

July 27, 2025
Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Watchword for the Week – Lord, teach us to pray. Luke 11:1

Welcome to our service of worship for this seventh Sunday after Pentecost - the season of the Holy Spirit. The Spirit was sent by the Risen Lord, Jesus Christ, to supply the church with everything needed to serve Him faithfully until the day of His return. As we worship today, let us pray for a fresh outpouring of the Spirit upon ourselves, our church, our community, nation and world. May more and more people everywhere hear and respond to the Good News - that Jesus is the Way; the Truth; the Life; the only source of salvation.

If you are visiting with us today we are especially glad you are 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 that you will return and worship with us in the weeks to come. If you are looking for a church home, we would love to talk with you about joining the Friedberg church family.

Prelude *Light of the World (Sing Hallelujah)*
Andrew Berghold, Ed Cash, Franni Cash, Martin Cash, Scott Cash
Reserved Parking

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn *Blessed Assurance* (Burg) # 572

Children's Sermon

Children ages 4-2nd 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 *There's a Wideness in God's Mercy* William Faber
Reserved Parking
Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* (Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture

Mark 9:14-29

Hymn

If Not Now Carrie Newcomer
Reserved Parking

Sermon

"The Faithless Faithful"

Hymn

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus (Burg) #581

Benediction

Postlude

Trust and Obey Towner

The sanctuary flowers today are in honor of the wedding of Riley and Chloe Hill, who were married here at Friedberg on July 26, 2025. We thank God for uniting them in love and commitment, and we ask for His blessings on their life together. May their relationship grow stronger each day, and may their home always be a place of joy and support. "Three things will last forever – faith, hope, and love – and the greatest of these is love."
1 Corinthians 13:13

The rosebud in the sanctuary today is to celebrate the birth of Owen John McKeever, son of Michael and Ali McKeever born on July 18, 2025. Congratulations to them and to the proud grandma Tanya Kimel, aunt Amanda Frank, and cousin Nora Frank.

We appreciate Reserved Parking for providing special music today. Reserved Parking formed during the COVID-19 pandemic to provide music for Unity Moravian Church's live-streamed worship. This multi-generational group plays a variety of music, including Christian, spiritual, and folk music, and classic rock. Several members have been making music together for over 25 years. They continue to provide musical leadership for worship on third Sundays and special services. **Featured Today:** Ruth Cole Burcaw & Melanie Horton (vocals), Mel Howell (guitar), Brandon Nofle (keyboard), and Randy Nofle (bass/guitar). Jake Burcaw (drums) also plays with the group, but he's off fighting fires in Mooresville today!

First Friday Breakfast is this Friday, August 1! Bishop Armando Rusindo is our speaker. Join us for fellowship, inspiration, and breakfast.

It's almost Chosen time again!! Weekly meetings will be starting again soooooon!! Gary and Lisa Jackson are showing Seasons 4 and 5 in the sanctuary on Sundays between 4:30-6:30 p.m. (two episodes each week) beginning August 3rd. Lisa will begin Season 5 at her house on Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. beginning on September 3rd. Debbie James will begin Season 5 at her house on Sunday afternoons at 4:30 p.m. beginning September 7th. If you have any questions, see Lisa (336-416-9742) or Debbie (336-407-9717).

Summer Vespers – Please join us for our last Vespers service of the summer on Wednesday, August 6. The Men's Fellowship is providing a meal in the Fellowship Hall at 6:00 p.m., and the Vespers service will be at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Please bring your own chair for the service, and we look forward to spending time together in worship and fellowship.

If you would like to pre-order a copy of the 2026 Moravian Daily Texts, please contact the church office at 336-764-1830 or email mwebb@friedberg.church. The large print editions are \$15.00, and the regular print are \$13.00. No payment is necessary at the time you pre-order but will be due when you pick them up. **Please pre-order no later than August 11, 2025.**

Senior Choir will return to rehearsals on August 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the choir room. All are invited to join the choir! **Sr Bell Choir** returns to rehearsals on September 3 at 6:15 p.m. in the bell room.

All parents who have a child in Children's Church and Kid's Worship will be required 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, July 27

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
6:00 p.m.	Advent Hopewell Band Summer Concert – FLC

Monday, July 28

8:00 a.m.	Walking and Talking – FLC
6:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts – Youth Rm
7:00 p.m.	Boy Scouts – FH

Tuesday, July 29

6:00 p.m.	Biblical Citizenship Class – FH
7:00 p.m.	Mission Committee – Discovery Rm

Wednesday, July 30

8:00 a.m.	Walking and Talking – FLC
4:30 p.m.	Honduras Meeting – Discovery Rm

Thursday, July 31

9:00 a.m.	Men's Bible Study – Discovery Rm
6:00 p.m.	Youth – Dinner and Summer Bible Study

Friday, August 1

7:00 a.m.	First Friday Men's Breakfast – FH
8:00 a.m.	Walking and Talking – FLC

Sunday, August 3

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
4:30 p.m.	The Chosen – Sanctuary

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Later still, Hosea and Gomer had another son. Find out what the Lord said ...

Fill in the missing letters.

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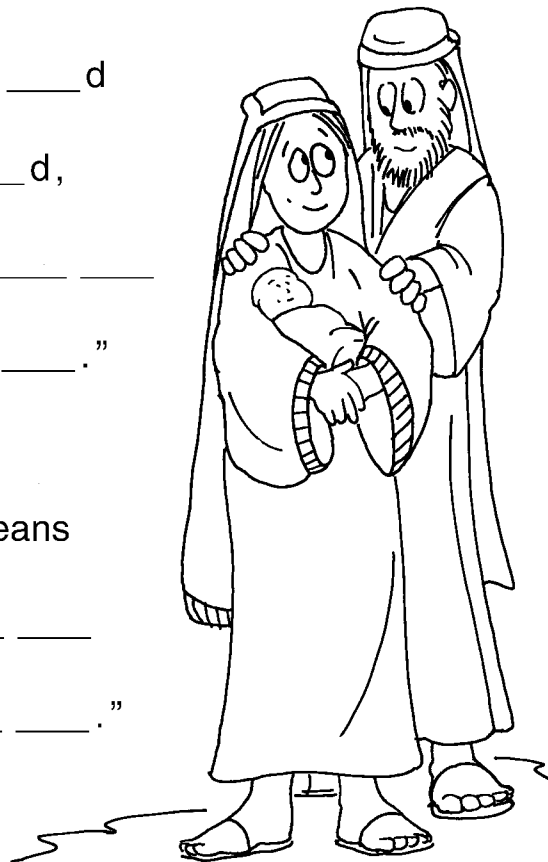
“C ____ l ____ h ____

L ____ -A ____ m ____.”

This name means

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The Lord used this name to teach Hosea that the people were acting as if they did not belong to the Lord.

Ages 7+

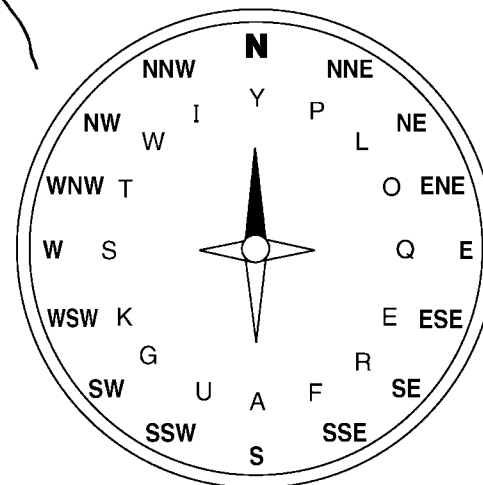
July 27, 2025 • Hosea 1:2-10

Hosea, Gomer and Their Children

The Lord spoke to Hosea. What did He tell Hosea to do?



Use this compass code to find out.



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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



What happened next?

Use this code to find out.

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



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T L N V I,

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W R Y O Z R N Z M W

H S V X L M X V R E V W

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Z H L M G S V M

G S V O L I W

H Z R W G L

S L H V Z,

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Later, Hosea and Gomer had a daughter.
What was her name?

Write the name of each picture.

Then transfer the letters from the boxes to the lines below.

















