

**Warwick Memorial United Methodist Church**

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*“First Green Church in the Virginia Conference of the United Methodist Church”*

**Ministers**

*All members of Warwick Memorial*

**WMUMC Staff**

*Page Williams-Director of Music Ministry; Susan Brendle-Music Assistant*

*Dick At Lee-Director of Youth Ministry; Gerry Turner-Director of Children and Family Ministries*

*Dave Munro-Coordinator of Ministries*

*Donna Jones-Administrative Assistant; Henry Daggs-Custodian*

*Partners in Pastoral Counseling: Peninsula Pastoral Counseling Center-873-2273*

**Dr. Steven F. Plymale, Pastor**

**Rev. Carole Stockberger, Minister of Pastoral Care**

**Worship Schedule**

**Sunday 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. Worship in Sanctuary**  
**9:45 a.m. Sunday School**

**RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS**

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY.....8:30 a.m.-111;11:00-132	
Total Worship Attendance .....	<b>243</b>
Sunday School Attendance .....	149
TOTAL 2009 OPERATING BUDGET .....	\$670,591.00
Less Funds in Hand	
2008 Carryover .....	\$67,000.00
2009 Checkbook .....	\$15,191.00
Required new income .....	\$588,000.00
Needed in Operating Budget Year to Date .....	\$237,510.00
Support to Operating Budget Year to Date .....	\$225,561.31
Support to Operating Budget Last Week.....	\$6,040.25
<u>Amount Needed Each Week for Operating Budget .....</u>	<u>\$11,310.00</u>
Available Balance in Building Fund .....	\$135,747.39
<small>(Excludes \$30,653.55) representing loan balance)</small>	
Support to Building Fund Year to Date .....	\$74,665.48
Support to Building Fund Last Week.....	\$4,893.00
Amount needed by June 9 for mortgage payment.....	\$18,837.07
Amount received Month to Date .....	\$15,745.73
Permanent Financing .....	\$2,186,740.90

**Open hearts, open minds, open doors!**

**May 31, 2009**

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**Confirmation**

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**As the body of Christ following the Spirit's leadership,  
we are a gateway to the Gospel  
and a nurturing community serving all.**

# Pentecost Sunday

Order of Worship

May 31, 2009

Today we celebrate the birthday of the Church  
as we welcome new members from our Confirmation Class.

## We Gather Together in the Celebration Center

Gathering

Welcome and Registration - *Please complete the registration card in your Warwick Weekly and place it in the offering place later in the service.*

Congregational Concerns

## In the Presence of God

Gathering Music: *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* Welsh Hymn Tune, arr. Berry  
*Spirit Song* Wimber, arr. Carter  
*Give Thanks* Smith, arr. Elwell  
Page Williams, Director of Music Ministries

Greeting and Welcoming One Another

\*The Call to Worship: *Let It Breathe on Me*  
Lighting of the Altar Candles

\*Invocation: "Pentecost Fire" a poem by Safiyah Fosua (UM worship resources)

\*Hymn of Praise: *There's A Spirit in the Air*  
*During this hymn, our Confirmation Class will bring their banner to the front of the worship area.*

## To Hear the Word and to Respond

Time of Prayer

Invitation to Prayer

Pentecost Prayer, prayed by our Confirmation Class

The Lord's Prayer

Reception of our Confirmation Class into full church membership

**Hannah Bradley**

**Jesse Call**

**Dillan Dodson**

**Katie Evans**

**Dylan Girvin**

**Chanté Lance**

**Lynsey Mancil**

\*Celebration of the Church's Birthday: *We Are the Church*  
Special Church Celebration Announcement

Beth Cumming

The Proclamation

Children's Time

God's Promises Puppet Ministry

(*Afterward, ages 4-7 may leave for Junior Church in room 27, led by the ushers.*)

*As the children depart, let the congregation sing:*

**Jesus loves the little children, all the children of the world,  
Red, brown, yellow, black and white, all are precious in His sight,  
Jesus loves the little children of the world.**

\*The Word from the Gospel: Matthew 7:13-29

Sermon: The Narrow Way

\*Hymn of Response: *Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm us*

## To Dedicate Ourselves and our Resources

Dedication of our Tithes, Offerings and Commitments - *Please place your completed Registration Card in the offering plate. Thank you!*

Offertory: *Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart* Atkinson, arr. Labenske

\*Doxology: *All Creatures of Our God and King, v. 7*

## To Depart with Christ's Blessing, Prepared to Serve in Christ's Name

\*Hymn of Dismissal: *Shalom to You*

\*Dismissal with Blessing

\*Recessional

\*Postlude: *Sent Forth by God's Blessing* Welsh Folk Hymn, arr. Rocherolle

*\*Please stand as able.*

## Prayer Concerns:

Care Facility: Kitty DeWees, Lois Eason, Paul Green, Ruby Lusby, Priscilla McCoig,  
Evelyn McKay, Darley Storey

Hospital:

Home: Vince and Marian Bonacci, Bill Brockett, Kristi Buckman, Celeste DeVault,  
Hester Dymond, Beth Ellis, Samantha Fries, Jim Hofler, Dot Johnson, Shaun Kelley,  
Paul Lowe, Mickey Mancil, Beverly Mayeaux, Judy McConnell, Del Miller, Jerry  
Murray, Faith Ogilvie, Elaine Phillips, Harry Rountree, Harry Russell, Jean Scott,  
Jean Williams

Other: Larry and Elsie Bevins-death of Larry's brother-in-law; Megan Neal-teaching in  
Honduras; Erin At Lee-10 day mission trip to Brazil

Deployed Military: Alan Earley, Jack Nothstine, Tim Claus, Brent Legreid

Relationship Missionary: All of our missionaries

## Lectionary Readings:

Acts 2:1-21; Psalm 104:24-34, 35b

Romans 8:22-27; John 15:26-27, 16:4b-15