

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Thursday 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Friday – 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

CHURCH CONTACT

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THE WEARING OF MASKS IS STRONGLY ENCOURAGED FOR ALL IN-PERSON MEETINGS AND WORSHIP SERVICES. If you don't have a mask with you, the church will provide one.

UPCOMING OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES:

9th Dude & Jackie Stovall, 9th Rebecca Haygood, 10th John Wooten,
13th Sue Simmons, 15th Mike & Kathy Bryant, 16th Amber Haik,
20th Helen Little, 22nd Laurie Harvry, 25th Darsey Jane Hough,
26th Ollie Herring, 27th Ann Pittman, 30th Heather Singley.

PRAYER REQUESTS: Afghanistan, Border crisis, Pandemic, Lorea Oatis, Mike Alford, Violet Garrison, Hannah Sims, Frances Vesely, Sara Warren, Harold Jackson, Wayne Sturdivant, Nan Jarrell, Fran and Mike Ginn, Lyman Fite, Ms. M.J. Richardson & family, Mrs. Louise Anderson, Sydney Torian, Ken Jarrell, Kim Phelps Wilborn, Joe Wilborn, Tommy Ward, The families of Ryleigh Martin, Sharon & Henry Sauls, Charlie Strickland.

WE CARE MINISTRY: This ministry sends prayer cards to people on our prayer list. To fulfil this ministry, we must have addresses. Please add an address when you send in your request.

First United Methodist Church

Rev. Rob Grant & Rev. Erin Grant



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WORSHIP SERVICE

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
October 10, 2021



Welcome to First United Methodist Church of Columbia

CHIMING OF THE HOUR (worship begins)

INVOCATION

PRELUDE

Barbara Lott, piano

“Our Father, Who Art in Heaven”
Johann Sebastian Bach

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

CALL TO WORSHIP

Chancel Choir

“Joyful, Joyful, We adore Thee”
Ludwig van Beethoven
arr. Edward Hodges

▲ **HYMN, *UMH 160*** (1, 3, 5)

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart”

▲ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH, *UMH 884***

A Statement of faith of the Korean Methodist Church

▲ **GLORIA PATRI, *UMH 70***

CHILDREN’S MOMENT (please sing along as the children are seated)
“Jesus Loves Me”

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD’S PRAYER

PIANO DEVOTION

Hsin Shih Liu, piano

“I’ve Got Peace Like a River”

▲ **HYMN, *UMH 117*** (1, 2, 5, 6)

“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”

SPECIAL MUSIC

Chancel Choir

“Here I Am Lord”
Dan Shutte

SCRIPTURE

Psalm 34:1-8
(New Revised Standard Version Pew Bible OT, page 480)

MESSAGE

Rev. Erin Grant

“Joy!”

▲ **HYMN, *UMH 402*** (1, 4)

“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”

▲ **EXTINGUISHING THE CANDLES**

▲ **BENEDICTION**

▲ **CHIMES**

POSTLUDE

Hsin Shih Liu, piano

“Lord, I Want to Be a Christian”

▲ **Stand as able**

ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Becky and Bud Langston, in memory of Sandra Sutton.

Offering

Offerings may be given online at fumccolumbia.org or placed in the offering plate near the sanctuary door.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Sunday October 10, 2021

9:45 a.m. – Sunday School
11:00 a.m. – Worship Service
4:45 p.m. – Junior High Youth
5:45 p.m. – Senior High Youth

Monday October 11, 2021

Columbus Day – office closed

Tuesday October 12, 2021

8:15 a.m. – Mindful Movers
8:30 a.m. – Food pantry vouchers

Wednesday October 13, 2021

3:00 p.m. - WWW
4:00 p.m. – Men's and Woman's Quartets
4:50 p.m. – Bell Choir
5:30 p.m. – Bible Study
6:30 p.m. – Chancel Choir
7:30 p.m. – Festival of Lessons and Carols Rehearsal

Thursday October 14, 2021

8:15 a.m. – Mindful Movers

**Next Sunday - (October 17th) – Laity Sunday
&
Sunday October 24th – Children's Sabbath**

Come and worship with us! Invite your friends and neighbors!

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Blood Donation

October 18, 2021

The Wesley Center

4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Contact Scarlett Gafford for appointment!



**UNDERWEAR DRIVE
City & County Schools
Pre-k through 2nd grade
Boys & Girls
Box outside of church office**