

*We are called by Jesus Christ
to worship, make disciples, and serve.*

May 3, 2026

Traditional

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Welcome

Kathy Whitson

Prelude

Gary Lushbaugh – Music Director

*Call to Worship (Psalm 31:1, 3-5 adapted from The Message)

We run to you, O God, we run for dear life.

You are our cave to hide in! We have put our whole life in your hands!

You will never let us down!

*Hymn of Praise

“Lift High the Cross”

UMH 159

Prayer of the Day

The Prayer of St. Francis

UMH 481

Anthem

“Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled”

arr. O. Speaks

Chancel Choir

New Testament Lesson

Acts 7:55-60

But filled with the Holy Spirit, he gazed into heaven and saw the glory of God and Jesus standing at the right hand of God. “Look,” he said, “I see the heavens opened and the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God!” But they covered their ears, and with a loud shout all rushed together against him. Then they dragged him out of the city and began to stone him, and the witnesses laid their coats at the feet of a young man named Saul. While they were stoning Stephen, he prayed, “Lord Jesus,

receive my spirit.” Then he knelt down and cried out in a loud voice,
“Lord, do not hold this sin against them.” When he had said this, he died.

Message “Taking a Stand” Rev. Dr. Robert Clipp

*Hymn of Response “Ask Ye What Great Thing I Know” UMH 163

Offering our Best to God

Offertory

*Doxology “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 94

*Prayer of Dedication

Let us pray: **Lord, you make a way when we cannot see where we are going. Jesus guides us to the way, the truth, and the life and calls us to trust deeply, welcoming warmly, and offer grace freely. Our gifts today represent our desire to live in generosity rather than fear and in hope rather than judgement. Use our lives and fortunes to make you better known and loved within our community and around the world. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.**

*Communion Hymn “One Bread, One Body” UMH 620

Holy Communion

*Hymn of Commitment “Because He Lives” UMH 364

*Blessing

Postlude



Also serving the community in worship:

Ushers – Angela Gaskin & Barbara Thompson

Acolytes – Josh Klemm & Faith Klemm

Communion – Cheryl Stephens & Mary Smith

Tech Support – Jacob Smith (XP), Winston Bain & Hannah Warren (11:00),
Cheryl Kempler (ZOOM)

Counting Team – Cheryl Kempler, Joyce Kraft, Anita Obinger

Children’s Sunday School Facilitator – Karen Warren

Adult Studies Facilitator – Sue Garrison

Known Prayer Concerns Within the Congregation

<i>Insiders</i>	<i>Special Concerns & Recovering</i>
<i>Shirley Curtain, Dottie DeCarlo, Helen Fringo, Robert Lentz, Jackie Potter, Mary Foster, Betty Conrad, Edna Halcott, Florence Littleton, Gloria Marks</i>	<i>Marvin Gyr Cheryl Welsh</i>

Use this space for your personal prayers

We want to know about the gift of your presence with us today. Please take a moment to sign the friendship pad found in each pew.

Visiting today? We are so happy that you chose to worship with us. If you have any questions about our missions, ministries, or outreach opportunities, any of our members would be glad to answer them! If you did not receive a Welcome Packet when you came in, please ask for one as you leave today to learn more about our church.

Interested in membership? If the Spirit is moving you to make a commitment to Camp Chapel with your prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness, please contact the church office: 410-256-5561 or office@campchapel.org.

Camp Chapel's
MUSIC APPRECIATION
SUNDAY

Join us in the Fellowship Hall
12 noon on Sunday, May 24th!



For donations for Chancel
& Bell Choirs, please use
the attached envelope on bulletin!
Please place in collection plate, give
to the counting team or put in the office mailbox. **Thank you!**



Pastor Carol's Retirement Party

Sunday, June 14th | 12Noon

Gary Lushbaugh's 40th Anniversary Celebration

Sunday, September 6th | 12Noon

*Save
the
Date*



CCUMC FLOWER & PLANT SALE



Saturday, May 9th
Mother's Day Weekend
9:00am - 1:00pm

Bring color & life to your home with beautiful flowers, herbs & gifts for the season.

Back by popular demand ~ Tropical plants will be available again this year!

Preview samples between services - Sunday, May 3rd.

LOCATION

Side Parking Lot
(Rain Location: Fellowship Hall)

PRE-ORDER AVAILABLE

Order forms available at all Sanctuary entrances & in the Chapel.
Submit forms with payment by mail or in the offering plate.
Credit card: Pat Ryan - 410-456-8147

OR SHOP THE DAY OF THE SALE

Cash, check ("Flower Sale") or credit card accepted.

ORDER DEADLINE: **Sunday, May 3rd,
TODAY! (no exceptions)**

QUESTIONS?

Tammy Stipek - 443-386-7297 or trstipek@outlook.com
Pat Ryan - 410-456-8147 or pryan21236@comcast.net



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!

UPCOMING EVENTS

COMMUNITY SHREDDING DAY

- **Sat, May 16 • 10am–12pm** \$10/box • No need to remove staples • Volunteers ready to help **Contact:** *Lisa Dziuk*
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INDOOR VENDOR EVENT

- **Sat, May 23 • 9am–2pm** — Fellowship Hall
 - Reserve your space:  *Jackie Brawn* — 410-652-2776
 -  jackiebrawn@gmail.com
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COMMUNITY YARD SALE

- **Sat, June 6 • 8am–1pm** *Rain Date: June 13*
- \$25 per space • Register online
-  *Barbara Thompson* — 443-823-7700
-  barbara7916@msn.com



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED (6am–2pm!)


- *Removing items from shed and table set-up*
- *Vendor assistance • Parking • Cleanup*


Your help makes a huge difference!

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS

- **June 7 – Aug 30** Teach or assist once a month
- Contact: *Angela Gaskin* — agaskin5525@gmail.com

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL — The Armor of God

- **July 7–9 • 6–8pm**
- **Closing Party: July 11 • 1:30–3pm**
- A fun, faith-filled adventure for ages 3–10
- Registration opens June 1  campchapel.org

<i>THIS WEEK AT CCUMC</i>							
Sun 5/3	Mon 5/4	Tue 5/5	Wed 5/6	Thu 5/7	Fri 5/8	Sat 5/9	Sun 5/10
<p>9:15a Sunday Hospitality</p> <p>9:30a Sunday School</p> <p>9:30a Bible Study</p>	<p>7:30p Bell Choir Rehearsal</p>	<p>6p Windsor Condo</p> <p>6:30p Circle of Sisters</p> <p>7p Trustees</p>	<p>11a J.O.Y.</p> <p>7p Band of Brothers</p>	<p>7:30p Chancel Choir Rehearsal</p>		 <p><i>9m-1p Annual Flower & Plant Sale</i></p>	<p><i>HAPPY Mother's Day</i></p> <p>9:15a Sunday Hospitality</p> <p>9:30a Sunday School</p> <p>9:30a Bible Study</p>



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