



# Cheltenham United Methodist Church

THE LITTLE CHURCH WITH THE BIG HEART

Sunday, August 24, 2025

10am



**Worship with via Zoom**

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**Sunday, August 24, 2025  
(11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost)**

**GATHERING**

WELCOME

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

With great rejoicing we come to the house of the Lord today!

**God is our refuge and our stronghold.**

The power and love of God flow through this gathering.

**We place our whole trust in God's mighty compassion for us.**

Come, let us worship the Lord!

**Let us celebrate the presence of God here in this place and in all our lives.**

**AMEN.**

PRAYER

**Lord God, whose power and mercy have extended to all ends of creation,  
pour your love on us this day that we might be healed and be made ready  
to serve you by serving others in this world that you have created.**

**In Jesus' Name, we pray.**

**AMEN.**

+HYMN

"Maker, in Whom We Live"

UMH 88

*Words: Charles Wesley, 1747*

*Music: George J. Elvey, 1868*

*Tune: DIADEMATA*

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Maker, in whom we live,  
in whom we are and move,  
the glory, power, and praise receive  
for thy creating love.

Let all the angel throng  
give thanks to God on high,  
while earth repeats the joyful song  
and echoes to the sky.

Incarnate Deity,  
let all the ransomed race  
render in thanks their lives to thee  
for thy redeeming grace.  
The grace to sinners showed  
ye heavenly choirs proclaim,  
and cry, "Salvation to our God,  
salvation to the Lamb!"

Spirit of Holiness,  
let all thy saints adore  
thy sacred energy,  
and bless thine heart-renewing power.  
No angel tongues can tell  
thy love's ecstatic height,  
the glorious joy unspeakable,  
the beatific sight.

Eternal, Triune God,  
let all the hosts above,  
let all on earth below record  
and dwell upon thy love.  
When heaven and earth are fled  
before thy glorious face,  
sing all the saints thy love hath made  
thine everlasting praise.

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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.**

+HYMN

"Nearer, My God, to Thee"

UMH 528

*Words: Sarah F. Adams, 1841 (Gen. 28:10-22)*

*Music: Lowell Mason, 1856*

*Tune: BETHANY*

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Nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!  
E'en though it be a cross that raiseth me,  
still all my song shall be,  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Though like the wanderer, the sun gone down,  
darkness be over me, my rest a stone;  
yet in my dreams I'd be  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

There let the way appear, steps unto heaven;  
all that thou sendest me, in mercy given;  
angels to beckon me  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Then, with my waking thoughts bright with thy praise,  
out of my stony griefs Bethel I'll raise;  
so by my woes to be  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

Or if, on joyful wing cleaving the sky,  
sun, moon, and stars forgot, upward I fly,  
still all my song shall be,  
nearer, my God, to thee;  
nearer, my God, to thee, nearer to thee!

## PROCLAIMING THE WORD

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON  
NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Jeremiah 1:4-10  
Luke 13:10-17

SERMON

“Standing Straight”

Rev. Daein Park

## RESPONSE TO THE WORD

+OFFERTORY

“Let Us Break Bread Together”

UMH 618

+DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise God all creatures here below.  
Praise God above ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.*

OFFERTORY PRAYER

## GOING FORTH

+HYMN

“I Surrender All”

UMH 354

*Words: J. W. Van Deventer, 1896*

*Music: W. S. Weeden, 1896*

*Tune: SURRENDER*

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All to Jesus I surrender;  
all to him I freely give;  
I will ever love and trust him,  
in his presence daily live.

*Refrain*

*I surrender all, I surrender all,  
all to thee, my blessed Savior,  
I surrender all.*

All to Jesus I surrender;  
humbly at his feet I bow,  
worldly pleasures all forsaken;  
take me, Jesus, take me now.

*Refrain*

All to Jesus I surrender;  
make me, Savior, wholly thine;  
fill me with thy love and power;  
truly know that thou art mine.

*Refrain*

All to Jesus I surrender;  
Lord, I give myself to thee;  
fill me with thy love and power;  
let thy blessing fall on me.

*Refrain*

All to Jesus I surrender;  
now I feel the sacred flame.  
O the joy of full salvation!  
Glory, glory, to his name!

*Refrain*

+BENEDICTION

## ***Upcoming Events***

### **Monday, August 25, 2025**

Monday Methodists 9am

Knitting Circle 10am

### **Wednesday, August 27, 2025**

Pastor's Office Hour 2pm-4pm

### **Thursday, August 28, 2025**

Pastor's Office Hour 10pm-12noon

Senior Luncheon 12noon

*\*If you need to connect with the pastor for a meeting, you can send an email to [cumcpastorpark@gmail.com](mailto:cumcpastorpark@gmail.com) or give him a call at 202-802-4302*

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### **Sunday, September 28, 2025**

Homecoming Day (Guest Preacher: Rev. Dr. David Thayer)

### **Saturday, October 18, 2025**

Church Conference (with the churches in the hub) 9am

Providence-Fort Washington UMC - 10610 Old Fort Rd, Fort Washington, MD 20744

## SCRIPTURE LESSONS

**Jeremiah 1:4-10 NRSV** • <sup>4</sup> Now the word of the LORD came to me saying, <sup>5</sup> “Before I formed you in the womb I knew you, and before you were born I consecrated you; I appointed you a prophet to the nations.” <sup>6</sup> Then I said, “Ah, Lord GOD! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I am only a boy.” <sup>7</sup> But the LORD said to me, “Do not say, ‘I am only a boy,’ for you shall go to all to whom I send you, and you shall speak whatever I command you. <sup>8</sup> Do not be afraid of them, for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD.” <sup>9</sup> Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth, and the LORD said to me, “Now I have put my words in your mouth. <sup>10</sup> See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms, to pluck up and to pull down, to destroy and to overthrow, to build and to plant.”

**Luke 13:10-17 NRSV** • <sup>10</sup> Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the Sabbath. <sup>11</sup> And just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up straight. <sup>12</sup> When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, “Woman, you are set free from your ailment.” <sup>13</sup> When he laid his hands on her, immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. <sup>14</sup> But the leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the Sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, “There are six days on which work ought to be done; come on those days and be cured and not on the Sabbath day.” <sup>15</sup> But the Lord answered him and said, “You hypocrites! Does not each of you on the Sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from the manger and lead it to water? <sup>16</sup> And ought not this woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long years, be set free from this bondage on the Sabbath day?” <sup>17</sup> When he said this, all his opponents were put to shame, and the entire crowd was rejoicing at all the wonderful things being done by him.