Flowers in worship are given to the Glory of God and in celebration of their 45th wedding anniversary by Kim and Richard Busby.

Please pray for church members, their friends and families

Church Family

Vic Aloisio Amber Smith John Konsowitz Sheila Fraser-Derfler Dot Gallagher Brianna O'Rouke Keith Walisch Carrie Bartlett

WELCOME to worship at Level Creek UMC!

We are glad you are here. Restrooms are located out the doors to the right of the front altar. Worship activity bags are available for children who stay in worship and a loving nursery is always provided. Children's Sunday School is offered during the 11:00 am worship hour.

Fall Festival on Sunday, October 26 at 4:00 pm. All ages are invited for trunk-or-treating, games, bounce houses and our famous Chili Cook-off!

- **Decorate your trunk!** Our goal is to fill the parking lot with trunks for kids to visit. Mark your connection card or email Lisha (lishamendez@lcumc.net).
- Donate Candy. Individually wrapped candy can be left in the labeled bin in the OFLC.
- Bring a crock-pot of chili, a salad or a dessert. Mark your connection card.

Blood Drive on Sunday, November 9 from 8:30 am – 1:00 pm. LifeSouth is bringing their Bloodmobile to our LCUMC parking lot and we want to fill all of the available donation spots! Register for your donation time at www.lcumc.net.

Augusta Mission Work Trip: November 20-22. We're sending our first work team to help with continued hurricane recovery. Volunteer for all 3 days or drive down for one day. Mark your Connect Card for more information.

Christmas Wreaths. The United Methodist Men are selling beautiful, fresh Christmas wreaths and garland. Order forms can be found in the Sanctuary Narthex, near the entrance of the OFLC, or online at www.lcumc.net. Orders must be received by November 9. Items will be available for pick-up on Sunday, December 7.

Christmas Choir. Perhaps you can't sing with the choir on a regular basis, but you can join in singing for the Christmas Season. The Christmas Cantata is Sunday, December 14th for both worship services. The Christmas choir rehearses on Wednesday evenings at 7:30 p.m. beginning October 22. Come join the fun! (tracieginsberg@lcumc.net)

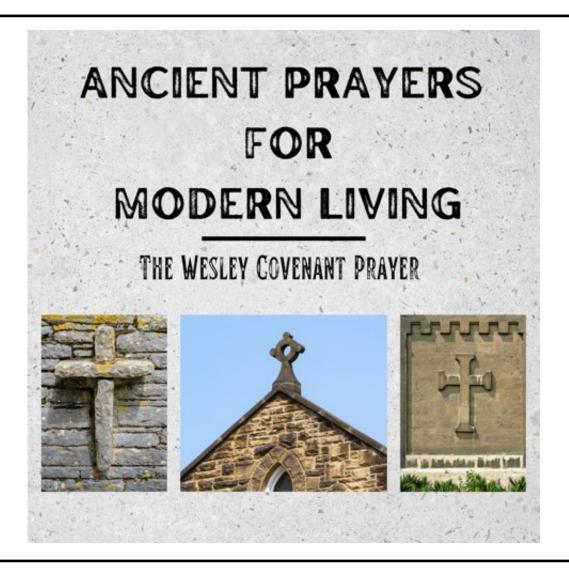
Student Ministry will meet tonight from 6 – 8 pm for dinner, games and small groups.

Charge Conference will be Tuesday, October 21 at 6:00 pm in the Family Life Center. This is the annual business meeting of the church with our District Superintendent. All are welcome to attend.

Electronic Giving During Worship. To make a financial gift to Level Creek UMC, text any dollar amount to (888) 488-8974. You will receive a link to enter your card information.

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Order of Worship

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PreludeBeth Ann Wise

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Elaine Wilder

Entrance of the Light of Christ Acolyte

*Call to Worship

We come before God who has claimed us in love and called us to serve.

We offer our hearts and our lives to the One who gives us life.

Some of us come ready to act, others simply ready to be still.

Yet all of us come seeking to be made faithful in God's grace.

Whether our path leads to joy or to struggle, to honor or to humility,

We trust that God is with us, guiding us in every step.

Let us renew our covenant with the One who is ever faithful.

We are yours, O God.

Put us to what you will; let your love be our work and our reward. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" UMH 89 (vs 1, 2)

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father" UMH 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Special Music "My Tribute" (To God Be the Glory) Hyun Jo, pianist

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

Rev. Elaine Wilder

The 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 trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass 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.

Offering

Scripture Romans 12: 1-2

I appeal to you therefore, brothers and sisters, on the basis of God's mercy, to present your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable to God, which is your reasonable act of worship. Do not be conformed to this age, but be transformed by the renewing of the mind, so that you may discern what is the will of God—what is good and acceptable and perfect.

*Hymn	"Standing on the Promises"	UMH 374 (vs 1, 4)
Sermon	Surrender Wesley Covenant Prayer	Rev. Elaine Wilder
*Closing Hymn	"Take My Life, and Let It Be"	UMH 399 (vs 1, 3)
*Benediction		Rev. Elaine Wilder
*Recessional	"May the Road Rise to Meet You"	
	May the road rise to meet you. May the wind blow at your back. May the sun shine warmly on your face. May the rain fall softly on your fields.	

Postlude

And until we meet again, until we meet again, May God hold you in the palm of his hand. Amen.