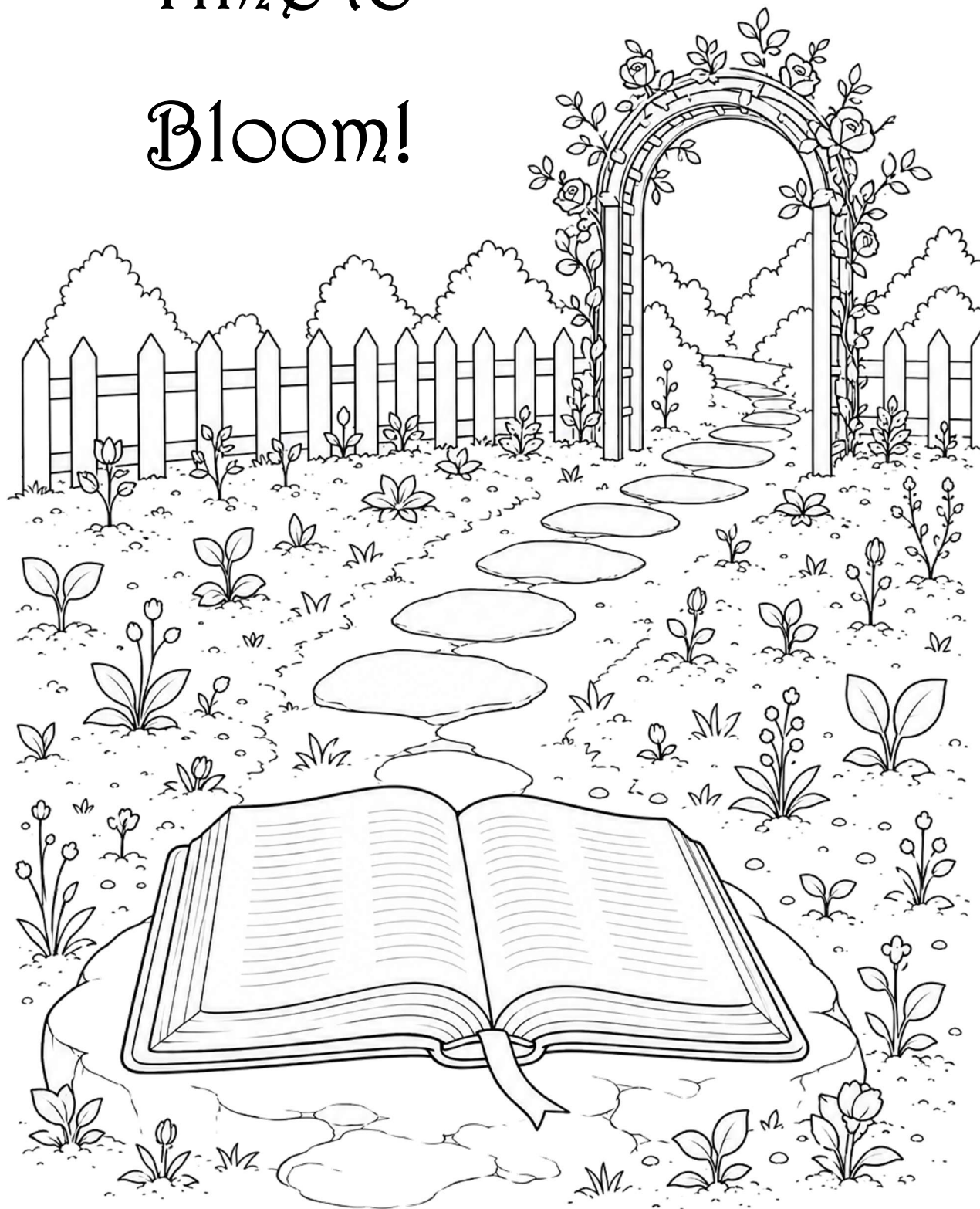


OPEQUON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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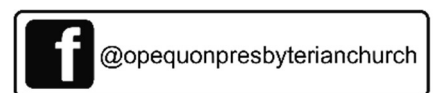
To get the most out of your visit, may we recommend you familiarize yourself with the following:

- **We encourage you to share requests for prayer.** You may do so by completing the pink form found in the pew rack and placing it in the offering.
- **Trust your children to the care of our dedicated, loving workers!** The nursery rooms are located through the Gathering Area, down the Gallery and through the Dell Room. An usher will be happy to escort you. Our nursery ministry cares for infants and children under the age of 5.
- **Worship Bags are available for children ages 3 – kindergarten.** These bags are in the back of the Sanctuary. Please return the bag and supplies to the basket when you are leaving.
- **Restrooms and a coat rack** are located off the Gathering Area, just outside the Sanctuary.
- **Large-print hymnals, Bibles and bulletins** are available from an usher.
- **Personal hearing assistance devices** are available from an usher if you would like to use one.
- **Transportation can be provided to worship.** Call the church office before 12:00 PM on Friday.

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A 10:00 AM SERVICE FOR THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Communion

- ☞ Thank you for silencing your phones before we begin the Worship Service.
- ☞ As the music of the Prelude begins, we invite you to take a moment to quietly focus your heart and prepare your inward spirit for the worship of God.
- ☞ Please complete the Friendship Folder and pass it along during the greeting.
- ☞ PRAYER REQUEST forms are inside the pew holders – please place in the offering plate.

† = All who are able, please stand.

Bold print = All in unison.

☞ WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME ☞

PRELUDE..... *Come To My Garden / Make Our Garden Grow*

By: Lucy Simon, Leonard Bernstein; Arranged by: Garrett Jones

THE CHURCH BELL RINGS

GREETING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

ENTRANCE OF THE WORD & THE LIGHT

†GATHERING SONG No. 408 *There's a Sweet, Sweet Spirit in This Place*

**There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,
and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;
there are sweet expressions on each face,
and I know they feel the presence of the Lord.**

[refrain] **Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove,
stay right here with us, filling us with your love;
and for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;
without a doubt we'll know that we have been
revived when we shall leave this place.**

**There are blessings you cannot receive
till you know him in his fullness and believe;
you're the one to profit when you say,
"I am going to walk with Jesus all the way."** [refrain]

†CALL TO WORSHIP

We are called to be people of faith in the midst of the world,
And so, we mix our worship and our work, our faith and our life.
We gather here as people who live in the world and yet,
**We gather as people who have been called to see the world from a
different viewpoint.**

God has called us together; God has called us to be part of a community.

God challenges us to bloom in this time, to grow, to expand.

In this time together,

May God open our hearts, minds, ears, and eyes,

Causing us to see more deeply and to love more widely, helping us to live in the world while still offering a challenge to the ways of the world.

May we bloom in this time of worship.

†OPENING HYMN No. 14..... *For the Beauty of the Earth*

For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies,

For the love which from our birth

over and around us lies: [refrain]

[refrain] **Lord of all, to thee we raise**

this our hymn of grateful praise.

For the wonder of each hour, of the day and of the night,

Hill and vale, and tree and flower,

sun and moon, and stars of light: [refrain]

For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's delight,

For the mystic harmony,

linking sense to sound and sight: [refrain]

For the joy of human love, brother, sister, parent, child,

Friends on earth, and friends above,

for all gentle thoughts and mild: [refrain]

For thyself, best gift divine, to the world so freely given;

For that great, great love of thine,

peace on earth and joy in heaven: [refrain]

(Please be seated for prayer.)

CALL TO CONFESSION

When we are filled with the Holy Spirit, we exhibit the fruit of the Spirit. Confession is an opportunity to admit our failures and to open space for that fruit to grow. When we praise God for his goodness, we see the ways we have fallen short. Let's enter into this time of personal confession with honesty, assured of the mercy and kindness of God.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Holy God, I come to you with a humble heart, confessing that I often fall short of your glory. Instead of walking in your Spirit, I too easily give in to my own selfish desires.

- **Lord, where I have failed to show love and have instead been critical or cold, forgive me.**
- **Where I have lacked joy, allowing circumstances to steal my gladness, forgive me.**
- **For my anxiety and lack of peace, for not trusting your sovereignty, forgive me.**
- **For the times I have been short-tempered and lost my patience, forgive me.**
- **Where I have failed to show kindness and goodness in my thoughts and actions, forgive me.**
- **For my unfaithfulness, unreliability, and lack of gentleness, forgive me.**
- **And for the times I have failed to exercise self-control, forgive me.**

Lord, I cannot produce this fruit on my own. I invite your Holy Spirit to work deeply within me. Transform my heart, renew my mind, and empower me to walk daily in your ways, so my life may be a true reflection of your grace, and I may bloom and bear fruit.

(Moments of Silent Prayer)

WORDS OF FORGIVENESS

Hear this good news: "Those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. Since we live by the Spirit, let us keep in step with the Spirit."

LITANY OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news of the Gospel.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

†RESPONSE OF PRAISE No. 443 *There Is a Redeemer*

**There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son;
precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.**

[refrain] **Thank you, O my Father, for giving us your Son,
and leaving your Spirit till the work on earth is done.**

**Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah, hope for sinners slain.** [refrain]

**When I stand in glory, I will see his face;
there I'll serve my King forever in that holy place.** [refrain]

†PASSING OF THE PEACE (Please share this prayer with those near you.)
May the peace of Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

☞ **WE HEAR GOD'S WORD** ☞

ANTHEM..... *The Time For Singing Has Come*

By: Joseph M. Martin

Arise, beloved, arise! Rejoice in the wonders that God has done. Arise, beloved, arise! Oh, the time for singing, time for music, time for worship has come. Arise, beloved, rejoice, the risen Son. Arise, beloved, arise! The time for music, time for worship has come. The time for worship has come. The morning breaks forth with glad singing. Music awakens the dawn. Let the hills and the valleys start ringing, singing a jubilant song. Fill the earth with sweet music. Fill each heart with praise. Make a joyful song to God. Let worship fill this place. Sing and rejoice! Lift ev'ry voice! The time for singing has come. It has come! Arise, beloved, arise! Rejoice in the wonders that God has done. Arise, beloved, arise! Oh, the time for singing, time for music, time for worship has come! The time for singing has come! The time for worship, the time for glorious singing has come! The time for singing has come!

THE READING OF GOD'S WORD

EPISTLE READING: Galatians 5:1, 13-25Pew Bible p. 948

GOSPEL READING: Matthew 9:9-13Pew Bible p. 790

CONVERSATION WITH ALL AGES..... "From Seed to Fruit"

Nursery (Infants – Age 4)

†HYMN No. 36 *For the Fruit of All Creation*

**For the fruit of all creation, thanks be to God.
For the gifts to every nation, thanks be to God.
For the plowing, sowing, reaping,
silent growth while we are sleeping,
future needs in earth's safe-keeping, thanks be to God.
In the just reward of labor, God's will be done.
In the help we give our neighbor, God's will be done.
In our world-wide task of caring
for the hungry and despairing,
in the harvests we are sharing, God's will be done.**

**For the harvests of the Spirit, thanks be to God.
For the good we all inherit, thanks be to God.
For the wonders that astound us,
for the truths that still confound us,
most of all that love has found us, thanks be to God.**

SERMON..... "Time to Bloom!"
Pastor David Witt

☞ WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD ☞

OFFERING OF TITHES & GIFTS

OFFERTORY MUSIC..... *We Shall Overcome*
Arranged by: Stephen DeCesare

†THE DOXOLOGY (Hymnal No. 606) & PRAYER OF DEDICATION

**Lord of all creation, we offer, with thanksgiving, what is not ours,
but what we have received from you. Bless these gifts for the sake
of our sisters and brothers in this world. Let your word of abundant
life go out into all the lands, bringing food, forgiveness, and the fruit
of the Spirit, in Jesus' name. Amen.**

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Invitation

Hymn No. 509 (v. 1, 2)..... *All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly*

All who hunger, gather gladly; holy manna is our bread.

Come from wilderness and wandering.

Here, in truth, we will be fed.

You that yearn for days of fullness,

all around us is our food.

Taste and see the grace eternal.

Taste and see that God is good.

All who hunger, never strangers, seeker, be a welcome guest.

Come from restlessness and roaming.

Here, in joy, we keep the feast.

We that once were lost and scattered

in communion's love have stood.

Taste and see the grace eternal.

Taste and see that God is good.

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving (Hymnal p. 9-10, spoken response)

The Lord's Prayer (Hymnal p. 35, we say "debts" and "debtors" in the prayer)

Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread & Cup

Communion Music *Morning Has Broken*

Arranged by: Joseph M. Martin

Closing Communion Prayer

☞ **WE GO OUT IN GOD'S NAME** ☞

†CLOSING HYMN No. 509 (v. 3) *All Who Hunger, Gather Gladly*

**All who hunger, sing together;
Jesus Christ is living bread.
Come from loneliness and longing.
Here, in peace, we have been led.
Blest are those who from this table
live their days in gratitude.
Taste and see the grace eternal.
Taste and see that God is good.**

†CHARGE & BLESSING

†CLOSING RESPONSE No. 539..... *We Will Go Out with Joy in the Spirit*

**We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.
We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.**

[refrain] **Alleluia! We will go out with joy. Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.
We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.**

†POSTLUDE

COMMUNION TODAY WILL INVITE YOU FORWARD

We will come forward to the communion table to receive the sacrament this morning. Each section of pews should move to the left as directed by the ushers. Gluten-free bread is available in the center section. Please see an usher for assistance. Please come forward, receive a piece of bread handed to you and eat immediately. Receive a small cup of wine (red) or grape juice (white) and drink immediately, taking your used cup back to your pew and placing it in the cup holder. Return to your seat by the right aisle of your section.

Elders/Deacons serving during the service today are: Marj Praml, Dave Schwantes, Ann Smith, Ron Smith, Rebecca Agbayani, and George Schember.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given by Will Baker in loving memory of his mother, Katie, and in honor of her birthday.

2026 OLDER ADULT OF THE YEAR: CONGRATULATIONS TO ALYCE CALLAHAN!

Congratulations to Alyce for being selected as the 2026 Older Adult of Opequon! It was very exciting to honor and crown Alyce at the Older Adult Luncheon on May 27.

Alyce shares her gifts and leadership readily through Opequon's Older Adult Ministry and Logos. She does things with sincerity and gentleness. She is kind, helpful, and joyful. She leads Happy Days gatherings and facilitates the Older Adult Team meetings. Alyce also organizes "Take Them a Meal" and often makes some of the meals herself that go out to others. Alyce is fully dedicated to Opequon and makes OPC a better place. Alyce participates in GLOW and can often be seen taking photographs of things happening at Opequon. Her photos are part of many different slide shows and postings that are done to promote Opequon's ministry. Alyce is an ordained Deacon and serves on the Congregational Care Team. She also serves as an usher and helps with Memorial and Funeral service receptions and luncheons. What a busy and giving person she is. Alyce is completely deserving of this honor. Congratulations Alyce!

PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Joan Patton	Vern Gamble	Sara Frey
Chrissy Schmitt	Hannah Wheeler	David Goode
Carol Tubbs Family	Al Schollenberger	Lori Jones & Stephen
Kimberley Meyers	Bill Gesell	Armstrong
Sarah Shade	Cheri Norris	Mike & Trish Crawford
Jace Hartman	Rob Stratton	Pastor Kristin
Bud & Becky Proctor	Kaley, Matt, & Emmet	Whitesides
Robin Owens	Bender	June & Nathan Windle
Vonnie Johnston &	Betty Ganoë	Judy Gaines
Family	Brad & Denise Lincoln	Tim Loftis
Xavier	Chick Doroffe	Lynne Rosamilia
Krista Hartenbach	Mo & Heide Mohler	JoAnne Farrell
Matthew Shade	Jay Horne	Katie Happel
Rich Reifsnyder	Marge & Tim Higgins	Judy Camper
San Diego Mosque &	Susan Arthur	Candi Gardner
Community	Tammy Mowery	David Lewis
Carolyn, Jordan, &	Earhart	David DesMarias
Judith Hartman	Mary Bremer	Megan Tschappat
Annemarie Matthews	David Emery	Charlotte Rosamilia
Dawn Williams	Dan Cammer	All Struggling with
Ben Costello	Middle East War	Mental Illness
Strukoff & DeCeault	Our Soldiers	Nancy Kerns
Families	Nathan Smith & Tracy	Jewish & Muslim
Mia Beato	Roger Murphy	Victims Worldwide
Mike Shade	George & Carole	Cindy Corell
Karen Lemons &	Schwantes	Katie Wolf
Family	Gary McDowell	Ukraine
Krista Bowen	Rick Ours	Ethiopia Church
Bonnie Triplett	Jolissa Matthews	Mekane Yesus
Jenna Boyer	Riley Fitzgerald	

☞ **PRAY FOR THOSE SERVING IN THE MILITARY & THEIR FAMILIES** ☜

Robert Littman, Cameron Lloyd, Cameron Andrew Veach, Kayleen Paquette,
 Kelly Klimek, Jacob & Tiffani Peoples, Sawyer Phillips, Joshua Blake, Max
 Crane, Andrew Crane, Thomas Crane, Jacob Heavner, Samuel & Julia Phillips,
 Michael White, Ben Jensen, Gavin Eanes, Eli Keaton

SCHEDULE & ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THIS WEEK

TODAY – June 7

Communion

10:00 AM Summer Worship – Sanctuary & Livestream

11:15 AM Fellowship Time – Gathering Area

11:15 AM Opie's Playhouse – Playground

11:15 AM ABUG Training – Sanctuary

THIS WEEK

Monday: 5:30 PM Windsong – Sanctuary

6:00 PM MOO Meal – Chick-fil-A

7:00 PM MOO Gathering – Church Cemetery

Tuesday: 9:30 AM Tuesday Morning Mission – Bageant Room

6:00 PM GLOW Gathering – Fellowship Hall

7:00 PM Vision Team – Bageant Room

Wednesday: 12:00 PM Happy Days – Picnic Shelter

Thursday: 10:30 AM Tai Chi – Picnic Shelter

NEXT SUNDAY – June 14

Scriptures: Matthew 9:35-10:8; Psalm 100 Sermon: "Making Disciples"

10:00 AM Worship – Sanctuary & Livestream

11:00 AM Congregational Building Update – Sanctuary

12:15 PM Senior Outreach Ministry

1:30 PM Spring Arbor Worship

5:00 PM Vacation Bible School

ABUG TRAINING – TODAY

Are you A BUG now? Would you like to be A BUG? Training for everyone who fulfills the role of Acolyte, Beadle, Usher, and Greeter (ABUG) will be **today** at **11:15 AM** in the Sanctuary. If you are interested in learning more about serving in one of these roles, you are cordially invited to join us! Training will be led by the Worship Ministry Team and Pastor David.

OPIE'S PLAYHOUSE MEETS ON THE PLAYGROUND TODAY

All families with young children are invited to join us for some summer fun and fellowship on the playground immediately after the worship service **today**. In the event of rain, we will meet in the Memorial Sanctuary.

NO MORE DELAY – REGISTER FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL TODAY!

Today is the last day to register for the fun Summer nights at Vacation Bible School. Vacation Bible School will be held **June 14-17, (Sunday – Wednesday) 5:00 – 7:30 PM**. What a great way to kick off the summer! The theme is: "EVERY LIVING THING!" We will be focusing on how every living thing needs Food, Water, Shelter, Air, and Community. Vacation Bible School is open to 4-year-olds through 8th grade with an adult class as well. Don't miss out on this magnificent time. Registration forms are at the VBS HUT in the Gathering Area and available online. REGISTRATION CLOSES AT THE END OF TODAY.

Children & Youth Registration: <https://forms.gle/SjMUNVAnDkrJKRWK8>

Adult Class Registration: <https://forms.gle/k9HFYAUZS9HHEZxx6>

AMERICAN REVOLUTION CEREMONY – Monday Night

Everyone—men, women, and children of all ages—is invited to join with the Men of Opequon (MOO) **tomorrow** at **7:00 PM** for a special presentation in the Opequon Church Cemetery. The local Colonel James Wood, II Chapter of the Sons of the American Revolution will be our guests and will provide a presentation of the colors; a review of the Revolutionary Soldiers buried in the Opequon Cemeteries; a 3-volley black powder salute; and an American Flag Folding Ceremony. Refreshments will be provided in the Fellowship Hall for all in attendance. (In the event of inclement weather, the ceremony will be moved indoors to the Fellowship Hall.)

MOO will meet at **6:00 PM** for dinner at Chick-fil-A, then head to the church.

GLOW: God-loving Opequon Women

GLOW is Opequon's multi-aged Women's group that meets monthly to build friendships and enjoy heart-warming activities together. GLOW meets this **Tuesday (June 9)** for an ICE CREAM SUNDAE night at **6:00 PM** in the Fellowship Hall. Ice Cream and drinks are provided. Women are invited to bring their favorite ice cream topping to share with others. We will play some ICE CREAM BINGO games, with PRIZES of course! We will share some devotions and enjoy each other's company over our ice cream sundaes. We look forward to welcoming Opequon women for a delightful evening together. All Opequon women are invited.

HAPPY DAYS GATHERING

The monthly older adult fellowship time known as 'Happy Days' will be held this **Wednesday, June 10**, at **12:00 noon** in the **PICNIC SHELTER for Strawberry Day**. We will enjoy the beautiful setting of the great outdoors! **BRING YOUR OWN BAG LUNCH. Chilled water AND Strawberry Shortcake Dessert will be provided.** We will be playing some STRAWBERRY BINGO and enjoy some Strawberry Jokes. All older adults are welcome. Come enjoy the friendships, joy around the tables and this pleasant atmosphere.

CONGREGATION-WIDE BUILDING UPDATE – Next Sunday

The Session invites you to a Congregational Gathering to get the latest updates on our proposed building expansion. This informational gathering will be on **Sunday, June 14**, at **11:00 AM** in the Sanctuary, immediately following our 10:00 AM worship service. We look forward to sharing a timeline called, "Steps to Putting a Shovel in the Ground." This gathering will also be available via Zoom and link will be shared in the Tuesday/Friday emails this week and upon request through the church office. Please join us as we together take steps forward in this unfolding vision.

ROOTS & SHOOTS GARDEN UPDATE

The Roots & Shoots Garden continues to thrive, and we are grateful for the many volunteers who help keep it growing and beautiful. Thanks to their dedication, we donated nearly 20 pounds of fresh produce to Highland Food Pantry this past week, helping provide healthy food to members of our community.

As the weather warms up, we are especially looking for volunteers who can help with watering the garden throughout the week. Even a small amount of time can make a big difference in keeping our plants healthy and productive. For other volunteer work such as planting, weeding, or harvesting, we would love to have you join us! We are also in need of some volunteers to help organize some garden items into our empty shed.

If you are interested in getting involved with the garden, please contact Sheyenne Ervin (540-447-6063 or sheyenneervin@gmail.com).

FLAG RETIREMENT OPPORTUNITY

Many of us have a US Flag or two that have outlived their pristine appearance. Yet, we still have them lovingly tucked away. Here is a solution to retire your well-loved Stars and Stripes with dignity... Nick and Ben Jenkins are very active with Scouting America and, during their weeks at summer camp, the Scout Leaders hold a very specific and dignified US flag retirement ceremony as needed. Along with their parents, Austin and Amanda, they have agreed to transport your flags to camp for this ceremony, as a ONE-TIME service to our OPC family. A designated tote will be available in the Gathering Area to receive flags ready for retirement – but only until Flag Day, next **Sunday, June 14**.

FOOD ITEMS NEEDED for VBS

Some items for our upcoming Vacation Bible School meals are needed. See the chart in the Gathering Area to sign up to donate items. The quantity of each item is listed along with the date the item is needed. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Items especially needed are oranges, 100% Juice Pouches, HOMEMADE Cookies, and HOMEMADE Brownies.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL OUTREACH PROJECT

The outreach component for Vacation Bible School this year relates well to our theme of "All Living Things." We will be collecting items for FAMILY PROMISE to help those settling into a new home and we will be collecting items for the SPCA to benefit those animals. The congregation is invited to contribute items along with the VBS families and staff. These are the items we are collecting:

For FAMILY PROMISE – Paper Towels, Toilet Paper, Laundry Detergent, Dish Soap, All-purpose Cleaner, and Small household trashcans.

For the SPCA – Pet toys, small pet beds, dry and wet pet food, washcloths, large dog harnesses, and collars.

Items will be collected through **June 17**. There will be a bin in the Gathering Area for items. If you feel led to donate any of these items, it is greatly appreciated.

WINDSONG SPRING CONCERT INVITATION

Windsong will be celebrating their 5th anniversary with a "Blue Skies & Green Grass" Spring Concert on **June 20**, at **4:00 PM** in the Sanctuary. All are welcome to attend! Light refreshments in the Gathering Area will follow. Free-will offerings appreciated.

ROYALS BASEBALL OUTING FOR THE WHOLE CHURCH!

The Men of Opequon invite all women and men, girls and boys to the Winchester Royals game on **June 25**, at Bridgeforth Stadium in Jim Barnett Park. The cost of entry this year is \$8.00 for adults, \$5.00 for seniors (60+), and \$3.00 for students. Just bring the price of the ticket and money for the **6:00 PM** dinner through concessions at the park. Meet us at the picnic table for dinner, behind home plate. The first pitch is at 7:00 PM. This is the best buy in town! Take me out to the ballgame!

FELLOWSHIP TIMES FOLLOWING WORSHIP THIS SUMMER

Summer is a special season when the rhythm of life changes. This happens at church, too, especially with one worship service at **10:00 AM** for the next three months. Since we have discovered that people often remain to visit and interact following worship during these summer months, we thought it would be nice to have some drinks and snacks available each week. If you and your family, team, group, or several friends are willing to provide simple drinks and snacks, please sign-up for a Sunday on the poster in the Gathering Area marked, "SUMMER SOCIALS." A few Sundays remain. Please lend a hand to bless us during this "time to bloom" and sign-up today.

TRAVEL WITH FLAT JESUS THIS SUMMER!

Every age and stage are invited to choose a "Flat Jesus" picture from the back of the Sanctuary, color, and cut it out. Wherever you go-pool, park, vacation, camp, beach, walk, work, practice, etc., bring along Flat Jesus! Take a picture with Flat Jesus and send it to Rebekah Witt (rwitt@opequonchurch.org) so we can see all the wonderful things you are doing! If you want to print Flat Jesus at home, then please let Rebekah know and she will email you one.

In Remembrance:

Carol Jane Seidel Tubbs

December 13, 1937 - May 31, 2026

*"I am the resurrection and the life," says the Lord.
"Those who believe in me shall live, even though they die,
and whoever lives and believes in me shall never die."*

- John 11:26-26

10:00 AM WORSHIP SERVANTS FOR TODAY

Liturgist: Mac McNichols

Beadle: Ron Smith

Door Greeters: Steve & Heather Burton

Hospitality Greeter: Ron Smith

Building Steward: Jack Marquis

Ushers: Steve Bock, Jim Horner, Mike Butler, Flynn Hall, Jackson Russell, Emily Russell

Acolyte: Flynn Hall

Livestream: Susan Ritter, Max Agbayani

WORSHIP NOTES & REFLECTIONS

Notes on Today's Music

✂ How did today's music witness to the gift of blooming and growth through the Spirit?

Notes on Today's Prayers

✂ Where and for whom do I need to focus my prayers this week?

Notes on Today's Conversation with All Ages

✂ When have you planted a seed and watched it grow into fruit or flower? How did it feel when the seed produced?

Notes on Today's Scripture & Sermon

✂ Where do we witness creation blooming around us?

✂ How can that blooming speak to our growth as Christians and as a community of faith?

✂ What are some things that hold you back from the fruit God wants to grow in your life?

✂ What are you doing to keep in step with God's Spirit?

✂ What do you need to do this week to keep in better step with God's Spirit?

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