

## Storehouse for Jesus – May

Dried Pintos, Rice (1 & 2 lb. bags), and Baby Hygiene  
(especially large size diapers and pull-ups, wipes)

### Announcements

**Memorial Day Celebration:** Will decorate the graves with flags on Saturday, May 27<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 am.

**Nomination & Leadership Team:** Meeting on Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm in the church office.

**Vacation Bible School:** Mark your calendars for Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Theme this year is “I Can”. For ages Pre-school and Elementary. Set up Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 pm.

**Family Day:** Mark your calendar for Sunday, June 4<sup>th</sup> beginning at 4:00 pm as we celebrate the birthday of the church of Jesus Christ! Covered dish supper at 5:30 pm. Bring a blanket or lawn chair as will be outside.

### Prayer Concerns *(5/21/2017)*

Alex Black, Anne Allen, Bill & Kay Burton, Bobby Macemore, Bryan & Jeannie Fox, Charlotte Will, Charles Rousey, Deborah Durham, Debbie Killion & Sister Jean, Dixie Bell, Doug Hanks, Eddie & Lucy Hartman, Graham Butler, Inez Hartman, Jane Whitaker, Jerry Daves, John & Anna Hancock, Joyce Butner, Kayla Stokes, Marlene Moore Cox, Maxine & Bob Bailey, Melanie Boone, Ray Travis, Richard & Tammie Groce, Roger & Carol Mock, Ron Braden, Scott Hicks, Shannon Grimes, Shirley Parker, Susan Harp, Susie Anderson, Tim Lanahan.

### Beyond us:

That God's kingdom be established on this earth, and that all hear the call on our hearts that we are the ones to make that happen.

### Volunteers Needed!

**Nursery / Communion Servers / Children's Time:** Sign-up calendars at the back of the church.

### Stewardship Concerns

Last Week's Attendance: SS: 60 / Worship: 102  
Last Week's Offering: \$ 2,875.02

**Please Note:** The Basement door will be locked during Worship service for the safety and security of our children and congregation.

**Mocks 2017 Annual Directory is available at the back of the church.**



MOCKS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
MAKING DISCIPLES

Pastor: Gary L. Elrod  
Director of Music Ministry: Greg Allen  
Organist: Greg Allen  
Administrative Assistant: Bonnie Russell

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## A SERVICE OF WORSHIP

*Sunday, May 21, 2017 Sixth Sunday of Easter*

♦ Indicates when you are invited to stand, as you are able.

*Our thanks to Pastor Jack McCoy for leading the service today.  
Welcome to the Rev. LaNell Johnson for bringing her message to us today.*

### GATHERING

Prelude *The Day Thou Gavest, Lord Is Ended* Scholefield/arr. Mansfield  
Bringing in the Light

Welcome

Invocation

♦ Passing of the Peace

Congregational Prayer

♦ Congregational Praise *We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise / Family of God*

### PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Old Testament Lesson from *Psalm 66: 8-20*

♦ Opening Hymn *I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord* # 540

Noisy Offering *Proceeds going to Storehouse for Jesus*

Anthem *Man of Miracles* Lindsey/Mauldin

Prayers of the People

Tithes and Offering

Offertory *I Have No Help But Thee* Langran/arr. Smith

♦ Doxology

Scripture *Matthew 25: 14-30; I Corinthians 12 (selected verses)*

Message *Just an Ordinary Member* Rev. LaNell Johnson

### SENDING FORTH

♦ Closing Hymn *Spirit of the Living God (sing thru twice)* # 393  
*(The altar is open to respond to the Word and pray. Come as you feel led.)*

♦ Closing Prayer

♦ Benediction *We follow the Light of Christ out into the World*

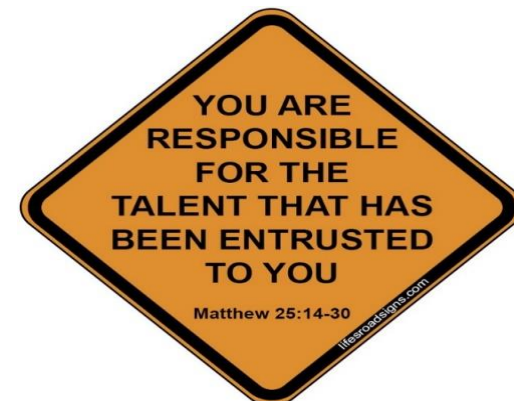
Postlude *Holy Manna* arr. R. Lau

*(Congregation Dismissed.)*

## Psalm of the Week: Psalm 47

### Calendar

<b>Sunday, May 21: 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:50 am	Worship
<b>Wednesday, May 24</b>	
7:00 pm	Choir Practice
<b>Thursday, May 25</b>	
7:00 pm	Children's Council Meeting - church office
<b>Saturday, May 27</b>	
9:00 am	Decorate graves with flags
<b>Sunday, May 28: 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:50 am	Worship
2:00 pm	Nominations & Leadership Mtg. - church office
<b>Monday, May 29: Memorial Day - Office Closed</b>	
<b>Wednesday, May 31</b>	
7:00 pm	Choir Practice
<b>Saturday, June 3</b>	
8:45-12 noon	Vacation Bible School (set-up Thurs. at 7:00 pm)
9:00 am	Book Club @ Panera
<b>Sunday, June 4: Day of Pentecost</b>	
9:45 am	Sunday School
10:50 am	Worship - <i>Honor our Graduates</i>
4:00 pm	<b>Family Day/Birthday of the Church</b> (covered dish supper at 5:30. Bring a blanket or lawn chair.)



## Congregational Praise

### We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise (TFWS #2031)

We bring the sacrifice of praise  
into the house of the Lord.  
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And we offer up to You  
The sacrifices of thanksgiving;  
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### Family of God

I'm so glad I'm a part of the family of God,  
I've been washed in the fountain, cleansed by His blood!  
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod,  
For I'm part of the family,  
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