

Weekly Schedule

Tuesday, June 9

7 a.m. - Men's Prayer Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, June 10

10 a.m. - Staff Meeting
6:45 p.m. - Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal
7 p.m. - Children's Camp "Spill the Tea" meeting in the Fellowship Hall

Thursday, June 11

12 p.m. - Prime Time Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall
1 p.m. - Walking in the FLC
5:30 p.m. - Youth Worship and Bible Study in the Youth Center
6:30 p.m. - Young Adult Worship in the Sanctuary

Friday, June 12

6 p.m. - Galaxy VBS in the FLC

Saturday, June 13

9:30 a.m. - Galaxy VBS in the FLC

Sunday, June 14

10 a.m. - Galaxy VBS in the FLC



GALAXY
Launching Kids on a Mission of God's Love

**Weekend
Vacation Bible School**
June 12-14, 2026
in the Family Life Center
Scan the qr code or go to
perrymethodist.com

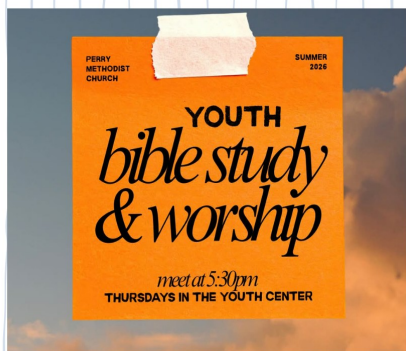
June 12 - 6p.m.-8:30p.m.
Dinner provided
June 13th - 9:30am-2p.m.
Lunch provided
June 14th -10am-12p.m.
Breakfast provided



**Children's
Camp
Meeting
Wednesday,
June 10
7 p.m. in the
Fellowship Hall**

Come for a sneak peek at things that will be happening at camp, sweet tea, and prizes!
A camp secret or two may be revealed!

We will have two important forms for parents to fill out!



PERRY
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SUMMER
2026

**YOUTH
bible study
& worship**

meet at 5:30pm
THURSDAYS IN THE YOUTH CENTER

6th to 12th graders
Drop off at the Youth Center ,
pickup at the Sanctuary at 7 p.m.



**YOUNG ADULT
WORSHIP &
BIBLE STUDY**

SUMMER 2026

18 to 30ish year olds
Meet in the Sanctuary at
6:30 p.m. for worship and
Bible Study

Can America Be Fixed?



As we approach the 250th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence and the founding of the United States of America, many Americans are asking a question that would have seemed unimaginable to previous generations:

Can America be fixed?

We love our country.
We are grateful for the freedoms we enjoy.
We are proud of much of our history.
But many of us are also deeply concerned.

Concerned about the world our children and grandchildren are inheriting.
Concerned about division, anger, and distrust.
Concerned about the breakdown of families and communities.
Concerned about the loss of shared values.
Concerned about what America may look like twenty-five years from now.

Over the next several weeks, we are beginning a new sermon series on a simple but challenging question:

What would it take to fix America?

Not according to politicians.
Not according to Fox News or MSNBC.
Not according to the social feeds or the algorithms.
According to God.

We'll begin with the story of Abraham, the man God called to become a great nation, and we'll explore what Scripture teaches about blessing, character, courage, sacrifice, freedom, and what it truly means to be "one nation under God."

Today's message is called: **"Blessed to Be a Blessing."**

If America is to have a future worth handing to our children and grandchildren, we must first answer a more fundamental question:

What kind of people does God bless?

Let's begin the conversation.

Worship and Praise Gathering

Second Sunday after Pentecost
June 7, 2026

Liturgical Color: White
9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Rev. Tom Carruth

Please register your attendance on the pads found in each pew.

Prelude

In Heaven Above arr. Alice Jordan
Dr. Carol Goff, organ

*Hymn

103 *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

Pastoral Prayer with Lord's Prayer

*Hymn

641 *Fill My Cup, Lord* (sing twice)

Offering

Feel free to give as you feel led

Offertory Anthem

Come and Eat This Bread Hal H. Hopson
The Sanctuary Choir

Come and eat this bread, Christ is here.

Come and drink this cup, Christ is here.

At this table here, we are one, one in Christ.

*Doxology

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*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!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

Scripture

Genesis 12:1-9

Sermon

Blessed to Be a Blessing Rev. Tom Carruth

Holy Communion

(gluten free rice crackers given upon request)

Music During Communion

Reflections of the Cross Paula C. Carl
Lead Me to Calvary arr. Dan Forrest
Children of the Heavenly Father arr. Dan Forrest
piano

*Hymn of Commitment

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Trust and Obey

*Sending Forth with Blessing

*Postlude

When I Can Read My Title Clear arr. Don Hustad
organ

*Stand as able

Acolyte: Anna Reese Mason 11:00 Crucifer: Lily Peck 11:00

Our love, sympathy, and prayers are given to the family and friends of Ed Lauer who passed away on May 6, 2026. There will be a memorial service, we will update with more information soon.

A pre-school nursery is provided for children 6 weeks to 4 years old. Children's Church is provided at 11 a.m. for children 4 years of age through their completing first grade. An usher will be happy to assist you in finding these locations in the Education building.

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