

WEEKLY SERVICE INFORMATION

Sunday Service with Eucharist 10:00 a.m.

In-Person or Livestream at www.ChurchoftheMessiah.org/Livestream
Children's Church · Fellowship Hall (After Worship until Communion)
Today's Teachers: Denise Call, Cheryl Shomo, Aaron Bennett,
Mandy Nixon, Peggy Burkhardt

Day Of Pentecost · May 24, 2026

PRAYER: Almighty God, on this day, through the outpouring of the Holy Spirit, you revealed the way of eternal life to every race and nation: Pour out this gift anew, that by the preaching of the Gospel your salvation may reach to the ends of the earth; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. *Amen.*

— Special Pentecost Presentation —

Sermon: Come Holy Spirit / Pastor Marty O'Rourke

Readers: Chris & Jo Ann Woodland

Eucharistic Ministers: Carole Menzel & Cherry Jenson

Prayer Team: Colleen Lucas & Marie Markham

THIS WEEK AT MESSIAH

Today	10:00 am	Sunday Service (Sanctuary & Livestream) Pentecost Picnic
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Parish Prayer Meeting (online via Zoom)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY WE CELEBRATE THE BIRTHDAY OF THE CHURCH!

After today's special Pentecost service, join us for food, fellowship, and games and activities for kids of all ages! Special thanks to the Men of Messiah for coordinating the picnic.



THANKS AGAIN to those who worked so hard to make "The Ultimate Tea" such a special occasion, especially Marcia Curtis, Rose Marie Bohs, and Karen Phillips.

A DAY IN GOD'S PRESENCE: Ladies, save the date and invite your friends to our Fall Retreat at Messiah with Dr. Edith Prakash on **Sat., Sept. 19** from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

IMPORTANT PARISH PRAYER MEETING: Please plan to join us this **Wednesday, May 27 at 7 p.m.** in the sanctuary as we pray for our leadership transition and Pastor Marty's meeting with the Episcopal bishop regarding our building. Everyone is strongly encouraged to attend.

CONGRATULATIONS TO CULLEN SHOMO who graduates high school from Tidewater Collegiate Academy on Tues, May 26 at 6 p.m. at the Performing Arts Center at Virginia Wesleyan University. The ceremony is about 45 minutes and open to all; no tickets necessary.



LET'S CELEBRATE! You are invited to a graduation celebration for both **Cullen Shomo** and **Leilani Cleveland** immediately after our church service on June 14.

JOYFUL NOISE MEETS ONLINE THIS WEEK. We will meet on Zoom this Tuesday, May 26, at 7:00 pm. In-person meetings are the second Tuesday of each month. See Pastor Marty or Wendy for details, and join the fun!

WELCOME, VISITORS! We'd love to get to know you! Please fill in the attached "Welcome Visitors" form and drop it in the offering box, or submit a Digital Connection Card at www.churchofthemessiah.org/contact. Check us out online at ChurchoftheMessiah.org and [Facebook.com/ChurchoftheMessiahChesapeake](https://www.facebook.com/ChurchoftheMessiahChesapeake). Contact us at 757-436-2545 or messiah@churchofthemessiah.org with questions.



PRAYER REQUESTS

We believe God answers prayer! If you would like our prayer ministry to pray for your special need, write your request below, tear off the tab, and place it in the offering plate. God bless you!

Date: _____

Name: _____

Prayer Needs: _____

- Include in bulletin
- Prayer team only
- Prayer team and bulletin