

**OCEAN VIEW PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
**67 Central Ave., Ocean View DE 19970**  
**June 26, 2022**



***SILENT MEDITATION***

*For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery...*

*For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself". If, however, you bite and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.*

***Galatians 5: 1, 13-15***

## PLAYING OF THE CHIMES

## PRE-SERVICE MUSIC / SILENT MEDITATION/PRELUDE

## WELCOME

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

*based on Psalm 77*

L: Let us call to mind the deeds of the Lord, and remember God's wonders of old.

**C: We will meditate on all God's work, and muse on God's mighty deeds.**

L: Your way, O God, is holy. What god is so great as our God?

**C: You are the God who works wonders; you have displayed your might among the peoples.**

**ALL: With your strong arm you redeem your people. We gather to worship you!**

**\*HYMN: 282                      Come Down, O Love Divine**

## GATHERING PRAYER

## CONFESSION

In confession, we tell the truth about ourselves and our broken world; and the God of all Truth, who knows our limitations and loves our imperfections, has already forgiven us and will always forgive us. Trusting in God's infinite mercy, let us confess our sins before God and our neighbor.

**God of grace, we have harmed your children whom you love. Because we do not understand them, we segregate them, we reject them, we demonize them, and we hurt them. Forgive us, in your infinite love, and teach us to welcome all your children until our hospitality is as wide as your mercy. Help us to understand others as we wish to be understood. Guide us to love one another as you love us.**

**\*\*\*\*\*Silent confession\*\*\*\*\***

This is the truth: you are not the labels others place on you. You are more than the boxes you check. You are not the side of the aisle on which you stand, for all of you are one in Christ Jesus. You belong to Christ, and to Christ alone. Believe the good news of the gospel:

**In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! AMEN.**

## CENTERING MUSIC

## PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

**OLD TESTAMENT READING**                      1 Kings 2: 1-2, 6-14 (P. 297; p. 299)

## ANTHEM

**GOSPEL LESSON**                                      Luke 9: 51-62 (P. 67; p. 914)

L: The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

*\*Please stand in body or in spirit*

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH***Westminster Confession VIII: 8*

**To all those for whom Christ has purchased redemption, He certainly and effectually applies the same, making intercession for them, and revealing to them in and by the Word the mysteries of salvation; effectually persuading them by His Spirit to believe and obey; and governing their hearts by His Word and Spirit; overcoming all their enemies by His almighty power and wisdom, in such manner and ways as are most consonant to His wonderful and unsearchable dispensation. AMEN.**

**CONCERNS AND JOYS**

Please email, text or call your concerns directly to Pastor Terry at:

Cell: 862-432-1196, Office: 302-539-3455 or [tdougherty@ovpc.org](mailto:tdougherty@ovpc.org)

**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE****THE LORDS PRAYER****MINUTE FROM MISSION****CALL FOR THE OFFERING****\*DOXOLOGY: 606**

**Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow**

**\*DEDICATION****\*HYMN: 726**

**Will You Come and Follow Me**

**CHARGE**

God without us will not; we without God cannot. Christ has no body but ours; no hands, no feet on earth but ours.

**Ours are the eyes with which God looks compassion on this world, ours are the feet with which God walks to do good, ours are the hands with which God blesses all the world. Ours are the hands, ours are the feet, ours are the eyes: we are God's body.**

Christ has no body now but ours, no hands, no feet on earth but ours:

**Ours are the eyes with which He looks compassion on the world. Christ has no body now on earth but ours. AMEN.**

**BLESSING****POSTLUDE**

We respectfully remind you of the ongoing expenses of our ministry, and of our beautiful campus. Please continue to donate. We can receive your donation by regular mail, online via PayPal or if you would like to drop your donation off, come to the office Monday through Thursday, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm and drop it in the mailbox outside of the office.

*“May our gifts be a source of light, in a world that has learned to love darkness.”*

**LITURGIST** – Bob Wolf

**SCRIPTURE READER** – Amy Peoples

**GREETER** – Bob & Nancy Turner

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS** - Donated by Nouha Zarif Dabaj in celebration of Khaled's birthday.

### Prayer List

|  |                              |                  |
|--|------------------------------|------------------|
| John Burris  | Tracy Higdon                 | Dottie Nicholson |
| Khaled & Nouha Dabaj, their Children, and Mother Nohad | Elaine Jackson               | Keith Peoples    |
| The Family of John Doherty                             | The Family of Dave Kratch    | Dick Regester    |
| Danna Henderson  | Laurie Linard                | Alex Rhodes      |
| Charlotte Wheatley                                     | Jeff Neihammer               | Ron Steen        |
| The Family of Terry Parmelee                           | The Family of Carole Trent   | Tracey Yeager    |
| The Family of Peggy Wivel                              | Dr. Stephen Steurer & Family | Robert Poetsch   |

*Prayer requests will be kept on this list in the bulletin for three months unless the office hears otherwise.*

If you need prayer for whatever reason, call Kathy Sheetz (302-539-2827) to initiate a chain of prayers. Please contact the office at 302-539-3455, Sue Sigvardson at 302-858-1238 or email [office@ovpc.org](mailto:office@ovpc.org) to update the prayer list! Thank you!

Our live streaming services will begin at 9:20 with pre-service music with worship beginning at 9:25. If you happen to miss us live, please visit our YouTube page so you can worship with the recorded version.

### Announcements 6/26/2022

#### This Week

- **Tuesday Bible Study:** 10 AM, Fellowship.
- **Choir Rehearsal:** Wednesday, 6:30 PM, in the Sanctuary.
- **Southeast Sussex Ministerium** – celebrating 35 years Wednesday, June 29, 2:00 – 5:00 PM. (See attached flyer for additional information). **Please note: the date on the flyer is incorrect!**
- **Free lecture – The Underground Railroad in Delaware** presented by Sylvester Woolford; Thursday, June 30, 7:00 PM at St. Peter's Church, 2<sup>nd</sup> and Mulberry Street, Lewes, DE

#### Future Events

- **Mariners Bethel VBS Summer 2022** – July 11 – 15, 8:30 AM – Noon Daily (See attached flyer for additional information)
- **Newsletter- Summer Edition** will be printed on August 1 and will cover both July and August. Deadline is July 20.

## **Ongoing Events**

- While masking is no longer mandatory, please respect those who wish to continue to mask. Social distancing is no longer required, please respect those who wish to continue to distance. For those who wish to continue to wear masks, OVPC will continue to supply them if needed. These changes have been made in response to the relaxation of restrictions by the state of Delaware, the drop in the Sussex County infection rate and the installation of the 2 REME Halo air purifiers in the Sanctuary.
- **Monthly Work Day:** The monthly work day for 2022 is the **second Saturday of the month.**
- **Sharing Pantry:** OVPC encourages you to drop off needed items during office hours. Contact Ellen Neumann for information.
- **Blessing Bags:** Drop off needed items in Narthex of Memorial Hall (lists available there). See Marie Waehler for additional information.
- **Announcements:** All announcements are due to the office by Monday prior to the date you want it published.

**Looking Ahead** – The Lectionary for Sunday July 3, 2022 is:

- 2 Kings 5: 1-14
- Luke 10: 1-11, 16-20

## **New Initiatives**

- **Greeters needed for Sunday worship** – If you are interested in volunteering, please use the sign-up sheet in the back of the church. Thank you!
- **OVPC Sharing Pantry Needs You!!**

**We need your help to stock the pantry!**

**We're looking for food donations on the following schedule:**

- **Week 1** – Cereal / cans of fruit / fruit cups
- **Week 2** – Canned Tuna, Chicken, Ham / chunky soup
- **Week 3** – Peanut butter / jelly
- **Week 4** – Pasta sauce / Mac & Cheese cups / pasta noodles

**Please place donations in the basket in the sanctuary or the container by the office.**

**No time to shop - \$\$ DONATIONS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME to OVPC Sewing Circle.**

**THANK YOU!!**

- **OVPC Security Volunteers Needed** - not gender specific, couples can work together. Can you donate a half hour in the evening for one week to do church security? Training is available, contact Jim Hartsig at 301-247-1747. Diane, our church Administrative Assistant issues an email every other month requesting people to sign up for a week of doing security. Once signed up you can check the church calendar, on the church's website at [OVPC.org](http://OVPC.org) to see what time the last user of the facility is done so you can start security. Email Diane at [office@ovpc.org](mailto:office@ovpc.org) to get your name on the email scheduling list.
- **Gaza Water Project:** The Mission Committee has received permission to ask for your monetary support for this project. If you want to support this project, make your check payable to OVPC and on the memo line put "Gaza Water Project". Thanks for considering this mission project as part of your giving.

- **Deacon's Mission for June: LA ESPERANZA 2021**

The Deacons are pleased to offer La Esperanza as our June Monthly Mission.

The Mission of La Esperanza is to assist Sussex County Latinos in their journey to achieve stability, integration and success.

"2021 saw La Esperanza tentatively emerging from the shadow of COVID-19. We celebrated the availability of vaccines and supported the community's choice to be vaccinated and use community-based testing. Our services continued nonstop as we learned new ways to help and connect with clients."

Here is a link to the 2020 report:

<https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?tab=Cm#starred/KtbxLxgGCTzsfQrvRsPTrGnNmPNgPPCwRL?projector=1&messagePartId=0.1>

Scroll to the end and there is an update on 2021.

Please consider supporting this important mission any way you can. Make your check payable to OVPC. In the memo line, indicate "June Mission". Thank you.

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**CELEBRATING  
35 YEARS as  
Southeast Sussex  
Ministerium**

**Thursday, June 30, 2:00-5:00 PM**

**John Evans Park Clubhouse, Millville, DE**

**32517 Dukes Dr., Millville, DE 19967**

**POT LUCK**

**r.s.v.p. by June 23 to Pete Maurer @ [mediacombb.net](mailto:mediacombb.net)**

**bring your spouse or friend from the church.**

**If anyone is able to provide a desert in addition to your dish,**

**it would be appreciated**





# **MARINERS BETHEL VBS SUMMER 2022**

**JULY 11-15 FROM 8:30 AM - NOON DAILY**

Go "off-road" for a monumental adventure  
where kids will form a rock-solid foundation  
for the road ahead!

Each day includes songs, skits, Bible stories,  
crafts, snacks, games, videos and so much more.



Register online at:

<https://marinersbethel.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1222736>

or in person at the church office

All kids ages 4 - finishing 4th grade are welcome!

We have a few additional spots for youth who have finished 6th grade and above.



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