

# 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

July 12, 2015

Color: Green

The Season of Pentecost is 26 weeks long. We celebrate the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and in the Church. Let His Spirit lead you, teach you and change you.

Today we welcome the Reverend Russ Grant as our guest minister.

**PRELUDE:** Come and enter the presence of God and prepare yourself for worship

## WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CALL TO WORSHIP:** (responsively) based on Jer. 29:11

Leader: The Lord's hand is upon us.

**All:** He knows the plans that He has for us

Leader: His is a plan of blessing on our well being.

**All:** He has given us a promise of a great future and the blessing of hope.

Leader: He will hear us when we call upon Him and pray.

**All:** We will seek Him and find Him as we follow after Him with our whole heart. Let us seek the Lord while He may be found. Amen.

† **OPENING SONGS OF WORSHIP:** Hosanna, Hosanna In The Highest; Create In Me A Clean Heart

**PRAYER of INVOCATION:** REV. GRANT

## OUR GIFTS TO GOD ARE CALLED FORTH

Invitation

Offerings to God

Offertory: Cody Wood will be singing a song he has written titled "Pray On". He will be playing it on his Ukulele.

† Doxology

HYMN # 95

† Prayer of Dedication

## SONG OF MEDITATION:

How Great Thou Art

HYMN # 77

## PRAYER TIME:

We share words of celebration.

We share our prayer needs and petitions.

Pastor: The Lord is with you.

**Congregation: And also with you.**

Pastor: Lord have mercy.

**Congregation: Christ have mercy.**

Pastor: Let us pray.

## PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

(trespasses)

## SCRIPTURE:

Old Testament Ezekiel 36:11b PEW BIBLE 746

New Testament I Corinthians 2:9-12 PEW BIBLE 992

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

**Congregation: Thanks be to God.**

† GLORIA PATRI

HYMN # 71

## TODAY'S MEDITATION:

Better Than Your Beginnings

REV. RUSS GRANT

† **CLOSING HYMN:** Trust and Obey HYMN # 467

## THE RECESSIONAL

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

† All those who are able please join with us, as we stand united together as one

Thank You for turning off your cell phones and  
Bringing only water into the sanctuary ☺

Thank you to the Volunteer, Worship Leaders

July 12, 2015

Greeters: Scott & Heather Nasiatka  
Ushers: Merrily & Doug Stone  
Co-leader:

July 19, 2015

Greeters: Chuck & Carol Schrawder  
Ushers: Bob & Pat Lemmer  
Co-leader: Merrily Stone

Pastor: F. Calvin Miller  
Senior Deacon: S. Mark Price  
Director of Music: Kelly McGarry  
Children's Ministry: Brandy Wood  
Youth Pastor: James Weaver  
Office Administrator: Merrily Stone  
Church Sexton: James Lemmer

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Offering for the week of July 1 2015

Pledges	\$1,415.00	Loose offering	\$86.00
Missions	\$80.35	Communion	\$80.00
Ladies Fellowship Dues	\$10.00		

Total \$1,696.35 GodBless

Offering for the week of June 28, 2015

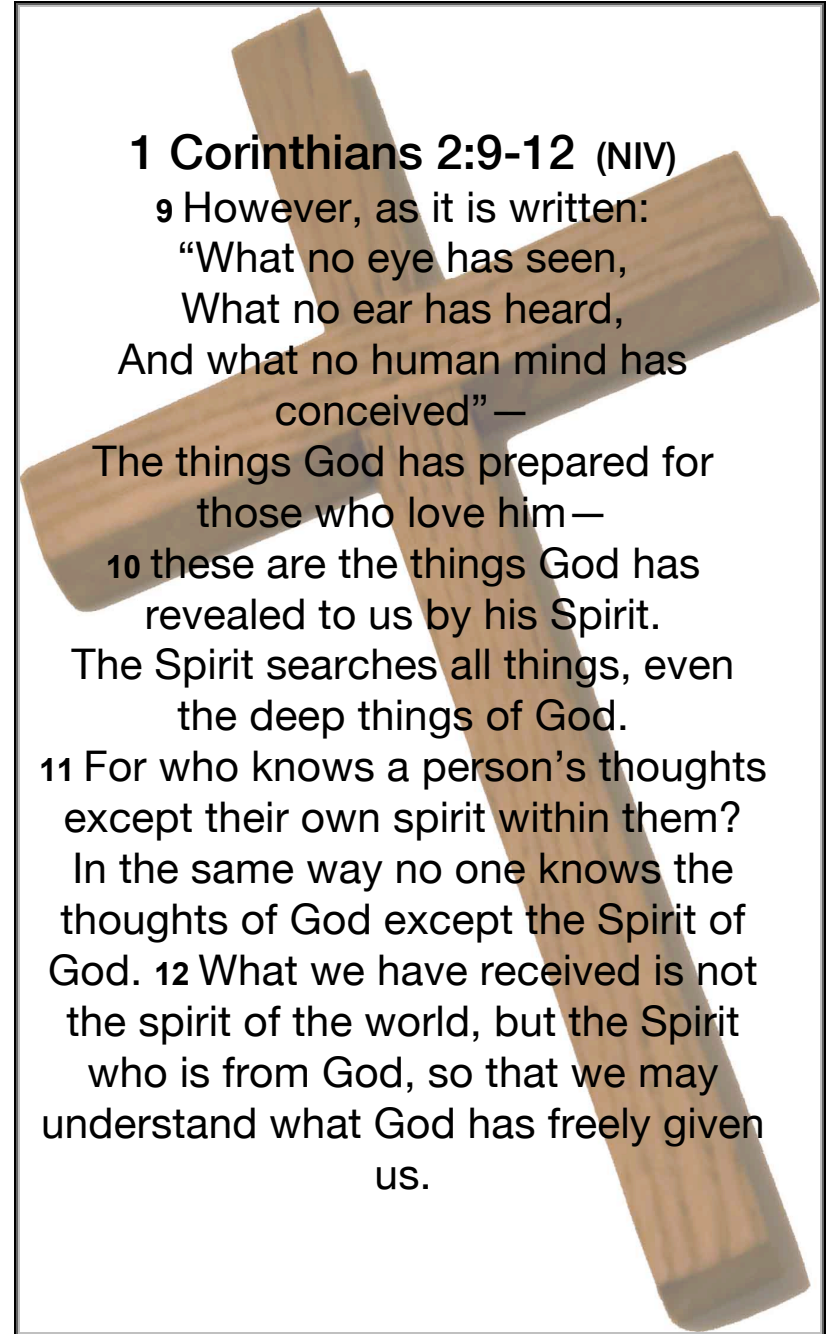
Pledges	\$793.00	Loose offering	\$98.00
Missions	\$108.00		
Robinson Broadhurst Foundation	\$11,100.00		

Total \$12,099.00 God Bless

New Summer Hours

Visit our website at [www.unitedparish.com](http://www.unitedparish.com)  
Office Phone: 978.297.0616  
Office Hours:  
Monday Closed  
Tuesday 8am-3pm  
Wednesday 8am-4pm  
Thursday 8am-1pm  
Friday Closed  
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# UNITED PARISH CHURCH



**1 Corinthians 2:9-12 (NIV)**

9 However, as it is written:

“What no eye has seen,

What no ear has heard,

And what no human mind has  
conceived” —

The things God has prepared for  
those who love him —

10 these are the things God has  
revealed to us by his Spirit.

The Spirit searches all things, even  
the deep things of God.

11 For who knows a person's thoughts  
except their own spirit within them?

In the same way no one knows the  
thoughts of God except the Spirit of  
God. 12 What we have received is not

the spirit of the world, but the Spirit  
who is from God, so that we may  
understand what God has freely given

us.

JULY 12, 2015

REVEREND RUSSELL GRANT