

ORDER OF WORSHIP AND PRAISE

12th Sunday after Pentecost

Color: Green

August 23, 2020

11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE and CHIMING OF THE HOUR

Choir Enters

LIGHTING of the ALTAR CANDLES

Acolyte

CALL TO **“The Lord is in His Holy Temple”**

Congregation

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREETING

Leader: Seek the Lord while he may be found, call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake their way, and the unrighteous their thoughts; let them return to the Lord.

People: **The sacrifice acceptable to God is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart, O God, you will not despise**

* HYMN OF PRAISE **“The Church’s One Foundation”**

UMH #546

* APOSTLES’ CREED

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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* GLORIA PATRI

UMH #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.

Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

Ongoing Concerns		
Terrell Alewine April Brown Grallin Bullard Guy Coach Ron Cooper Cary Cromer Mary Carlisle Debbie Dennis Scott Frick Annie Laura Graham Barry Graham Jimmy Graham Lib Graham Matthew Graham Stephanie Graham Brian Harris Zalia Hawkins Blake Hendrix Gelton Hill Todd Holland Cody Jones	Jane Jones Richard Jones Megan Keenan Joey Kitchens Barbara Lathrop Audrey Lester Corinne Lord Eric Longshore Larry Longshore Peggy Longshore Sadie Mae Loging Terry Marlowe Alice Martinez Judy New Ethel Rawls Sybil Robinson Dillon Sligh Steven Strange Trey Summer Lynn Underwood Mike Wise	Bonnelle Yarborough <hr/> Grieving Family & Friends of... Robert “Bobby” Livingston III Shannon Stroud Richard Kinard <hr/> 

Additional Concerns for Prayer Attention:

**Those Who Don’t Know Christ*

**Victims of Disasters & Relief Teams*

**Our Government & Its Leaders *Military Serving*

**Our Church, Our Mandates & SC UM Conference*

**Persecution of Christians*

**Unemployed Persons*

**Pastoral Leadership*

**Caretakers*

Worship Attendance

7/19-31

7/26-41

8/2-31

8/9-38

8/16-26

Times and Dates to Remember

Church Council- 1st Sunday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

“Go Group -1st Thursday after the 1st Sunday at 12:00 p.m.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast-1st Sunday of the Month at 8:00 a.m.

Women’s Prayer Breakfast- Thursday after the 3rd Sunday at 8:00 a.m.

UMYF- 3rd Sunday of the month at 5:30 p.m.

SOC- 2nd Sunday of the Month at 7:00 p.m.

Bulletin information is due on Thursday’s at 5:00 p.m.

Newsletter information is due on the 15th of each month.

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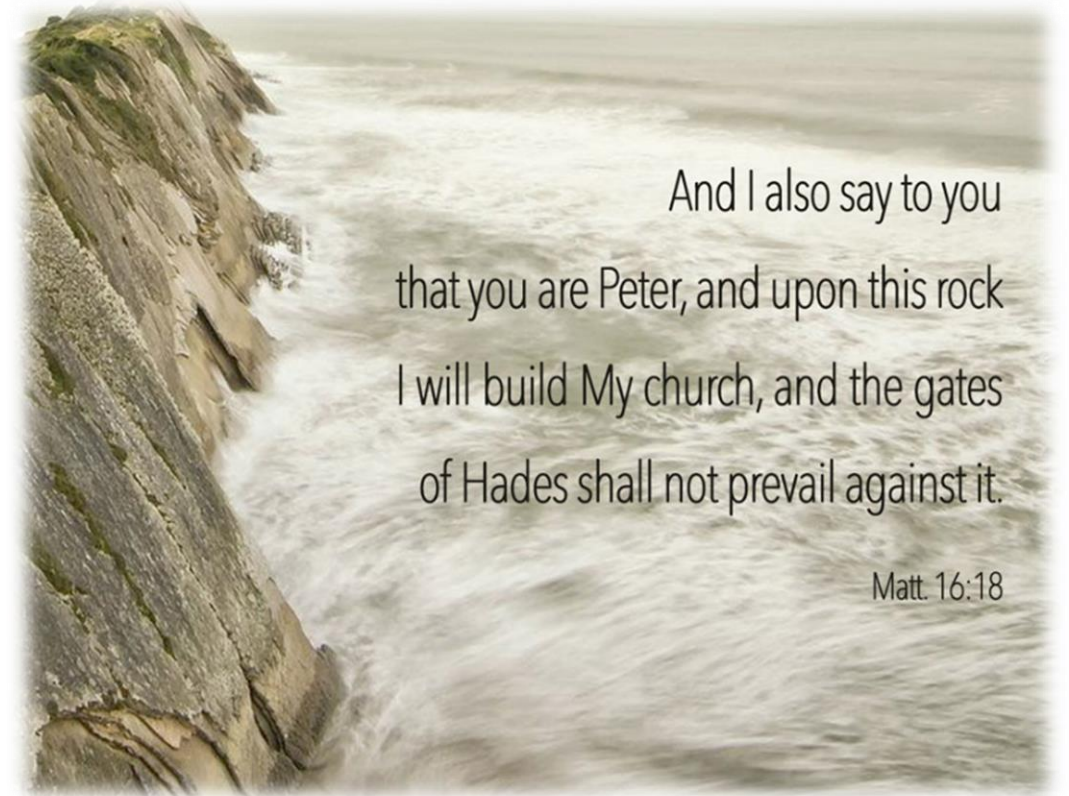
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And I also say to you
that you are Peter, and upon this rock
I will build My church, and the gates
of Hades shall not prevail against it.

Matt. 16:18



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

The people of The United Methodist Church®

Upcoming Meetings & Events

Tuesday, September 1st, 2020

The Worship Committee will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Sunday, September 6th, 2020

The Men's Group will meet at 8:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall.

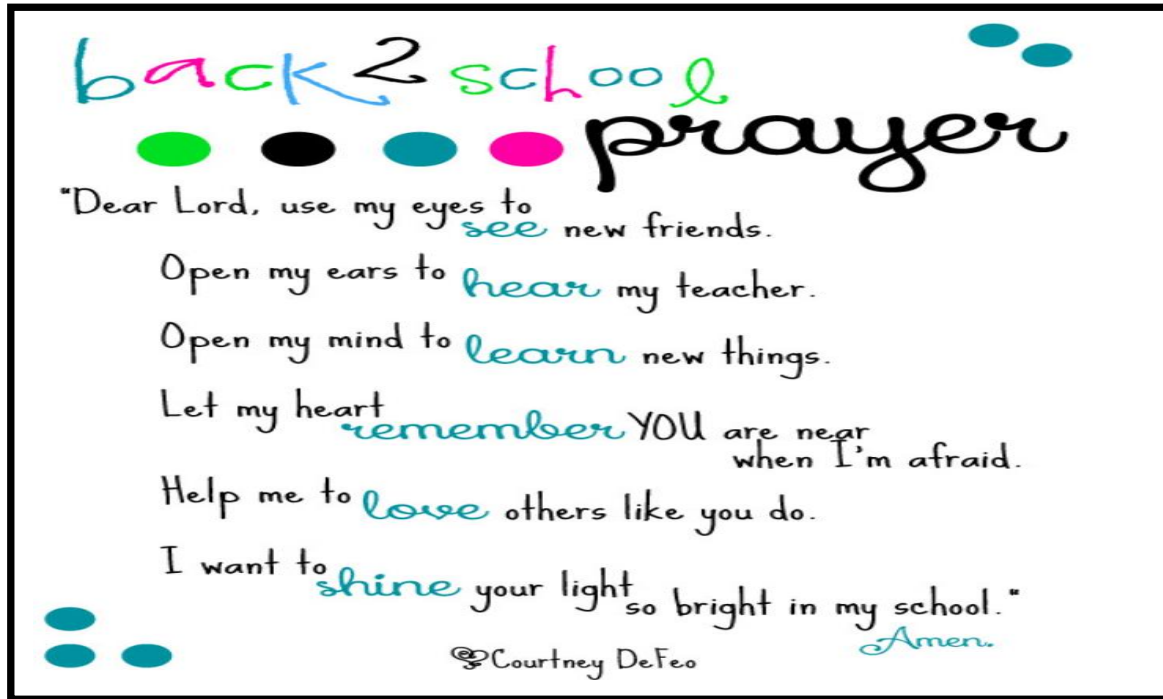
Sunday, September 13th, 2020

The Administrative Council will meet at 5:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The SOC Group will meet at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

Tuesday, September 15th, 2020

The Education Committee will meet at 7:00 in the fellowship hall.



PSALTER

"Psalm 124: 1-8"

UMH #824

BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS

A TIME OF PRAYER

SHARING OF CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERING GOD OUR GIFTS OF LOVE AND PRAISE

PRESENTATION OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

UMH #95

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.

* CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

"Christ for the World We Sing"

UMH #568

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 16: 13-20

SERMON: "Identity Redefined"

Rev. Cameron Levi

* DISCIPLESHIP HYMN

"A Charge to Keep I Have"

UMH #413

* BENEDICTION AND BLESSING

Receive back your time, your work, your friends, your family, and your lives. For as you have submitted it to God for ownership and blessing, God, in turn, seeks your partnership in using all that you are and have in the days ahead. Go in the joy and peace of life in Jesus Christ. Amen.

* CHORAL BLESSING

UMH #673

Choir & All

*POSTLUDE

*The people standing if able



This Week

<u>Birthdays</u>	<u>Anniversaries</u>
August 25 th Billy Nichols	None
August 26 th Sheena Kern	
August 27 th Rodney Wicker	
August 21 st Lori Frampton	

Saturday, August 29th, 2020

We will meet at 9:00 a.m. for our quarterly Adopt Highway pick up litter day.

Worship Leaders for Today

TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Greeters: N/A Until Further Notice	Greeters: N/A Until Further Notice
Ushers: N/A Until Further Notice	Ushers: N/A Until Further Notice
Acolyte: N/A Until Further Notice	Acolyte: N/A Until Further Notice
Organist: Alice Davis	

"The bottom of the soul may be in repose, even while we are in many outward troubles; just as the bottom of the sea is calm, while the surface is strongly agitated."

John Wesley



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God by Ann-Marie Carlisle and Jennifer Brunson in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Perry Halfacre and in honor of Lauren & Lilly Bunson.

Remember the Pomaria Community Food Bank While Shopping

