

Church Calendar

Today	1:00 p.m.	Worship in Day Room at Pioneer Hospital in Danbury
Wednesday, May 4	6:30—8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer, Sanctuary
	12:00—1:00 p.m.	<i>Grace</i> Bible study, Pioneer Hospital Conference Rm, Danbury
	6:00 p.m.	Light Supper
	6:15—7:30 p.m.	<i>Grace</i> Bible study, Fellowship Hall
	7:30—8:15	Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, May 5		National Day of Prayer
	9:00 am—5:00 pm	Northern Stokes Food Pantry open
Sunday, May 8	Regular Schedule	Mothers Day
Monday, May 9	7:00 p.m.	United Methodist Women, Fellowship Hall
Every Sunday	9:30 a.m.	Coffee, Juice, and Pastries available in the Fellowship Hall
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School Assembly - Fellowship Hall
	9:50 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:50 a.m.	Worship—Sanctuary

Birthdays

May 2—Vickie Mabe, May 4—Hunter Moorefield

Prayer Concerns

Mildred Bullins, Ruth Childress, Walt Dillon, Mick Hartgrove, Cindy Joyce, Junior and Margaret Lawson, Faye Moorefield, Howard Morris, Peggy Mosley, Lois Priddy, Sue Raxter, Karen Ring, Jean Rogerson

Announcements

BINGO PRIZES: We are collecting small items to be used as prizes for BINGO games for the Long Term Care residents at Pioneer Hospital in Danbury. They may be placed in the box located in the Narthex.

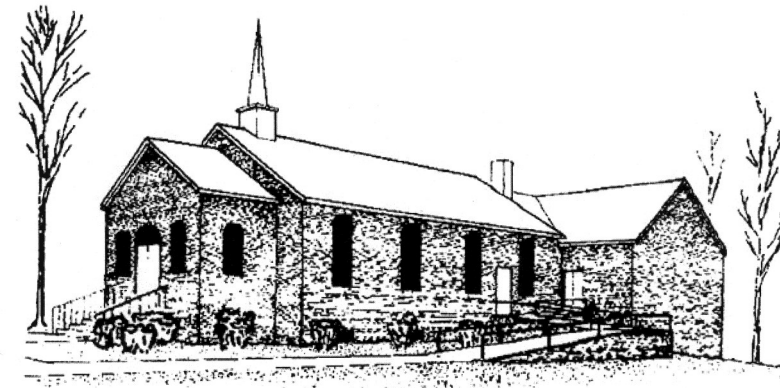
BIBLE STUDY: Our study using Max Lucado's *Grace* continues at noon (Conference Room at Pioneer Hospital in Danbury) and 6:15 (Fellowship Hall) this week. The material for this week's session comes from Chapter 5 in the book.

S.H.A.R.E.—Snow Hill Area Relief Effort donations are needed. There are people in our community in need of emergency assistance with food, power, medicine, etc. Your donations to SHARE allow us to *Be the Church* to these families. Please make checks out to Snow Hill Area Relief Effort and place in the collection plate.

NORTHERN STOKES FOOD PANTRY—Donations of food and money are always needed for this important ministry helping people in our area. (Remember—the pantry can purchase food for less than 20 cents per pound). Help is also needed on the first and third Thursday of each month to help distribute food. The Pantry is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. volunteers are needed for the morning, afternoon, or all day.

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SNOW HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



**LOVE JESUS, MAKE DISCIPLES,
TRANSFORM THE WORLD**

MAY 1, 2016

**REV. DR. PATRICIA SPICER
PASTOR**

SNOW HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH IN WORSHIP

Sixth Sunday of Easter May 1, 2016 Liturgical Color—White

ANNOUNCEMENTS & WELCOME We welcome all who have gathered to worship this morning. We ask visitors to please sign the book on the table to the right as you enter the Narthex or complete one of the Visitor Pew Cards.

PRESENTATION Jett Midkiff, Trinity UMC—Eagle Scout Project

+ **GREETING & WELCOMING OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS IN CHRIST**
Bless be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love, the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

PRELUDE & BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

I Worship You Almighty God Corbett-Wood

May we all be in a spirit of prayer as we prepare our hearts and minds for worship during the prelude and as the acolyte brings the light of Christ into worship.

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

INTROIT *Make Me a Servant* Willard

† **CALL TO WORSHIP** (From *Psalm 67*) Mr. Keith Lawson, Liturgist
(Leader) May God be gracious to us and bless us and make his face shine on us—
(People) *so that God's ways may be known on earth, God's salvation among all nations.*

May the nations be glad and sing for joy, for God rules the people with equity and guides the nations of the earth.

May the people praise you, God; may all the people praise you.

May God bless us still, so that all the ends of the earth will fear him.

May the people praise you, God; may all the people praise you. Amen.

† **HYMN OF PRAISE:** *O Jesus, I Have Promised* No. 396

PRAISES AND CONCERNS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Quilt for Cindy Joyce (Emily Moorefield's sister-in-law)

PASTORAL PRAYER

THANKSGIVING TO GOD THROUGH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY *Majesty* Hayford

† **THE DOXOLOGY** No. 94

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below.
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Alleluia! Alleluia! Al-le-luia,*

ANTHEM *We Have Come Into His House* Ballard

MESSAGE FROM THE GIDEONS Mr. Gregory A. Thomas

NEW TESTAMENT READING Acts 16: 9-15

† **GOSPEL READING** John 14: 15-27

SERMON *Not As the World Gives* Dr. Spicer

HYMN OF PREPARATION *Break Thou the Bread of Life* No. 599

HOLY COMMUNION No. 12

† **HYMN OF DEDICATION** *Shalom to You* Words on Screen

† **BENEDICTION**

† **POSTLUDE** *Great is the Lord* Smith

Please remain in your pew as the Light goes out into the world.

Our service of worship has ended. Our worship through service begins.

† **Please stand if you are able**

*Leading in worship today: Keith Lawson—Liturgist, Chuck Spicer—Choir Director,
Keith Bullin—Pianist/Organist*

We are happy to welcome Jett Midkiff, explaining his Boy Scout Eagle Project and Gregory A. Thomas presenting information concerning the work of Gideons International

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