

In Our Prayers

Our Members

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

Our Community

Willis Bethea, brother of Lisa Pettit
Shannon Threatt, 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 Hatterrick, mother-in-law of Jim Crews
Susan DeVenny, wife of Alston DeVenny

Our Sympathy

The Sympathy of the pastor and congregation is extended to
the family of Carolyn Scott upon her recent death.

To God Be the Glory

The flowers that grace the chancel today are given to the glory
of God and in memory of Jane and Jim Bradley
by Beverly and Bill Bradley.

In Ministry Today

Ushers: Jeff Riggins, Willis Ballard, George Flanders,
Donnie Little, Janice McPherson
Greeters: Cynthia Craig, Bill Craig (9:00 a.m.)
Kay Dotson, Kay Stewart, Sara Dotson (11:00 a.m.)
Nursery: Deborah Adams, Katy Ghent (9:00-noon)
Acolyte: Angie Jackson
Crucifer: Pat Clancy
Counters: Feliste Ellis, J.B. Sistare

Attendance and Stewardship 10/21

Worship: 9:00 —42; 11:00 —131
Sunday School: 41
Offering received \$3,352.96 (Weekly need: \$8,234.00)

Announcements

Special Music

We welcome home Dickson Whitesides, child of FUMC, as
vocalist today.

Disciple Fast Track Bible Study

Disciple Fast Track meets each Thursday at 9:00 am and again
at 6:30 pm 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
6:00 p.m. Charge
Conference

Monday, October 29

2:00 p.m. Morning Bells

Wednesday, October 31

Cancelled Jubilant
Ringers

Thursday, November 1

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



October 28, 2018
Twenty-Third Sunday
after Pentecost

Encountering God

Building Community

Transforming Lives

Early Worship

WORDS OF WELCOME

*Song: "Here I Am to Worship" HUGHES

*Passing the Peace of Christ

Children's Message Pastor Shelly

Morning Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*Song: "Trust In You" DAIGIE, FARREN, MABURY

Scripture: Mark 10:46-52
Message: "To See Again" Pastor Charles

*Statement of Faith (in unison)

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus,

the Word made flesh,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,

our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,

God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

*Song: "Show Me Your Glory" AVERY, KARR, AND POWELL

*Sending Forth

Traditional Worship

Gathering to Worship

OPENING VOLUNTARY

*GREETING

This is the day that the Lord has made,

Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

I will bless the Lord at all times,

God's praise will continually be in my mouth.

My soul makes its boast in the Lord,

let the humble hear and be glad.

O magnify the Lord with me,

let us exalt God's name together!

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN OF PRAISE UMH 89

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

HYMN TO JOY

*OPENING PRAYER

*GLORIA PATRI UMH 70

MEINEKE

Hearing God's Word

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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

Hebrews 7:23-28

THE PSALM

Psalms 34:1-8

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 10:46-52
"To See Again"

Pastor Charles

Responding to God's Word

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH 881 The Apostles' Creed

*HYMN OF RESPONSE UMH 172

My Jesus I Love Thee

GORDON

THE OFFERING

OFFERTORY

"Lord I Need You"

Dickson Whitesides

REEVES

*THE DOXOLOGY UMH 95

OLD 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.

Praise God, all creatures here below.

Praise God above, ye heavenly host.

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

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PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Lord, in your mercy,

Hear our prayer.

Into the World

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT UMH 468

Dear Jesus in Whose Life I See

HURSLEY

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*CHIMING OF THE HOLY TRINITY

*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring

***Congregation stands (if able).
Congregational responses are printed in bold.**