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Welcome to Kent Island United Methodist Church

Thank you for joining us for worship today. If you are a guest today, please fill out Connection Card and drop it in the offering baskets. **Please stop by Fellowship Hall today, between services, to pick up a sweet treat, grab a cup of coffee and catch up with your brothers and sisters in Christ.**

Restrooms

They are open down by Fellowship Hall 107 and handicap accessible are located past the kitchen, down the hall by Fellowship Hall 109. Please ask the ushers for direction.

KIUMC Prayer Chain

During the week, call the church office or send prayer requests to pray@kiumc.org.

Altar Flowers

The flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of my Mom, Lois B. Cheslick's birthday, by Jeanne Hurley. "If you don't believe, you don't receive".

Nursery

Our nursery program is open during our 9:30 and 11:00 AM services. Children, ages infant-4 years old, are welcome.

Children's Chapel

During our 9:30 service. For ages Pre-K through 5th grade. Parents, please pick up your children in room #106 following the service.

Sunday School

New adult studies, Children's and ROOTS at 11 AM. See the monitor by Fellowship Hall for more information.

Last Week's Attendance:

8:00 AM: 47 9:30 AM: 204 11:00 AM: 38 CR: 31

Participating in Today's Service:

Head Usher: Aaron Baxter

Worship Coordinator: Dina Baxter

Music Ministry: Leanne Passmore, Organist

Our Pastors: Rev. Mark Farnell, Senior Pastor

Rev. Darlene Dixon, Pastor of Caring Ministries

Rev. Bob Timms, Pastor of Community Outreach



Our Vision: Growing in Christ. Transforming families. Changing the world!

Our Strategy: Grow up, grow deep, grow out as the body of Jesus Christ.

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Our Vision

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Our Mission Strategy

Grow up, Grow deep. Grow out,
as the body of Jesus Christ

We grow up through worship and prayer.

We grow deep through discipleship
and fellowship.

We grow out through ministry and evangelism.

Welcome to
Kent Island United Methodist Church

September 17, 2023

8:00

We are so happy you are here today!

Please finish all refreshments before entering the Sanctuary.

Please turn off or silence your cell phones.

Thank you.

Prelude Best Be the Tie That Binds Us Together arr. Mark Hayes

Today's Focus: Worship and Praising God are an important part of our life together as a community of faith. In Acts 2, every day they meet together in the temple courts devoted themselves to the teaching and the fellowship with one another. In this scripture, we come to understand what the Holy Spirit did for that community of faith.

- ♦ Call to Worship Apostle's Creed page #881
- ♦ Opening Hymn Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing #400
- ♦ Sharing the Peace Greet one another with the love of Christ.

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Acts 2:42-47 page # 120

Sermon "Our Presence"
Darlene Dixon, Pastor

A Service of Word and Table #12

Invitation, Confession, and Pardon

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.**

Holy Communion How Sweet the Name John M. Rasley

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings*

- ♦ Doxology Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow #95
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**
- ♦ Closing Hymn Onward, Christian Soldiers #575
- ♦ Benediction
- ♦ Postlude Triumphant Finale Thomas Bliss

♦ Please stand or sit as you are able.

*Offerings may also be given:

- 1) at the kiosk in the chapel.
- 2) online at our website (kiumc.org) or
- 3) scan this code using your electronic device to give online.



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Today's Message

"Our Presence"

Scripture

Acts 2:42-47

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