

# Otterbein United Brethren in Christ Church



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# World-Wide Communion Day

## October 1, 2023

Prelude

"Love Divine" (92)

Kids Korner

Worship Music

Scripture Reading

Bible Message

**HOLY COMMUNION**

"Glory To His Name" (527)

Benediction

### TODAY

8:30 and 10:45 - Worship and Preaching

7:40 - Adult Choir Practice

### Wednesday

6:30 - groups for children, youth and adults

7:40 - adult choir practice

### NEXT SATURDAY

4:00 - Our annual FALL PICNIC at the Rhodes Grove outdoor pavilion. Bring a dish. Bring a friend! Sign up sheets in upper and lower entryway. (Meat is provided)

### MISSIONARY MILESTONES

- Bill Salisbury, friend of children, puppet man, "Uncle Bill" passed to glory several weeks ago. Karen's address: 157 East Lake Dr., Lynchburg, VA. 24502
- Jackie Pegram, friend of children, VBS Maestro, turns 77 on October 21! Jackie's address: 1100 Pelican Lane, Clemmons, NC 27012
- Send a card and include a favorite memory! For Jackie, you may give your card to Holly Ressler, who will be attending Jackie's birthday bash!

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	<i><b>This Week</b></i>	<i><b>Next Week</b></i>
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Nursery</b>	<b>Need Volunteers</b>	<b>Deb Michalsky &amp; Amy Fleming</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Nursery</b>	Cindy Rawley	Need Volunteers
<b>Acolyte</b>	Grayson Murray (1st) Loretta Wagaman (2nd)	Dane Ruelas 1st Shelby Rife 2nd
<b>Prelude</b>	Leta Sipes	Jack & Micah Ressler
<b>Greeters</b>	Melanie Mercer Kristin Marconi	Tim & Holly Ressler

<b>Last Week...</b>	09/24/23
<b>Attendance</b>	244
<b>General</b>	\$ 5,627.50
<b>Missions</b>	\$ 3,875.50
<b>Building Fund</b>	\$ 941.50
<b>Sunday School</b>	\$ 398.00

WMF MEETING—Tuesday, Oct. 3 at 6:30pm. (PLEASE note the DATE CHANGE) All ladies are welcome to attend! Sandy Turman will share stories from her great grandparents' missionary service with China Inland Mission. It will be a great time of learning and fellowshiping! Questions? Contact Amy Gour (717-597-9202).

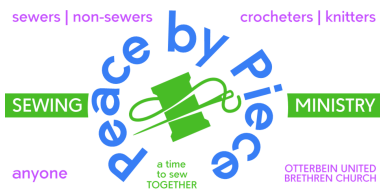
*The altar flowers are given by Shirley Shatzer  
memory of LeiAnn Shatzer*



*Altar Guild*

Meeting Tuesday, October 10, at 6:00 p.m. in the classroom at the top of the stairs.

*Senior Outing, Tue., Oct. 10, at the Ft. Richie Museum at noon and lunch at the Greenhouse Cafe at 1:00. To ride the van, meet at OUB at 11:00. RSVP to Fran Stoner @ (717) 597-0189 by Sun., Oct. 9.*



**Peace by Piece** is collecting items for the Cold Weather Shelter and Homeless Shelter (both located in Waynesboro). We will have a box at the top of the stairs. You can drop off scarves, socks, gloves and hats for adults and children. We will be collecting until November 5.

**MISSIONS/MINISTRY** - A number of OUB folks have traveled this year, taking part in ministry in other locations and countries. We want you to see some pictures and hear some stories! **OCTOBER 29, 6:30** (Sunday evening). Put it on your calendar!

\*October 22 (a.m.) Stephanie Ziebarth will share her local ministry which we support

#### SUNDAY SERMON TOPICS... "You Asked"

- Oct. 1 - Jesus... Living Bread
- Oct. 8 - History and Heritage (U.B.)
- Oct. 15 - A New Heaven (and Earth)
- Oct. 22 - Psalm 53 (Missions Focus)
- Oct. 29 - Debra, Jael, and those Other Guys



**THANK YOU!** So many of you have supported Ralph's Recipe BBQ this year, buying chicken or bringing goodies. From last weekend's rainy, windy, wild day we were able to raise \$1,500 for the Guiding Hands Preschool for a total this season of \$10, 042.

Next year we will be in a new location.

Details to follow.

## LIVING BREAD FROM HEAVEN

(John 6:41-59)

Jesus used the simple, daily routine of eating food to communicate profound spiritual truth.

- Food:**
- Useless unless \_\_\_\_\_ (*Heb. 4:2*)
  - Interest prompted only \_\_\_\_\_ (*Mt. 5:6, 9:12*)
  - Appropriation only by \_\_\_\_\_ (*1 Cor. 6:17, Eph. 3:17*)
  - \_\_\_\_\_ (*Ps. 49:7, Is. 55:7*)
  - Consumption produces \_\_\_\_\_ (*Ps. 63:2-5, Mt. 4:4, Jn. 4:14*)

**"This bread is my flesh that I will give for the life of the world... unless you eat this flesh... you have no life in you."** (*6:51,53*) The death of Jesus was literal, actual, and specific. This sentence is a direct metaphor calling flesh bread. \_\_\_\_\_ food but not \_\_\_\_\_ is the equivalent to knowing truth (intellectually) but doing nothing about it. Useless to man and unacceptable to God. (*cf. LK. 12:47*)

Transubstantiation - literal presence of Christ in bread/wine (R. Catholic doctrine)

\* This teaching of Jesus (*Jn. 6*) was much \_\_\_\_\_ than his "last supper," therefore; he could not have been referring to "Communion."

\* All of the "Communion" passages in the NT use a \_\_\_\_\_  
(body vs. flesh).

\* "Whoever eats my flesh has eternal life" (*6:54*). If this was a reference to "Communion" then eternal life could be \_\_\_\_\_ by partaking. Yet Scripture clearly teaches that Communion is only for believers (*1 Cor. 11:27-32*) and salvation is by faith alone. (*Eph. 2:8-9*)

So, this teaching (*Jn. 6*) cannot simply refer to "Communion" but to the reality of embracing/\_\_\_\_\_ or trusting/\_\_\_\_\_  
Christ as our SATISFACTION (bread) and SUBSTITUTION (blood).