



# Otterbein United Methodist Church

August 11, 2024  
Traditional Service

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## Dreams and Visions: Tell the Story

### Psalm 78:1-8



### **Welcome to Otterbein Church**

Whether you are a first time guest, a new resident seeking a church home or just visiting the area, we're glad you took the time to join us for worship. We are a United Methodist congregation seeking to serve our Lord Jesus Christ by proclaiming the Good News and serving our neighbors. We'd love to have you join us on our journey of faith.

## TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

**PRELUDE** "Hallelujah" arr. By B. Schmoyer  
Savannah Ogle - clarinet, Carson Ogle - trumpet, Lori Ogle - flute  
Bruce Schmoyer - alto sax

### LIGHTING THE CANDLES / RINGING THE CHURCH BELL

### CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

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L: Come, let us listen to the wisdom of our ancestors,  
**P: For God's deeds and wonders are to be proclaimed.**  
L: Let us teach the next generation His praiseworthy acts,  
**P So that all may put their trust in the Lord.**  
L: Let us remember and not forget His mighty works,  
**P: Keeping His commands, we walk in His light.**

**HYMN** "God of Grace and God of Glory" UMH 577

### CHILDRENS MOMENT

### PASTORAL PRAYER / LORDS PRAYER (DEBTORS)

**HYMN** "Hymn of Promise" UMH 707

### GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

#### Offertory

Doxology "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

**SPECIAL MUSIC** "Joshua Fought the Battle of Jericho" Guest Musicians

**SCRIPTURE** Page 417 Psalm 78:1-8

**MESSAGE** Dreams and Visions: Tell the Story **Rev. Steve Salisbury**

**CLOSING HYMN** "Trust and Obey" UMH 467

### BENEDICTION

### CHORAL BENEDICTION

## EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES / CHIMES

### POSTLUDE

(Please stand, if able)

## WORSHIP NOTES

**Hearing assist devices** are available at the rear of the sanctuary in tech room.

**Large Print Bulletins** are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please ask an Usher.

**Children's Worship** - Children are invited to the front of the sanctuary for the children's moment followed by Otter Kids in Room 5.

**Altar flowers** are given in honor of the Franklin Anniversaries by Jay and Alice Franklin. Ricky and Allegra Juday celebrating 10 years on August 16th. Jay and Alice Franklin celebrating 40 years on August 18th.

**Usher Captain** – Ty Trainor

**Organist:** Pat Strickler

#### Worship Schedule

8:45 AM Traditional  
9:30 AM Contemporary "Gathering"  
11:00 AM Traditional Light

#### Adult Sunday School:

9:45 - Loyal Class (Library)  
10:00 - BASIC Class (Room 8)

#### Attendance - August 4

8:45 Traditional	162	Online:	99
9:30 Contemporary	42		43
11:00 Traditional Light	35		

**Total All: 239      Online: 142**

**Choir Practice** will start on August 21st. Potluck dinner is at 6 PM in Room 8 and Rehearsal will begin at 7 PM.

*After the August 15th mortgage payment, the balance will be \$223,865.51.*

## ***What's Happening at Otterbein!***

### **Barnabas Group**

The Barnabas Group has a new person for the month of **August** that would appreciate your prayers and notes. The name and note cards can be found in the narthex or multipurpose room. Please stop by and write a note to share God's love, encouragement, or comfort. If you are not a note writer, there are cards with notes already printed in them. You need only sign your name.

### **CPR / AED Certification Course**

If you would like to take the CPR / AED course on September 18, from 6 – 9 PM, please sign up on the bulletin board outside the office to ensure we are able to get you in the class. It is at the Carlisle EMS Academy, 102 West Ridge Street, Carlisle.

***Nancy will register you.*** The cost is \$35 per person, which the church will pay. If you would like to reimburse the church, please make your check payable to Otterbein UMC and in the memo write "CPR / AED" course.

### **Circle of Prayer**

Each week our Susquehanna Annual Conference requests prayer for churches within the Annual Conference, partner churches in Sierra Leone and conference camps. During the **week of August 11 - 17, please pray for** Pine Street Williamsport UMC – Williamsport, Galow UMC – Masorie – Sierra Leone, Gettysburg UMC – Gettysburg, St Johns Hegins UMC – Hegins, Martha UMC – Port Matilda, Lawvers UMC – McClure, Dalton UMC – Dalton, McKee UMC – East Freedom, Wrightsville Hope UMC – Wrightsville, Franklin Forks UMC – Montrose, Yarnell UMC – Bellefonte, Greene Hills Camp / Retreat Center & RV par – Alexandria

### **BASIC Sunday School Class – Starts August 11 – 10:00 AM – Room 8**

"How Happiness Happens" by Max Lucado

Join Harry Owens on Sunday mornings at 10 AM in Room 8 for this study. Our culture tries to convince us there is one way to happiness: aspire, acquire, desire, retire. Happiness depends on what we hang in our closet, park in our garage, and deposit in our bank account. Yet, it's a path that always fails to deliver. God wants to bring joy to the people of this generation, and in His Word, He has given us practical and applicable ways to quarry that joy by sharing it with others.

### **Apple Tree**



Apple Tree Harvest was a tremendous success thanks to all of you! We were able to provide students with a new outfit (or three!) and a backpack full of supplies for the first day of school. The students come from families facing tough times or actual homelessness.

Your generous monetary donations paid for the items on apples that were not picked and a new backpack for each student. Not only will these students be wearing new clothes on the first day of school, but hopefully a smile because of the love you shared with them. Thank you!

## Children & Teachers Bring Your Backpack / Workbag to Church for Blessing

It's hard to believe we are getting ready for a new school year. On Sunday, August 18<sup>th</sup>, during our three worship services, Pastor Steve will give a special blessing for backpacks or workbags for the start of the new school year. Ask your friends to come and bring their backpacks too. Remember God is always with you and beside you no matter where you are in your day.

## Project SHARE

A big THANK YOU to the Otterbein Wrappers!! The mission committee would like to thank the dedicated group of sandwich and wrap makers that prepped meals for the Summer Feeding program at Project SHARE. The group helped make approximately 68,000 lunches for the almost 500 area children who benefit from this program.

## School Supplies Collection



Thank you to everyone who contributed to our school supplies collection. We were able to fill all the backpacks for our Apple Tree students as well as students from our Daycare Back-to-school night.

## OY Meals

If anyone is interested in helping to provide meals for Otterbein Youth, please sign-up on the bulletin board in the hallway by the library. Thank you!

## Bus Trip to Sight and Sound – October 1, 2024

Join us for a trip to sight and sound via Wolf's Bus lines. We will depart from Otterbein at 10:30 a.m. and arrive at Shady Maple for lunch at 12:15 for a delicious all you can eat meal and time to browse the gift shop. After a delicious meal, we will head to Sight & Sound to enjoy the play "Daniel". We will arrive back at the church at 7:30 p.m. The cost is **\$183.00 per person** and includes gratuity. Checks should be made payable to Otterbein UMC and in the memo write "Bus Trip" or you can pay via cash at the office. Payment is due by August 9th. ***We had some people cancel and have a few seats left!***

## This Week at Otterbein

Event	Date	Time	Location
Bible Study	August 13	9:00 AM	Library
SPRC	August 14	5:30 PM	Library
Men's Life Group	August 15	7:00 PM	Library
Backpack Sunday	August 18	All Services	

## Looking forward.....

Event	Date	Time	Location
Outdoor Revival Service Picnic	August 25	10:00 AM 11:30 AM	Under the tent
Rise Against Hunger	September 29	10:00 AM	
Carlisle Brass Band Concert	October 27	3:00 PM	Sanctuary