

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Youth Sunday

MORNING WORSHIP ~ 8:45 & 11:00 A.M.

THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

The service of worship begins with the music.

Through its power and brilliance may you feel the majesty of God, in its quietness, God's peace.

~ WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD ~

****WELCOME, REGISTRATION, ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Please sign the attendance sheet and pass it to the end of the pew for usher pickup.)

THE PRELUDE Ryland Brown

***THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

***HYMN NO. 451** "Be Thou My Vision" SLANE

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Ben Keith

Leader: This is the day that the Lord has made!

People: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

Leader: This is a day of new beginnings!

People: This is a time for growing into new disciples for Jesus.

Leader: Come, let us prepare ourselves for worship.

People: Let us be prepared for service to God. Amen.

***THE APOSTLES' CREED NO. 881**

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.

*universal

***THE GLORIA PATRI NO. 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.

THE MORNING PRAYER

(Leader: Lord, in your mercy.

People Respond: Hear our prayer.)

RECOGNITION OF GRADUATES (11:00 am only)

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

Adyson Davis – Lander College

Aiden Fletcher – Coastal Carolina

Ben Keith – Clemson University

On the altar rail, behind each High School Graduate is a "Prayer Blanket" made specifically for them as they embark on the next chapter of their life. These blankets are from the ladies in the Prayer Shawl Ministry.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION Josh Consalvo

Almighty God, every good gift comes from you. All that we are, and all that we have are gifts from you. Accept these offerings as a sign of thanksgiving and as a token of our giving of ourselves to you. Bless and use both the gift and the giver for your service. Amen.

THE GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY (11:00 am only) arr. Sheldon Curry

"Down to the River to Pray"

The Chancel Choir, Anne Spellman soloist

***THE DOXOLOGY** OLD 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

~ WE HEAR GOD'S WORD ~

THE CHILDREN'S TIME Aiden Fletcher

SCRIPTURE READING Ephesians 4:1-6 NT-193

THE MESSAGE "God's Plan" Adyson Davis

~ WE GIVE THANKS AND SHARE HOLY COMMUNION ~

INVITATION (All are welcome)

CONFESSION AND PARDON NO. 12

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING NO. 17

THE LORD'S PRAYER (prayed together)

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.

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

If you are not able to come forward, the communion elements will be brought to you where you are seated.

CHORAL ANTHEM "One Bread, One Body"

8:45 am Grant Knox, Solo – 11:00 am Chancel Choir

COMMUNION HYMNS

(You are invited to sing these hymns as others are receiving communion.)

331 "Holy Spirit, Come, Confirm Us"

332 "Spirit of Faith, Come Down"

333 "I'm Gonna' Sing When the Spirit says Sing"

334 "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

337 "Only Trust Him"

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Loving God, we thank you that you have fed us this Sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet in your eternal kingdom. Send us in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory, in Jesus' name. Amen.

~ WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD ~

***HYMN NO. 89** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

***BENEDICTION**

Leader: At Aldersgate we are ...

People: Hearts on Fire ... Seeking, Sharing, Serving ... For God!

***THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

***THE POSTLUDE** Ryland Brown

**Congregation will please stand as able.*

Our service of worship has ended.

Let our worship through service begin.

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR ARE TO THE GLORY of God and in honor of my children and grandchildren by Carol Durham.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A WELCOME RECEPTION honoring Grant & Danielle Knox on *Sunday, June 10*. This will be held in the church Commons during the Sunday school hour, 9:45-10:45 am. We hope you can drop in and say hello!

VACATION-Pastor Alex will be on vacation Friday, June 8 thru Saturday, June 16. If you have a need for a pastor during this time, please contact the church office.

COLLEGE GRADUATES

Robert Caviness – Appalachian State University
Seth Gooch – Clemson University
Brian LePorte – Clemson University
Will Moody – Clemson University (Aug. Graduation)
Caroline Whitaker – College of Charleston
Josh Willett – The Citadel

SUMMER SUPPERS BEGIN ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6 at 5:30 pm in Parker Hall. Make sure you have called Cameron Vaughn in the church office to get your name on the list to eat no later than the Monday before you want to eat. The cost is \$6.00 per person. The first meal will consist of: Chicken Pasta Salad, Squash Casserole, Fruit, Dessert, Beverages.

PRAYER CONCERNS

As of printing Thursday, May 31, 2018:

Home: Alton Durham, Beth Rambo, Tom Barnhill, Freida Parker, Pete & Martha Hendrix, Peggy Miller, John Holmstrand, Ann Armstrong, Annette McDuffee, Marge Hoagland, Carole Dansby, Linda McDaniel

Brookdale @ Hawthorne: Nita Bearden

Cascades: Patti Whelchel **Rock Hill /Daughter:** Bill Taylor

Mt. Pleasant, SC: Florence Hale **Myrtle Beach, SC:** Randy Hale

Haywood Estates: Ann Linse **NHC Mauldin:** Atrice Hughey

Waterstone: Phil & Jennie Ruth Waynick

Westminster Senior Living at Augusta Place: Melba Poole

Rolling Green: Wayne Rowan, Wilma Tiedeman

Mt. Home Health/Rehab, NC: Nancy Reitz

CALENDAR

Sunday, June 3, 2018: Annual Conference Begins

8:45 am & 11:00 am Worship (Youth Sunday)

9:45 am Sunday School

Monday, June 4, 2018: Annual Conference

1:00 pm Prime Timers Bridge – Parker Hall

6:30 pm Financial Peace – Library

Tuesday, June 5, 2018: Annual Conference

6:30 am Men of Integrity – Broadway Bagels

12:00 pm Task Force Lunch here from Annual Conf.-Parker Hall

7:00 pm Boy Scouts @ The House

Wednesday June 6, 2018: Annual Conference ends

5:30 pm Summer Suppers Begin – Parker Hall

7:15 pm Choir Practice – Choir Room

Thursday, June 7, 2018:

5:30 am Men's Study – Mac Vinson Companions Class

6:30 pm Finance Committee Mtg.- Mac Vinson Companions Class

TITHES & OFFERINGS

Worship the Lord through giving.

2018 Average Weekly Budget	\$ 15,498.09
2018 Average Weekly Giving	\$ 14,220.53
Previous Week's General Fund Giving	\$ 12,793.00
2018 Avg. General Fund Weekly Expenses	\$ 15,671.84

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ATTENDANCE

May 27, 2018

Sunday School – 107 Worship - 233

SERVING TODAY

Greeters: 8:45am Nancy & Mike Burton

11:00 am Bob & Brenda Willett

Acolytes: 8:45 am Julian Gettys 11:00 am Brooks Schemm

Crucifer: 11:00 am Ansley Addis

Usher Captains: 8:45 am David McAvoy 11:00 am Frank Mathis

Ushers: 8:45 am Eddie Beam, Henry Scoggins, Suzanne Haney, Tim Davis

11:00 am Jim Cox, Bonnie Lampe, Trey Covington, Coley Altman, III, Paul Sleight

MINISTRY STAFF

The Rev. Alex Stevenson, Pastor (ext. 207)

Johannah Myers, Director of Christian Formation (ext. 211)

Ruth Hughes, Director of Children's & Leisure Min. (ext. 204)

Dr. Grant Knox, Dir. of Music (ext. 208)

Ryland Brown, Musician

Jennifer Nelson, Director, Child Development Center (ext. 202)

Josh Consalvo, Director of Youth (ext. 212)

Susan Hamilton, Office Manager/Communications (ext. 210)

Cameron Vaughn, Financial Secretary (ext. 206)

MINISTERS – THE CONGREGATION

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday: 8:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Friday: 9:00-Noon

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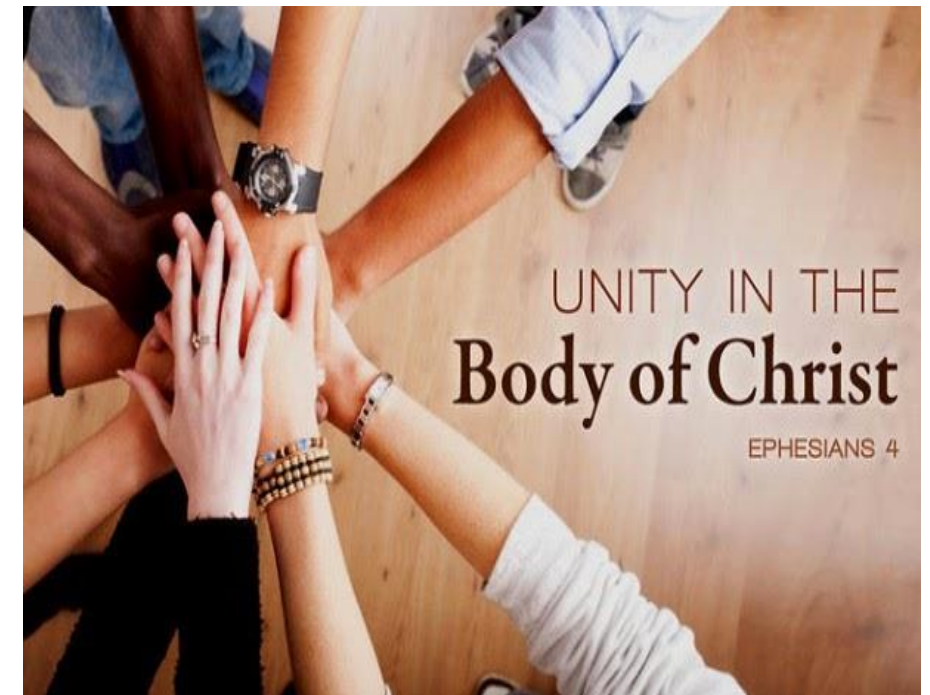
MISSION STATEMENT

... We are called to make disciples by embracing all people with God's love in Christ and equipping each other for service to God and His world.

VISION STATEMENT

Hearts on Fire...Seeking, Sharing, Serving...For God!

Welcome to ALDRSGATE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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WORSHIP SERVICES

8:45 am & 11:00 am

June 3, 2018

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A Stephen Ministry Congregation