## May 25, 2025 Memorial Day Weekend

**Watchword for the Week –** Jesus said, "Peace I leave with you; My peace I give to you." John 14:27

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**Welcome to our service of worship** on this Memorial Day Weekend and sixth Sunday in the season of Easter. Yes, that's right. Easter is not just a one-day celebration. It is a 49-day season of the church year. More importantly, the Good News of Easter - the resurrection of Jesus - is something we celebrate whenever and wherever we gather for worship. In our Risen Lord and Savior there is hope, joy, strength and power for living!

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you're here. Please take a moment to add your name, address and phone number to the blue Friendship Register as it is passed down the pew. We consider you an honored guest and hope you will return and worship with us often in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home – a place where you can share Christian fellowship, learn, serve and grow as a follower of Jesus – we would love to talk to you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude Eternal Father, Strong to Save Dykes

**Welcome and Announcements** 

**Hymn** God of Our Fathers (Burg) # 809

**Honoring Heroes** 

Recognition of Veterans
Remembering Those Who Died in Service to Our Country
Silent Prayer
Tolling of Chimes

**Hymn** My Country, 'Tis of Thee (Burg) # 807

Children ages 4-2<sup>nd</sup> grade may leave for Children's Church and those in grades 3-5 may leave for Kid's Worship

**Joys and Concerns** 

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Giving to God Our Tithes and Offerings

Prayer

Offertory Prayer for America Hamby Doxology Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture Acts 6:8-7:1 and 7:51-8:1

**Sermon** "Things Worth Living and Dying For"

**Hymn** Battle Hymn of the Republic (Burg) # 804

**Benediction** 

**Choral Amen** 

Postlude Wonderful, Wonderful Jesus Sellers

The flowers today are in recognition of 40 years of wonderful marriage between Jim and Keri Williams. Jim would like to express the many blessings (a special partner, beautiful children, and loving grandchildren) he has received from simply saying "I do." Proverbs 18:22 reads, "He who finds a wife, finds what is good and receives favor from the LORD."

**Friedberg will be hosting a blood drive** on Sunday, June 1 from 12:30 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. To make an appointment please go to <a href="https://www.redcross.org">https://www.redcross.org</a>, call the church office at (336) 764-1830 or call Chuck Stone at (336) 978-5537.

The Women's Fellowship General Meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 3 at 6:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This will be a salad and dessert potluck. John Dyer and Mike Lambeth will be speaking about the Zambian synod trip, and John Dyer will also be singing with Debbie Foltz playing. All are welcome to join in the fun and fellowship, and please bring a salad or dessert to share.

The Baby Bottle Campaign for Salem Pregnancy Care Center will be Mother's Day, May 11, through Father's Day, June 15. Pick up a baby bottle, fill it with cash, coins or checks (payable to Salem Pregnancy Care Center) and return it to the narthex or to the back of the sanctuary. This campaign is sponsored by the Friedberg Mission Committee.

Be Present at our Table, Lord...Enhance Friedberg's rich food history by contributing recipes to the new cookbook, sponsored by the Women's Fellowship. Whether it's a new dish or one that your family has enjoyed for generations, we want your favorites to be featured in the cookbook. If it was included in a previous Friedberg cookbook or originated with a family

non-member, we would love to have it. You may submit your recipes on forms available in classrooms and entrances to the church or you may email them to <a href="mailto:recipes@friedbergmoravian.org">recipes@friedbergmoravian.org</a>. Please use a form as your guide when submitting by email. For questions see Marcia Reich, Julia Hedgecock, Beth Gunter or Vicki Stanfield; or contact us through the recipe email above. Deadline for recipes is June 15.

**All parents** who have a child in Children's Church and Kid's Worship will be <u>required</u> to physically come down to the Children's Center and Pathfinders Sunday School Room at the end of worship to pick up their child.

Sunday, May 25

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude

9:15 a.m. Prayer Partners – Parlor

9:45 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Worship/Livestream

Monday, May 26 (Memorial Day)

Church Office Closed

Tuesday, May 27

7:00 p.m. Mission Committee – Discovery Rm

Wednesday, May 28

6:00 p.m. Youth – Practice for Youth Sunday

Thursday, May 29

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study – Discovery Rm

7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball – FLC

Saturday, May 31

9:00 a.m. – WF Spring Bazaar

2:00 p.m.

Sunday, June 1 (Youth Sunday)

9:15 a.m. Band Prelude 9:15 a.m. Prayer Partners – Parlor

9:45 a.m. Promotion Sunday 11:00 a.m. Worship/Livestream 12:30-5:00 p.m. Blood Drive – FLC

2:00-5:00 p.m. Youth Graduation Pool Party

# FRIEDBERG MORAVIAN CHURCH PRAYER CONCERNS

May 25, 2025

### **MEMBERS**

Phil Carter	Barbara Koonts	Grace Rutledge
Cecilia Cook	Pat Lambeth-Watson	Ann Sapp
Jim Ebert	Yvonne Lemons	Betty Sink
Emily Essick	Jan Mabe	Beverly Smith
Jerry Evans	Carolyn Mason	Jimmie Snyder
Gary Fitts	Rebecca Mickey	Larry Snyder
Archie Foltz	Vickie Murphy	Lou Snyder
Andrea Glass	Reba Payne	Gray Stanfield
Ronnie Hedgecock	Kolton Pennell	Andy Stone
Jan Johnson	Mary Lou Pitts	Jerry & Gail Tolley
Sam Johnson	Martha Plyler	Norm West
Mark Kimel	Wanda Russell	Ellen Young

### Family and Friends Prayer Concerns Submitted Since Last Sunday:

Doug Davis, Todd Jarvis, Shirley Johnson

### MEMBERS AND RELATIVES IN MILITARY

Jennifer Greenwood Colton Scott Brandon Thompson
Ben Greeson Jon Eric Spaar, Jr. Aidan Wheeler
Patrick Mickey Ryan Spach Quintin Zemon

Daniel Randleman

# MISSIONARIES AND MINISTRIES RECEIVING FINANCIAL SUPPORT FROM FRIEDBERG

Armando Rusindo Mission Foundation Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and

Safie Braima - Sierra Leone Activity Center

Charlie & Vicki Brent – CRU,
Texas A & M University
Phil III & Eunice Raiford, Commission
to Every Nation (CTEN) - Mexico
Michael & Brenda Brent – CRU, Croatia
Michael & Ceci Tesh, Ray of Hope

Anna Stewart Faircloth – Young Life Orphanage – Kenya

Keith Graham - Cookies for Christ Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry

Dusty & Christin Harrison – Intervarsity, Joey Yokely – Fellowship of

Clemson University Christian Athletes

Current prayer concerns: Doug Davis made a complete recovery from brain surgery. He is a friend of Clayton Denny. Sam Johnson is in Encompass Rehab, and he is improving from his stroke on 5/11/25. Shirley Johnson had pre-cancer mouth surgery on 5/22/25. She is Robin Coleman's mom and Heather Pennell's grandma. Jan Mabe's cardiologist testing was inconclusive. She will have further testing at the end of the month. Beverly Smith is on medication to treat a blood clot.





Friedberg Moravian Women's Fellowship

# BAZAAR

Saturday, May 31 9am - 2pm Free Admission | Rain or Shine

40+ INDOOR & OUTDOOR VENDORS, FOOD, SILENT AUCTION, MUSIC, & MORE!

**Baked Goods** Clothing Crafts Handmade Items Seasonal Decor

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You are invited to join us at Friedberg Moravian Church for our Vacation Bible School!!! Get ready for summer as we will be "Racing Into Summer"!! This year our Vacation Bible School will be held Wednesday, June 4-Friday, June 6 as a kickoff into our Summer months. We will have TONS of fun as we look into getting ready: "Training for the Race", running the race: "Stay the Course" and finally finishing strong: "Victory in Jesus"! All of these will focus around the verse found in Hebrews 12:1-2 – "Let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us, fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith..." There will be something for children and adults this year.

Come run the race with us as we go "Racing Into Summer"! We cannot wait to see you! Just scan the QR code below with your phone to register! If you have any questions, feel free to contact Heidi Everhartat heverhart@friedberg.church





and/or emotional disabilities (a Special Olympics partner).

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LEARN MORE: WWW.HOOFANDPAWTRAC.ORG

**REGISTER NOW: WWW.ACTIVE.COM** 



Mission
Awareness Dinner
New Philadelphia
Moravian Church
Sunday, June 8, 2025 at
5:30 PM
Speaker: Angelica
Regalado Cieza

Please join the Mission Society for the Mission Awareness Dinner featuring Angelica Regalado Cieza giving an update from the Board of World Mission and Estamos Unidos. Short-term mission teams sponsored by the Mission Society will also be commissioned at this event. The cost is \$12.00 per person and payment can be made at the door. We hope you will join us for this great mission event. If you have any questions contact Jennifer Boles at 336-773-1732 or jboles@mcsp.org.

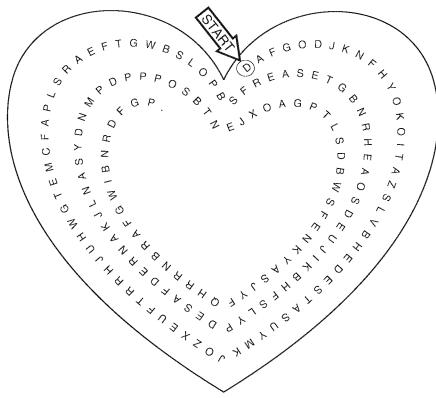


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Follow the letters around the spiral. Write every fourth letter on the lines below to read what Jesus said.



Jesus said, "_D_	 
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May 25, 2025 · John 14:23-29

# Jesus Promises the Holy Spirit

Jesus was talking to His disciples about going away from them to be with His Father. What did He say?

Add or subtract from the letter given to find the correct letter to write in the spaces. Example: A + 16 = Q

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

E+3 U+2 D-3 H+6 W+2 R-3 T-6 A+4J+5 C+2 G+8 R-5 T-8 Z-4 D+1 0+4P+7 P-7 1+3 P-4 T-5 A+1R-13 M+12 Z-1 S-6

N+6

G-6

H-3

A+2

2 K-3

D+5

S-5

B+5



The Rev. Jim Newsome-Senior Pastor
Karen Hill-Director of Youth Ministry
Heidi Everhart-Director of Children's Ministry
Debbie Foltz-Music Director
Jimmie Snyder-Band Director
Marcia Reich-Preschool Director

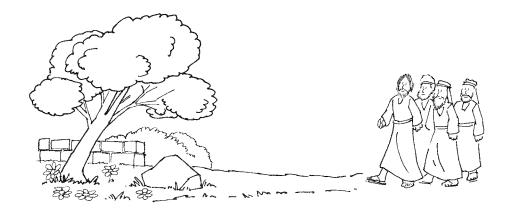
Jesus told the disciples that someone would be with them, in His name, when He was away from them.

Who would that be?

Work the puzzles below, adding and subtracting letters, to find who Jesus was talking about.

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$$g - cissors + g - g + ake + g - rabb =$$



Use the code to find what Jesus said.

Jesus said,

