

# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*Tenth Sunday after Pentecost, August 18, 2019*

## WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**THE PRELUDE** “Prelude on ‘Beach Spring’ “

### THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

**GOOD NEWS FOR CHILDREN** **Carrie Hamilton**  
**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP**

Children age three and under may go to the nursery  
Children age four through 6th grade (2nd floor)

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

**Leader:** Return, beloved of God, to the fold.

God welcomes you to this hour of prayer.

**People: God calls us by name and awaits our coming.**

**God summons us out of hiding.**

**Leader:** God is like a shepherd, caring for her flocks.

God is like a gardener, carefully tending his vines.

**People: Surely God has provided richly for us.**

**Our lives are sustained by God’s good gifts.**

**Leader:** Worship the one who longs for our coming.

Sing praise to the one who expects our faithfulness.

**People: We call on God, who gives us life.**

**May God’s face shine on us to save us.**

**\*THE HYMN OF PRAISE** “Be Thou My Vision” **UMH #451**

### SCRIPTURE

“Isaiah5:1-7”

### ANTHEM

“The Gift of Love”

Soloists: Peggy King, Jenny Schenck

### THE MESSAGE

“Champions of Justice”

**Pastor Paul**

### JOYS & CONCERNS

### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

### RESPONSE

”Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus”

**UMH #349**

### THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

### THE OFFERTORY

“Holy Bible, Book Divine”

**Bradbury**

**\*THE DOXOLOGY** “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”  
**UMH #95**

### SENDING FORTH

### \*THE SENDING HYMN

“Let There Be Peace on Earth”

**UMH #431**

### BENEDICTION

**“Go In Peace”**

Go in peace and the peace of God

Be with you this day.

Go in peace and the peace of God

Be with you always.

Celebrate and share the joy!

Celebrate new life!

Go in peace and the peace of God

Be with you always.

### POSTLUDE

“Let Us With a Gladsome Mind“

### PRAYER REQUESTS

Joe Fleck  
Bill Spence  
Dale and Natalie Thompson  
Jonah Ciner  
Nathan Westfall  
Steve and Josh Stevenson  
Kayden Turner  
Dale and Natalie Browing  
Dennis Hudson

\*These names will be moved to  
our on-going prayer list after two  
weeks.

### Ministry of Worship

**The Ushers:** Jim Snyder, Danny Murphy, George Russell, Larry Wolfe, Roy, Spencer and Taylor Fultineer, Bob Judge, Andrew Byrd, Jerry, Wesley, Cody Buckley, Don Barnard and Gary Anderson

**Acolytes:** Rachel Bostic, Lillian Hamilton, Reagan McLeary, James Ryan and Amaya Young

**Christian Education Director:** Carrie Hamilton

**WOW: Wednesday, August 21**

**Director of Music:** William Holbrook

**Administrative Assistant:** Linda Nehr  
Deadline for submitting items for Sunday Worship bulletin is  
**Noon on Wednesday.**

**Custodian:** Janice Pauley

**Tape Ministry:** Don Ryan, Gary Good, Ed King and Mike Cidor

**Tech Today:** Mike Cidor  
Aug. 25: Kathy Helmick

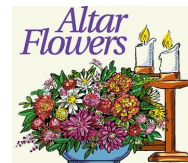
Newsletter: Barbara Brown  
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Articles due monthly on the 20<sup>th</sup>

**Please remember** to sign the registration pad located in the side of the pew.  
Please greet our visitors and pass the registration pad to them.

### What Is Happening This Week at First Church August 18 through August 25

<b><u>SUN:</u></b>	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship
<b><u>MON:</u></b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts in Scout Room
<b><u>TUES:</u></b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
	6:00 PM	TOPS
	6:45 PM	Southridge Lions Club in Social Hall
<b><u>WED:</u></b>	5:30 PM	WOW! for Children in Social Hall
<b><u>THUR:</u></b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
<b><u>FRI:</u></b>		<b>Church Office Closed</b>
<b><u>SAT:</u></b>	11:00 AM	Church Picnic at Little Creek Park, Area 1
<b><u>SUN:</u></b>	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship



Altar Flowers are to the Glory of God and in celebration of  
August Birthdays.

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***Morning Worship***  
***August 18, 2019***  
***Pastor Paul Helmick***  
***First United Methodist Church***  
***South Charleston***

**Congratulations to Connie Rollins** on the birth of her great granddaughter, Hayden Batty, who was born on Monday, August 5, (8 lbs 10 oz). The proud parents are Connie's granddaughter and husband, Nikki and Adam Batty.

**The United Methodist Women of First Church** will continue our mission for Veterans in August by collecting T-shirts and socks (white tube socks). We are told there is need for L, XL, and 2X t-shirts. Please help us by bringing your donation to the church and placing in the basket outside Linda's office. We are grateful for the wonderful support of the congregation.

**The Annual churchwide picnic** will be held next Saturday, August 24<sup>th</sup>, at Little Creek Park, Area 1, from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. Hot dogs, hamburgers, buns, fixins, corn on the cob, plates, cups and utensils will be provided. Please bring a large side dish or dessert or drink and join the fun and fellowship. Everyone is welcome!

**The United Methodist Women will sponsor a Yard Sale (RAIN OR SHINE)** on the Central Avenue church parking lot on Saturday, September 28, from 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. A 10x10 space will be provided for \$10 per space. You provide your own table, chairs, and canopy (in case of rain). Bring your unwanted treasures to sell and shop for new treasures. Call the church office at 304-744-3211 to reserve your space and pay \$10 (in advance) to Linda in the church office.

**2019 Kay Hall Hike for Hunger** will be held on Sunday, October 6, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. The walking event starts at 212 D Street, South Charleston (Heart + Hand). Walk the route: 1.5 miles through downtown South Charleston and then return to Café Appalachia, (located beside Heart +Hand) for refreshments and cool down. Pre-Registration forms are in the Narthex or you can register online at the Heart+ Hand Outreach Ministries Facebook Page. There is a \$20 individual registration fee, which includes a T-Shirt and \$10 registration fee for your dog to walk with you and will receive an event bandanna. Collect sponsorships from friends, family and co-workers. All donations should be turned in at the event registration table.

**Altar Flowers Open Dates: Sept. 29, October 6, 13, November 10, 24, December 8, 22, 2019.**

Please call the church office if you would like to place flowers on the altar. The cost is \$30.00.