

OXFORD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

August 4, 2019 • 10:00 a.m.

*Welcome! We are glad you have joined us this morning!*

*Please take a moment to sign the attendance pad located at the end of the pews.*

*(Nursery/Childcare is located on the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor of the Education Bldg.)*

**PRELUDE**

*Open Our Eyes Medley*

Jeremy Sommers, Baritone; Jessica Smith, Piano

**PRAYER/ GREETING/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Pastor Arun Paul

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Lift up your hearts.

**We lift them to the Lord.**

**\*RESPONSIVE READING (Psalm 62:5-8)**

Angela Davis

For God alone my soul waits in silence,

**for my hope is from God,**

**who alone is my rock and my salvation,**

**my fortress; I shall not be shaken.**

On God rests my deliverance and my honor;

my mighty rock, my refuge is God.

**Trust in God at all times, O people;**

**pour out your heart before God who is a refuge for us.**

**Amen**

**\*PRAISE HYMN**

*Cornerstone/I Love You Lord*

**\*HYMN No. 384**

*Love Divine, All Loves Excelling*

**CHILDREN’S MOMENT/SPECIAL MUSIC**

Lorna Dutta, OUMC Kids

**CALL TO PRAYER**

Angela Davis

**MEDITATIVE PRAYER/LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES** *Please indicate your*

*prayer concerns by using the prayer card located in the pews; please place the*

*cards in the offering plate. You may also choose to light a candle of hope or joy.*

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

**LORD’S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

Pastor Arun Paul

**OFFERTORY**

*Blessed Assurance*

Jeremy Sommers, Piano

**\*DOXOLOGY No. 95** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

**\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**APOSTLES' CREED No. 881**

**PASSING OF THE PEACE OF JESUS CHRIST**

**SCRIPTURE**

Luke 12:13-21

Angela Davis

**SERMON**

"The Incomparable Joy of Today" Pastor Lawrence Bartel

**HOLY COMMUNION**

**\*HYMN No. 399**

*Take My Life, and Let It Be*

**\*BENEDICTION**

Pastor Arun Paul

**\*POSTLUDE**

*\*Please rise in body or in spirit*

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9:00 AM Sunday school

One Service  
June 2 - August 18  
10:00 a.m.  
OUMC Sanctuary

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- The Methodist and Oxford Presbyterian Church will be introduced and given an update on TOPSS (formerly the Choice Food Pantry) by Ann Fuehrer the new Executive Director of TOPSS.
- Danny Cross will present a short Minute for Mission on save the date for food packing event on October 20th from 2-4 pm

Tornado Victims

To donate to help those affected by the tornadoes on Memorial Day, gifts clearly marked "West Ohio Disaster Response" can be put in the offering or sent to the church office. Gifts can also be made on line by going to [www.westohioumc.org](http://www.westohioumc.org) and choosing "donate" to find the category you are interested in

Pastor Arun Bible Study/Intercessory Prayer

Activities will resume in the fall

Community Dinner

This month's Community Dinner on August 7 is still in need of supplies. If you are able to bring an item or items from the following list, please contact **Molly Franklin at [mollyafranklin@yahoo.com](mailto:mollyafranklin@yahoo.com) or (513) 255-1359**

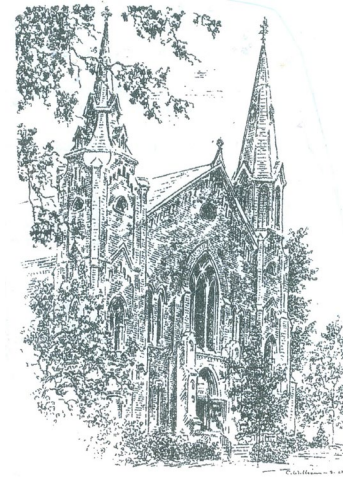
- Cans/jars of spaghetti sauce (any variety)
- Salad
- Garlic bread
- Ranch or French dressing
- Parmesan cheese
- Fruit salad
- Desserts

**Pastor**

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**Church Office Summer Hours**  
9 a.m. -12 p.m.  
June 3 - August 2  
Monday - Friday

**Oxford United Methodist Church/  
Oxford Presbyterian Church  
August 4, 2019  
10:00 AM**



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