

First Moravian Church

319 N. Walnut Street, Dover, Ohio 44622

June 16, 2024

10:00 A.M.

Pastor	John B. Wallace 330-343-2719 (Res.)
Scripture Reader	Lorrigan Booth
Director of Music	G. Randall Gibbs
Director of Faith Formation	Carolyn Menapace
Custodian	Sam Paden
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What's in Your Golf Bag?

Prelude "Voluntary on Kremser" Johnson

From the Fairway: Another Missed Shot.

Scripture Lesson – In Unison:

I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus. Philippians 3:14

* **Hymn** "How Great Thou Art" H. 465

* **Liturgy of Evangelism** Page 133

Welcome and Sharing the Good News from the Links

"Scuba VBS" Great Program

Prayer

Hymn "This Is My Father's World" H. 456

Scripture Lessons: Psalm 37:1-9 Page 563
Isaiah 40:1-5 Page 740
Mark 4:26-34 Page 39

The Course Challenge: "No! Not Another Shank"

Pastoral Prayer

* **Hymn** "Praise the Lord, Praise the Lord" H. 528

* **Benediction**

Postlude

* Please stand if you are able.

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Check in with us at First Moravian Church: We ask you to sign and pass the register in your row. Visitors: Please check the box marked "Visitor" and include your complete mailing address.

Please note: If you have a cell phone, please turn it off during the worship service. If you would like to recycle your bulletin, place it in the box near the ushers' table at the back of the sanctuary.

Greeters: VBS Kids

Nursery: Brenda Gordon and Dawna Compton

Our **thanks** to **all who helped with the service** by sharing their talent for the Lord and God's people today.



The Offering Basket is labeled and located on the table on the right as you enter the sanctuary.

Elder Connection: John Stubbins, 330.987.0144 is available for conversation, prayers, information and more, **after the 10:00 service** in the living room, or during the week you may contact him with any concerns. An Elder will be available each week.



Thank You Scuba Volunteers!

Thanks to you we were able to welcome **36 kids** to dive into friendship with God!

Final VBS Volunteer Opportunity:

Monday, June 17, from 9:00 a.m. to Noon we will take down and put away decorations.

Please consider donating an hour or two of your time!

Flowers are needed for August 18, 25 & Sept. 22.

If you desire to provide flowers for one of these Sundays, please contact Karen in the church office. Two vases are usually \$40; unless you prefer roses, they cost more.

One Call Now ~ 330-364-8831

Pastor John and Cheryl Wallace are sponsoring our One Call Now this week.

Stewardship Moment

Discipline is the bridge between
goals and accomplishments. Jim Rohn

Attendance from Last Sunday

Worship ~ 10 AM 75

Prayers for the People

We extend our **sympathy and prayers** to **John and Cinda Pixler** on the death of John's brother, Fred Pixler, on June 12. The family will greet guests today from 2-4 p.m. in Linn-Hert-Geib Funeral Home at New Philadelphia. An additional hour of visitation will take place on Monday, June 17, from 10-11 a.m. in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, 421 Stratton Avenue Ext., SW, New Philadelphia, where Bishop Tom McKnight will lead Fred's funeral service at 11 a.m. Burial, with military honors, will take place in Union Hill Cemetery at 2 p.m.

Amberwood: Laura Colvin; **Hennis** (Bolivar): Linda Bayer, Beverly Sears; (Dover): Bonnie Auman; **Northwood:** Marla Cappell; **Park Village** (Dover): Joyce Brewer, Bill Cozart, Donna Geib, Mary Prince, Suzanne Rinderknecht, Milly Sudduth, Jerry Warner, Joyce Watkins.

Birthday and Anniversary Daily Prayer Support

June 16	Joan Hill
June 17	Anniv: Craig & Cindy Laughlin; Sam & Terrie Krantz
June 19	Anniv: Larry & Becky Kutcher
June 20	Pamela Sweitzer, Ed Luthy Anniv: Jim & Jacque Graef ~ 70 Years ~ Congratulations!
June 21	Josh Barr
June 22	Gabriel Corder

Jim and Jacque Graef are celebrating their **70th wedding anniversary** on Thursday, June 20. Please send a card to help them celebrate this momentous occasion.

M/M James Graef
111 West 13th Street
Dover, OH 44622



Our Calendar of Events for the Week

Monday	9:00 AM	Staff Huddle ó Pastor's Office
		Buckeye Adult Classes: W – GED 9-N; T & Th – ESOL 9-N & 6-8:30 – Basement
	9:00 AM	Counting ó Living Room
	9-Noon	VBS Tear Down
	11:00 AM	Action Now ó S. Hall & Kitchen

Tuesday	6:30 PM	Mark Shores Memorial Service – Sanct.
	7:30 PM	followed by Fellowship in the Social Hall

Wednesday	8:30-9 AM	Mueller Organ Tuning
	10:00 AM	Block Party Meeting ó Living Room



10-1:30 PM

Brushstrokes @ Zoar Gardens
Rain location: Dover First Social Hall

Brushstrokes Artists "Plein air"

- * Please bring a filled water bottle for drinking. It will be hot.
- * A stadium chair if you want to sit.
- * Wedl set up in óshade spotsö
- * Wear a hat/sunscreen up

We are outdoors. Park at the Zoar Hotel lot and walk down to the gardens. I hope we have our painting in before the real heat of the day arrives. *Pastor John*

6:30 PM Chancel Choir ó Choir Loft

Friday



The Replacements will meet on **Friday, June 21,** from **11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** at **Dutch Valley Restaurant.** Come one and all – with bionic replacement parts and be with us.

Saturday	Noon-9 PM	Set-Up, Party, Clean Up ó Kit. & S. Hall
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4-7:00 PM **Parker Boughner Graduation Party**
We invite our church family to come and help celebrate Parker's graduation on Saturday, June 22, in the social hall.

Sunday	10:00 AM	Worship ó Sanctuary
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Reminder from the Joint Board:

Please confirm with the church office even if your email address* has not changed as the congregational survey will be emailed on Monday, July 1, 2024.

The district cannot accept paper copies of the survey, but if you do not have a computer, you can request a paper copy with the church office. A Joint Board member can input the survey for you if requested. The survey can be printed at home if you prefer to write your answers, then enter them into the software.

When entering the survey online, it must be completed once it is started or you will need to start over.

***Forms for your email address are available** next to the bulletin basket for you to complete. Please place completed forms in the offering basket.

Camp Zimmerman has an opening for a **Caretaker** starting Sept./Oct. This is a paid position with full housing (3 Br; 2 bath home) provided. A complete description of the position is available in the church office.

If you or someone you know is interested, resumes must be submitted to the Camp Board President – Weston@ohiogray.org by June 30, 2024.



Each Sunday at 10:00 A.M.

Come Worship with Us

June 2-30

5-week Sermon series:

"What's in Your Golf Bag?"



June 16 ~ Children's Moment:

"Scuba" VBS & "Sand & Water"

June 23 ~ Children's Moment: "Safe on the Green"

June 30 ~ Children's Moment: "Besties"

Bring your family and friends!



**BOARD OF
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**Mission Minute: Synod of the Moravian Church in
Newfoundland and Labrador**

The Mission Province of the Moravian Church in Newfoundland and Labrador has long been a valued partner of the Board of World Mission. Founded in 1771, the church still plays an important role in the four communities with Moravian congregations, some of which are the only church in the town.

Brothers and sisters in Labrador met for their synod May 21-22 at the Happy Valley Moravian Church. The meetings were guided by Sister Sarah Jensen who serves as the Chairperson of the Province. Bishop Chris Giesler of the Board of World Mission was present at the synod to provide worship leadership. Ministry and financial reports were heard from each of the congregations: Nain, Hopedale, Makkovic, and Happy Valley. There was also a report from the Moravian Fellowship in St. John's, Newfoundland. Common concerns include shrinking numbers in worship, aging congregational leadership, and the lack of a vibrant youth ministry. However, a beacon of hope shines with the upcoming ordination of McKinley and Darlene Winters, who are set to complete their seminary training this coming December. This significant milestone brings optimism to the Mission Province, which currently operates without any ordained pastors, relying on the capable leadership of Lay Ministers and Chapel Servants.

There was much discussion on the need for additional sources of income, membership growth and vitality, and future leadership training events. Sarah Jensen was reelected as Chairperson of the Provincial Board. As always, these synod meetings take care of important business, but they also provide for times of fellowship, conversations, prayer, and worship.

Bishop Chris stayed for three additional days following the synod to meet with provincial leaders and provide workshops on Moravian History and Biblical Interpretation. He also preached at the Happy Valley congregation's Sunday morning worship service on May 26.

Our Christian Education Opportunities

Church Camps

Calling all campers and staff!

It's time to register for Tar Hollow and Bethany!



- **Camp Tar Hollow: July 21-27**
- Staff Day is July 20
- Completed 7th grade through age 21
- Register by June 30 for a cost of \$150
- \$175 after June 30

- **Camp Bethany: August 5-9**
- Staff Day is August 4
- Completed 2nd through 6th grade
- Registration due date is July 15
- Cost is \$100



Turn all Tar Hollow forms in to the church office by **June 23**.
Turn all Bethany forms in to the church office by **July 7**.
Or mail direct to the registrar after these dates.

Dover First Camp Scholarships:

Through the generosity of the Dover First congregation, scholarships are available to members and friends.

To receive your scholarship, turn all registration forms in to the church office by the above dates.

If registering direct with the camp, contact Carolyn Menapace at 330-204-7089 or christian.edu@doverfirstmoravianchurch.org to receive a scholarship.

Members: \$150 for Tar Hollow / \$100 for Bethany
Friends: \$75 for Tar Hollow / \$50 for Bethany



Flat Jesus

We invite you to be a part of our **#FlatJesus Summer Project!** As a reminder that Jesus is always with us, we will make "Flat Jesus" figures to take along with us on summer adventures. Whether it's playtime in the backyard, a visit to the local park or library, or an out-of-town trip, take "Flat Jesus" with you and share your photos on our Facebook page or on the Social Hall bulletin board.

All materials are available at the back of the sanctuary. All ages are welcome to participate!