



September 11, 2016

A Time to Gather Welcome/Announcements/A Word of Hope!

The Call to Worship ONE: As a shepherd seeks a lost sheep,

ALL: so God seeks and saves the lost.

ONE: Like a woman who searches for a lost coin until it is found,

ALL: so God rejoices over one soul restored to wholeness.

ONE: As a Parent receives a returning wayward Child,

ALL: so God welcomes us, and lets the past be the past.

ONE: Therefore let us praise God in thanksgiving that we are received.

**ALL: Let us receive and welcome and rejoice over one another
in the name of Jesus Christ.**

A Time to Sing: *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* UMH 103;

To God Be the Glory UMH 98 verses 1 & 3

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A Time to Pray: ***O Lord our God, you are always more ready to bestow
your good gifts on us than we are to seek them, and are willing to give
more than we desire or deserve. Help us so to seek that we may truly
find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive, so to knock that the door
of your mercy may be opened to us; through Jesus Christ our Savior.
Amen.***

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A Time to Pray Prayers/Praise/Testimony of the Congregation

A Time to Give Offering/Doxology *Glory Be To The Father* UMH 70

A Time to Listen Scripture *1 Timothy 1:12:17; Luke 15:1-10*

A Time to Speak *Kin-dom Choices* Rev. Patricia Abell

A Time to Respond: **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #889**

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone) UMH 389

Freely, Freely UMH 389

A Time to Go and... *God Be With You Till We Meet Again* v1 UMH 672

We welcome you to worship with us again!

To our guests, thank you for visiting us today. Please fill out a visitor's card located in the pews and place it in the offering plate or see the pastor. Join us in the overflow room for fellowship time after the service.

Calendar of Events at Rockland:

- Sep 18- Trustees
- Sept 15 – Thursday Bible Study 10 am
- Oct 8- Fall Festival, 9a-3p

ALSO, Today, Sept 11- Healing Worship Service 4pm

Wesley Freedom UMC, 961 Johnsville Road, Eldersburg, MD 21784

✚ **Pray for those in need:** Oliver family, Shirley Massey, Joshua Poe, Ken Dobrovolsky, Lois White, Mamie White, Warren White, Paul & Ruth Cook, Lydia & Jim Roth, Glenda Teachey, Carol Lucas, Dale, Shane Mayhew, Richard Pruitt, Miss Wilhemina, Austin Twigg & family, Marilyn Victory, Shirley Gamber, Matt Matheson, family of Dorothy Boswell, John Klein, Sr, Eric & Cindy, Faith, travelers

✚ **Pray for our home-bound:** Gladys Latimer, Jack LeBon, Phil McShane, Leslea & Marvin Musser, Sue Stein, Thelma Stirn



Wherever your footsteps take you, be ready to

Share Faith, offer Prayer, gather Hope

for we are rooted in love in God's Kin-dom!



Is a Community that:

Communicates God's Word,

Invites Commitment,

Cares for others and

Celebrates God's love through witness and service

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A Time to Sing... Songs of Faith



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