



Avery United Methodist Church

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June 18, 2023 at 10:30 AM 3rd Sunday after Pentecost

**Please rise in body or in spirit.*

Prelude

Gathering & Announcements

*Call to Worship

Leader: Raise your voices in response to God's goodness.

People: We praise you, O Lord, for all the blessings you have given us.

Leader: Lift your hearts in sweet surrender to God's mercy.

People: We thank you, O Lord, for hearing the prayers of our hearts.

Leader: God is good. Praise be to God!

People: The love and mercy of God never fails.

*Hymn #369

Blessed Assurance

Scripture

Romans 5:1-8

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 9:35-10:8
Leader: The word of God for the people of God.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon *Messy People Joining Hands*

Hymn #568 *Christ for the World We Sing*

Offering Ourselves and Gifts to God

Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn #394** *Something Beautiful*

***Benediction**

Postlude

*The altar flowers are given to the glory of God
in honor of Ian & Lindsey Miller's 5th wedding anniversary by Cindy Miller.*

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>	Barb Humphreys

In Our Prayers

<u>Concerns</u>	Judy Coble	Ruth Fullerton	Isabell Heather
	Mindy Kelley	Carlo Krenzelak	Lori Martin
	Grant Murphy	Kathleen O'Brien	Dorris Rea
<u>Birthdays</u>	Arlene Millick	6/20	
	Floyd Marasco	6/21	
<u>Anniversaries</u>	Joe & Phyllis Kern	6/18	

This Week at Avery

<u>Mon. 6/19</u>	
6:30 pm	Outreach Committee
<u>Tue. 6/20</u>	
12:00 pm	Clergy Group
<u>Sun. 6/25</u>	<u>4th 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

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YARD WORK DAY

Bring your rakes and shovels on **Saturday June 24 at 10 am** to help out with some much needed grooming and upgrades to the church flower beds. We will be removing some of the old material, then adding some weed barrier, fresh soil and new plants. Please contact an Outreach Committee member if able to assist.

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.

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.

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.



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The Upper Room
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