

In Our Prayers

Our Members

Vivian Ferguson, Bill Craig, Alan Blankenship,
Becky Stevenson, Bill Bradley, Eleanor Brouwer,
Rob Crews, Marita Eden, Peggy Heath,
Bill Murphy, Dixie Roberts

Our Community

Willis Bethea, brother of Lisa Pettit
Shannon Threath, daughter of Roberta Whitaker
Scott Maxfield, friend of Joyce Morin
Evelyn Faulkenberry, mother of Dixie Roberts
Butch Anderson, brother of Elaine Reese
Rosa Lee Martin, sister of Margaret Parker
Linda Hatterick, mother-in-law of Jim Crews
Susan DeVenny, wife of Alston DeVenny

To God Be the Glory

The flowers that grace the chancel today are given to the glory
of God and in honor of their children and grandchildren
by Steve and Nancy Fleming

In Ministry Today

- Ushers:** Jimmy Barton, Joe Simpson, Jr., Don Brouwer,
Peggy Caudill, Gary Blackham
- Greeters:** Ann Small, Nancy Westmoreland (9:00 a.m.)
Teague Poston (11:00 a.m.)
- Nursery:** Deborah Adams, Katy Ghent (9:00-noon)
- Acolyte:** Debbie Wood
- Crucifer:** Angie Jackson
- Counters:** Lynn Melton, George Garner

Attendance and Stewardship 10/28

Worship: 9:00 –39; 11:00 –68
Offering received \$3,510.14 (Weekly need: \$8,234.00)

Announcements

Advent Study

THE GIFT OF THE NUTCRACKER is a 4-week Advent study that takes a look at this Christmas classic in a whole new way through the lens of faith while using this iconic tale to help us understand God's greatest gift. The study will be facilitated by Pastor Shelly. There are two Bible Study opportunities: Monday evenings, November 26th—December 17th at 6:00 p.m.; Tuesday mornings beginning November 27th— December 18th at 10:00 a.m. Books are \$10.00. and there is a sign-up sheet in the connector.

Lunch Bunch

The Lunch Bunch will meet Tuesday, November 6th at noon in the Fellowship Hall. We will have delicious turkey, dressing, gravy, and green beans from Cromer's Restaurant. Bring a side dish to share and invite a friend. You are also invited to bring canned goods for Hope of Lancaster as they prepare to distribute food for the holiday season.

Disciple Fast Track Bible Study

Disciple Fast Track meets each Thursday at 9:00 a.m. and again at 6:30 p.m. in the Ed Jones Conference room. Come join us.

Ushers for 2019

Please sign up in the Narthex to be an usher in 2019 for the 11:00 am service. Or, you can contact Sam Wood, Jr at sawood@comporium.net or 803-872-4134. Please remember we need 5 ushers every service. Thank you.

Share The Warmth

Once again our UMW will be collecting coats, gloves, socks, and hats to be distributed among the elementary schools in our area. The need is great, so please help us keep the children of Lancaster warm. The collection bin will be outside Shelly's office. Collection dates will be November 5th - January 31st. Thank you in advance for your help. Amelia Davis

This Week

Today

9:00 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
5:30 p.m. UMYF

Monday, November 5

2:00 p.m. Morning Bells
6:00 p.m. Jr. Scouts
6:00 p.m. Brownies

Tuesday, November 6

Noon Lunch Bunch
6:30 p.m. Elizabeth Circle

Wednesday, November 7

6:15 p.m. Jubilant Ringers

Thursday, November 8

9:00 a.m. Disciple Fast Track
6:30 p.m. Disciple Fast Track



First United Methodist Church

200 West Gay Street
Lancaster, South Carolina



November 4, 2018

Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints Sunday

Encountering God

Building Community

Transforming Lives

Naming of the Saints

England Steward Beasley, Joseph Crawford Culp,
Amanda Lea Talbert, Dean Truitt Elliott,
Sarah Hazel Sharp, Oscar Sidney Porter,
Myrtle Edna Lasley,
Edward Coy Williams, Thomas Allen Palmer

Early Worship

- *Song: "We Fall Down" TOMLIN
- *Passing the Peace of Christ
- Children's Message Pastor Shelly
- Morning Prayer
- *Song: "All Who Are Thirsty" BROWN AND ROBERTSON
- Scripture: John 11:32-44
- Message: "When the Time Comes" Pastor Charles
- The Naming of the Saints
- During this time of remembrance, we call by name those whom we remember this day.*
- The Sacrament of Holy Communion
- *Song: "Lord Reign in Me" BROWN
- *Sending Forth

11:00 Worship

Gathering to Worship

- OPENING VOLUNTARY
Vision, Op. 64, No. 5 RUDOLF BIBL
- WORDS OF WELCOME
- *GREETING
We are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,
Let us lay aside every weight that clings so closely.
Let us run the race set before us,
Looking to Jesus the perfecter of our faith;
Who endured the cross, disregarding its shame,
Who sits at the right hand of God with all the saints.

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE UMH 90
Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones LASST UNS ERFREUEN

*OPENING PRAYER

*GLORIA PATRI UMH 70

Hearing God's Word

SONG OF PREPARATION TFWS 2157
Come and Fill Our Hearts CONFITEMINI DOMINO
Come and fill our hearts with your peace.
You alone, O Lord, are holy.
Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Alleluia. (Repeat)

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THE FIRST LESSON Revelation 21:1-6a

THE PSALM Psalm 24

GOSPEL LESSON John 11:32-44 Pastor Charles
The Message: "When the Time Comes"

Responding to God's Word

THE NAMING OF THE SAINTS
During this time of remembrance, we call by name those whom we remember this day.

*INVITATION TO THE TABLE (page 12)

OFFERING

OFFERTORY JOHN DIXON
Join All the Glorious Names

THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (page 13)
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing... And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you... And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit... Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

Amen.

*THE LORD'S PRAYER (page 895)

*SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP
The bread and wine are given to the people.
Gluten-free communion wafers are offered to those with food allergies. Unfermented juice is served.

CONGREGATIONAL HYMNS DURING COMMUNION
UMH 614 *For the Bread Which You Have Broken*
UMH 617 *I Come with Joy*

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Into the World

- *HYMN OF COMMITMENT UMH 711 SINE NOMINE
For All Saints
- *BENEDICTION
- *CHORAL RESPONSE
- *CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY
- *CLOSING VOLUNTARY JOHANN CASPAR SIMON
Prelude and Fugue in A minor