



## Order of Worship

\* please stand in body or spirit as you feel led \*

### Welcome & Prayer

### Centering Moment on Christ, Our Light

#### \* Call to Worship

Leader: Bend your knees!

**Response: Bow your heads!**

Leader: The Lord, great and merciful, is coming!

**Response: The Lord, great and merciful, is here!**

Leader: Open your hearts to God.

**Response: Open your arms to God's embrace.**

Leader: For the Messiah calls you by name and claims you as his own.

**Response: O Jesus, we exalt you.**

Leader: Praise Christ, who came as a servant.

**Response: Praise Christ, who was glorified by God.**

Leader: Praise Christ, who reigns as Lord.

**Response: Praise Christ for his infinite love.**

\*Hymn "Ye Servants of God" No. 181

Scripture Reading Philippians 2:1-10

#### Children's Chat

Sharing Joys, Concerns, & Witness

Pastoral Prayer followed by the Lord's Prayer

Offering "Without Him" Choir (8:00)

"You Raise Me Up" Praise (10:30)

\*Dedication "Give Thanks"

Scripture Reading James 4:1-17

\*Hymn "How Great Thou Art" No. 77

Message I Am Great at Being Humble Pastor Heath

Passing the Peace of Christ (10:30)

#### Announcements

\*Hymn "Take My Life, and Let It Be" No. 399

#### \*Benediction

#### Assisting You in Worship Today

Pastor Rev. Heath Wilson

Organist Virginia Wantz

Pianist Carol Hipp

Ministers Everyone

Usher/Greeter Nancy Baker and Jimmy Glass (8:00)

Jim and Rita Allen (10:30)

Lay Reader Pat Chapman (8:00)

Phyllis Kelly (10:30)

Coffee Hour Vicki and Jim Cramer

Nursery Debbie Kimball and Debbie Wivell



## Helpful Information for Guests and Visitors

- **First Time Visitors** are invited to sign the **Welcome Card**. Please place it in the offering plate during the service.
- **Restrooms & Water Fountains** are located beyond the glass double doors and to the right as well as an **elevator lift**.
- **Nursery** is provided during 10:30 service for ages 0-4 (go past the glass double doors and down the Hall to the left, nursery is on the right, Room 5).
- **Rocking Chairs:** Two rocking chairs are now available in the parlor for everyone's use during the services.
- **Coffee Hour:** A time of hospitality and refreshments is offered each Sunday following the 8:00 service in the Fellowship Hall.
- **Communion** is offered on the first Sunday of each month with a Communion Side Offering benefitting worthy causes in the community.
- **Office Hours:** Call or e-mail to arrange a meeting or visit.
- **Fragrance Free:** Please refrain from using perfume and cologne as many in our congregation have sensitivities or asthma and allergies.
- **Prayer Card:** On the reverse side of the **Welcome Card** (located in the pew holders) is a place to share prayer requests with the pastor and/or congregation and/or Intercessory Prayer Group. You may place them in the offering plate or in Pastor Heath's mailbox.

At Tom's Creek, we believe in the power of prayer. We have this list of Tom's Creek members in the bulletin but our intercessory prayer group has an extensive list of people and situations for which our church is praying. Feel free to share your prayers so we can pray for each other and the world.

### PRAYER LIST

#### Recent

Don Thomas

#### Ongoing Health Concerns

Charlie Boller	Dusty Boller	Shirley Boller	Margie Coburn
Linda Fogle	Jimmy Glass	Fred Grimes	Marge Graham
Pat Hines	Pat Hood	Carson Kelly	Lindsey Hoover
Barb Phelps	Jocelyn Wivell	Whitney Jackson	
Dorothy Valentine			

#### Those with Cancer and Their Loved Ones

Nancy Baker    Allen Phelps    Glenn Springer  
Velma Stambaugh

#### Limited to Home or Nursing Facility

Ron Allen    Cassie Wilhide    Margie Valentine

#### Military and Their Families

Steven Clarke    David Trumball    Dakota Houck    DJ Marcelle  
Stuart Crowe    Wayne Wivell    Darren Oerman  
Nathean Stoner

Attendance	Offering	In-Worship YTD
8:00 – 87	Worship: \$2,652.00	Worship: \$130,922.48
10:30 – 67	Mortgage: \$25.00	Mortgage: \$17,937.48
SS – 0	LIFT: \$155.00	LIFT: \$28,297.00

If you would like to give to the church through monetary tithe/ offering and you forgot your checkbook or don't carry cash, you can give electronically. Go to: [www.tomscreekumc.org](http://www.tomscreekumc.org) and you will see a link to the Web Pay page and you can follow the directions from there. Envelopes are also available if you want them—see Neil Price or Virginia Wantz.

### Worship Assistants Next Sunday

Usher/Greeter	Joan and Earl Keller (8:00) Paul and Sharon Koester (10:30)
Communion Assistants	Anita Hill and Linda Myers (8:00) Neil and Trudy Price (10:30)
Lay Reader	Joe Coleman (8:00) Neil Price (10:30)
Coffee Hour	MaryEllen and Dave Shuey
Nursery	Jocelyn Wivell and Teresa Aulthouse

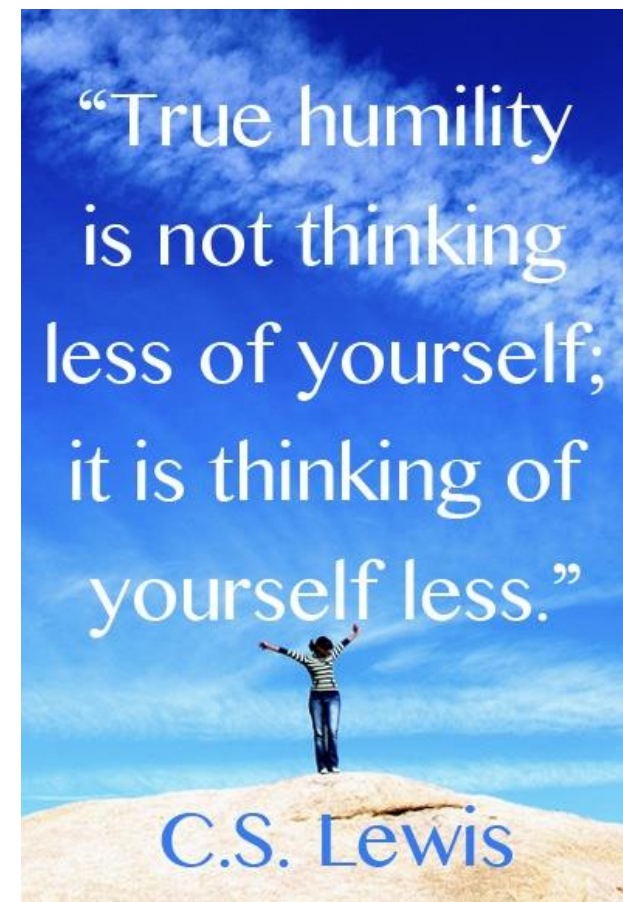
### TCUMC NEWS

- NOW will be collecting gift cards for members of our Church family who can use some extra help at Christmas time. **Please place the cards in the box located in the parlor until December 16<sup>th</sup>.**
- NOW will be collecting toys for Seton Center for families that may need help this Christmas season. Please put your unwrapped toy in the box located in the lobby. A list of toys is on the table in the lobby. **The deadline for donating the toys is December 5th.**
- **Church Directory** – Look for a new updated directory in January 2019. Make any changes necessary in the draft directory on the lobby table.
- Tom's Creek Backpack Ministry with Catocin High School – needs multiple items for their food pantry.
- If you need a ride to a Dr.'s appointment, please call Gail Culp at 301-606-9206. If you can't reach Gail, call Lynn Fraley at 301-712-8788. Please leave a voice mail and someone will call you back.

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- December 9<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Caroling, 12:00 pm. A light lunch will be served.

SCHEDULE THIS WEEK	
<b>TUESDAY</b>	
Intercessory Prayer	9:00 am
Ad Council Meeting	7:00 pm
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	
Decorate the Church	4:00 pm
<b>THURSDAY</b>	
Ladies Bible Study	9:30 am
Faith and Fellowship at Flicks	3:00 pm
An-Anon	7:15 pm
<b>FRIDAY</b>	
McMillans' Concert	7:00 pm



November 25, 2018

8:00 am & 10:30 am  
9:30 am – Sunday School for  
Adults and Children

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