Upcoming Events and Information

Wed Oct 18: Women's Zoom Study 6:30 PM Sun Oct 29: Sperryville Acts Bible Study 10 AM Sun Oct 29: Rockingham Male Chorus (RMC)

8:45am Willis Chapel Worship RMC
10:00am Flint Hill Worship RMC
11:30am Sperryville Worship RMC
1:00pm Willis Chapel Potluck
2:30pm Willis Chapel Community Concert RMC
5:00pm Washington Baptist Community Concert RMC

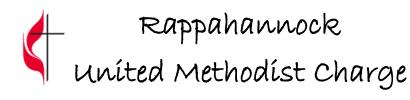
OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS

FLINT HILL: 1 Candy Lamma, 23 Mary Frances Bywaters, 25 Roger Dodson
SPERRYVILLE: 13 Tom Woods, 17 Polly Aylor, 23 Evan Woods
WILLIS CHAPEL: 2 Kendra Hahn, 8 Huntly Hahn, 11 Gracie Doane, 27 Ben Hahn, 28 Bonnie Hahn, 31 Ruth Daily

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Thu Nov 9: Willis Chapel Chosen "Make up Day" 10AMThu Dec 7: PPR Flint Hill 7PM





21st Sunday After Pentecost October 22, 2023

Sunday Morning Worship

8:45 AM: Flint Hill 9:55 AM: Willis Chapel 11:15 AM: Sperryville



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RAPPAHANNOCK CHARGE 21st Sunday After Pentecost October 22, 2023

*Standing (either literally or in spirit remaining seated)

PRELUDE

ENTER LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts! We lift them up to the Lord!

***OPENING PRAYER**

God of mercy, help us to understand what it means to "give back to Caesar what is Caesar's, and to God what is God's." Awaken us with your love and grace, and show us your possibilities for our lives. Assure us that we are not alone and that you walk with us always. For this, we offer you our thanks and praise. Amen.

*HYMN 400 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Renewing God, trusting in your infinite grace, we confess that we need your healing and your forgiveness. For all that is broken in our minds and bodies, we ask your healing. For all that is amiss in our choices and our relationships, we ask your forgiveness. For all that works against life and blessing in our hearts, and in the world, we open ourselves to your transforming grace. Heal us, forgive us, and make us new. Amen.

HYMN 399 Take My Life, and Let It Be

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION P6

SCRIPTURE: Ezekiel 11:14-20

PSALTER: Psalm 99 P819-820

SCRIPTURE: 1 Thessalonians 1-10

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 22:15-22

SERMON "What Owns Us... Or Who?"

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING HYMN 95 DOXOLOGY

SENDING FORTH

*HYMN 374 Standing on the Promises

***BENEDICTION**

Standing on the promises... Christ is King! Standing on the promises... We cannot fail! Standing on the promises... We shall prevail! Standing on the promises... We cannot fall! Standing on the promises... Our Savior is our all in all! Go with the promises of God. Amen. *HYMN 666 Shalom to You