): Jim Fisher

Braley Care Home: Phyllis Blankenship (Bob Blankenship's mother)
Broadmore Assisted Living: Ruth Alford

Rolling Meadows Place: Rev. Billy Reed Wickline
Teays Valley Assisted Living: Rosie Davis, Beatrice Dorsey (Steve Dorsey's mother), Kathy Burgess

Our Service Personnel: Chris Brown, Kris Cutlip, Will Dempsey, Jason Ellis, Ty Foster, Schad Gates (Mikki Larch's brother), Jon Hansen, Jacob Hudnall (Jeanie Jarvis' nephew), R. Travis Hughes (Leslie St. Clair's nephew), Donnie Jacobs, Aaron Lane, Dane Meadows, Bobby Menear, Steven Miller II, Julian Skinner (Joe Ann Gyke's grandson), Hunter Smith (Betty Bailey's great grandson), Cameron Wilkinson



Christian Community Cupboard: The Cupboard is in need of canned peas and canned carrots. Place donations in the cart in the Narthex.

BackPack Buddies: Please remember the 89 students in our BackPack Buddies ministry as you grocery shop this school year. Your meal/snack items are welcome (oatmeal, pop tarts, juice pouches, ramen noodles, canned soup, microwave popcorn, small cereal boxes, granola bars, etc.). Monetary donations are also appreciated. The green cart is in the Narthex. Help us be the hands and feet of Christ to these children. **See the sign up sheet at the Connection Center to pack bags this semester. Volunteers are appreciated!**



Senior Basketball: Thursdays, 1:30-2:30 p.m., in the Family Life Center, for those who simply want to shoot some hoops in the daytime!

Adult Basketball: Sundays, 7:00-9:00 p.m., in the Family Life Center (the belltower main entrance doors lock at 7:30 p.m., so please arrive on time!).

Applications for the UMW Spring Crafts & Book Festival are available at the Connection Center. This year's festival is on Saturday, April 13.

Get connected/Stay connected with Forrest Burdette:

- If you are a visitor today, please fill out a Pew Information Card and place it in the offering plate.
- Check out the website: www.forrestburdette.com
- Sign up for the weekly "E-Connection" and the "Visions" newsletter. Email office@forrestburdette.com
- Like our Facebook page: "Forrest Burdette United Methodist Church".
- Sign up for updates for upcoming youth events by texting "@FBMUth" to the number 81010. Young Adults, sign up by texting "@FBYA" to the number 81010.

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Register online at krogercommunityrewards.com to create a Kroger Rewards Account. Enter your Kroger Plus Card number. Enter NPO #86965 (Children's Outreach Ministries) as the organization you support. Or, call 866-221-4141 for set-up help. A percentage of your Kroger purchases will be sent to the Forrest Burdette Building Fund via Children's Outreach Ministries. *Renew yearly!*

John Wesley's General Rules for the Church

1. Do no harm.
2. Do good.
3. Stay in relation with God.

Ash Wednesday Service • March 6, 7:00 p.m.
Ash Wednesday marks the beginning of the season of Lent, the 40 days of preparation before Easter. We'll begin our journey with the Imposition of Ashes and Holy Communion.

Just a Reminder! Our Wednesday Night Live programs *will not meet* this Wednesday, March 6, because of the Ash Wednesday service. This includes the fellowship dinner, small groups, Uth, and C.O.O.L. Kids. There will be *no morning Bible study* either.

Lenten Purple Bows: Be sure to take home a purple bow to hang from your lamppost, mailbox, or door to designate your home as a part of the Forrest Burdette family during Lent (March 6—April 20).



Pigment of My Imagination: Julie Conley is offering painting classes on **Saturday, March 9**, from 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m., and **Monday evening, March 11**, from 6:00-8:00 p.m., both in the Fellowship Hall. Come and paint this beautiful bird's nest! Cost: \$20, with proceeds going to the building fund. Please sign up at the Connection Center. No talent required!

This year's Stewards of Fellowship Spaghetti Dinner will be held **Sunday, March 24, 11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.** Featured again will be John Marra's famous Italian flare of family handed-down spaghetti sauce, meatball, and salad dressing recipes. Along with the main meal, come enjoy fresh, delicious Italian garlic bread from a Clarksburg Italian bakery and a traditional Italian dessert of spumoni ice cream. New this year, you can try Oliverio's Italian Restaurant of Bridgeport's own "dipping oil" delight. Meals are \$12 for adults, \$6 for children, and no immediate family pays more than \$30 total. Tickets are for sale on Sundays in the Narthex. All proceeds go to supporting Uth mission trips.



Friends, I belong to a group of pianists called Enlightened Piano Radio. Every year the group honors members with an Awards Concert. I'm eligible for a nomination based on votes from friends & fans. If you have a minute, please send an email nominating me to epwards@gmail.com. All you have to write is, **"I would like to nominate Marshall Barnhouse for Best Solo Piano Album for his album 'Awakened'"**. One vote per person. Thanks so much! *Mike Barnhouse*



Our Team Effort Mission Trip to Virginia Beach is July 21-27! Sign ups are due by **March 17**. A \$100 deposit is due at the time of sign ups. Adults who want to go as a chaperone and helper please see Pastor Jeremy ASAP!

Youth 2019 sign ups are due March 17. A \$100 deposit will guarantee you a spot on this wonderful, quadrennial trip to **Kansas City, Missouri, July 9-14**. Join us as we gather and worship with UMC youth from all over the United States! We will caravan with other WV UMC youth via charter buses. More information on our **Roller Coaster-A-Thon trip (May 24-26)** will be available soon! **A meeting for all Spring and Summer trips will be held on March 24, at 6 p.m.**

"I will support the church with my presence and gifts."
February 24, 2019

Attendance Last Sunday:	8:30 a.m. Worship	144
	Sunday School	117
	11:00 a.m. Worship	170
Gifts Last Sunday:	Weekly Budget Needed	\$14,479
	Deposits for Operating Budget	\$7,158
	Deposits for Building Fund	\$2,250
	Other Deposits	\$141
	Budget Needed to Date	\$115,832
	Received to Date	\$93,195

Sermon Notes

Luke 9:28-36 "A Transfiguration Experience"

- I. The disciples followed Jesus to _____ - _____ experiences.
- II. God's plan was _____ than they imagined.
- III. Jesus initiates a _____ world.

Assisting in Worship Today:

Praise Band: Julie Conley, Chad Halstead, Jayné Kirk, John Martin
 Lauren Milton, John Stewart, Jill Turner
 Media Technician: Rick Estep
 Sound Technician: (8:30): John Vance (11:00): Jeff Haynes
 Greeters: (8:30): Jerry Wolfe, John Marra
 (11:00): John Neville, Kelly McFadden
 Ushers: (8:30): Rick Caldwell, Debby Cunningham, Joe Grady
 (11:00): Steve & Rosemary Cook, Kelly McFadden, Debbie Duespohl
 Acolytes: (8:30): Anna Caldwell (11:00): Ian Ogle
 8:30 Children's Church (pre-k—3rd grade): Alisa Spiker
 11:00 Children's Church (pre-K): Michele Myers; (K-3rd): Jayné Kirk
 Infant Nursery: Melissa Oxley
 Parking Lot Greeter Team 1: Gene Brown, Steve Dorsey, Ryan Riedel, Jeremy Rogers

Birthdays:

- 3/3 Addley Marinacci, Leah Veit
- 3/4 Bridget Bradley, Jim Cunningham
- 3/5 Jennifer Billups, John Clark, Darren Fearing, Terry Hanning, Alexandria Hinshaw, Alicia Hinshaw, Bob Roberts, Greenlee Williams
- 3/6 Tene Barcroft, Josh Imhoff, Tim Landin, Toni Soto
- 3/7 Candy Call, Jeff Harbour, Jennifer Marinacci
- 3/8 Joe Bailey, Carrie Parsons, Mark Peterson, Jan Ramey, Sheila Treadway
- 3/9 Faye Brinkman, Alan Carlstrom, Jill Gilbert, Sam Holdren, Cameron Kimble, Cathy McClanahan

Anniversaries:

- 3/8 Maurice & Billie DeLung



Support our Cub Scout Pack 236 at their annual Pancake Breakfast, this Saturday, March 9. The Cubs will be serving pancakes, 8:00-10:00 a.m., at the Teays Valley Applebee's, \$5 per person. Tickets are available at the door, or you may **purchase tickets in advance** after and between today's morning services in the Narthex. *Just look for the Scouts!*

Welcome to Forrest Burdette Memorial United Methodist Church!

... You may wish to take your birth to age 2 children into our nursery which is warm, nurturing, and well-supervised. The nursery is located off the narthex on the right. After "Good News for Children" age 3 to third graders may leave to attend "COOL Club".
 ... Take advantage of the sermon outline in the bulletin. You may find it easier to follow the sermon.
 ... Please keep cellular phones off during the service and set your beepers to non-audible notification.
 ... As United Methodists, we celebrate "open Communion"; everyone is always welcome at the Lord's Table. Gluten free bread is available.
 ... Be sure to sign a pew card and check "first time" visitor.
 ... The restrooms are located to the right at entrance to Fellowship Hall and down the green hallway off the Narthex and to the left.
 ... Please do not bring coffee, tea, or soft drinks into the Sanctuary.
 ... At the close of worship, our tradition is to reach for your neighbor's hand as we sing together "Let There Be Peace on Earth".

THE MISSION OF FORREST BURDETTE U.M.C. Minister to people where they are ♦ Strengthen and empower disciples on the journey ♦ Glorify God in all things

Sunday, March 3

- 8:30 A.M. Worship
- 9:45 A.M. Sunday School
- 11:00 A.M. Worship
- 4:00 P.M. Confirmation -111
- 5:00 P.M. Handbell Practice -Choir Rm
- 6:00 P.M. Men's Group -111
- 6:00 P.M. Worship -Chapel
- 6:00 P.M. Finance Committee -201
- 7:00 P.M. Church Council -211 upstairs
- 7:00 P.M. Adult Basketball -Gym

Monday, March 4

- 8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
- 9:30 A.M. Preventicare -Byrd Hall
- 6:30 P.M. Scouts BSA Trp 236 -Scout Hut
- 7:00 P.M. Cub Scout Pack 236 -Basement +
- 8:00 P.M. AA -308

Tuesday, March 5

- 8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
- 9:30 A.M. Quilters -Byrd Hall
- 10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard
- 6:00 P.M. Hurricane Amateur Basketball League -Gym
- 6:30 P.M. Girl Scouts 8317 -Byrd Hall
- 6:30 P.M. Daisies (S. Flick) -111
- 7:00 P.M. UMW -110/Parlor
- 7:00 P.M. Civic Chorus -Sanctuary

Wednesday, March 6

- 8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
- 9:30 A.M. Preventicare -Byrd Hall
- No Midweek Morning Bible Study today*
- 12:00 P.M. We Care -201
- 2:30 P.M. Hooks & Needles -J. Mullins home
- No Fellowship Dinner, Small Groups, Uth, or C.O.O.L. Kids*
- 7:00 P.M. Ash Wednesday Worship

Thursday, March 7

- 8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
- 8:00 A.M. TOPS 0530 -Byrd Hall
- 9:30 A.M. Circle of Friends -211
- 6:00 P.M. Hurricane Amateur Basketball League -Gym
- 6:30 P.M. Scouts BSA Trp 360 -Scout Hut
- 6:30 P.M. Dances Choice -Byrd Hall
- 7:00 P.M. Choir Practice -Sanctuary

Church Staff:

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Director: Cathy Daley **Office:** 304-562-9170, cathy@forrestburdette.com

Friday, March 8

- 8-9:00 A.M. Open Gym for Walking
- 9:30 A.M. Preventicare -Byrd Hall
- 10:00 A.M. Community Cupboard
- 6:30 P.M. Basketball (Thompson) -Gym

Saturday, March 9

- 7:30 A.M. Emmaus Prayer Group -110
- 2:00 P.M. Girl Scouts World Thinking Day -Gym

Sunday, March 10

- Daylight Saving Time begins
- First Sunday in Lent, Girl Scout Sunday
- Luke 4:1-13
- "Three Things Jesus Lost in the Wilderness"
- 8:30 A.M. Worship
- 9:45 A.M. Sunday School
- 11:00 A.M. Worship
- 4:00 P.M. Confirmation -111
- 5:00 P.M. Handbell Practice -Choir Rm
- 6:00 P.M. Men's Group -111
- 6:00 P.M. Worship -Chapel
- 7:00 P.M. Adult Basketball -Gym

Special Session of the General Conference, United Methodist Church

On Tuesday, February 26, The United Methodist Church concluded the called session of the General Conference. By a majority vote, the General Conference passed a Traditional Plan, with some parts ruled as not in line with the constitution of The United Methodist Church. The plan now goes to the Judicial Council for review of constitutionality at their April 2019 meeting. The existing language of the current 2016 Book of Discipline which affirms that all people are of sacred worth and that the church is called to be in ministry with all people is maintained and was not under consideration for revision. Additionally, the existing language of the 2016 Book of Discipline that prohibits UMC pastors from celebrating same gender marriages and prohibits the ordination of self-avowed practicing homosexuals is also maintained. Petitions affirmed by the General Conference that change disciplinary language and found to be constitutional will not be instituted until January 2020.

