



Roll Down, Justice!

*A worship series inspiring us
to let justice roll down like waters,
to reach out across divides,
to alleviate suffering in all its forms.*

*June 7 – July 19, 2020
St. Mark's United Methodist Church
Fairfield, Ohio*



ST. MARK'S
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 12, 2020, 9:30 am
Live Streamed on YouTube and Facebook
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ST. MARK'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

GREETING and ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Joe Payne
UMCOR Sunday July 26 Offering Invitation

OPENING SONG "Roll Down, Justice!"
Chris Beiser, Chelsey Cavender, Sue Combs

OPENING PRAYER

Holy, Living and Justice-Making God, we walk in your footsteps today.

May peace flow. Let justice roll!

Give us courage for the path and a heart for each other.

May peace flow. Let justice roll!

We yearn for your reign and we proclaim: The day is coming!

May peace flow. Let justice roll!

OFFERING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Peace be with you

And also with you!

Share the peace of Christ with those near you or in the Facebook comments.

HYMN "Marching to Zion" vv. 1 & 4 UMH 733

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS Peggy Smith

SONG "The Day is Coming"

SCRIPTURE Isaiah 35

SERMON "We Are One" Pastor Joe

WE RESPOND TO THE WORD

CONCERNS AND PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING MOMENT

SOLO

"Ancient Words"

Ben Hartwig

WE TAKE THE WORD INTO THE WORLD

HYMN "Jesus, United by Thy Grace" vv. 1, 4, 5, 6 UMH 561

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION SONG

May you run and not be weary.

May your heart be filled with song.

**And may the love of God continue to give you hope
and keep you strong.**

And may you run and not be weary.

May your life be filled with joy!

And may the road you travel always lead you home.

"See" you next week!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: St. Mark's **Online Bible School** starts **tonight from 6:30 to 8 pm** and will continue until Thursday, July 16th.

Knights of the North Castle VBS.

Come join the fun online with crafts, games and music!

**All supplies are available at the church
at no cost to families.**

Serving Pre-K through 5th grade.

Register at the link below:

**[https://2020.cokesburyvbs.com/
StMarksFairfieldUMC/register/](https://2020.cokesburyvbs.com/StMarksFairfieldUMC/register/)**

Please call Peggy Smith if you have any questions - 307-4509.

ST. MARK'S CARES:

COLLECTION OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES - During the month of July, we are collecting school supplies for the Dougie and Ray Ministry for Fairfield City Schools. There are collection bins in the Fellowship Hall and donations can be dropped off anytime when the office is open.

A drive-thru collection is planned for Wednesday, July 22 from 6 - 8 pm and Thursday, July 23 from 10 - Noon.

Items needed are:

Glue sticks

#2 pencils

Elmer's glue, 4 oz. bottles

Dry erase markers

Crayola crayons, 24 count

Colored pencils, 12-24 count

Packs of index cards, 3x5

Packs of loose-leaf paper, wide or college ruled

Composition notebooks

Packs of blue, black or red pens

ST. MARK'S CARES: July Missions and Outreach besides Dougie and Ray's will also be UMCOR.

UMCOR, is the United Methodist Committee on Relief. Gifts to the special UMCOR offering covers the costs of doing business. This helps UMCOR keep the promise the 100 percent of any gift to a specific UMCOR project will go toward that project, not administrative costs. UMCOR'S work of alleviating human suffering around the world includes disaster relief and supplies, disaster risk reduction, health, and humanitarian development. **Our special UMCOR offering will be Sunday, July 26th.**

UPPER ROOMS: The July/August Upper Rooms are available in a marked box outside the kitchen door. Please pick up one at your convenience and also take one for a friend.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Sunday requests and updates:

Prayers for our cousin's family in the loss of our Aunt Etta. (Wes & Debbie)

Lucille will be having Brain surgery on Monday. (Julie)

Pray for our nation.

World Peace and peace throughout our land.

Blessings on a young girl struggling at this time.

Donna Newton is still in Mercy hospital suffering from Covid 19. Also, prayers for the whole family after the death of Brenda, Donna's sister.

Joy: Debbie and Wes Flannery will be celebrating their 50th Wedding anniversary on July 11th. They will be renewing their vows with Pastor Jake Flannery, Wes' father, who married them. Congratulations!

Added since last Sunday:

Brian George had Open Heart surgery to replace a heart valve. He is home from the hospital and is doing great.

Prayers for his continued recovery. Marla and Brian will appreciate prayers of thanks for God's presence and grace through this challenge and for continued grace.

Debbie Flannery is having Cervical Spine surgery on Thursday, July 16th. Anticipated 5-6 day hospital stay after the surgery.

Continuing Prayers

*(Help us keep this list current. Email or call the church office .)
(b.smoot@fairfieldstmarks.com / 844-1818) with any updates.)*

All service Men & Women	Jean Stivers Prayer & Bible St. Groups	Byron Jones Merianne Cardas Kristy Theiss Dick Brewer
Our Country	Mitch Thomas	
First Responders	Lori Palmieri (Pat Coyle's daughter)	
United Methodist Church		

St. Mark's Homebound / Shut-ins

Phyllis Tunning - Triplecreek	Sandy Ronningen - Chesterwood
Virginia Shaw	Betsy Jones - Golden Yrs. Nursing Home
Nancy & Bob Miracle	Eleanor McCollum
Dale Shreve - Birchwood, 201	
Sue Webster	

Joys / Concerns *(listed in the order received, and kept for four weeks unless requested to remain on our "Continuing Prayers" list.)*

Our nation & world 6/21	Mike Dick 6/28
Nick Alcorn 6/21	Rich Zugelter 6/28
Linda Thomas 6/21	Judy Gross 6/28
Gail Goodman 6/21	Paul Schutte 6/28
Karen Riehle 6/21	John Smith 6/28
Ryan & Cameron 6/21	State, governor, schools, nation and the world 6/28
Donna Newton 6/21	Family of Brenda Harman 6/28
Padgett family 6/28	

St. Mark's United Methodist Church

Our Mission is to make Disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world.

STAFF

Pastor	Joe Payne
Administrative Assistant	Brenda Smoot
Director of Music	Chris Beiser
Organist	Sue Combs
Director of Children & Family Ministries	Peggy Smith
Youth Director	Julie Mislansky
Nursery Director	Lauren Dichtl
Pastor Emeritus	Bob Klingel

OTHER PARTICIPANTS IN TODAY'S SERVICE

Liturgist	Chelsey Cavender
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