

**May 24, 2026
Pentecost
Memorial Day Weekend**

Watchword for the Week – Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord.

1 Corinthians 12:4, 5

Welcome to our service of worship for Pentecost Sunday. Pentecost (literally *fiftieth day*) comes fifty days after Easter Sunday - the day on which the Lord Jesus Christ rose from death. Before ascending to heaven He promised His followers that the Holy Spirit would come and fill them with power. On Pentecost the promise was fulfilled and the New Testament Church was born. God continues to pour out His Spirit upon those who love and follow Jesus.

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, we would love to talk to 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 and acolytes 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 *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

Moment of Silence

Prayer

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

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

In Flanders Fields

Words by John McCrae (1872-1918)

Music by Greg Gilpin

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

(Blue) # 817

Holy Scripture

Deuteronomy 8:1-20

Sermon

"Remember"

Holy Communion for Pentecost

(Blue) p. 222

Benediction

Postlude

Together Met, Together Bound

American Melody

Kid's Worship Music will be held right after worship for about 15 minutes for 3rd thru 5th graders. Pickup will be in the Choir Room. During this time, all Children's Church and Kid's Worship families are invited for coffee, snacks, and fellowship in the Pathways classroom. **The Kid's Worship Choir will sing during the Vespers service on Wednesday, June 10.** Please let Jennifer Boles or Debbie Foltz know if you have any questions.

Nursery Volunteers for Next Sunday, 5/31/2026:

Sunday School: Melissa Davis, Jennifer Helliwell
Worship Service – Infant: Jessica Smith, Jeanette Snyder
Worship Service – Toddler: Jennifer Helliwell, 2nd Person Needed
If you can volunteer, please contact Amanda Fine.

Friedberg is hosting a blood drive on Sunday, June 7, from 12:30 to 5:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. To make an appointment, please log into redcrossblood.org, call the church office at 336-764-1830, or call me at 336-978-5537. Thank you! Chuck Stone

Summer Vespers – Please join us for our Vespers services this summer on **Wednesdays, June 10, July 8, and August 12**, at 7:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Arrive early for a time of fellowship and refreshments, and please bring your own chair.

Friedberg Stitching Circle – Bring your cross-stitch, needlepoint, or other similar craft, and join us for fun, snacks, prayer requests, ministry projects, and most importantly fellowship with our sisters in Christ. These informal gatherings will be offered in the Discovery Classroom on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and on Friday mornings from 10:00 a.m. to noon, and the time is floating. **Wednesday, June 17 and Friday, June 19** will be the first dates. Please contact Melissa Jones for info and questions at 828-317-1515 or mfoxjones@protonmail.com.

Friedberg's Boy Scout Troop 703 will be operating a car wash on **Saturday, June 27th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** in the lower parking lot. Are your cars and trucks in need of a good sprucing up? Come out and let the Scouts take care of this problem for you, as they look to raise funds for their scouting program and activities for the remainder of the year.

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 or the Choir Room at the end of worship to pick up their child.

Sunday, May 24 (Pentecost/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

Monday, May 25 (Memorial Day)

Church Office Closed
8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts – FH

Tuesday, May 26

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

Wednesday, May 27

8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC
6:00 p.m. Youth Sunday Practice
7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, May 28

9:00 a.m. Men's Bible Study – Discovery Rm
7:00 p.m. Men's Basketball – FLC

Friday, May 29

8:00 a.m. Walking – FLC

Saturday, May 30

9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. –
Spring Bazaar

Sunday, May 31

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. Youth Sunday Practice

Friedberg Moravian Church
Prayer List – May 24, 2026

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Phil Carter	Charlie Kimel	Wanda Russell
Sandra Chambers	Mark Kimel	Bonnie Sides
Dawn Davenport	Pat Lambeth-Watson	Betty Sink
Sherry Edwards	Yvonne Lemons	Gray Stanfield
Emily Essick	Carol Ann Little	Andy Stone
Jerry Evans	John Mason	Larry Tesh
Bonnie Fishel	Darrell Metcalf	Jerry Tolley
Gary Fitts	Reba Payne	Michelle Tucker
Kelly Forrest	Gloria Peters	Marlin Wagner
Travis Hanes	Mary Lou Pitts	Norm West
Larry Jarvis	Martha Plyler	Tommy Williamson

Family and Friends

Linda Bordeaux, Cameron Fishel, Lori Gettings, Pat Jarvis, Todd Jarvis,
Cornelia Kirley, Ken Love, Lisa Schrader, Erin Taylor, Hank Thomas,
Wake Wagner (son), Frank Williams

Members and Relatives in the Military

Dean Brendle	Daniel Randleman	Brandon Thompson
Jennifer Greenwood	Colton Scott	Aidan Wheeler
Ben Greeson	Jon Eric Spaar, Jr.	
J.R. Lingerfelt	Ryan Spach	

Missionaries and Ministries

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Michael and Brenda Brent with Cru in Croatia
Anna Stewart Faircloth with Young Life
Keith Graham with Cookies for Christ
Dusty and Christin Harrison with InterVarsity at Clemson University
Hoof and Paw Therapeutic Riding and Activity Center
Michael and Ceci Tesh with Ray of Hope Orphanage in Kenya
Friends of Moravian Prison Ministry
Joey Yokely with Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Current prayer concerns: Anna Beeson had gallbladder surgery on 5/21. Linda Bordeaux is going thru chemo treatments. Linda is a family member of Norm West. Dawn Davenport is having blood pressure issues. Cameron Fishel is recovering from a stroke. He is Gray and Bonnie Fishel's grandson. Lori Gettings started her second round of treatments for lymphoma on 5/20. Lori is Emily Towne's mom. Cornelia Kirley had a mass removed, and treatment is being determined. She is a loved one of Christina Smith. Pat Jarvis is having a knee replacement on 5/26. Lisa Schrader had a shoulder replacement on 5/20. She is Gary Rosenbaum's cousin. Erin Taylor has pancreatic cancer. She is a family member of Carrie West and Julia Hedgecock. Larry Tesh started a stronger chemo medication. Hank Thomas is recovering from surgery and in rehab. Hank is a friend of Larry Jarvis. Wake Wagner had successful heart surgery on 5/19. He is Wake and Brenda Wagner's son. Tommy Williamson had a shoulder replacement on 5/19.

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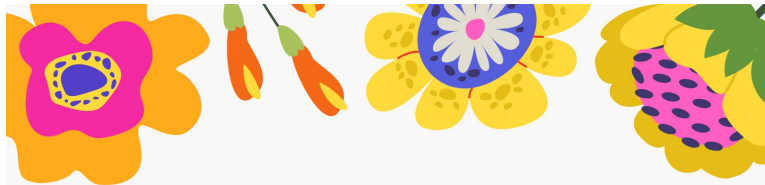
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Friedberg Moravian Women's Fellowship

SPRING BAZAAR

Saturday, May 30
9am - 2pm
Free Admission | Rain or Shine

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You're Invited!

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Please also join us in acknowledging two recent milestones in his life that are especially worth celebrating:

- **Charlie is enjoying his tenth decade (he's a young 91),
and**
- **He has been awarded the prestigious John Hus Alumni Award by Moravian School of Theology which recognizes alumni who, through outstanding service and loyalty to ministry, have brought distinction to the work of ministry and to Moravian School of Theology. It is appropriately named for John Hus, one of the great leaders of the Christian Church, who is revered as a pastor, preacher, scholar, and martyr for his faith.**

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Mission Trip To **HONDURAS**

The Honduras Mission Team is organizing a return trip to Kaukira, Honduras, in January 2027. We invite anyone interested in going to join us on May 31st.

Open Invitation

Construction
Medical

May 31st

Discovery Classroom
Lunch provided

In Flanders Fields

About this Poem

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**In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.**

**We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.**

**Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high.
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Pick up a baby bottle bank, fill it with cash, coins or check (made out to Salem Pregnancy) and return your filled bottle by **June 21st** to the Narthex or back of the sanctuary



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Nightly

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AMERICA'S 250th

Whether you took Biblical Citizenship or not this class is for you! Rebuilding Liberty is a Readers Digest condensed version of the Biblical Citizenship Class along with updated content for our 250th year! Maybe you were interested before but did not have 8 weeks to commit to a class, join us on one of the below dates for 4 hours on a Saturday to learn what you can do this year to help save America and rebuild liberty in your community!

Saturday, January 24th from 9a-1p (Friedberg Moravian Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, February 7th from 9a-1p (Davidson Co. Republican Party Headquarters)

Saturday, March 14th from 9a-1p (Friedberg Moravian Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, June 20th from 9a-1p (Friedberg Moravian Fellowship Hall)

I hope you will join us for a fun filled morning of learning about our roots as Christian Americans!

Register today for the Special Event you wish to attend:

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