

# CAHILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

August 3, 2008

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MUSICAL PRELUDE *(As you listen, use this time in quietness and reverence for preparation for Holy Worship)*

\* PRAISE HYMN *Sanctuary* TFWS # 2164

\* WORDS OF WELCOME AND CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Proverbs 2:3-4)

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God,  
and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

*And also with you.*

If you call out for insight and cry aloud for understanding:

*If you look for it as for silver and search for it as for hidden treasure*

If you struggle with angels

*and hold tightly to your God no matter what befalls you*

Then you will be blessed and understand the fear of the Lord,  
and find the knowledge of God.

\*HYMN *Here I Am, Lord* UMH # 593

## PRAYER OF APPROACH

Holy and awesome God, creator of heaven and earth - as we come before you today we are aware of our imperfect understanding of your ways and of our deep need for your presence in our lives. We thank you for granting to us a family in which to grow, a people with whom we can mature. We praise you for accepting us as we are and for struggling with us to make us what we can be. Bless, we pray, this time when your people gather to worship you and call on your name. Grant to us insight into the mind of Christ and a deep love for you and for all whom you have made. As we lift our song to you - come down and visit our souls. We ask it in the name of Christ Jesus, our Lord, our brother, and our friend. Amen.

## CHILDRENS SERMON

## SHARING GOD'S BLESSINGS

\*DOXOLOGY

THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE Old Testament, page 28, Genesis 32:22-31;

New Testament, page 14, Matthew 14:13-21

This is the Word of God for the people of God

**Thanks be to God!**

HYMN OF PRAYER *Come, Share The Lord* TFWS # 2269

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / PASTORAL PRAYER/ THE LORD'S PRAYER

SERMON A. J. Hillin

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION UMH #12

\*HYMN *Soon and Very Soon* UMH # 706

## THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

You are invited to meet the pastor at the altar to place your membership in the church by profession of faith, transfer of membership, or to recommit your life to Christ.

\*THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS #48

We rejoice to recognize you as members of Christ's Holy church and bid you welcome to Cahill United Methodist Church. With you, we renew our vows to uphold it with our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness. With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that, surrounded by steadfast love, you may be established in the faith and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

## \*COMMISSIONING

In the power of the Holy Spirit we now go forth into the world, to fulfill our calling as the people of God, the body of Christ.

## \*BENEDICTION

Welcome, Visitors.

We are pleased that you have chosen to worship with us this morning and we hope you will come again.

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Worship Services Sundays 9:30 am  
Sunday School 10:45 am

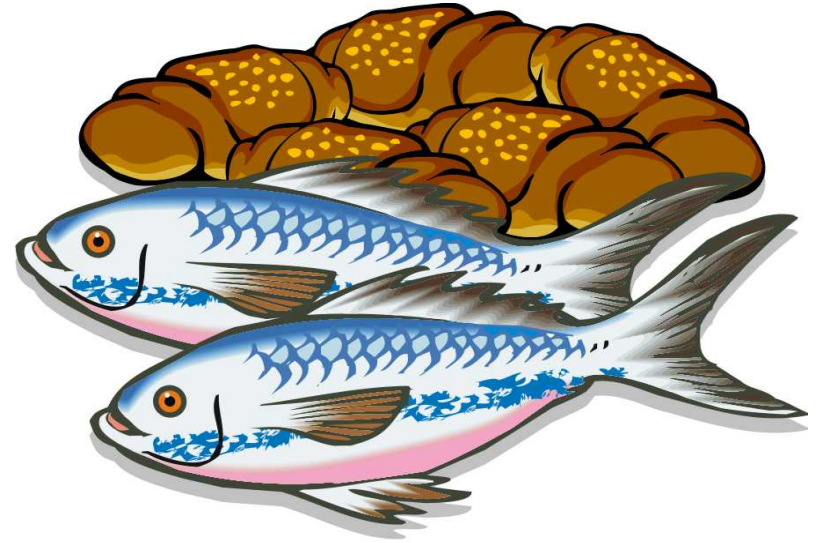
**CAHILL NEWS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Worship Committee Mtg.	After Worship	Today
Church-Wide Meeting	After Worship	Aug. 10 <sup>th</sup>
Potluck Supper	6:30 pm	Aug. 26 <sup>th</sup>

**PRAY FOR OUR TROOPS**

**Our Military**

Matt Yates – Iraq	Cole Kurtenbach – Iraq
Danny Dennison – Iraq	Ricky Tiwater – Iraq
Wayne Fannin, Jr – Navy Training	Paul Dietrich - Kuwait
Jessica Keays – Gulf	Bryan Dryer - Iraq



**Taking the five loaves  
and the two fish,  
he looked up to heaven,  
and blessed and broke  
the loaves, and gave  
them to the disciples,  
and the disciples gave  
them to the crowds.**

**Matthew 14.19**

**WANT TO JOIN OUR CHURCH?**

If you believe God is calling you to a relationship through this church, please come forward when the invitation is given. If “coming forward” isn’t comfortable for you, see “the Rev” after the service and you can do a “No Stress” form of joining Cahill United Methodist Church.

(Present this form to the pastor during the last hymn.)

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Children’s Names:

Former Church \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Joining By:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Baptism and Profession of Faith  
(Never Baptized, no previous church membership)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer from another United Methodist Church
- \_\_\_\_\_ Transfer from another denomination

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