

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
Monday, May 28 - Memorial Day – Office Closed
Tuesday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. till 4:00 p.m.
Friday – 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Birthdays – 28 – Sharon Kuykendall, 29 -Brandan Barber, Harrison Foxworth, 30 – Phyllis Price, 31 – Kathy Bryant, June 1 – Camille Breland, William Pierce, JC Shepard, June 2 – Louise & George Brown.

Prayer Request –, Debbie Sahler, Anna Hough, Rita Faye Armstrong, Phyllis Price, Julia Price, Mike Price, John Toney, Spooky Sims, John Waits, John Malone, Sara Swinney.

Altar Flowers: We do not have anyone scheduled for altar flowers the following dates: **July 8, 15, 22, 29.** We have several dates available for the rest for the year. **If you would like to place the flowers in the church please contact Debbie in the church office at 601-736-7121.**

Senior Adult Bible School: Parkway Heights UMC, August 6 – 8, 10:00 a.m. till 11:30 a.m. – Speaker will be Rev. Joey Shelton.

Mega Sports and Arts Camp needs you! We are less than one month away and we need a few more helping hands. If you would like to volunteer to help in any of the following areas, please contact Keleigh Oglesbee.

**-PreK Helpers ----Soccer assistants ----Cheer assistants ----Registration
-Floaters ----Decoration helpers ----Clean up crew ----Set up crew**

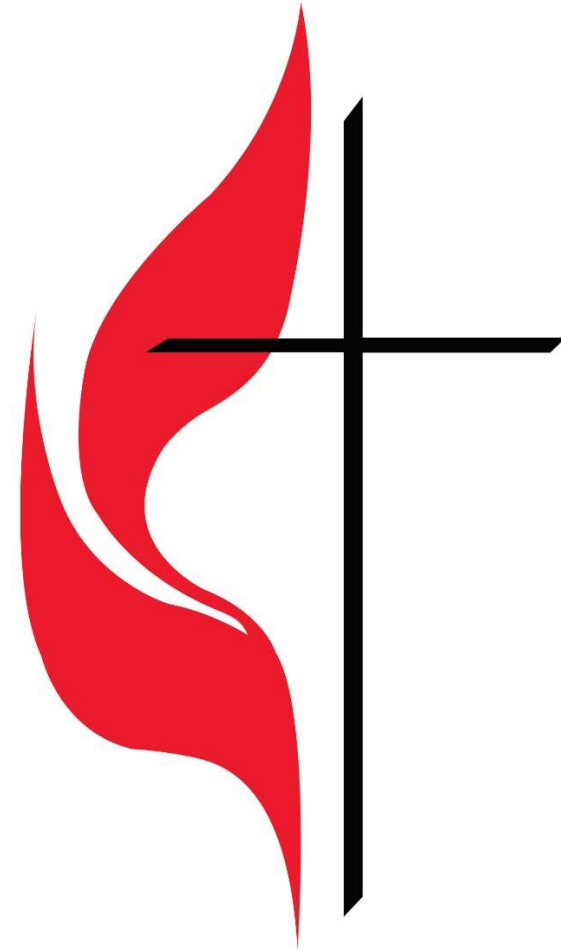
Mega Sports and Arts Camp will be held ONE DAY! Saturday, June 9th from 8:30-2.

Needed for VBS: scrap or extra pieces of yarn. Any length and color needed. You can leave donations in the church office.

The donations this past Sunday, May 20:

Contributions \$ 5,461.70
Organ Fund Received To Date: \$ 34,437.78
BUDGETED INCOME/EXPENSES TO DATE
Contributions to Date: \$ 119,071.22
Expenses to Date \$ 150,150.58

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WORSHIP SERVICE
First Sunday After Pentecost
May 27, 2018



Welcome To First United Methodist Church Of Columbia

CHIMING OF THE HOUR (worship begins)

INVOCATION

PRELUDE Barbara Lott, organ
 Trumpet Tune by Telemann

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CALL TO WORSHIP The Chancel Choir
 Lead Me Lord

▲ **HYMN NO. 698** (all verses)
 God of the Ages

Pledge of Allegiance

“I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.”

Pledge to the Christian Flag

“I pledge allegiance to the Christian Flag and to the Savior for whose Kingdom it stands. One Savior, crucified, risen, and coming again with life and liberty to all who believe.

▲ **REMEMBRANCE - 562**
 Canticle of Remembrance

▲ **GLORIA PATRI NO.70**

CHILDREN’S MOMENT
 O Be Careful Little Eyes What You See

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

▲ **HYMN NO. 575** (all verses)
 Onward, Christian Soldiers

OFFERING Beth Pierce, piano
 Open Our Eyes, Lord/ Be Thou My Vision

▲ **DOXOLOGY**
 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.

▲ **OFFERTORY PRAYER**

ANTHEM Beth Pierce, soloist
 O Lord, You’re Beautiful

SCRIPTURE Rev. Mike Sahler
 Ephesians 1:11-23
 (New Revised Standard Version Pew Bible NT page 180)

MESSAGE Rev. Mike Sahler
 “The Souls of the Righteous Are in the Hands of the Lord”

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

▲ **HYMN NO. 697** (all verses)
 America

▲ **EXTINGUISHING THE CANDLES**

▲ **CHIMES**

POSTLUDE
 America
 Barbara Lott, organ, Beth Pierce, piano

▲ **Stand as able**

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God and in loving honor of Phyllis Price for her birthday. They are placed by her family.