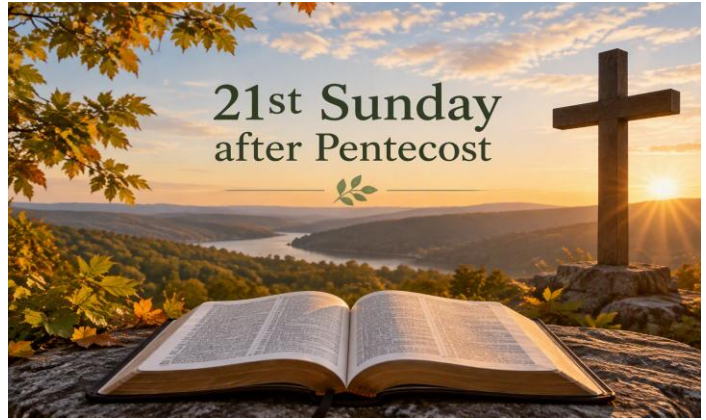




October 18, 2026, Traditional 21st Sunday After Pentecost

*Hymn of Praise “O How I Love Jesus” UMH 170

Opening Prayer

Let us pray, Holy God, you are deserving of the very best we have to offer — the devotion of our hearts, the place of honor in our priorities, the first fruits of our labors. We enter this place and space of worship, asking you to be in our midst, to speak your message of love and mercy, conviction and challenge to us. We welcome your Spirit, knowing that in so doing, we abandon control and open ourselves in faith and trust to your purposes and plan, rather than our own. Come, Creator, Redeemer, and Sustainer, we pray. Amen.

Anthem

“Offertory”

J.N. Beck

Chancel Choir

*Gospel Lesson

Matthew 22:15-22

Then the Pharisees went and plotted to entrap him in what he said. So they sent their disciples to him, along with the Herodians, saying, “Teacher, we know that you are sincere, and teach the way of God in accordance with truth, and show deference to no one, for you do not regard people with partiality. Tell us, then, what you think. Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar or not?” But Jesus, aware of their malice, said, “Why are you putting me to the test, you hypocrites? Show me the coin used for the tax.” And they brought him a denarius. Then he said to them, “Whose head is this and whose title?” They answered, “Caesar’s.” Then he said to them, “Give therefore to Caesar the things that are Caesar’s and to God the things that are God’s.” When they heard this, they were amazed, and they left him and went away.

Message “It’s Not About the Taxes” Rev. Melissa McDade

*Hymn of Response “Near to the Heart of God” UMH 472

Offering our Finest Gifts to God

Offertory “Sarabande” J.S. Bach

*Doxology “Give Thanks” TFWS 2036

*Prayer of Dedication

Let us pray: **Gracious God, you have given us more than we could ask for or ever repay. You have blessed us with your love and filled our lives with your grace. Take now this offering of our hearts and our lives, that they may be used to do you will here on earth. Amen.**

Sharing our Lives Winston Bain

Community Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer

*Closing Hymn “God of Grace and God of Glory” UMH 577

*Blessing

Postlude “We Praise Thee” W.D. Armstrong

*Please rise in body or spirit.

UMH – The United Methodist Hymnal (hard cover)

TFWS – The Faith We Sing Hymnal Supplement (black softcover)

W&S – Worship & Song Hymnal Supplement (green softcover)

Also serving the community today:

Ushers – Allen Zink & Marge Brown

Acolyte – Luke McDonold & Faith Klemm

Communion/Baptism Stewards – Cheryl Stephens & Mary Smith

Tech Team – 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

Prayer Concerns

*Use this space to note today's prayer requests for your personal
prayer time.*

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

Known Prayer Concerns Within the Congregation

Insiders	Recently Bereaved	Special Concerns & Recovering
Dottie DeCarlo Helen Fringo Robert Lentz Jackie Potter Mary Foster Betty Conrad Edna Halcott Gloria Marks		Caregivers Marvin Gyr Florence Littleton Cheryl Welsh

THIS WEEK AT CCUMC

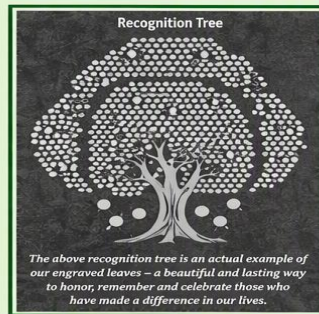
Sun 10/18	Mon 10/19	Tue 10/20	Wed 10/21	Thu 10/22	Fri 10/23	Sat 10/24	Sun 10/25
9:30am Sunday School	6:30pm Circle Of Sisters	7:00pm Band Of Brothers		10-11am Fitness Class Hall		6pm (Zoom) Film Seminar “Unforgiven”	9:30am Sunday School  2-4pm Pumpkin Painting



Recognition Tree



Starting **October 1st** we will be selling leaves from our **Recognition Tree** in the back of the Narthex. This will be an opportunity for a remembrance in honor, memory, or recognition of our loved ones. The fundraiser will continue till the **end of December** at which time all dedication forms will be sent in for engraving. Each leaf will hold 20 characters per line including letters, spaces & punctuation. Dedications are available for **\$250 each leaf**. Forms will be available at the entrances to the church and from the office. Please make all checks out to **Camp Chapel UMC**. Turn around time will take about 2-3 weeks from the time the company receives them. The engraved leaf will replace the blank leaf so that the tree will always look complete.



100% of the proceeds go back into our funds so please consider honoring those who have made a lasting impression in your life.



Pumpkin Painting
Sunday, October 25
2:00- 4:00pm
Fellowship Hall

Free Event – All supplies are provided – Refreshments too!

Register on our website beginning October 1st.

There are a limited number of spaces available so please register early.

SAVE ♦THE♦ DATE

Pumpkin Painting

Fall Tea

Honoring Our Veterans

Holiday Bazaar

Christmas Music Concert

Gingerbread House Event

Live Nativity

Sunday, October 25

Saturday, November 7

Sunday, November 8

Saturday, November 21

Sunday, December 6

Saturday, December 12

Saturday, December 19

Camp Chapel's church conference date is set for November 7th, at 9:00 am
at Hiss UMC ([8700 Harford Rd, Baltimore, MD 21234](https://www.google.com/maps/place/8700+Harford+Rd,+Baltimore,+MD+21234/@39.285,-76.615,15z)).



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