

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 26, 2016

11:00AM

"When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem."

--Luke 9:51

We Gather To Worship God

Prelude **Bill Lee, Organist**

Announcements **Rev. Bryson Williams**

***Call To Worship** **"Jesu, Jesu"** **(v.1) UMH #432**
Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love, show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.
Kneels at the feet of his friends, silently washes their feet, Master who acts as a Slave to them.

***Opening Hymn** **"Lift High the Cross"** **UMH #159**

We Praise God

***Affirmation** **"1 Timothy"** **UMH #889**

Passing of the Peace

First Reading **"Galatians 5:1, 13-25"** **Pew Bible, p. 179 (N.T.)**

Offering

The Offertory **Bill Lee, Organist**

***Doxology** **UMH#95**

The Offertory Prayer

Children's Time

Kaitlyn Alexander

(Sing "Jesus Loves the Little Children" as the children return to their seats or go to the nursery).

Jesus loves the little children, all the children of the world. Red and yellow, black and white, they are precious in His sight, Jesus loves the little children of the world.

The Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Bryson Williams

Anthem

"Spirit of God"

Choir

We Hear God's Word

Scripture Reading

"Luke 9:51-62"

Pew Bible, p. 66 (N.T.)

Sermon

"Set Your Face"

Rev. Bryson Williams

We Go Forth To Serve God In The World

***Hymn of Dedication & Service**

"Where He Leads Me"

UMH # 338

***Benediction**

***Benediction Response**

"Jesu, Jesu"

Congregation & Choir

Jesu, Jesu, fill us with your love, show us how to serve the neighbors we have from you.

Loving puts us on our knees, serving as though we are slaves, this is the way we should live with you.

Postlude

***The Congregation standing. If it is uncomfortable for you to stand, please remain seated and continue your participation.**

ALTAR FLOWERS: The flowers are placed at the altar for the glory of God.

WELCOME: Good morning and welcome to all guests, members, youth and children worshipping with us today. We are glad that you decided to join us for worship! We hope you will experience the hope and love of Jesus Christ as we worship together. If you do not have a church home, we invite you to become a part of the Sharon family.

ON-GOING PRAYER-SHARON UMC FAMILY

Ben Brockman David & Gertrude Smith
Betty Jean Brockman June Gossett
Neely Thompson Howard Jackson
Dollie Brady Brian Harrison
Ruby Coggins Dora Edwards
Margaret DeYoung Dorothy McHugh
Vivian Eubanks Roie Johnson

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Betty Glover
Frank & Ruby Vaughn
J. B. Waddell
Earl Johnson
Sharon Cole
Gerald & Ruth Snow
Linette Garrett

ON-GOING PRAYER FOR SHARON FAMILY RELATIVES

Pat Lee
Sharon Lee
Mike West
Lewis Sutton
Glenn Gardner
Sharon Ellis
Lisa Davis, 15 Crescent St., Lyman, SC 29365
Gettis Solesbee
Jason Davenport

Dot Pearson's sister-in-law
Dot Pearson's sister
Joyce Lee's son
Laura Williams' father
Donna Staton's brother
Kaitlyn Pless' aunt
Deb Fowler's sister
Vera Brockman's brother
Clara Godfrey's son-in-law

ON-GOING PRAYER – SHARON UMC FRIENDS

Betty McGaha, Friend of the Floyd family
Holly Wood, Eddie Waldrep's coworker's wife
Sandra Gowan, friend of Darlene DeYoung
Cheryl Brown, friend of Jerry & Angie Dalenta
Buddy & Angelee Berry, friends of Nancy O'Shields and Pat Burgess
Jerry Whitehead, friend of Johnny Wade
Kay Hammett, Larry Bradley's sister
Steve, Jean, Jordan & Davis Dunlap, our missionaries to Asia Minor
Todd, Pam, Sidney, Ashley, Noah & Hannah Grace Attaway, our missionaries to Thailand
God's Pantry

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NURSERY FOR OUR CHILDREN: Parents, we are so glad that you are our guest today. We have a nursery for our children. The nursery is for newborn to three years old, and is located on the main floor in the gathering space. If you need help with locating the nursery, please see one of our greeters in the narthex. We are so glad that your family came to worship with us today!

FOOD COLLECTIONS:

God's Pantry – Canned Vegetables
Weekend Backpack Ministry – INDIVIDUAL packets of grits and/or oatmeal, canned pasta
Greer Community Ministry – Plastic jars or cans of Spaghetti Sauce and noodles

MISSION PRAYER FOCUS: This week we pray Mozambique. Mozambique is on the East coast of Africa. The Portuguese began to colonize the territory in the 16th century, seeking slaves and gold. After World War II, when thousands of Portuguese settled in Mozambique, officially a province of Portugal. In 1975 Mozambique achieved its independence. Since then, Mozambique has consolidated political stability and put in place conditions for economic recovery. The majority of the population lives from subsistence farming. Export products are cash crops, aluminum and electricity. The Catholic Church is the largest church. Pentecostals make up about 40 percent of the Protestants. Baptist, Seventh-day Adventist, United Methodists and African independent churches are large.

YOUTH NEWS: The youth will travel to Carowinds Amusement and Waterpark on Tuesday, June 28. We will leave the church around 8:15AM. If your youth would like to go or if you would like to chaperone, please let me know. Join us for Sunday School at 10:00AM.

GOD'S PANTRY: Due to food supply issues with God's Pantry Corporate Office, we are going to have to make a couple of changes to our food distribution schedule. The Sharon Pantry will distribute food from 4:00-6:00PM on the following Mondays: June 27, July 11 and July 25. If you would like to help with distribution come to the Brockman Center at 3:30 to assist. Come join in the fun.

SHARON CHRISTIAN ACADEMY: Thank you for all the generous donations for our preschool!! We have been able to purchase so many wonderful educational items. We have also been gifted a beautiful table and chairs for one of our home centers. Thank you, Thank you, Thank you!! You are all such a blessing and we are so appreciative of your support. We are still enrolling for the Fall of 2016. Contact Laura at sharonchristianacademy@gmail.com or come by the Church for a tour!

RED, WHITE AND BLUE CELEBRATION: Please join us for the Red, White and Blue wagon parade on July 3rd, right after 11:00AM church service in the gym. BBQ dinner will be provided. Please bring your favorite dessert to share. Don't forget your decorated wagon, bike, trike or scooter. Please see Christy Snow for Parade information.

SHARON UMC INFORMATION SHEET: We are in the process of updating the church membership and would like everyone to fill out a new information sheet. If you have filled out one before, we still need for you to fill out a new one. The sheets are on the table in the gathering space. After you have filled it out, please return to the church office. You can drop it in the offering plate or mail it to the church office. Church address is P.O. Box 418, Reidville, SC 29375. Thank you for your cooperation.

ADDITIONS TO FATHER'S DAY BULLETIN

IN HONOR OF	BY
Pat Brockman	Phyllis Brockman
IN MEMORY OF	BY
Rush Brockman	Pat & Phyllis Brockman
Malcolm Dobson	Phyllis & Pat Brockman

WEBSITE: Check out our website sharonumchurch.com.

Our Mission Statement – Sharon United Methodist Church glorifies God as a friendly, caring, Christ-centered fellowship with strong family and spiritual values working to grow our church, our community, and our world one disciple at a time.

Sunday, July 3, 2016 Lectionary Texts

2 Kings 5:1-14 Psalm 30 Galatians 6:7-16 Luke 10:1-11, 16-20

THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

SUNDAY, JUNE 26	9:30AM	Prayer Group
	10:00AM	Sunday School
	11:00AM	Worship
MONDAY, JUNE 27	4:00-6:00PM	God's Pantry
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29		No Choir Practice
SUNDAY, JULY 3	12 Noon	Red, White & Blue Celebration

NURSERY WORKERS TODAY: Dot DeYoung & Gayle Fowler
NURSERY WORKERS July 3: Pat Burgess & Carolyn Genobles

CHILDREN'S CHURCH TODAY: Katy Lee & Scott Davis
CHILDREN'S CHURCH July 3: Christy Snow & Kelle Waters

HEAD USHER: Trudy Cox
HEAD USHER July 3: Jeff Boland

Sunday, June 19, 2016:

Sunday School	69
Worship	137
Offering	5,362.00
Received YTD	164,710.90
Needed YTD	156,722.50
Difference	+7,988.40
Needed Weekly	6,268.90
Cemetery Fund (5/31/2016)	4,584.66
Capital Imp. Fund Received	319.00
Capital Imp. Fund Balance	82,132.26

CHURCH STAFF:

Rev. Bryson Williams, Jr., Pastor
Mary Jo Bradley, Secretary
Katie Stewart, Music Director
Clara Godfrey, Pianist
Bill Lee, Organist
Christy Snow, Children's Min. Director
Debra Fowler, Custodian
Kaitlyn Alexander, Director of Student Ministries
Laura Williams, Preschool Director
Ministers: Sharon Congregation Members