

**PRAYER GUIDE FOR WEEK OF JUNE 11 THROUGH JUNE 18**

Please contact Pastor Jon Buxton or the Church Office at 570-675-3616 if you are being hospitalized, having surgery, in need of pastoral care or prayer. Prayer requests can be included on the email prayer chain by contacting the church office at shavertownumc@susumc.org.

**OUR PRAYER LIST:** The United Methodist Church, victims of violence; those persecuted for their faith; men & women in Law Enforcement; caregivers; those in difficult relationships; children & teens at risk; those incarcerated; those with hatred in their hearts; marriages in trouble, cancer and Covid 19 victims, families dealing with Alzheimer’s

**JOYS:** Our graduating seniors , new members of SUMC

**CONCERNS:** Our homebound friends, People of Ukraine, Jane Tolomello, Richardson Family, Smagin Family, Denise Culver, Jeanne Marie, Jennie Hill, The Niskey Family, Jimmy Tighe, The Fry Family, Jamie Rittenhouse

*Names remain on the list for 2 weeks unless notified otherwise. Thank You & may God bless!*

**PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY:**

Maj. Shannon Dzurly Dawson, US Air Force	Sgt. Amy Polachek, US Marines, Quantico, VA
LCDR John W. Gilligan, US Navy	Rick Hodle, Jr., US Navy
Sgt. Scott Kocher	Sgt. Josh McCue, US Air Force
Lt. Col. Stephen C. Phillips	Specialist Charles Yavorski, FT. Bragg, NC
Todd Mark, US Army, South Korea	2 <sup>nd</sup> LT Gregory Navestad, Hill AFB, UT
Col. P.J. Perrone Jr., Fort Belvoir, VA	Travis Butler, US Navy Reserves
Major Erika Reese, US Army, Ft. Benning, GA	Specialist Alex Barilla, US Army, KS
1 <sup>st</sup> Lt. Allen Carson, 109 <sup>th</sup> US Army Reserves, Phila.	Spc. Brandon Pall, Fort Hood, TX
Rick Hodle III, US Army	Jon Laity, US Navy, Japan
CPL Michael Biesecker, US Marine Corps Reserves	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lt. Michael T. Shutlock, US Air Force

**Think of this Friend** (with cards and prayers)

John & Gladys Chapple, 36 Longdale Ave., Shavertown, Pa. 18708

**Weekly Financial Goal: \$6,450      Week of June 4/5: \$4,693**  
**Faithfulness in Attendance June 4/5: In Person Worship 158 , Online Worship 35**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We are so glad to worship with you today!

Church Office Hours: Monday through Friday 8:30am through 3:00pm

**JUNE ALTAR GUILD:** Marilyn & Fred Wesley  
**LITURGIST:** Carol Folk (Sat) Rich Oley (Sun)  
**USHERS/GREETERS:** Lou & Gayle Yanora (Sat) TBD (Sun)  
**TRUSTEE SECURITY FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 12:** Dave Kelly  
**ACOLYTE:** Ava

Sun. June 12	Worship 9:30am
Mon. June 13	Woman’s Bible Study 1-3pm Lounge Praise Band Concert 7pm
Tues. June 14	Coffee & Conversation McDonald’s 10am Men’s Bible Study 7pm on Zoom Staff Meeting 11am
Wed. June 15	Prayer 9am on Zoom AA Meeting 7pm Social Hall Finance/Leadership/Communication Meeting 7pm
Thu. June 16	Men’s Ecumenical Breakfast 8am KB’S Coffee House
Fri. June 17	Community Care Cabinet 10am
Sat. June 18	Worship 5:30pm

***Father’s Day is June 19. If you would like to honor or remember any father, please fill out the form enclosed in this week’s bulletin and put it into the collection plate or drop it off at the church office. Thank you!***

**NURSERY AVAILABLE EVERY SUNDAY AT 9:30AM WORSHIP**

## COMING UP JUNE 18 THROUGH JUNE 25

**JUNE ALTAR GUILD:** Marilyn & Fred Wesley

**LITURGIST:** Cathy Berkey (Sat) Margie Esopi (Sun)

**USHERS/GREETERS:** Donna & Sarah Church (Sat) TBD (Sun)

**TRUSTEE SECURITY FOR THE WEEK OF JUNE 19:** Bob Bullock

**ACOLYTE:** Ella

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** In Honor of Rebecca & Rich Oleys's 28<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

Sun. June 19    Worship 9:30am-Father's Day

Mon. June 20    Woman's Bible Study 1-3pm Lounge  
Praise Band Rehearsal 7pm

Tues. June 21    Coffee & Conversation McDonald's 10am  
Men's Bible Study 7pm on Zoom  
Priscilla Circle Picnic 6pm Pavilion

Wed. June 22    Prayer 9am on Zoom  
AA Meeting 7pm Social Hall

Thu. June 23    Men's Ecumenical Breakfast 8am KB'S Coffee House

Fri. June 24    Community Care Cabinet 10am  
Grove UMC Youth Choir Concert 7pm

Sat. June 25    Worship 5:30pm

## MISSION AND MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES AT SHAVERTOWN UMC

**PRAYERS:** If you would like prayers lifted up through our [prayer chain](#), please call the office.

**VBS:** Calling all Explorers ages 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade... Our Discovery on Adventure Island VBS will be held July 18-21. Dinner is at 5:15pm and the Program is 6:00-8:00pm. The program includes music, games, science, crafts, and bible stories! Please register at [shavertownumc.mycokesburyvbs.com](http://shavertownumc.mycokesburyvbs.com). We hope you can join us for our Quest for God's Great Light!

**VBS VOLUNTEERS:** Adult and Youth Volunteers are needed for VBS. Please sign up in the Narthex or go on line and register as a volunteer. There are a variety of positions needing to be filled. We hope you can join us in the exciting opportunity to serve, lead, and most of all have fun while sharing the message of God with the children of SUMC and the community!

**PRISCILLA CIRCLE:** The annual Priscilla Circle picnic will be held this year on Tuesday, June 21, at 6pm at the pavilion. All women of the church are invited. Please bring a covered dish and your own place setting and a wrapped gift for the auction. Proceeds benefit the Sunshine Fund and VBS. Come enjoy an evening of laughter and fellowship.

**CONCERT:** Grove UMC Youth Choir from West Chester, PA presents "God is Our Rock" Choir concert here at Shavertown UMC on June 24<sup>th</sup>, 2022, at 7:00PM. You are invited to hear this group of young people share their faith through song.

**BACK TO SCHOOL BASH:** We will be having a backpack give away on August 13 at 10am. Please watch for upcoming information of how you can sponsor a backpack for a child in our community.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** As of June 1<sup>st</sup>, Kimberly's Floral has raised their price for the altar flowers from \$35 to \$50 due to the increasing cost of flowers and the fuel surcharge from their wholesaler. If you have signed up for altar flowers and do not wish to pay the new cost, please notify the church office. Thank you!

### VISITING OUR CHURCH FOR THE FIRST TIME

Welcome! We are so happy you are joining us for worship today. Please fill out a connection card found in the pew and put it in the collection plate. We invite you to visit our welcome table in the Narthex for a gift and information on the many ministries our church has to offer.

We hope you will join us again soon!

# Shavertown United Methodist Church

June 11-12, 2022

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

The mission of the United Methodist Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ  
for the transformation of the world!

(\* indicates please stand if you are able)

## PRELUDE

Saturday Worship Musician: Ed Pall

Sunday: "How Great Thou Art/  
The Majesty & Glory of Your Name"

By Arr. Suzanne Arant

Piano: Nancy Evans

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### CENTERING MEDITATION

O Lord, how manifold are your works! In wisdom you have made them all; the earth is full of your creatures. May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works.

Psalm 104:24a, 31

## \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Carol Folk (Sat)/Richard Oley (Sun)

A new day has dawned. God's gift of life is renewed in you and me.

**Praise God for today! Praise God for the creative spirit in our midst.**

Be still and know that God is here. Let the Spirit in.

**We are ready to pray and think and rejoice. We are ready to hear God's word.**

Then listen and respond to God, who meets us in new ways and in different sounds,  
today in worship, and every day in the world.

**Come to us, O God, and guide our worship. Speak. Speak to us the Word we need,  
and let that Word change us and empower us to be your people. Amen.**

## \*OPENING HYMN

"This Is My Father's World"

#144

## \*OPENING PRAYER

Carol Folk (Sat)/Richard Oley (Sun)

**Amazing God, you have shaped the world in wonder and mystery. With thanks we  
contemplate the good earth you have created and the joys of the sense. With awe we  
contemplate the unseen world, with its divine and demonic realities. You have created  
us so that we live as citizens of worlds seen and unseen. Help us, your creatures,  
to live so that your Spirit may become visible in our actions and relationships;  
through the grace of Jesus Christ, who shared our earthly life. Amen.**

## CHILDREN'S CHAT(Sun)

"Where Children Belong"

#2233

*This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshipping throng.*

*Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.*

## JOYS AND CONCERNS

## CALL TO PRAYER

"Holy, Holy, Holy"

#2007

*Holy, holy, holy. My heart, my heart adores you! My heart knows how to say to you: You are  
holy, Lord!*

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE/LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.**

**Thy kingdom come; thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those who trespass against us.**

**And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,  
for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

## CALL TO OFFERING

## GIFT OF MUSIC

"You Are Mine"

By David Haas

Soprano Soloist: Barb Buxton

## \*SONG OF PRAISE

"We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise"

#2031

*We bring the sacrifice of praise into the house of the Lord. We bring the sacrifice of praise into  
the house of the Lord. And we offer up to you the sacrifices of thanksgiving;*

*and we offer up to you the sacrifices of joy.*

## \*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Carol Folk (Sat)/Richard Oley (Sun)

**O Lord, we rejoice with thankful hearts, that you have given us this beautiful world in  
which to work and play—a world full of your wisdom and majesty; we offer praise with  
deepest gratitude, that you have blessed us with your bounty. As we return a portion of  
your blessing to us, use these offerings and tokens of our devotion: to increase  
wisdom in the world, to protect the created order, to bless the vulnerable,  
to heal the sick, and to comfort the afflicted. Amen**

**RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (Sun)**

The Baptismal Covenant I – UM Hymnal p. 33

We welcome Don & Joanne Osenbruck into our family of faith at Shavertown UMC.

**RESPONSIVE READING**

Psalm 104: 1-13, 24-35

Red Hymnal pg826

**WORD OF GOD**

Psalm 8

Carol Folk (Sat)/Richard Oley

(Sun)

**MESSAGE**

“Wonder-Full”

Pastor Jon

**\*HYMN OF GOING FORTH**

“God of the Sparrow God of the Whale”  
Vs. 1-3

#122

**\*BENEDICTION**

May the God of amazing grace give you eyes to see beauty everywhere,  
hands to do good to everyone and hearts to bless all you meet.

**\*POSTLUDE**

Postlude on “*Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones*”

By M. McConnell  
Organ: Nancy Evans



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**Hospitality Opportunity Prepare Engage**