



Avery United Methodist Church

1100 Gabby Avenue

Washington, PA 15301

Bill Lawler, Pastor

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June 25, 2023 at 10:30 AM 4th Sunday after Pentecost

**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

Prelude

Gathering & Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: Welcome! This is a time to celebrate and worship God who loves us.

People: We are grateful and thankful for all of God's blessings in our lives.

Leader: We gather to remember that Christ gave his life for us.

People: We humbly praise God for such a gift!

Leader: Come, friends! Come and worship the God of love and hope.

People: Praise be to God at all times and in all places.

*Hymn #577

God of Grace and God of Glory

Scripture

Romans 6:1-11

Children's Moments

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

The 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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture

Matthew 10:24-39

Leader: The word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon

How Many Hairs Do You Have?

Hymn #377

It Is Well with My Soul

Offering Ourselves and Gifts to God

Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn #707 *Hymn of Promise*

*Benediction

Postlude

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God with abundant gratitude to the Avery UMC family for your kindness, love and FRIENDSHIP!! You have been and will always be a most precious blessing to me. My life has been made better because of you!
In Christian love, Linda Boice*

Worship Servants

<u>A/V Support</u>	Jessica Garda
<u>Liturgist</u>	Bob Frye
<u>Ushers</u>	Bob Areford, Ron Davis
<u>Altar Guild</u>	Pam Verderber

In Our Prayers

<u>Concerns</u>	Judy Coble	Ruth Fullerton	Isabell Heather
	Mindy Kelley	Carlo Krenzela	Lori Martin
	Grant Murphy	Kathleen O'Brien	Dorris Rea
<u>Birthdays</u>	Denise Davis	6/25	
	Ron Davis	6/28	
	JR Pond	6/30	
	Barb Humphreys	7/1	

This Week at Avery

<u>Tue. 6/27</u>	
12:00 pm	Clergy Group
<u>Sun. 7/2</u>	<u>5th Sunday after Pentecost</u>
10:30 am	Worship

Church Staff

<u>Pastor</u>	Bill Lawler
<u>Office Manager</u>	Linda Boice
<u>Dir. of Children's Ministries</u>	Debbie Crouse
<u>Worship Accompanist</u>	Iain Callan

Church Office Hours

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OFFICE MANAGER POSITION

We will be hiring an Office Manager to replace Linda Boice who is resigning to accept a music ministry position at her home church. Details regarding start date, office hours and remuneration are still being discerned by Church Council. In the interim, you may contact a member of SPRC to express interest in the position, or to make a personal reference.

MOVIE NIGHT!

Bring your lawn chair or blanket and join us for Outdoor Movie Night!
Sunday July 16, 8 pm. We'll be watching Disney's "*El Canto*". Snacks provided.

POTLUCK LUNCH

Plan to stay after worship on **Sunday July 30** for our next Potluck Lunch.

FLEA MARKET

Mark your calendars for an Avery UMC Flea Market on **Saturday August 12, 9 am-3 pm.** Information about when donated items can be accepted will be provided at a later date. Helpers are needed for inside and outside vending. Please contact an Outreach Committee member if able to assist.

"OLD CROSSES TO NEW"



AVERY IN ACTION

Each quarter, our *Avery in Action* funds are designated to a specific cause.

2nd Quarter: *Trinity West Lunch Angels*

Our 2nd Quarter contributions will be used to pay off students' cafeteria fees which are past due, and to pay it forward for struggling Trinity West families.

The July-August edition of *The Upper Room* is now available.