



LYTTLETON STREET
– UMC –

Lyttleton Street United Methodist Church
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9th Sunday after Pentecost
July 26, 2026
9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

The paraments are red, symbolizing the fire from the Holy Spirit.
**Please stand as you are able.*

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Scott Rankin

PRELUDE

O Worship the King
Patty Bellus, organ

LYONS
arr. Douglas E. Wagner

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*OPENING HYMN 400 Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

NETTLETON

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 881 The Apostles' Creed

Scott Rankin

*GLORIA PATRI 71

Glory Be to the Father

GREATOREX

PRESENTATION OF BIBLES

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

HOLY BAPTISM: The Baptismal Covenant II (UMH 39)

Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

Baptism of Jett Nelson, son of Korey & Jackie Nelson

SUNG RESPONSE

God Claims You (vs. 1-3)

FARR

CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

Scott Rankin

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (UMH 895)

OFFERING

Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

OFFERTORY

Make Me a Channel of Your Peace
Janet Wilhite, soprano

Sebastian Temple

*DOXOLOGY 95

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

OLD 100th

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Billy Sandel

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE

Acts 8: 33-38 (NRSV)

Billy Sandel

SERMON SERIES: *HOLY MOMENTUM!*

SERMON

"What's to Prevent Me?"

Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

REMEMBERING OUR BAPTISMS

*HYMN 605

Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters

BEACH SPRING

*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

Rev. Jonathan Tompkins

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

The Irish Blessing

Lee Turner
arr. Ike Pitts

POSTLUDE

Praise Him! Praise Him!
Patty Bellus, organ

JOYFUL SONG
arr. Humphrey Turner

Acolytes: Peyton Coplin & Hudson Harrell

Reader: Billy Sandel

Ushers: *Frank Laney, Reggie Dean, Robbie Lackey, Mitch Smith, Donnie Wilson

In Our Prayers

Members: Sam Cheek, Margaret Childs, Carolene Clark, Mary Clark, Margaret Ann Cox, Phyllis David, Reggie Dean, Charlotte Evans, Becky Ferguson, Julia Halford, Peggy Hester, Mary Ellen Jordan, Roger Marshall, Peggy Mays, Paulette Player, Joanne Poe, Dara Price, Vi Smith, William Sowell, David & Jane Weaver

Military: Hunter Bass, Noah Cheek, Bane DeFanti, Tony Foreman, Salamnesh Kolb, Ben Watson, Zack Watson, Tanner Willson

Others: Check with the office for a complete list.

Building Fund 7/19/2026

Our Giving 7/19/2026

Budget	*1,172,421.00
Received	16,856.20
Need YTD	653,863.00
Received YTD	594,144.40
Expense YTD	577,496.57

Fund Balance 7/20	7,536.61
Bldg. Contributions	1,620.00
Principal paid this week	0
Interest paid this week	0
Loan principal	1,344,000.00
Interest paid to date	271,054.00
Principal paid to date	393,797.80
Current Fund Balance	9,156.61

Ways to give

Offering: Contribute during worship.
Text to Give: (803) 274-5588 > Text Amount
Online: lsumc.net > Online Giving > Donate
Mobile Giving: Through the **Shelby Next** mobile app
Mail In: Send your tithe/donation to the church office.
RMD (Req. Min. Distribution): Speak to your broker.

Scan to give



This Week's Meetings & Events

LSUMC Walkers (M-F): 7-9:30 a.m. & 4-6:00 p.m.

Sun 7/26	9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
	10:15 a.m. Family Sunday School
	11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship (Gym)
Tue 7/28	9:30 a.m. Bible Study (Aldersgate)
Wed 7/29	10:00 a.m. Pastor's Bible Study (Aldersgate)
	5:45 p.m. Bible Study (Wesley)
Thu 7/30	1 st day of school
Fri 7/31	1:00 p.m. Painting & Art Group

Attendance 7/19/2026

9:00 a.m. Traditional = 108
11:15 a.m. Contemporary = 115

Today is Back-to-School Sunday with Family Sunday School, blessing of the book bags, and 3rd graders receive Bibles.

Wonderful Wednesday begins
August 12th!
Open to children 4k – 5th grade

Youth & Parents Meeting
Sunday, August 2nd at 6:00 p.m.
in the gym

SAVE THE DATE!

August 30th is 5th Sunday and a 10:00 a.m. combined service in the gym. We'll also have lunch and a ministry fair. More details to come!

Confirmands & Parents Meeting
Sunday, August 9th at 10:00 a.m.
in the confirmation room (next to the High School class.

9:00 a.m. Traditional Worship (livestream on Facebook & YouTube)
(radio broadcast from 11:00 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. on 102.7 FM WPUB)
11:15 a.m. Contemporary Worship (livestream on Facebook & YouTube)
Rev. Jonathan Tompkins, Senior Pastor pastor@lsumc.net

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After the Amen

Series: *Holy Momentum!*
Sermon: 'What's to Prevent Me?'
July 26th, 2026

READ

Acts 8:35-38 (NRSV)

Then Philip began to speak, and starting with this scripture he proclaimed to him the good news about Jesus. ³⁶ As they were going along the road, they came to some water, and the eunuch said, "Look, here is water! What is to prevent me from being baptized?" ³⁸ He commanded the chariot to stop, and both of them, Philip and the eunuch, went down into the water, and Philip baptized him.

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God!

REFLECT

Write down any thoughts or ideas to guide you this week:

Read the rest of Philip's story in Acts 8, Peter and Cornelius in Acts 10, and the Jerusalem Council in Acts 15. Put yourself in their place, and imagine the difficulty in listening to the Holy Spirit over centuries of a particular Scriptural interpretation and tradition. Where do you see this today? Who are the Gentiles, Samaritans, Eunuchs, Corneliuses, and Sauls that the Holy Spirit may be sending us to today?

RESPOND

Pray the 'Shower Tag' prayer daily: *'Lord, as I enter the water to bathe, I remember my baptism. Wash me by your grace, fill me with your Spirit, renew my soul. I pray that I might live as your child today, and honor you in all that I do.'*