

# Order of Service

## Entering God's Word

### Prelude

The Light represents God's Presence.  
The Bible reminds us that God's word is central.

### Hymn UMH 361, V. 1,2,4

*"Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"*

### Call To Worship Woody Sears

### Discipleship Opportunities

### Pass the Peace of Christ

## Encountering God's Word

### Hymn GB 3040

*"You Are My All-in-all"*

### Scripture Reading Woody Sears

Judges 13:1-7

### Children's Message

### Offertory Chikako Sloan

*"Thy Word"*

### Doxology

## Experiencing God's Spirit

### Time of Prayer Pastor Peter Curts

The Altar is open for Prayer.

### Silent Prayer

### Response

Leader: Lord, have mercy.

People: Christ, have mercy.

### Lord's Prayer

### Morning Message Pastor Peter Curts

*To Judge a Nation*

## Sending Forth

### Special Morgan Pay

*"Broken Vessels by Hillsong"*

### Hymn of Parting UMH 378 v. 1,3,6

*"Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound"*

### Benediction Pastor Peter Curts

### Postlude Chikako Sloan

*"Everlasting God"*

## Scripture

Judges 13:1-7

*13 Again the Israelites did evil in the eyes of the LORD, so the LORD delivered them into the hands of the Philistines for forty years.*

*<sup>2</sup>A certain man of Zorah, named Manoah, from the clan of the Danites, had a wife who was childless, unable to give birth. <sup>3</sup>The angel of the LORD appeared to her and said, "You are barren and childless, but you are going to become pregnant and give birth to a son.*

*<sup>4</sup>Now see to it that you drink no wine or other fermented drink and that you do not eat anything unclean. <sup>5</sup>You will become pregnant and have a son whose head is never to be touched by a razor because the boy is to be a Nazirite, dedicated to God from the womb. He will take the lead in delivering Israel from the hands of the Philistines."*

*<sup>6</sup>Then the woman went to her husband and told him, "A man of God came to me. He looked like an angel of God, very awesome. I didn't ask him where he came from, and he didn't tell me his name. <sup>7</sup>But he said to me, 'You will become pregnant and have a son. Now then, drink no wine or other fermented drink and do not eat anything unclean, because the boy will be a Nazirite of God from the womb until the day of his death.'"*

## DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### MARRIED PEOPLE

**September 5, 6-8:00p**

**Calling all committed couples!** Looking for a date night experience that adds value and energy to your relationship? Look no farther than our married people/couples night on September 5th at 6 pm. The cost is \$20 per couple for a delicious catered meal, a lot of fun, excellent teaching and child care. Please RSVP on your connect card or email [familyministry@yorktownumc.org](mailto:familyministry@yorktownumc.org).

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### GAME NIGHT

**September 12, 6:00pm-2:00am**

Join us for a night of family fun! A variety of games, light snacks and drinks (water & soda) and child care is available. Bring some friends!

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### BACK TO SCHOOL KICK OFF!

**Congratulations to all of our kids who are back in school! Wishing you a successful new school year!**

FYI: Yorktown Schools started the new school year on Tuesday, August 7. The bridge on Tiger Drive is one way only between the hours of 7:30a-8:30a and from 2:15p-3:15p Monday thru Friday.

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

**Today -- August 12, 2018**

9:30 am **Worship**, Children's Church/Child Care

10:45 am **Sunday School** (All ages)

11:15 am **Ladies' Brunch** - McAllisters

**Monday Aug. 13 National Left Handers Day**

6:30 pm SPR Team

7:00 pm Finance Team

**Tuesday Aug. 14**

8:30 am Women's Bible Study (off site)

Loretta Hiatt

**Wednesday Aug. 15 National Relaxation Day**

**Thursday Aug. 16**

7:00 pm **Bible Study**, Peggy Skinner's Home

**Friday Aug. 17**

**Deadline For September Newsletter Items**

**Saturday Aug. 18**

**Sunday, August 19, 2018**

8:30 am **Choir Rehearsal**

9:30 am **Traditional Worship, Children's Church, Child Care**

10:45 am **Sunday School** (All ages)

10:45 am **Fellowship Time**, Fellowship Hall

# Prayer Requests

## THIS WEEK

**Carole Young** Please keep the family of Carole Young in your prayers. She passed this last week and her funeral was yesterday. Don is still in the nursing home. Carole was 90 years of age and Don is 93.

## LOCAL

**Homebound:** Julia Gernand, Ruby Martin, Carolyn Spence, Doris Chastain, Mary Fight, Betty Sollars

**Living in Health Care Facilities:** Don Young, Sue Burger, Jean Goodwin, Suann Grinstead, Adella Martin, Jan and IdaMae Richman (they are sisters-in-law) , Cophine Shideler, Toni Thomas.

**Those Battling Cancer and other life altering diseases.**

## STATE

**Drug Epidemic:** This state and most other states, is in the midst of a drug epidemic unlike any that has ever been seen in this country. Pray that we can come up with effective ways to beat this epidemic and save many, many lives of our young.

## GLOBAL

**Please Pray** for the Christians. Pray for the churches that have been closed by rebel groups. Pray for persecuted Christians everywhere. There is more persecution of Christians today than ever in history. In China, many Christian churches have been ordered burn all Bibles and the government has mandated that all pictures of Jesus be taken down and replace with pictures of Xi Jinping.

"Please pray with a secret group of believers as they fight for the right to practice their faith in **Central Asia**. They have been fasting and praying for security and opportunities to meet together, preach and pray, have Bibles and worship."

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## Notes & Doodles: