

Chimes
Prelude “Sunday Morning Revival” Kevin Olson
Welcome Pastor Monica
Announcements Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
*Hymn “Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee” 175
*Call to Worship *(inspired by Psalm 67 and Isaiah 56:7)*

Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
One: The Lord says my house will be called a house of prayer for all people.

Many: **Come to the house of the Lord. Come, those who have known God and God’s way forever, and those who are newly learning.**

One: May God be gracious to us and bless us and make God’s face to shine upon us

Many: **that you way may be known upon earth, your saving power among all nations.**

*Unison Prayer Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
God of the foreigner and outcast, your arms reach out to embrace all those who call upon you. Teach us as disciples of Christ so to love the world that your name may be known throughout the earth. Teach us, so that we might be teachers of our way, we pray, Amen.

Anthem “Our Father in Heaven” Shank/Lantz
*Affirmation of Faith #884 Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church

Sharing Joys and Concerns Pastor Monica
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer Pastor Monica
Anthem “Make Me An Instrument”

Text: St. Francis of Assisi, Music: Craig Courtney
Call to Offering Pastor Monica
Offertory “Nearer My God, to Thee” Arr. Heather Sorenson
*Presentation of Gifts “Doxology” 95
*Prayer of Dedication (Unison) Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns

God of Power and Glory, we come to your altar this morning, offering our gifts and praying for your presence in a world that is hurting and divided. Much of what we see is chaos, confusion, and anxiety - a world that desperately needs to glimpse your presence and your glory. In addition to our gifts of money, we pray our lives might be a window into your love and compassion. We pray your light might shine through us to the world. Amen.

This Week's Schedule		
Today	8:30 & 11:00am 10:00am 12:30pm 2:00pm	Worship-Sanctuary Adult Sunday School via Zoom Daniel’s Dream Team Soup Kitchen
Monday	6:30pm	District Conference Online via Zoom
Tuesday	6:30pm 7:00pm	M & E Book Group Meeting Naranon Meeting- Dining Room or Scout Room
Wednesday	10:00am 12:00pm	Bible Study-Lounge and via Zoom Prayer and/or Quiet Reflection - Sanctuary
Next Sunday	8:30 & 11:00am 10:00am 12:30pm 2:00pm	Worship-Sanctuary Adult Sunday School via Zoom Charge Conference Fellowship Room and on Zoom Soup Kitchen

Prayer List - Joys and Concerns		
Our Troops	Todd Martin	Lynn Seip
Prayer Mail Boxes	Jeff Wert	All with cancer
Sis Sebring	Avon Doll	Joe Woolsey
The Cook family		
First Responders, EMT’s, Police Officers, Firefighters		
Special Person of the Week: Rosemary Levy, 1644 North Fifth Street, Stroudsburg, PA 18360. Please remember her in prayer and if possible, please send a card.		

Old Testament Lesson	Isaiah 56:6-8	Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
*Gospel Lesson	Matthew 15:10-19	Cathy Doane, Jeanette Kuhns
Children’s Message		Pastor Monica
Sermon	“You Are Teachers”	Pastor Monica
*Hymn	“Lord, Speak to Me”	463
*Benediction and Dismissal		Pastor Monica
Postlude	“Come and See!”	Spiritual/Arr. James Denton

*Rise in body or in spirit.
Bold Print = Say in unison.

WEEKLY OFFERING You can send your weekly offering to the church electronically using PayPal or a credit/debit card. Visit the church website at stroudsburgumc.com and click on “Donate.” You can also mail your offering to the church – SUMC, 547 Main Street, Stroudsburg, PA 18360, or you can have the church set up as a vendor through your bank account and have your offering check sent directly to the church from your bank. Any questions, please contact the church office. Thank you!

WORSHIP ONLINE For those of you worshipping with us online, please comment with “Good morning” or “Hello” at the beginning of worship so we can count you as being ‘present’ during worship and keep our attendance records accurate. If you don’t feel comfortable commenting, please either contact Pastor Monica or Jackie in the church office and let either one of them know you worshipped online. Also, please feel free to stop by the church and pick up a hymnal so you can sing along while worshipping at home!

CHARGE CONFERENCE This year’s Charge Conference will be held on Sunday, September 27 at 12:30pm, here at SUMC and on Zoom. Please make a note of the date and time. You can join via Zoom on your computer, laptop, smart phone at this invitation: Topic: Stroudsburg UMC Charge Conference Time: Sep 27, 2020 12:30 PM Eastern Time <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81323243870?pwd=YWhPdUtwbVpiUTM0K1pXVWtvTIVkQT09> Meeting ID: 813 2324 3870 Password: 631247 You can also call this number and join by audio as well: +1 929 205 6099 US (New York) Meeting ID: 813 2324 3870 Password: 631247 See Pastor Monica if you have questions.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY Bible Study is back! Where in the Bible can you find sadness and joy, anger and weariness? The Book of Psalms! Wednesday mornings at 10:00am, join Pastor Monica in person or on Zoom for Bible Study in the Lounge. We will continue our study of the psalms. Here is the Zoom information for next week: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81249690531?pwd=Nzd5QW4xc1FpRnhZRlRPOVBZSUVrdz09> Meeting ID: 812 4969 0531 Passcode: 834644

EVENING BIBLE STUDY? For those unable to attend the Wednesday morning Bible Study, please contact Pastor Monica if an evening Bible Study would work for your schedule.

Connection Card

Welcome Members & Visitors!

Please let us know how we can help each other this week:

Name

Address

Email/Phone

Prayer requests, needs, comments:

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Good morning! Check in on Facebook! Facebook.com/StroudsburgUMC

Whether you are visiting with us or you are a member, WELCOME! Please fill out the “Connection Card” in your bulletin today and place it in the offering plate. Help yourself to a newsletter in the back of the sanctuary. We are glad that you are here today!

TODAY’S WORSHIP LEADERS ARE 8:30 Cathy Doane & 11:00 Jeanette Kuhns

THE GREEN BANNER hangs in memory of Hazel Edinger given by Charlotte Driebe.

NEXT WEEK’S SCRIPTURES AND SERMON

Psalm 78:1-4, Matthew 21:23-32 “You Are Willing to Change”

SUBSCRIBE TO THE SUMC YOUTUBE CHANNEL, so you don’t miss a thing: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCMwaoyy6Ox2d8cGlrQes0Qw

Please let us know if you would like assistance.

FAMILY PROMISE UPDATE

We continue to provide emergency shelter to families in need. Our case managers are working with seven families -- three at Streamside Camp and four in hotels around the community. We've been blessed to have the support of several churches who have been able to provide meals for our families at Streamside. Thank you again to the volunteers at St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish, Zion UCC, Stroudsburg Wesleyan and East Stroudsburg for the meals provided (to be provided) to date!

Beginning Monday, Sept. 28 we are in need of meals for our families at Streamside. By then we will have two families at Streamside, single Moms with 4 girls (twin 10 year olds, 9 and 5) and the other family (13 years, 5 years and six months). None of the family members have any food allergies.

With the meals, plastic utensils, paper plates and bowls are needed, as well as bottled water or juice.

Meals can be dropped here at our offices at 905 Main St., Stroudsburg, by 4 p.m. or delivered directly to Streamside, whatever is more convenient.

If you are able to help, contact Cindy at Family Promise - 570-420-8589.

Would you like to receive our weekly eNews?

Email address

How did you learn about our church?

Friend/FamilyInternet/Website

Other

What I/we look for in a church

Please circle your age group: 18-23 24-35 36-49 50-64 65+

We cordially welcome each visitor, member and friend to our Stroudsburg United Methodist Church. We pray that God will touch your life through the worship and fellowship we share. If you would like to make Stroudsburg United Methodist YOUR church, please mention your interest to the Pastor at the end of the service.

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CHURCH STAFF:	
Lead Pastor	The Rev. Monica B. Guepet
Pastors of Visitation	Margie & Ted Good
Pastor Emeritus	Tom Anderman
Church Secretary	Jackie Herrero
Choir Director	David Lantz III
Organist	Marti Lantz
Youth Leader	
Custodian	Craig Banner
CHURCH LEADERS:	
Daniel’s Dream Team	Chairperson, Cathy Doane
Worship	Chairperson, Pastor Monica Guepet
Stewardship	Chairperson, Paul Edinger
Property & Building	Chairperson, Boyd Butz
Staff Parish Relations Committee	Chairperson, Bill Weitzmann
Missions	Chairpersons, Ruth Weber, Kathy Cook
Membership & Evangelism	Chairperson, Peggy Stewart
Lay Leader	
Audio Visual Assistant	Beth Armitage

*Church Office Hours - Monday-Thursday 9:00am-3:00pm;
Friday 9:00am-1:30pm*



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Stroudsburg, PA
The Worship of God
September 20, 2020



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Share the love of Jesus in
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