

## ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK OF MAY 20

also available on the church website, [medfordumc.org](http://medfordumc.org)

### SUMMARY OF ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

**Worship:** 8:15 am = 34; 9:30 = 185; 11:00 am = 135; Total = 354

**Sunday School:** 47 Children; 22 Adults; 5 Nursery; Total = 74

**FLC Update:** \$754,181 / \$1,013,520 (74% of commitments)

**Amount Received Last Week:** \$8,201

### THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

<b>Sun. 20<sup>th</sup></b>	8:15 am Communion Service - Sanctuary 9:30 am Sunday School 9:30 am Contemporary Worship – Family Life Center 11:00 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary 7:00 pm Junior & Youth Choir Musical – Sanctuary
<b>Mon. 21<sup>st</sup></b>	7:00 pm Caring Team 2 – Room 104 7:00 pm N.A. – FLC Meeting Room 7:00 pm Children & Youth Planning Team – Annex
<b>Tue. 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	7:00 pm SPRC – Room 104 7:30 pm Outreach – Room 105/6 7:30 pm Memorial Day Ringers - Sanctuary 8:30 pm Wesley Choir – Choir Room
<b>Wed. 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	7:00 pm Website – Room 104 7:00 pm Book Club – Annex
<b>Thur. 24<sup>th</sup></b>	9:00 am Music Together – Room 105 2:00 pm Red Cross Blood Drive – Bowker 4:15 pm Jr. Choir – Choir Room 7:15 pm Youth Choir – Choir Room 7:30 pm Band rehearsal – FLC 8:30 pm Garwood Choir – Choir Room
<b>Sun. 27<sup>th</sup></b>	8:15 am Communion Service - Sanctuary 9:30 am Sunday School 9:30 am Contemporary Worship – Family Life Center 11:00 am Traditional Service – Sanctuary

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE & GIVE

### MEDFORD UMC 2018 VBS PROGRAM ROLLING RIVER RAMPAGE will

run July 23-27 from 9 am - 12 noon and we need YOU to help make it a success! How can you help?

- Adults to lead crafts, science experiments, games, Bible lessons and snacks;
- Youth Crew Leaders (entering 6<sup>th</sup> grade and older) to help shepherd small groups of our VBS kiddos;
- Extra adults to help with childcare for volunteers' children who are age 4 & younger;
- Enthusiastic, creative people to re-create the FLC into a "rolling river" and add some thematic props to transform other spaces of MUMC.

Contact Erica Risser, [EHRisser@gmail.com](mailto:EHRisser@gmail.com) or Pastor Kathleen, [kathleen@medfordumc.org](mailto:kathleen@medfordumc.org). [Registration for children age 4 - grade 5 is underway. Visit \[medfordumc.org\]\(http://medfordumc.org\) to sign up.](#)

**DIAPER DRIVE:** Christian Caring Center of Burlington County has a continuing need for disposable diapers to distribute to their clients, and we are answering that need now through Sunday, June 17 (FATHER'S DAY). A wonderful way to celebrate PARENTS is by making a donation of diapers for those who are served by the ministry of CCC. Disposable diapers, especially for infants and toddlers, will be greatly appreciated by economically challenged families with little ones. A drop-off receptacle will be in the narthex and in the FLC lobby. Many thanks!! Contact Pastor Kathleen with questions.

**MUMC RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE:** Medford UMC will host its spring Red Cross Blood Drive on Thursday May 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 from 2:00 – 7:00 pm. Our church continues to make a difference in the lives of those who are medically compromised and in need of blood transfusions. For questions or to schedule an appointment contact Lesley Koengetter at [kkoengetter9@comcast.net](mailto:kkoengetter9@comcast.net) or 609/268-9043 or sign-up online at [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org). Remember to check out Rapid Pass on the web site. You can complete the reading of materials required the day of the drive on your computer and bring your printed pass with you. Then you will not have to do any reading at the site. Please consider making a donation on May 24<sup>th</sup>. Thank you!!

## WORSHIP AND SMALL GROUPS

### GRADUATES TO BE HONORED ON SUNDAY, JUNE 10 at 9:30 and 11:00:

Please let us know the names of those in your family who will be graduating this year from high school, college or professional program. Graduates who are members of our church will be honored with a gift. All graduates will have their names printed on a special bulletin insert. If you want to include someone in your family who is graduating, please fill out the form (on the table outside the sanctuary and in the FLC lobby) and return it to the church office by Monday, June 4. Or send an email to the office with your name, graduate's name, college/high school, degree/program and their relationship to you.

**JOIN THE BOOK CLUB AS WE READ A Piece of the World**, by Christina Baker. From the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of the smash bestseller *Orphan Train*, a stunning and atmospheric novel of friendship, passion, and art, inspired by Andrew Wyeth's mysterious and iconic painting *Christina's World*. Join us on Wednesday evening, May 23 at 7:00 pm in the church annex. For more info, contact Patty Rosvold at pbrosvold179@verizon.net or Glenna Bishop at bishop.glenna@yahoo.com.

**IMPORTANT SUNDAY SCHOOL DATES** As the program year draws to a close, please note the following dates:

- **May 27:** Pre-K and kindergarten will meet in Pre-K room. 1st- 5th grades will meet in Bowker Hall. 6th, 7th, and Confirmation will not meet on this day.
- **June 3:** Family Worship and Confirmation Sunday: Sunday school will not meet.
- **June 10:** Regular Sunday school- classes will meet in their regular classrooms (then go to worship at 11 AM to see "A Technicolor Promise!")
- **June 17:** Last day of Sunday school- classes will meet in their regular classrooms.

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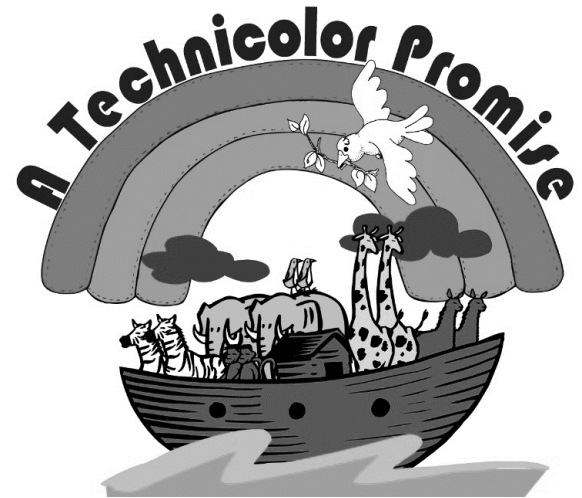
Sermon Podcast: medfordumc.buzzsprout.com

YouTube Video Archive: Medford UMC Messages

Facebook: facebook.com/medfordumc

Our 9:30 service is streamed on Facebook Live each week.

When you're in the building, check in so people will know that MUMC is your church home.



**Junior & Youth Choir Musical**  
**Sunday, May 20 at 7:00 pm**  
**Sunday, June 10 at 11:00 am**

## 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Chicken BBQ

### Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>

4:30 - 7:00 PM

eat in or take out / rain or shine  
*in case of inclement weather, dinner will be in the FLC*

YOUR CHOICE:

1/2 BBQ Chicken Dinner  
or

Louisiana BBQ Pulled Pork Dinner  
**\$12.00**

Child's Hot Dog  
Dinner ~ \$5.00

Beginning 5/13,  
tickets will be available  
following each service, ON LINE,  
or through the church office

**www.medfordumc.org**  
Watch the bulletin for more information.

**Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> is the Final day to order tickets**

