

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

Boy Scout 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.)

PRELUDE Ryland Brown

***THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

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

***CALL TO WORSHIP** Psalm 138:1-6 Caleb Reyes

Leader: I give you thanks, O Lord, with my whole heart; before the gods I sing your praise;

People: I bow down toward your holy temple and give thanks to your name for your steadfast love and your faithfulness,

Leader: for you have exalted your name and your word above everything.

People: On the day I called, you answered me; you strengthened my life.

Leader: All the kings of the earth shall give you thanks, O Lord,

People: for they have heard the words of your mouth,

Leader: and they shall sing of the ways of the Lord,

People: for great is the glory of the Lord.

Leader: For though the Lord is high, he regards the lowly,

People: yet knows the haughty from afar.

***THE APOSTLES' CREED NO 881** Eric Gaillard

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 Joshua Cockcroft

(Leader: Lord, in your mercy.

People Respond: Hear our prayer.)

THE LORD'S PRAYER Will Kirlin

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.

ANTHEM (8:45 am) "The Gift of Love"

Kirby Burgess and Micah Arms, duet

(11:00 am) "To God All Praise and Glory!" by Gilbert M. Martin
The Chancel Choir

SCOUT PRESENTATION Chris Cockcroft

PRAYER OF DEDICATION Kate Bahti

Loving God, guide your children, young and old, to be trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent. Amen.

THE GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY Ryland Brown

***THE DOXOLOGY NO. 94** LASST UNS ERFREUEN

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 up-lifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

~ WE HEAR GOD'S WORD ~

***HYMN OF PREPARATION NO. 437** "This is My Song"

THE CHILDREN'S TIME Jase Bahti

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 7: 36-50 NT PG. 66

Eli Warren

THE MESSAGE Gavin Fleming

~ WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD ~

***HYMN NO. 122** "God of the Sparrow, God of the Whale"

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** "Rain Down" by Cortez

***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 and memory of Jerry Thomas' birthday by Mary Thomas, Jed Thomas, Nancy Kennedy, and Elizabeth Monts.

CUB SCOUTS will be having their spaghetti luncheon as a fund raiser today in Parker Hall. Join them after Sunday school or after the 11:00 service for some wonderful food.

VALENTINE'S DAY LUNCHEON – If you are widowed, a widower, single or just in need of company on this day, feel free to sign-up to attend. Today is the last day to sign-up. There are sign-up sheets all around the church and in Sunday school rooms. It will be held in Parker Hall on February 14 at 12:00 noon. If you have further questions, call Dean or Pam Martin at 864-292-3942.

THANK YOU! The concern and caring for us by our Aldersgate friends during our family's loss means so very much to each of us. The prayers, calls, cards, and many thoughtful gestures are much appreciated. Please continue to hold us close in prayer as we strive to provide the best care for my 89-year-old mother. Danny and Cookie Dobbs

Messy Church AND Pancakes?! Why not?!

Join us March 5 as we celebrate Shrove Tuesday and prepare to keep a Holy Lent!

Activities will help us celebrate Mardi Gras and to prepare our families for the 40 Days of Lent.

March 5
Activities begin at 5:30,
Pancakes will be served from
6:00-7:00pm
Parker Hall, Aldersgate

Donations will be welcome toward the cost of food.

Activities are appropriate for all ages! This truly is a night for everyone. Plus, there will be PANCAKES!

Sponsored by Messy Church and United Methodist Men
Aldersgate UMC 7 Shannon Dr Greenville, SC





The next meeting of the UMM is on Monday, February 18 beginning at 6:32 pm in Parker Hall. Make sure you call or email Susan Hamilton or Trevor King to get on the list for the meal.

ATTENDANCE – February 3, 2019

Sunday School- 113 Worship 8:45 am -89 / 11:00 am – 113
Ladies Retreat – 49

Total Worship – 251

OUR RECORD

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| General Fund Budget Needs (YTD) | \$ 71,929.41 |
| Total General Fund Receipts (YTD) | \$ 96,942.21 |
| Total General Fund Expenses | \$ 65,428.35 |
| YTD Surplus in Contributions to Expenses | \$ 31,513.86 |
| Previous Weeks General Fund Giving - week 5 | \$ 22,337.83 |

Calendar

Sunday, February 10: Scouts Day/Spaghetti Lunch in P. Hall

8:45 am & 11:00 am Worship Service – Sanctuary
9:45 am Sunday School & Re-newed Members Class – Chapel
3:00 pm Cindy Harter Circle – Mac Vinson Companions Class
5:00 pm Youth & Club 56

Monday, February 11:

9:00 am Staff Meeting - Library
12:30 pm Prime Timers Bridge – Parker Hall
6:30 pm Cub Scouts @ The House
6:30 pm Trustees Meeting – Mac Vinson Companions Class

Tuesday, February 12:

6:35 am Men of Integrity – Broadway Bagels on Hudson Rd.
9:30 am Women of Faith – Parker Hall
12:00 pm Susanna Wesley Circle – Parker Hall
6:30 pm Girls Scouts – Parker Hall
7:00 pm Boy Scouts @ The House

Wednesday, February 13:

10:00 am Pastor’s Bible Study – Mac Vinson Companions
10:00 am Mary Teasley Circle – Soul Café
5:30 pm Connect – Parker Hall
6:20 pm Children’s Music
6:30 pm Classes

Thursday, February 14:

12:00 pm Valentines Day Luncheon (Widows, Widowers, Single) in Parker Hall

UMW CALL TO PRAYER AND SELF-DENIAL- Saturday, February 16, 2019. All women of the church are invited to attend. The event begins at 11:30 am with lunch being served at 12:00 pm. The deadline to register is today!

PRAYER CONCERNS

As of printing Thursday, February 7, 2019

Home: Beth & Warren Rambo, Freida Parker, Pete & Martha Hendrix, John & Mary Holmstrand, Ann Armstrong, Lillis Smith, Kay Culbertson, Dave Herndon, Rudy Rogers
NHC Mauldin: Atrice Hughey **Rosecrest:** Jennie Ruth Waynick
Cascades: Patti Whelchel **Mt. Pleasant, SC:** Florence Hale
The Woodlands: Annette McDuffee, Peggy Miller
Haywood Estates: Ann Linse **Mt. Home Health, NC:** Nancy Reitz
Oakview Park: Joan Pawlus
Brookdale @ Hawthorne: Nita Bearden
Rock Hill /Daughter: Bill Taylor **Myrtle Beach, SC:** Randy Hale
Westminster Senior Living/Augusta Place: Melba Poole
Rolling Green: Wayne Rowan, Ralph Bell

SERVING TODAY

Greeters: 8:45 am Nina & Henry Scoggins
11:00 am Nancy Angster
Acolytes: 8:45 am Brooks Davis 11:00 am Henry Addis
Crucifer: 11:00 am Reid Schemm
Usher Captain: 8:45 am David McAvoy
Ushers: Boy Scouts
Usher Captain: 11:00 am Frank Mathis
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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, Director of Music
Ryland Brown, Musician
Jennifer Nelson, Director, Child Development Center (ext. 301)
Josh Consalvo, Director of Youth (ext. 209)
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
Phone: 864/244-1820 Fax: 864/244-9701
Child Development Center...864/268-5028

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.

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

Welcome to

**ALDERSGATE
UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH**



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WORSHIP SERVICES
8:45 AM & 11:00 AM
February 10, 2019

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The people of The United Methodist Church

A Stephen Ministry Congregation