

# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*The Sixth Sunday After Pentecost*

*July 21, 2019*

**WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD**

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### THE PRELUDE

### THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

### GOOD NEWS FOR CHILDREN

#### 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:** Come, O people of the household of faith, and let us proclaim the wondrous goodness of God.

**People:** **The Lord, in his graciousness, offers refuge to the lost and comfort to those in need.**

**Leader:** Let us, therefore, seek to dwell in God's holy presence, and worship him in spirit and in truth.

**People:** **We praise God, for he is merciful. In his kindness, he will uphold the cause of the faithful. Amen**

#### \*THE HYMN OF PRAISE "Victory in Jesus" **UMH #370**

We have neighbors – children and families here in our own community -- who are in great need. We invite you to bring your Conscientious Coins offering forward as we sing the hymn

#### \*THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

#### \*CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Gracious and loving Savior, forgive us for hurrying past you in our daily lives. We crowd our schedules with so many activities, many of which are good and worthwhile; but we forget the one thing that you tell us is needful. We work hard, striving to make

ends meet and fulfill our responsibilities; but, in doing so, we neglect what is most crucial. O Lord, remind us of the need we have as your followers to spend time in your holy presence. Forgive us for being so preoccupied with ourselves, and draw us close to your heart anew so that we may see the joy, meaning and purpose that come through living our lives in you. Amen

#### \*GLORIA PATRI **UMH #70**

#### SPECIAL MUSIC **The Gospel Strummers**

#### JOYS & CONCERNS

#### PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

#### RESPONSE "I Cast All My Cares Upon You" **TFWS #2215**

#### THE GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

#### THE OFFERTORY **The Gospel Strummers**

#### \*THE DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" **UMH #94**

#### THE PRAYER OF DEDICATION

#### SCRIPTURE "Luke 10:38-42" **Susie Brewer**

#### THE MESSAGE "Being a 'Type B' Person in a 'Type A' World" **Pastor Dave Biondi**

#### \*THE SENDING HYMN "I'll Fly Away" **FWS #2282**

#### \*THE BENEDICTION

#### \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE "Go In Peace"

#### POSTLUDE

\*Invites Congregation to Stand

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Family of Tom Hall  
Family of Bob Anderson  
Esthan River McCoy  
Ben Cobb  
Karen Thomas  
Kristin Swyers  
John Altman  
Noah Workman  
Danielle Pierson  
Josh Stevenson  
Beverley Alderman  
Jewell McClure  
Mark and Maris Fowler  
Heather Casdorff  
Anna Campbell  
David Hall

\*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 and Amaya Young

**Christian Education Director:** Carrie Hamilton

**WOW will not meet until August**

**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: Kathy Parsons

July 29: Greg Young  
Aug. 4: Kathy Parsons  
Aug. 11: Greg Young  
Aug. 18: Mike Cidor  
Aug. 25: Kathy Helmick

Newsletter: Barbara Brown

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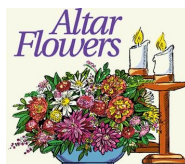
Articles due monthly on the 20<sup>th</sup>

**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 July 21 through July 28

<b>SUN:</b>	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship
	12:15 PM	Church Council Meeting in Social Hall
<b>MON:</b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
	6:30 PM	UMW Leadership Meeting in Parlor
	7:00 PM	Boy Scouts in Scout Room
<b>TUES:</b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
	6:00 PM	TOPS
<b>THUR</b>	5:00 PM	Zumba
<b>FRI:</b>		<b>Church Office Closed</b>
<b>SUN:</b>	9:45 AM	Sunday School
	11:00 AM	Worship



Altar Flowers are to the Glory of God and in celebration of the 39<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary of Steve and Dorothy Harrison.

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"Only one thing  
is necessary.  
Mary has chosen  
what is best, and it  
will not be taken  
away from her."

**Morning Worship**

**July 21, 2019**

**Pastor Paul Helmick**

**First United Methodist Church**

**South Charleston**

**Whoops, our mistake!!!** The second Sunday got by us without taking donations for Conscientious Coins. We will take donations for Conscientious Coins today during the singing of our first hymn. Thank you for supporting this program.

**Janice Pauley, our custodian,** would like to thank everyone for the prayers and beautiful cards she has received during her illness. Janice is getting stronger and doing well after having a stroke. She appreciates all the help and support the church has given her during this illness.

**The offering statements** for the first half of the year are available for you to pick up in the Narthex. Pledges on the statements are listed as annual amount, not monthly.

**The United Methodist Women of First Church** would like your help. July begins our third quarter mission project, dedicated to the recognition and support of our veterans. We are asking for your help in making every Sunday in July “Undie Sunday for Vets”. Please bring a package (medium, large or XL) of new men’s underwear and place in the basket outside Linda’s office or on the prayer rail. As we celebrate our nation’s birthday this month, let’s remember all those who have served to preserve our country’s freedom.  
God Bless America.

**Metal for Recycling for Church Projects Continues:** Any money from metal recycling is placed in the Church’s Capital Projects Fund. Please leave any metal material for recycling in the container labeled Capital Projects Fund in the entry to the Social Hall. Please do not include any non-aluminum cans or plastics. Since Jan. 1, 2015, \$952.32 has been collected from recycling.  
For pickup of large metal items, call Art Altman at 304-766-6369.

**Community Garden plots are available.** There is a fee of \$30 per plot to help defray the cost of water. For more information, e-mail George Hohmann at [g.hohmann48@gmail.com](mailto:g.hohmann48@gmail.com) or call him at 304-419-1916.

**Altar Flowers Open Dates: Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29, 2019.**  
Please call the church office if you would like to place flowers on the altar.  
The cost is \$30.00.