



# The First United Methodist Church of Delran

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# Order of Service

Greeting & Passing the Peace

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Songs of Praise

*This is Amazing Grace*

*What a Beautiful Name*

Children's Message

Announcements

Joys & Concerns

Songs of Praise

*Spirit of the Living God UMH 393*

Scripture

*Acts 16: 25-34*

Sermon

*The Gathering: People*

Closing Song

*10,000 Reasons*

Benediction

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## Upcoming Worship Assistants

May 24

Reader  
Chris Verduin

Greeters/Ushers  
Joyce Kelly & Brian Blatchley

May 31

Reader  
Earle Slimm

Greeters/Ushers  
Carol & Wes Anderson

\*If you would like to be a reader or greeter/usher reach out to the office.

# Sermon Series



## People

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### Events & Information

**Giving** After the snowy winter, we have some catching up to do. Consider contributing a little extra this week!

**Confirmation Sunday** is next week. Join us as we welcome our newly confirmed!

**VBS** will be held July 13-17. See Jake if you are interested in volunteering in any way.

**Annual Church Picnic** will be held on Saturday, July 18 @ the Blatchley's. More details coming soon!

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### *This Week's Prayer Requests:*

- Prayers for last week's quilt recipients: Ruth Feldman, by request of Kitty Newman, who has pancreatic cancer; Baby Scarlet, by request of Bill & Nancy Fink, who was born with her intestines outside of her body.
- Prayers that Jake gets well soon.
- Prayers for Bill & Nancy Fink that they get the new apartment and that they find a way to get Ensure for Bill.
- Prayers for Dean, who is experiencing pain after his knee replacement.
- Prayers for SoAe's friend, Lynn, who has ovarian cancer.
- Prayers for Heather, who has leukemia and will be receiving a bone marrow transplant.
- Prayers for Evie, who is suffering from depression.
- Prayers for Vinnie, who has terminal cancer.
- Prayers for Maryann, as she fights to get her benefits back.
- Prayers for Nancy Fink's friend, Debi, whose husband passed away.
- Prayers for Katie's friend who just found out they have COPD and lung cancer. They are unable to do surgery due to the high risks.
- Prayers for Terr's friend, Barbara, who has uterine cancer that has spread to her lymph nodes.
- Prayers for Maryann's sister, Becky, who is having a cervix biopsy.
- Prayers for Maryann's friend, Jessie, who is having kidney issues.

Prayer requests can be made during the service, online, or by emailing [prayersdumc@gmail.com](mailto:prayersdumc@gmail.com) or [verduinchris@gmail.com](mailto:verduinchris@gmail.com)

Join our Prayer Chain Email Group by emailing Chris Verduin @ [verduinchris@gmail.com](mailto:verduinchris@gmail.com)

# Weekly Services & Meetings

## Sundays

Praise Team Practice @ 9:15am  
Sunday Worship @ 10am  
Bible Study w/Pastor @ 9am  
Coffee Talk @ 9:30am

## Wednesdays

Bible Study @ 11am

## Mondays

Ladies Bible Study Via Zoom  
on break until fall.

## Thursdays

Quilters 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday @ 7pm  
Bible Study @ Blasewitz's  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday @ 7pm

## Outreach & Programs

### Basin & Towel

Collecting donations of dish soap for the month of May.

### Altar Flowers

\$13 per vase. Sign up on bulletin board in Narthex.

### ShopRite Shirley

Purchase gift cards to use from Shirley after services or from the office during the week.

### Prayer Quilts

In need of a prayer quilt? Contact Joyce Kelly  
[sajkelly@comcast.net](mailto:sajkelly@comcast.net)

## Youth Group

### May 17

Methodism 101- Confirmation Class 1:30pm

### May 24

Confirmation Service

Pentecost Sunday Youth Celebration: 5pm  
@ Conrow Rd Park.

### May 24

Meeting 1:30-3:30pm

### Staff:

Rev. Michael Smith, Pastor

Javera Chaudhry, Pianist

Destiny Schultz, Nursery Coordinator

Jake Harrell, Education Coordinator

Mandy Cavanaugh, Administrative Assistant