

Solomons United Methodist Church
Loving, Serving, and Growing in the Name of Jesus Christ

Sunday, March 24, 2019
10:00 a.m.

Order of Worship

Welcome



Welcome and Call to Worship

L: A rich feast awaits those who call upon the Lord.

P: God offers to us all the bounty of God's love.

L: How we have thirsted for hope and peace!

P: How we have longed for joy and love!

L: God continually blesses and heals us.

P: Praise be to God for God's steadfast love.

A: AMEN

*Hymn of Praise

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 55: 1-9

An Invitation to Abundant Life

55 Come, everyone who thirsts,
come to the waters;

and you that have no money,
come, buy and eat!

Come, buy wine and milk
without money and without price.

2 Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread,
and your labor for that which does not satisfy?

Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,
and delight yourselves in rich food.

3 Incline your ear, and come to me;
listen, so that you may live.

I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
my steadfast, sure love for David.

4 See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
a leader and commander for the peoples.

5 See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel,
for he has glorified you.

6 Seek the Lord while he may be found,
call upon him while he is near;

7 let the wicked forsake their way,
and the unrighteous their thoughts;

let them return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on them,
and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon.

8 For my thoughts are not your thoughts,
nor are your ways my ways, says the Lord.

9 For as the heavens are higher than the earth,
so are my ways higher than your ways
and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Offering with Prayer

Prayer of Confession

This is the season of turning. We are called on this journey to turn our lives to the Lord, to turn away from all those things which have harmed us and others; to separate ourselves from actions and attitudes that demean and destroy. It is far too easy for us to sink into the mire of self-pity and self-serving attitudes, wondering why everything isn't coming our way. We want comfort, contentment, no stress, no struggle, Yet our lives are filled with stress and discontent. We hurt, Lord. We hurt in our bodies and our souls. We hurt in our relationships with others. How we must try your patience! We don't want to be like this - we want to feel the warmth of your love, the freedom of your spirit, the joy of serving you. God give us for our selfishness and stupidity. Heal us. For we ask these things in Jesus' Name. AMEN.

Words of Assurance

You are given another chance! God has heard your cries. Turn again to the Lord. Find comfort and strength in God's eternal love for you. Be healed. AMEN.

**Communion

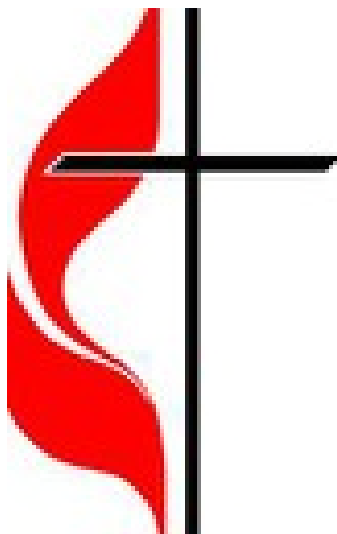
***Communion is open to everyone in attendance. Take a piece of bread and dip it into the juice provided for you. We offer gluten-free communion, please let us know when you come forward.*

Children's Time

*Closing Hymn

*Benediction

Pastor Dottie Yunger ~ Lead Pastor
202-674-7788 (cell) | patuxentpastor@gmail.com
(checked 2x/day Mon ~ Thurs) ~ Fridays are Sabbath



Church Office

Monday — Thursday, 8:30am — 1:30pm
410-326-3278

P.O. Box 403 (mail), 14454 Solomons Island Rd S., Solomons, MD 20688

solomonsumchurch@gmail.com ~ www.solomonsumchurch.org

Facebook — Solomons United Methodist Church

Food Pantry

Open:

Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

10am ~ 1pm

SOLOMONS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

LOVING, GROWING, AND SERVING IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST

**SUNDAY, MARCH 24, 2019
10:00 A.M.**



March Community Dinners We're Back at the East-John Youth Center!

March 7th:

Pizza, Salad, Dessert

March 14th:

Turkey Goulash, Veggie, Salad, Bread , Dessert

March 21st:

Baked Ziti, Salad, Bread, Dessert

March 28th:

Turkey Meatloaf, Potatoes, Veggie, Bread, Salad

Complimentary meals - ALL are welcome!

Thursdays 6 - 7 pm at the East-John Youth Center

11835 Mill Bridge Road in Lusby, MD 20657

Sponsored by the Lusby Charge (St. John UMC & Eastern UMC) & Solomons UMC

410.326.2987 or 410.326.3278

Lenten Sermon Series





Today we will help the children to understand and own the words, “You are my refuge and my fortress, my God in whom I trust.” The hiding place of protection and safety is shown to those who place complete trust in God - those who are confident that He is their only salvation, those who adore Him and desire Him above all things and those who acknowledge His truth as the only truth. God promises to reveal treasure beyond imagination to those who commit themselves to seeking Him - to those who love Him with their whole hearts.

Our Bible verse is from Psalm 91:2, “I will say to the Lord, “My refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust”, and Romans 8:31 “What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us?”

Here's What's Happening Weekly:

Monday: Yoga 9am | Mighty Mama's 6pm
Tuesday: Round Dancing 6 - 9pm
Wednesday: Mighty Mama's 9:30am
Friday: Mighty Mama's 9:30am

We also give in the name of Jesus Christ...

There are several ways to give God's tithes and your offerings:

- ◆ Sunday in the offering plate
- ◆ Check through "snail mail" to Solomons UMC, P.O. Box 403, Solomons, MD 20688
- ◆ Online through VANCO, our electronic giving system. VANCO link can be found on our website www.solomonsumchurch.org under ABOUT
- ◆ Reoccurring Bill Pay through your bank



And we connect in the name of Jesus Christ...

There are several ways to stay connected to your church family:

- ◆ The Pew Binder is a great way to communicate your contact information. Pew Binders are located at the beginning of each pew.
- ◆ Contact/Visitor Cards are located in the front pocket of the Pew Binders. You can contact the office and/or Pastor Dottie with these cards. Fill out information and then place them in the offering plate.
- ◆ More ways to connect with us:



Pastor Dottie Yunger
202-674-7788 (cell) | patuxentpastor@gmail.com (checked 2x/day Mon~Thurs)
Fridays are Sabbath

Drop In Church Office Hours
Monday - Thursday ~ 9am - 1pm

410-326-3278 | solomonsumchurch@gmail.com
P.O. Box 403, Solomons, MD 20688 (mail) | 14454 Solomons Island Road South (physical)
www.solomonsumchurch.org | Facebook — Solomons United Methodist Church