

**FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST  
MORNING WORSHIP ~ 8:45 & 11:00 A.M.**

**THE ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**~ 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 OPENING PRAYER**

**THE INTROIT** 8:45 am Ryland Brown  
11:00 am "O Come, Let Us Sing Unto the Lord"  
The Chancel Choir

**\*THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

**\*HYMN NO. 337** "Only Trust Him"

**\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: A word of encouragement came from prophet to people;

**People: Live a LIFE that is full—build, plant, eat, love, multiply—**

Leader: Pray for our communities.

**People: Keep God in the center of all that is.**

Leader: We enter into worship today with hope in our hearts.

**People: For something happens here that reminds us that we can live as God desires.**

Leader: God has made a promise of faithfulness to us,

**People: and we can trust the promise!**

**\*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.**

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**\*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 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.

**CHORAL ANTHEM** (11:00 am) "Holy is He" by Clydesdale  
The Chancel Choir

**THE GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS**

**THE OFFERTORY** "I'll Walk with God" N. Brodzky  
Solo, Micah Arms

**\*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 ~**

**CHILDREN'S SERMON** Ruth Hughes

**\*HYMN OF PREPARATION NO. 707** "Hymn of Promise"

**SCRIPTURE READING** Jeremiah 29:11 OT PG. 731

**THE MESSAGE** "A New Beginning"

Rev. Michael Bingham

**~ WE ARE SENT INTO THE WORLD ~**

**\*HYMN NO. 133** "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

**\*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.*

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

*Feeling my way through the darkness guided by a beating heart. I can't tell where the journey will end, but I know where to start. They tell me I'm too young to understand; they say I'm caught up in a dream—that life will pass me by if I don't open up my eyes. Well that's fine by me. . . I tried carrying the weight of the world, but I only have two hands. Hope I get a chance to travel the world, but I don't have any plans. Wish that I could stay forever this young—not afraid to close my eyes. Life's a game made for everyone and love is the prize. So wake me up when it's all over, when I'm wiser and I'm older. All this time I was finding myself, and I didn't know I was lost.*

—lyrics from the song *Wake Me Up!* by Tim Bergling, Michael Aaron Einziger, and Egbert Nathaniel Dawkins and performed by Avicii feat. Aloe Blacc.

**THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR ARE TO THE** Glory of God and in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Glen Colegate by their loving son Bruce Colegate and his brothers and sister.

**OUR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL-TO MARS & BEYOND** adventure is almost here! It will begin on Sunday, **July 21–3:30 pm** with Messy Church and will continue the following **Monday – Thursday, July 22 – 25 from 9:00 am – noon, each day.** You can register on-line for your children to attend VBS. Go to the church website and click the VBS picture that is scrolling across the opening page. Please see Ruth Hughes or Johannah Myers to volunteer.

**OUR RECORD**

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| General Fund Budget Needs (YTD)              | \$ 388,418.82       |
| Total General Fund Receipts (YTD)            | \$ 410,782.39       |
| Total General Fund Expenses (YTD)            | \$ 374,167.18       |
| Surplus in Contributions to Expenses (YTD)   | \$ 36,615.21        |
| <b>Weekly General Fund Budget Needs</b>      | <b>\$ 14,385.88</b> |
| Previous Weeks General Fund Giving – week 27 | \$ 11,809.45        |

July 14, 2019  
5th Sunday after Pentecost

**“A New Beginning”**

Text: **Jeremiah 29:11**

pg. 731 in the Old Testament of the Pew Bible

✝ Today we have a \_\_\_\_\_ that  
will never end . . . .

✝ . . . . and an \_\_\_\_\_.

✝ Our welfare is brought about through *shalom*:  
a live LIFE to the fullest \_\_\_\_\_.

NOTES: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**ATTENDANCE**

**July 7, 2019**

Sunday School – 99 8:45 am – 117 11:00 am – 144

**Total Worship - 261**

**CALENDAR FOR JULY 2019**

**Sunday, July 14:**

8:45 am & 11:00 am Worship  
9:45 am Summer Sunday School—Parker Hall  
5:00 pm Youth @ the House

**Monday, July 15:**

1:00 pm Prime Timers Bridge—Parker Hall  
6:30 pm Cub Scouts @ the House

**Tuesday, July 16: Newsletter Published**

1:00 pm Tuesday Bridge Group  
6:30 pm Financial Peace - Library  
7:00 pm Boy Scouts at the House

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**As of printing Wednesday, July 11, 2019:**

**Home:** Maxine Hardin, Beth & Warren Rambo, Pete & Martha Hendrix, John & Mary Holmstrand, Ann Armstrong, Lillis Smith, Tom Barnhill, Rudy Rogers, Joan Sanford  
**NHC Mauldin:** Atrice Hughey **NHC Greenville:** Fred Copeland  
**Memory Care of Simpsonville:** Jennie Ruth Waynick  
**Myrtle Beach, SC:** Randy Hale **The Woodlands:** Peggy Miller  
**Cascades:** Patti Whelchel **Oakview Park:** Joan Pawlus  
**Rolling Green:** Wayne Rowan, Ralph Bell  
**Haywood Estates:** Ann Linse **Rock Hill/Daughter:** Bill Taylor  
**Brookdale @ Hawthorne:** Nita Bearden  
**Westminster Senior Living/Augusta Place:** Melba Poole

**SERVING ALDERSGATE**

**Lay Reader:** 8:45 am Annie Garrett 11:00 am Karis King  
**Greeters:** 8:45 am Dee & Gray Walsh  
11:00 am Ruth & Gary Hughes  
**Acolytes:** 8:45 am Brooks Davis 11:00 am Trace King  
**Crucifer:** 11:00 am James Whiteman  
**Usher Captains:** 8:45 am Austin Watts 11:00 am David Rose  
**Ushers:** 8:45 am Doug Jordan, Phil Martin, Waldo Watts  
**Ushers:** 11:00 am David Ayer, Clay Garrison, Cody Owens

**MINISTRY STAFF**

The Rev. Michael Bingham, Pastor (ext. 207)  
Dr. 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. 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  
Phone: 864/244-1820 Fax: 864/244-9701  
Child Development Center...864/268-5028

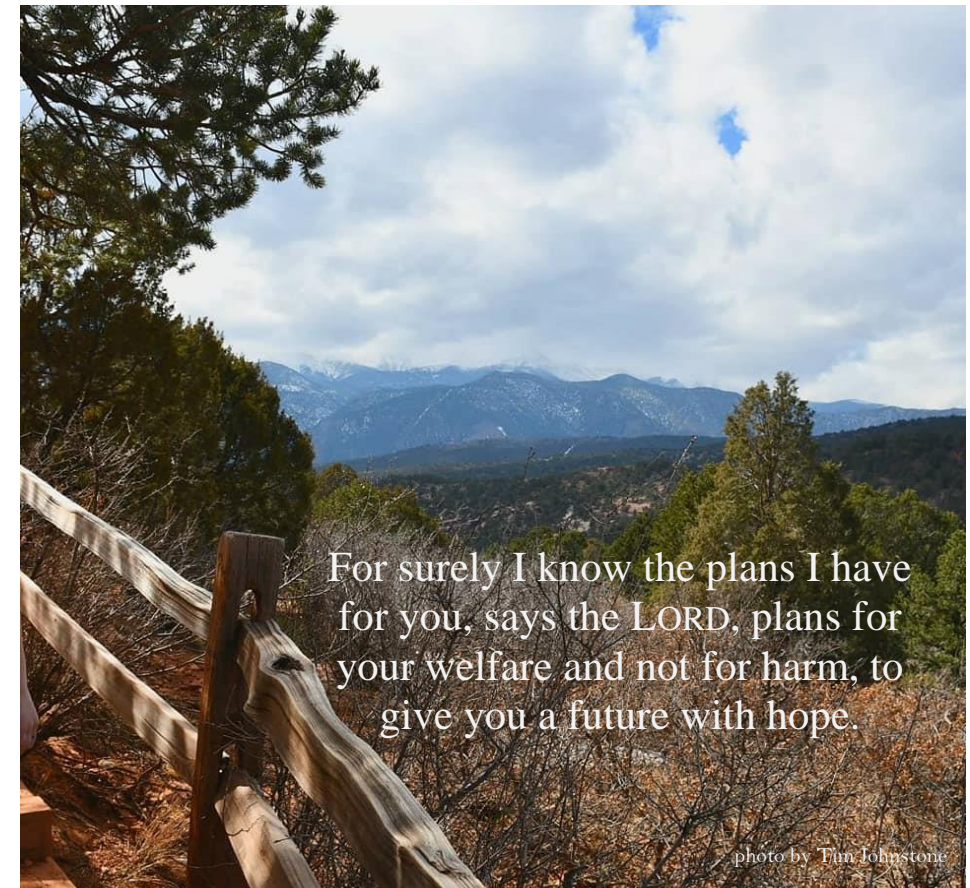
**MISSION STATEMENT**

. . . 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.

**VISION STATEMENT**

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

*Welcome to*  
**ALDERSGATE**  
**UNITED METHODIST**  
**CHURCH**



For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the LORD, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.

**The Rev. Michael Bingham**  
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**WORSHIP SERVICES**

**8:45 am & 11:00 am**

**July 14, 2019**

**Established October 9, 1960**

**Open hearts...Open minds...Open doors**  
**The people of The United Methodist Church**

*A Stephen Ministry Congregation*