

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST AUGUST 2, 2026 COMMUNION SUNDAY		
CENTERING VIDEO	"Ancient Words"	
OPENING WORDS: Isaiah 55: 1-5		
*OPENING HYMN	"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"	UMH 139
WELCOME	Pastor Scott Clawson	
CALL TO WORSHIP <i>You open wide Your hand</i> The Lord is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love. The Lord is good to all; he has compassion on all he has made. The Lord upholds all who fall and lifts up all who are bowed down. The eyes of all look to you, and you give them their food at the proper time. You open your hand and satisfy the desires of every living thing. The Lord is righteous in all his ways and faithful in all he does. The Lord is near to all who call on him, to all who call on him in truth. He fulfills the desires of those who fear him; he hears their cry and saves them. The Lord watches over all who love him, but all the wicked he will destroy. My mouth will speak in praise of the Lord. Let every creature praise his holy name for ever and ever.		
*HYMN	"Come, Thou Almighty King"	UMH 61
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE		
PRAYER OF CONFESSION & WORDS OF ASSURANCE HOLY COMMUNION & THE LORD’S PRAYER		
OLD TESTAMENT READING: Genesis 32: 22-31 The Word of God for the People of God. Thanks be to God		
SERMON	"Everybody’s Wrestling"	Pastor Scott Clawson
*HYMN	"The Gift of Love"	UMH 408
BENEDICTION & PRAYER OF DEDICATION		
RESPONSE	"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	UMH 95

9:30 AM WORSHIP LEADERS	11:00 AM WORSHIP LEADERS
Acolyte: David Knight	Acolyte: Ben Hanson
Lay Reader: Susan Smith	Lay Reader: Kate Hanson
Ushers: Melinda McCollum	Ushers: Margie Matz
Name Bade Lead: Open (see pastor if interested)	Name Badge Lead: Patty Robinson

NMUMC by the Numbers: July 26, 2026
8:15 AM: 20 9:30 AM: 40 11:00 AM: 55 Online: 16 Nursery: 4

Total Offering: \$6,497.40 *Regular Offering:* \$5,282.44*
Food Pantry: \$100.00 Hope4Kids: \$105.00
Misc., Eagle Scout Project: \$50.00 New Ministry Center: \$410.00
Organ Fund: \$300.00 Outreach, Hess Family: \$50.00
Pastor's Discretionary Fund: \$200.00
**Amount Needed to Meet Weekly Budget: \$5,862.53*

Church Meetings
Sunday August 2: VBS Setup – 1:00 PM – All Church Grounds
(only if necessary. See VBS leader for more info)
Tuesday, August 4: Trustees Meeting – 6:00 PM – ED Building
Thursday, August 6: Eagle Scout Project - 8 AM-5 PM - Cemetery
Monday, August 3 - Friday, August 7: Vacation Bible School – All Church Grounds
Friday, August 7: VBS Ice Cream/Peach Social – 8:00 PM – Schoolhouse
(setup begins at 6:45 PM)
Sunday, August 9: VBS Celebration: Both Services in the Sanctuary

Save the Date: Mount Airy Hub Summer Picnic | Sunday August 16 from 5:00 to 7:00 PM at Old National Pike Mt Airy, MD 21772 (Shelter One)
Burgers, hot dogs, buns and drinks will be provided. Bring a side dish or a dessert to share—and your singing voice! We'll share a meal and sing some hymns together.
Come get to know the members of the Mount Airy Hub (Araby, Frederick, MD; Calvary, Mount Airy, MD* (Hub Leader); Clarksburg, Clarksburg, MD; Flint Hill, Adamstown, MD; Ijamsville, Ijamsville, MD; Marvin Chapel, Mount Airy, MD; Mount Carmel, Frederick, MD; New Market, New Market, MD; Prospect, Mount Airy, MD; and Wesley Chapel, Frederick, MD.)

Daily Devotions Starting August 3rd

Monday (8/3)- Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28

Have you ever been overcome with jealousy? How did you handle it? If you handled it poorly, consider confessing your misstep to the Lord.

Tuesday (8/4)- Psalm 105: 1-6, 16-22, 45b

Are there instances in history that you can recall when God sent a chosen person to navigate a significant struggle in humanity's history? Who are some of these people?

Wednesday (8/5)- 1 Kings 19: 9-18

Have you ever spent time hiding from the Lord? How did the Lord reach out to you to bring you back into relationship?

Thursday (8/6)- Psalm 85: 8-13

Take some time to be quiet and only listen to the Lord's voice. What are you hearing?

Friday (8/7)- Romans 10: 5-15

Re-affirm today who your Lord and Savior is, with your mouth and with your heart.

Saturday (8/8)- Matthew 14: 22-33

Some scholars consider this passage a post-resurrection event placed in the human Jesus' earthly narrative. What are your thoughts on Jesus' walking on water as a fully human being? Are those scholars too modern to leave room for miracles?

Sunday (8/9)- Worship in person or online.



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