

11:00 a.m. Service – May 2, 2010  
Modern and experientially centered worship

---

**THE PEOPLE GATHER**

---

Welcome and Announcements – *(please sign and pass the friendship pads)*

We begin with the Bible *(Psalm 148:1-5)*

*Raising our voices in thanks and praise:*

♪ They'll Know We are Christians by Our Love – FWS 2223

♪ More Love More Power – PPt

♪ Jesus Loves Me – UMH 191

---

**WE HEAR AND EXPERIENCE GOD'S WORD**

---

A time of centering prayer *(on the screen)*

A reading from the Bible – John 13:31-35

*“The commandment to love”*

Leader: The Word of the Lord **PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD.**

The ministry of giving (prayer of dedication and offering)

The ministry of music

*Following the Ministry of Music, children age five through grade three are invited to go to Children's Church, upstairs in Room #201.*

The message: **“EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE”**

---

**WE RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS**

---

♪ Bind Us Together – FWS 2226

**COMMUNION . . . A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE III . . . . . UMH 15**

*Served in the pews, passing the trays.*

♪ We Will Glorify – FWS 2087

A parting blessing *(on the screen)*

**Singing our benediction** ♪ **Freely, Freely** *(1<sup>st</sup> verse & Refrain)* . . **UMH 389**

Music to energize us as we go to reflect the light of Christ



*Williamsburg  
United  
Methodist  
Church*

**May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2010**

*Welcome* To the **WILLIAMSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH:**

Welcome to worship!

God himself is with us! Let us now adore him! We welcome every worshipper today. May the Holy Spirit fill your hearts to praise the Lord. Praise the Father! Praise the Son! Praise the Holy Spirit! God, three in one! Let us praise the Lord for all the blessings of his grace today.

**PRAYER REQUEST CARDS** – *Are available in the pews and outside the church office. Written prayer requests on the cards may be placed in the plates during the offering. They will be shared in the prayer time later in the service. All prayer concerns are shared with the church by the way of the prayer chain and the weekly bulletin.*

**FRIENDSHIP REGISTER** - Please pass the Friendship pad along your row, so each person can write his/her name, address & e-mail. If you are a guest to our church please fill out the card at the top of the friendship pad, then place it in the offering plate so we can get know you better.

**INFANT & PRE-SCHOOL CARE** (under 5 years of age) is available in room #6, down the hallway from the Worship Center.

**DONATIONS OF NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS** may be placed in the blue tubs at each entrance of the sanctuary / worship center. Distribution is made through the “Emergency Mission” program of the Williamsburg area churches.

📱 Please show courtesy to those worshipping with you by silencing all electronic devices.

May 2, 2010

Welcome to Worship

5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

9:00 a.m. Service

Familiar and historically centered worship

**THE PEOPLE GATHER**

**WORDS OF WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS & FELLOWSHIP**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**PRELUDE** “The King of Love My Shepard Is” Peterson *Acolytes*  
Tune: St. Columba - Traditional Irish Melody

**HYMN – In Christ There Is No East or West** *Please stand if you are able* **UMH 548**

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

**LET US PRAY TOGETHER** *(in unison)*

Your mighty power is always with us, O God, and yet we live as if we were alone. Let this be the hour in which we remember your presence. Change us from a crowd of separate and lonely individuals who experience their own ways, into a united people who are together in seeking your way. And let your love and forgiveness overcome all our doubts, anxieties, and sin, through your son, Jesus Christ. Amen.

**SCRIPTURE** ..... John 13:31-35

*“The commandment to love”*

Leader: The Word of the Lord **PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD.**

**THE OFFERING**

*Your regular giving fulfills the mission and ministry of our church by –*

- *Providing resources in our General Fund, the only revenue source we have for ongoing expenses;*
- *Supporting our District, Regional, Conference, National, and International missions and ministries in partnership with other United Methodist congregations.*

**We give our Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts**

The Offertory “Closer to Thee” Kendall Tune by Vail

The Doxology *(Please stand if you are able)* ..... **UMH 94**

The Prayer of Dedication

**THE MINISTRY OF MUSIC** ..... Chancel Choir  
“Go Ye Into All The World”

*Following the Ministry of Music, **children age five through grade three** are invited to go to Children’s Church, upstairs in Room #201.*

**THE SERMON** ..... “EXPRESSIONS OF LOVE”

**RESPONSES TO THE WORD**

**HYMN** *(seated)* – One Bread, One Body ..... **UMH 620**

**COMMUNION** ... A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE III ..... **UMH 15**  
*Served in the pews, passing trays.*

**HYMN** – They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love ..... **FWS 2223**

*Please stand, if you are able (Acolytes)*  
*At the close of this service there is a time for those who have special prayer needs. You are invited to come to the front pew or to the kneeling step during this closing song. The pastor will meet you there.*

**A BLESSING** *(in unison)*

**Now may God, who does indeed make it possible for us to walk with Christ, continue to bless us with his loving presence, and keep us together in spirit even when we are absent from one another, in the name of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Amen.**

**CHORAL BENEDICTION** .... Freely, Freely (*1<sup>st</sup> verse & Refrain*) ... **UMH 389**

**POSTLUDE** ..... “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name!” Birchwood/Holden

# Schedule of Activities for the Week of

May 2<sup>nd</sup> – May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2010

## **TODAY SUNDAY 2<sup>nd</sup>: 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter**

- 9:00 a.m. Worship: Traditional
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 10:00 a.m. Pastor's Coffee in Chapel (See item #1)
- 11:00 a.m. Worship: Contemporary
- 12:00 a.m. Sing-a-Long Gang rehearsal in Worship Center
- 7:00 p.m. SoulFire Youth Ministries in the Youth Room

**MONDAY 3<sup>rd</sup>:** 6:00 p.m. Tigers (1<sup>st</sup> graders) den leader Tisha Miller in room #208  
- 7:00 p.m. Webelos (4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> grades) den leaders Melissa Collins & Tisha Miller room #205  
- 7:00 p.m. Wolves (2<sup>nd</sup> graders) den leader Rachel Amiot in room #201  
- 7:00 p.m. – **Community Prayer Service:** Held at the Trinity Christian Fellowship, 3730 Cobb Road.

**TUESDAY 4<sup>th</sup>:** 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Senior Citizens Meeting in Fellowship Hall  
- 7:00 p.m. Williamsburg Garden Club Plant Auction in Fellowship Hall (see item #10)

**WEDNESDAY 5<sup>th</sup>:** 10:00 a.m. Bible Study in Parlor Topic: Joseph Reveals Himself (Genesis 45).  
- 2:30 p.m. Tutoring in Fellowship Hall.  
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice in the Worship Center.  
- 7:00 p.m. Wolves (2<sup>nd</sup> graders) den leader Phil Barth in room #208  
- 7:00 p.m. Bears (3<sup>rd</sup> graders) den leader Julie Robinson in room #205

**THURSDAY 6<sup>th</sup>:** Last day for bulletin information to be turned into the office for this week  
- 2:30 p.m. Quilting Ministry in Family Consumer Science Room of the High School.  
- 2:30 p.m. Tutoring in Fellowship Hall.  
- 7:30 p.m. Rising Tides Practice in Worship Center

## **NEXT SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup>: 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter** MOTHERS DAY

- 9:00 a.m. Worship: Traditional
- 10:00 a.m. Classes and Groups
- 11:00 a.m. Worship: Contemporary
- 12:00 a.m. Sing-a-Long Gang rehearsal in Worship Center
- 7:00 p.m. SoulFire Youth Ministries in the Youth Room

**(1) RECENT GUESTS AND VISITORS ARE INVITED TO A PASTOR'S COFFEE:** at the Williamsburg United Methodist Church on Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> at 10:00 a.m. in the Chapel. This is a casual and informal time of conversation and getting to know one another.

**(2) HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:** The United Methodist Women would like to know of any high school graduates associated with the Williamsburg United Methodist Church. We would appreciate you letting Juanita Thornberry (732-2048) know as soon as possible.



**(3) VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: Sunday, June 27<sup>th</sup> – Thursday, July 1<sup>st</sup> starting at 6:30 p.m. – 8:45 p.m.**

### **"Backstage With The Bible"**

Will take you to the ultimate "concert" experience each day to worship and sing with the Go Fish Guys! After that, it's time to go backstage, tour a recording studio, and most importantly - **learn about the Bible!**

We will have a great time learning the books of the Bible, the ten commandments, and how to be saved by grace through faith...and that's all just in the first few minutes of singing each day! Our goal with this Vacation Bible School is to clearly present the gospel of Jesus Christ while having as much fun as humanly possible. **It's time to put the BIBLE back into Vacation Bible School!**

**(4) YOUNG ADULT/FAMILY MINISTRIES KICK-OFF:** Several of the families with younger children and teens are interested in forming a network and a place for all of us to gather for growing in our faith through relationships and fellowship. Understanding that all families have more to do than there are hours in the day, we plan to begin by meeting for lunch after church on Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Louiso's will be cooking burgers and hot dogs. If you are able -- bring a drink or side dish to share. If not -- join us for lunch anyhow! We will be talking about future plans and possibilities. Bring the entire family!

**(5) WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETING:** Will meet on Monday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. Dorothy Hall will have devotions.

**(6)** I am looking for solo or group performances to fill our worship services during the summer months. If you are interested in singing, playing or any other idea, please contact me, Jill Oetzel, and arrange when you would like to perform. If you are having difficulty picking a song, finding music to your song, or need anything else, please do not hesitate to call me and we will go from there. My cell is 513-532-3902. Thanks so much! Jill

**(7) HUNGER WALK:** Will be **Memorial Day May 31<sup>st</sup>**. Hold the date and plan to walk with us to earn credit with the Freestore Foodbank for our Emergency Mission. The bus will be leaving at 7:00 a.m. from Williamsburg United Methodist Church. Check out details on Freestore Foodbank website [www.freestorefoodbank.org](http://www.freestorefoodbank.org)

**(8) ISRAEL 2011 "JESUS IN THE GALILEE":** Jim and Tracy Taylor are organizing a trip to the Holy Land in February 2011. This is a 10-day spiritual pilgrimage spending time along the Sea of Galilee, Jerusalem and places that were part of Jesus' ministry. Price includes, airfare, hotels, 2 buffet meals a day, motor coach, entrance fees etc. Price is all-inclusive except for lunch, gifts and love offering. For further information contact Jim or Tracy Taylor at 724-3368 or at [tletaylor@fuse.net](mailto:tletaylor@fuse.net)

**(9) EMERGENCY MISSION:** Our needs at present are personal care items and jello.

**(10) WILLIAMSBURG GARDEN CLUB PLANT AUCTION:** Tuesday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at 7:00 p.m. in the Williamsburg United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Williamsburg Garden Club Members and friends will bring annuals, perennials, hanging baskets, herbs, ornamental grasses, hostas, daylilies, shrubs, young trees & other related items. Refreshments will be served. Proceeds are used for Civic Beautification in Williamsburg.

**(11) MINISTRY UPDATE** – April 25<sup>th</sup>, 2010

Classes and Groups (Children 13, Youth 6, Adult, 62)	81 Average YTD 76
9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. Worship Services (84+58)	156 Average YTD 156
SoulFire Student Ministry Youth 16	
Received last week for the Budget: \$ 4,383.50	
Received last week for other purposes: \$ 100.00	
Received for the Budget YTD: \$ 64,495.50	
Budget Expenses YTD: \$ 71,691.67	

**Christ's Kitchen Table is the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month:**  
**SIGN – UP SHEETS ARE IN THE LOBBY TO HELP WITH CHIRST'S KITCHEN**  
**TABLE Everyone is welcome to come eat and fellowship.**

**1) Menu Planning, Shopping and Cooking:**

Brenda Jones 732-6529 email: [bhjones76@yahoo.com](mailto:bhjones76@yahoo.com)  
 Nancy Pontz 723-7138 email: [nancypontz@hotmail.com](mailto:nancypontz@hotmail.com)

**2) Set up and Clean up:**

Bill & Dorothy Lewis 509-6895 email: [dorothylewis@fuse.net](mailto:dorothylewis@fuse.net)

**3) Serving Meals:**

Brenda Jones 732-6529 email: [bhjones76@yahoo.com](mailto:bhjones76@yahoo.com)

**4) Greeters and Friendly Chatters:**

Rita Abrams 724-2720 email: [rgraves7@juno.com](mailto:rgraves7@juno.com)

---

**TODAY'S SERVANTS AND HELPER**

---

	9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Greeters:	Rosemary Malott George (Red) Simpson & Bob Hancock	
Ushers:	Bill (Pete) & Tayler Cooper Phil & Mary Boyd	
Worship Leader:	Guy Bainum	Doug Chalker
Liturgist:	Jim Weaver	Kent Royer
<b>Nursery Helpers:</b>		<b>Allison Butler</b>
Junior Church: Children age 5 through 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade are invited to go upstairs to <u>Room # 201:</u> <b>SoulFire Student Ministries</b>		

---

Flowers for Worship are in honor of My Church Family given by JoAnn Shiveley

---



**WILLIAMSBURG UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

330 Gay Street Williamsburg OH 45176-1335  
 (513) 724-6305 . . . . . Office  
 (513) 724-6318 . . . . . FAX  
**office@williamsburgumc.com** . . . . . Email  
 www.williamsburgumc.com . . . . . Website

Senior Pastor . . . . . Rev. Duane Kemerley . . . . . [pastor@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:pastor@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Interim Youth Director . . . . . Lisa Smith . . . . . [Smile\\_1207@hotmail.com](mailto:Smile_1207@hotmail.com)  
 Secretaries . . . . . Elma Bainum . . . . . [ebainum@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:ebainum@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Cindy Gregory . . . . . [cgregory@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:cgregory@williamsburgumc.com)

**Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Tuesday through Friday**

Director of Music . . . . . Jill Oetzel . . . . . [joetzel@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:joetzel@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Organist . . . . . Ruth White  
 Praise Band Director . . . . . John Houchin . . . . . [jhouchin@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:jhouchin@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Nursery Caregiver . . . . . Hannah Bainum . . . . . [hbainum@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:hbainum@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Lay Leader . . . . . Bill Lewis . . . . . [layleader@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:layleader@williamsburgumc.com)  
 Pastor Emeritus . . . . . Rev. Bob Parr . . . . . [bparr@williamsburgumc.com](mailto:bparr@williamsburgumc.com)

**WILLIAMSBURG EMERGENCY MISSION**

Tuesdays, Wednesday, & Fridays, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.



**Week of May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2010**

**WE JOIN TOGETHER IN PRAYER:**

**Confess your trespasses to one another, and pray for one another, that you may be healed. The effective, fervent prayer of a righteous person avails much. James 5:16**

**PRAYER FOCUS:**

Jim Fee  
Gary & Cindy Felts: Nick  
Shirley Fee  
Dana & Michelle Fender: Patrick, Harry  
*Join us as we pray our way through the membership of the congregation.  
Some week, it will be you.*

**BEREAVEMENT:**

The church extends prayers and heartfelt sympathy to **Josh & Missi Brown & Family** on the death of, Josh's uncle, Phil Brown. Phil died on *Tuesday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010*

**CURRENT CONCERNS and UPDATES:**

**JoAnn Shiveley** – recuperating at home

**PRAYER REQUESTS:** (From Prayer Cards, Online Sources, etc.)

For **Derik Dwyer** submitted by Hannah Bainum  
For **Faye Robins** (Bill Hurdle's aunt) submitted by Bill Hurdle  
For **Lawrence & Mary Robke** (parents of Lauren Harvey) submitted by Lauren Harvey  
For **John Hartzell & family** submitted by Deb Chalker  
For **Mary Ellen Wines & family** submitted by Deb Kemerley  
For **Cindy Felts** (Elma Bainum's niece) submitted by Elma Bainum  
For the **Family of Matthew Scott Foster** submitted by Richard & Jennifer Kuykendall  
For **Kenny Craig** (grandfather of Kenny Barth) submitted by Kenny Barth

**ON GOING CONCERNS LONG TERM:**

Will & Wade Lytle    Betty & Bob Lykins    Jessie Abrams    Jeff Fite  
Marilyn Whiteman    Gene & Ruby Wilson    Jerry Burger    Mark Woll  
Denny Spencer    Shirley Adams    Jerry Smith    Nancy Weaver Hall  
Derik Dwyer    Faye Robins (Bill Hurdle's aunt)    Lawrence & Mary Robke (parents of Lauren Harvey)  
Rod & Elaine Young (JD's father & mother)    Don Bennett (Marge McCollum's brother)  
Bill Mangus (Tonya Overstake's Uncle)    Linda Henderson (Jerry Mursinna's mother)  
Charlene Putt (Shawn Stricklin's cousin)    Barry Jordan (Gary Jordan's brother, Donna Boothby's cousin)

**THANK YOU**

I was so pleased with all who came to help make my 80<sup>th</sup> birthday such a memorable occasion. Thanks and God Bless! Govel Thornberry

Dear Church Family,

Thank you for all your cards, e-mails and carepages they helped me get through everything. This is a nice building but the wonderful people inside makes it a caring and loving church. I am a walking, talking example of "Answered Prayers". I love each and everyone of you. HE heard you! Thank you all. JoAnn Shiveley

**NURSING HOMES AND HEALTH CARE CENTERS:**

Eleanor Piffer - Eastgate Spring of Cincinnati Health Care Center  
Lloyd Frodge (Don Frodge's Father) - Locust Ridge Nursing Home

**RETIREMENT CENTERS:**

Bill McManus – Eastgate Village  
Geneva Carter (Dave Carter's Mother) - Eastgate Village  
May Marshall - Eastgate Village  
Helen Frazee - Eastgate Village

**OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN WHO ARE NOW SERVING IN THE ARMED FORCES:**

A1C Patrick Fender    patch\_fender@yahoo.com    Air Force  
6111 Randall Ave 248-14, FE Warren    AFB-WY    82005

Capt. David McCollum    Army    Ft. Leonard Wood, MO  
137 Sawmill Road, St. Robert, MO 65584

SRA Stephen Jordan    Stephen.jordan1@Barksdale.AF.Mil    Air Force  
4001 Stewart Ave. Bossier City, LA 71112

SSgt Mark Gatch    Marine Corp  
12058 McClintock Ct., Albany, Ga. 31705

SPC Donald Lawrence    Army  
585 MP CO APO AE 09396

PFC Fisher, Erik T.    Marine Corp  
UIC BEEEST 3-10, MCES PSC Box 20069, Camp Le Jeune, NC 28542-0069

**Pray for our service men and women as they leave the military to go back to civilian life.**