

“Living Jesus Christ’s Vision – Building Communities of Compassion”

<u>October 4, 2026</u>	<u>10:30 a.m.</u>	<u>World Communion Sunday</u>
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**Invitation to stand*

PRAYER GROUP – Tuesday, October 6th, at 2:00 p.m. in the church chapel.



OUTREACH AND EVENTS COMMITTEE – Tuesday, October 6th, at 5:15 p.m. in the Jackson Building.

TRUSTEES INVESTMENT MEETING – Wednesday, October 7th, at 6:00 p.m. in the Jackson Building.

INVITATION TO PRAYER FOR PASTOR HAYDEN – Every Thursday at 8:45 a.m. by Zoom. This will be approximately 15 minutes devoted to prayer, asking God to strengthen Rev. Hayden’s body, grant him peace for each new day, give wisdom to those caring for him, and remind him that he is deeply loved by God and by the people he has faithfully served. Join Zoom Meeting <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85731076162?pwd=Sr4yGWL3eslEPg2olhqloFvuGwSC4x.1>

THE SANCTUARY CHOIR will rehearse every Thursday at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. We invite you to visit us and see if you might enjoy singing in our choir. Feel free to call Phyllis if you have any questions or comments at (410) 845-0212.

THE WEEKS AHEAD

UNITED METHODIST MEN – Monday, October 12th, at 6:00 p.m. at the Deli at Pecan Square.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES – Tuesday, October 13th, at 5:15 p.m. in the Jackson Building.

T-CAP – Tuesday, October 13th, at 5:15 p.m. in the church parlor.

CHURCH CONFERENCE – Wednesday, October 14th at 6:00 p.m. at Bethesda UMC. All are welcome to attend.

ABC STUDY GROUP – Thursday, October 15th, at 2:00 p.m. in the church parlor.

FINANCE COMMITTEE – Tuesday, October 20th, at 5:15 p.m. in the Jackson Building.

TRUNK OR TREAT – Trinity TCAP is once again hosting Trunk or Treat for our faith-based partner school, Choices. We would appreciate any candy, snack packs or individually wrapped treats for the students. Please leave these items in the back of the sanctuary or the church office by Monday, October 26th. If you would like to join our fun or have any questions, contact Barb Dix (410) 430-1970.

TRINITY THREADS OF LOVE will be meeting the 2nd Monday of each month, beginning on November 9th, in the church parlor from 10:00-11:30 a.m. This group will be hand sewing blankets, hats, scarves, and prayer shawls to bless those who may be facing illness, grief, loneliness, etc. For more information, please call Ginny Riffle at (208) 420-8600 or Cindy Lawson at (443) 235-5844.

SALISBURY URBAN MINISTRIES – Please continue to support the needy of the community through your donations of non-perishable food, snacks and hygiene supplies. Donations can be placed in the container at the church or donated directly to SUM.

AROUND TOWN

WOMEN SUPPORTING WOMEN ANNUAL WALK FOR BREAST CANCER AWARENESS will be on Saturday, October 24th from 9:30am to 12:30pm at The Centre. Obtain information at (410) 548-7880 or website at [Annual Walk for Awareness/Women Supporting Women](#).



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Celebration of Holy Communion

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

Leader: We rejoice in the God of life, who gives us bread: the fruit of the earth worked with human hands and who makes it into the bread of life.

People: We rejoice in the God of life who gives us wine: the fruit of the vine tended with daily care, and puts the flavor of the new world into it.

Leader: As the wheat and grapes are joined on this table in bread and wine – into a visual symbol for us –

People: May our church join together into a visual symbol for the entire world. *(Germany)*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Leader: Paz, peace, py'aguapy.

Me Comprometo, Señor a buscar:

La sanidad de mi relación contigo.

La sanidad de mi relación conmigo misma.

La sanidad de mi relación con otros.

La sanidad de mi relación con toda tu creación.

¡SHALOM!

Paz, peace, py'aguapy.

People: I commit, God, to searching for: The healing of my relationship with you.

The healing of my relationship with myself. The healing of my relationship with others.

The healing of my relationship with all your creation.

¡SHALOM! *(Chile)*

ASSURANCE OF GRACE

Forgiveness is forgetting bad things, remembering good things. Forgiveness is accepting God's love. *(China)*

WORDS OF REMEMBERING

Remember, the Lord, the friend of sinners,

who were the oppressed, the estranged, the weak, the sick, widow, orphans.

Remember, the Lord, the one disliking of the common structure and power.

Remember, the Lord, the one sharing of daily food in life.

Remember, the Lord, the one liberating from a dictator.

We remember thy suffering, O Lord, at thy Last Supper. *(Korea)*

PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

Leader: You emptied yourself completely keeping nothing for yourself.

Now, naked, utterly stripped,

you give yourself to us as bread that sustains us

and as wine that consoles us.

You are Light and Truth

You are the Way and the Hope

You are Love. Grow in us. *(Guatemala)*

SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

The ears of wheat are broken and scattered

on the hillside to grow.

Gathered, they are broken again

and scattered throughout the city to make bread.

the bread is scattered to each home

and broken to make nourishment.

Broken and scattered, broken and scattered,

and some becomes Christ's body broken for us

as we are the people of God scattered through the city

and, perhaps, broken to give nourishment to others. *(South Africa)*

We receive this bread, broken, scattered and made whole.

(Pause)

We drink this cup, thirsty, longing, willing to be poured.

(Pause)

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

We give you thanks O Lord, for all food that has arrived at our table from your generosity. Bless the people who have made it possible, from the cultivation of the earth until it arrived to us. Give bread to those who are hungry, and to those who have bread give us hunger for you. Amen

(Mexico, grace contributed from an orphanage in Colima, may not be the original source)