

THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR

Sunday, July 21
9:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:00 a.m. Worship Service
Monday, July 22
10:00 a.m. Art Class
Tuesday, July 23
9:00 a.m. Romeo’s
7:00 p.m. Property Task Force Meeting
Wednesday, July 24
10:00 a.m. Bible Study, Boundless Compassion
11:00 a.m. Centering Prayer
5:30 p.m. Haiti Team Meeting



THE INCREDIBLE RACE VBS & Adult VBS
July 28 – August 1; 6:30– 8:30 p.m.
ON YOUR MARK, GET SET, GO! It’s a race unlike anything you’ve ever experienced. A race filled with fun clues to find, loaded with interesting challenges to attempt, and a global scavenger hunt like you’ve never seen. At the same time, it’s about another race. A race that began at the Garden of Eden and continues until this day, made up of all people from all time. What race? The human race where we are One Family, One Race, One Savior. Register your children and grandchildren in the Narthex today!

An Adult Bible Study will take place during VBS from 7 - 8 pm. You are free to join the kids for the opening and closing assembly to learn about the daily challenges and more!
The adults will discuss the following questions plus many more:
1.How has culture conditioned us to separate people by differences?
2.How do we explain diversity in humanity from a Biblical perspective?
3.What is significant about the origin of the human race when it comes to relating to other people who are different from us?
4. How do we tend to look at people in comparison to how God sees them?
Please sign up in the Narthex or contact the church office.

Session

Class of 2019	Class of 2020
Diane Baldwin, chair, Nominating Committee	Eric Barringer, vice chair, Personnel
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Nikki Kariuki, chair - Missions	Howard Jennings, chair Romeos
Tim Roach, chair - Property	John Lanier, co- chair, Budget & Finance

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Welcoming All
Serving Christ
Transforming Lives

The Service for the Lord’s Day
6th Sunday after Pentecost
July 21, 2019

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Nancy Dawson
PRELUDE *Brethren, We Have Met to Worship* arr. C Tornquist
DISCIPLES GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD
*CALL TO WORSHIP (Please Stand)
L: Come worship the Holy One of Israel!
P: We come to sit at the master’s feet. To listen and to hear.
L: Come to sing and pray and praise.
P: We give you thanks, O God, and come to praise your name.

PRAYER OF INVOCATION
*HYMN #35 *Praise Ye The Lord, The Almighty*

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

In the busyness of our lives, we often miss the rest you offer to us. In our desire to serve, we sometimes run ourselves till we are dry and empty. In our eagerness to please in the moment we neglect what is best in the long term. Forgive us O God. Help us to know when to go and do and when to sit and listen. AMEN

(Please take a moment of silence for personal confession and reflection.)

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and the Son, and the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

We offer God’s peace to one another in the ancient words of the church: “The peace of Christ be with you.” & response “And also with you.”

DISCIPLES LISTEN TO THE WORD OF GOD		
SCRIPTURE READING	Colossians 1:15-23	pew Bible, page 244
	Lector	
ANTHEM	Lead On O King Eternal	
	Men of the Choir	

SCRIPTURE READING	Luke 10 38-42	pew Bible, page 87
SERMON	Mary and Martha	Nancy Dawson

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Colossians 1:15 - 20

We look at this Son and see the God who cannot be seen. We look at this Son and see God’s original purpose in everything created. For everything, absolutely everything, above and below, visible and invisible, rank after rank after rank of angels—*everything* got started in him and finds its purpose in him. He was there before any of it came into existence and holds it all together right up to this moment. And when it comes to the church, he organizes and holds it together, like a head does a body.

He was supreme in the beginning and—leading the resurrection parade—he is supreme in the end. From beginning to end he’s there, towering far above everything, everyone. So spacious is he, so roomy, that everything of God finds its proper place in him without crowding. Not only that, but all the broken and dislocated pieces of the universe—people and things, animals and atoms—get properly fixed and fit together in vibrant harmonies, all because of his death, his blood that poured down from the cross.

HYMN #688	Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart
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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD’S PRAYER	Hymnal, page 35
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 debts, As we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation. But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.	

DEDICATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING		
OFFERTORY	If With All Your Hearts	F. Mendelssohn
*DOXOLOGY	Hymn #606	
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.		

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION (in unison)

We bless you O God and remember your steadfast love and mercy. May these gifts enable us to go and do in your name. May they also enable us and others to come and sit at your feet that your grace might be spread throughout this community and beyond. AMEN

*HYMN #724	O Jesus, I Have Promised
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DISCIPLES DEPART TO SERVE GOD	
*BENEDICTION	
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE	Hymn #288
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me; mold me; fill me; use me.	
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.	

*POSTLUDE	Prayer	Beethoven
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*Please stand if able.



“Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your minds, so that you may discern what is the will of God - what is good and acceptable and perfect.”

Romans 12:2

Welcome to Worship at Quaker Memorial Presbyterian Church!

Our faith community extends a warm welcome to visitors worshipping with us today and hopes that you will return often.

For more than a century, Quaker Memorial has been committed to our mission of Welcoming All, Serving Christ, Transforming Lives. If you are seeking a church that offers abundant opportunities for spiritual and personal growth and Christian witness, we believe that you will find a home here.

Visitors are invited to take a visitor gift bag (available in the narthex).

OUR GREETERS this morning are Jim Glass & Gail Midkiff.

OUR USHERS for the month are Joan Woodroof (head usher), Anita Dezendorf, Maureen Lockridge, Chuck McKeag, and Rob Palmer.

OUR ACOLYTE this morning is Allie Wood.

OUR NURSERY HELPER this morning is Lisa Cawthorne.

OUR LECTOR this morning is Belinda Chapman.

OUR LITURGIST this morning is Gail Midkiff.

THE CHANCEL FLOWERS this Sunday are given by Lois O. Sandidge to the glory of God and in loving memory of her family; parents Mr. & Mrs. W. B. Owen, brother Bryan Edward Owen, and sister Evelyn Lacy Owen.

WORSHIP BAGS are available in a basket in the Narthex for children who stay in the sanctuary during worship. They contain tools for worship and items to foster creativity. Enjoy the bags, and at the end of worship, please return them to the basket.

WELCOME PADS are located in each pew. Each person is requested to sign this pad and provide the appropriate information. Pass the pad to your neighbor and return it to its original position, so that everyone may learn the names of all on your pew.

HEARING DEVICES are available in the Narthex. Please see an usher for assistance.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS AND BULLETINS are available from the ushers.

PLEASE REMEMBER to turn off or silence your cell phone prior to the beginning of worship services.