

Welcome Rev. Barry Taylor

Rev. Barry L. Taylor is a native of Bluefield, West Virginia, and a graduate of Bluefield High School. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Concord University and a Master of Divinity degree from Asbury Theological Seminary; he is currently pursuing an additional master's degree in teaching. Early in his ministry he served as a United Methodist pastor in West Virginia, in Virginia's New River Valley, and in Tennessee, working in a variety of congregational and community settings. He subsequently served in the Evangelical Methodist Church as a church planter, a campus planter/pastor, and as a ministry consultant and interim pastor in denominational and nondenominational settings (www.theshepherds�well.com). During times of pastoral ministry in part-time settings, he has worked for the State of West Virginia in the areas of administrative law, human services, and taxation and revenue. He is the author of *Five Ways to Grow Your Faith*, a video-based six-week small group experience designed for churchwide use. On April 7, 2023, he was recognized as an ordained Elder in the Global Methodist Church. His son Joshua is a missionary/translator for the Jesus Film Project of CRU based in Orlando, FL; his daughter Hope is a manager for a local animal shelter and lives with her new husband Jacob in Wheeling, WV. He enjoys all things historic, the guitar, and playing golf badly!

Missions Request

During July our monthly mission focus will be on Back to school. It is hard to believe that school is right around the corner. But it truly is. During July we will be collecting items that we will donate to 2 close by elementary schools. Brosville Elementary in the County and Park Avenue in the city. Supplies will be collected, divided and sent to the schools the first week of August. The items we would like to collect are: **Lysol or Clorox Wipes, Boxes of Tissues, Bottles of Hand Sanitizer, 24 count boxes of crayons and #2 pencils.**

Project: Church Directory

Please send Kate individual pictures of you and your family to be used to create an up-to-date Church Directory. You can email them to her at director.fairviewchurch@gmail.com or text them to 434-251-6107. See Kate for more details.

Parking Lot Improvements

Please note that Adams Construction has given us a date of July 10 to re-pave certain areas of our parking lot. Areas affected include the back parking lot in front of the Pavilion, the parking lot outside of the Sunday School wing and the Social Hall parking lot including all the rear access areas to these lots. The side parking areas and the front parking will not be affected. There will be a two week downtime for these areas. They will be cordoned off but the Trustees wanted all to be aware of this occurrence.

Vacation Bible School

We will be having VBS each evening from 6 – 8:30 from July 9 to July 13. Then, be sure and join us for the wrap-up during morning worship on July 16. Please continue to pray for our volunteers and participants as we learn to shine Jesus' light to the world!



*Love God * Share Hope * Serve All*

July 9, 2023
6th Sunday after
Pentecost

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July 9, 2023 ~ 10:00 am In-Person Worship

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Welcome and Announcements

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***Call to Worship** insert, on screen

***Hymn** **“Take Time to Be Holy”** #395

***The Apostles’ Creed** #881

Morning Prayer followed by **The Lord’s Prayer**

Special Music *Lord, Be Glorified* Choir
arr. by Benjamin Harlan

Children ages 3-3rd Grade are invited to join Kate at the back of the sanctuary to go for a brief Children’s Message.

Offering & Offertory

***Doxology** **“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”** #95

***Hymn** **“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”** #382

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offering living water to all who would drink!

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