October 5, 2025 Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Worldwide Communion Sunday

Watchword for the Week – Commit your way to the Lord; trust in Him, and He will act. Psalm 37:5

Welcome to our service of worship for Worldwide Communion Sunday. Each year on the first Sunday in October, Christians around the world proclaim our unity in the Lord Jesus Christ by partaking of Holy Communion. As we worship together and share in this holy meal, may God empower us to live out the unity we proclaim:

If you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from His love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose.

(Philippians 2:1-2, NIV)

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.

The Moravian Church practices open communion. All who have been baptized and understand the significance of this holy meal are welcome to receive it. The pastors will bring the elements from the communion table and serve the congregation in the pews. All who desire to receive Holy Communion are asked to stand, two rows at a time. To receive the bread, extend your right hand, palm up, and you will be served a small wafer. For the cup, the tray will be extended so that you may take one of the cups. Please wait until all have been served each element so that the entire congregation may partake together.

Attendance at Holy Communion is a very important aspect of your relationship with God and fellow members of the Church. For this reason, we keep record of those who attend our services of Holy Communion. If you plan to receive communion today, please fill out one of the communion attendance cards, located in the pew rack, and place in the offering plate later in the service.

Gluten-free communion wafers. The front row of the section of pews immediately to the right of the pulpit is reserved for those who need to receive gluten-free communion wafers. You may move to that row before worship begins, during the opening hymn, or when we exchange the right hand of fellowship at the beginning of the communion liturgy.

Prelude On Eagle's Wings

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn In Christ There Is No East or West (Blue) # 523

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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 O Gentle Savior Crosby/Doane
Doxology Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture 1 Corinthians 12:12-27

Sermon "Body Life"

(#2 in "Pictures of the Church" Series)

Holy Communion for Worldwide Communion Sunday (Blue) p. 196

Benediction

Postlude We Who Here Together Covenant

Dear parents, it's time again to round up all Morning Star singers! Any child from age 3 years up to 6th grade can sing. Sign-ups will be on October 12 and 19 in the choir room. Please indicate all services your child can sing. I will assign verses, and we will rehearse in the choir room on October 26. All other rehearsals will be in the sanctuary immediately following Sunday morning worship. Please contact me if you have any questions at deborafoltz@yahoo.com or 336-971-0111. Debbie Foltz

The Honduras Mission Team has partnered with the 2026 Youth National Mission Team to collect essential items for their trip in January. The youth will be preparing baby layettes for mothers of newborns, and an Amazon wish list has been created for these baby layettes and for medical team supplies. If you would like to contribute, you can access the Amazon wish list at this link: https://bit.ly/47QGT5d Thank you once again for your continued support of the mission work being carried out around the world!

Friedberg will be hosting a community blood drive today, October 5, from 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. There are still open time slots. Check with Chuck Stone in the Family Life Center.

On Thursday, October 9, Senior Friends will travel to Taylorsville for lunch at Teens & Deans. We will also visit two local thrift shops and Deals Apple Orchard. Buses will leave the lower parking lot at 10:00. All seats are currently reserved, but we expect to have cancellations. Please call Carol if your plans change, or if you want to be added to the overflow list. 336-764-1353 or bcknouse@yahoo.com

We are seeking willing servers for the Dining Room on Saturday, November 1 at our Fall Chicken Pie Supper. This is such an important service opportunity for our church and community. Our first shift is 3:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m., and second shift is 5:15 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. For questions and sign-ups, please contact Angie Fishel at 336-414-4821 or angiefishel61@gmail.com or contact Michelle Tucker at 336-408-0477 or tuckedin88@yahoo.com We look forward to hearing from you!

It's stuffing mix time! Friedberg has again been asked to provide stuffing mix for Pastor's Pantry for the holiday meal they provide seniors in Davidson County. This year, we've been asked to provide 450 boxes! The collection bins are in the hallway outside the Fellowship Class. Sunday, November 9 will be our cutoff date. Please think about this news when you get groceries, and let's again do what we can to help our neighbors!

All parents with 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, October 5 (Worldwide Communion)

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 12:30 p.m. Blood Drive – FLC

1:30 p.m. Honduras Team – Discovery Rm 4:30 p.m. The Chosen – Debbie James's House

4:30 p.m. CROSS Kids

4:30 p.m. Youth

Monday, October 6

8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts – Youth Rm

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts – FH 7:00 p.m. C.E. Board – CC

Tuesday, October 7

6:00 p.m. Women's Fellowship Ex. Board – Discovery Rm

Wednesday, October 8

8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC 6:15 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, October 9

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

10:00 a.m. Senior Friends Trip

1:30 p.m. Bethel – Willing Workers Rm 7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball – FLC

Friday, October 10

8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC

Saturday, October 11

9:00 a.m. – Car, Truck and Tractor Show

2:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 12 (Married People's Covenant Lovefeast)

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Youth Fundraiser





Youth Fall Retreat

The cost of the reteat is \$140/per person. If you'd like to sponsor a Youth, please contact Karen Hill

OCTOBER 12

Following Worship

Donations Welcome



Paul was not ashamed of the Gospel, and he was not ashamed to suffer for it.

Think of words that match the clues. Use the letters to find Paul's statement of faith.

White beverage from a cow

Pole opposite of south

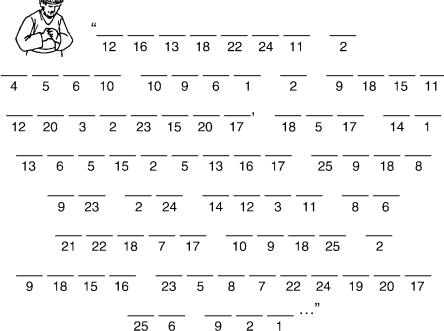
Spider's spinning project

Natural underground chamber

Number on a calendar

An invited visitor

1	2	3	4	-
5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12		
13	14	15	16	-
17	18	19	20	
21	22	23	24	25





October 5, 2025 • 2 Timothy 1:1-14

Be Faithful

Paul wrote to Timothy, who was a person of sincere faith like his mother Eunice and his grandmother Lois.

Find the letters E-U-N-I-C-E and L-O-I-S in the picture.





Rev. Jim Newsome - Senior Pastor

Jennifer Boles - Pastoral Assistant

Karen Hill - Director of Youth Ministry

Heidi Everhart - Director of Children's Ministry

Debbie Foltz - Music Director

Jimmie Snyder - Band Director

Paul encouraged Timothy to be bold about sharing the Gospel and to let God's Spirit influence his actions.

Use the code to find Paul's words.



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•	L	М	N	Р	R
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Paul and Timothy had experienced salvation through the Gospel — not because of anything they had done, but because of God's grace.

Write the letter that comes before each given letter.

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

