

Worship Notes



Church of the Palms United Methodist

A Stephen Ministry Congregation 

Sunday, July 25, 2021

8:30 a.m.

9th Sunday after Pentecost

*The flowers today are given by Bill and Jan Unger
in celebration of their 46th wedding anniversary.*

We Gather To Worship God

Chiming of the Trinity

Prelude ***Oh How He Loves You and Me*** Janet Elshazly
arr. Richard Huggins

Welcome and Announcements

Time of Centering ***Sing Alleluia to the Lord***, vs. 1 TFWS 2258

*Opening Hymn ***To God Be the Glory*** UMH 98

*Greeting (*Leader / People*)

*The Lord be with you. **And also with you.***

*This is the day that the Lord has made. **Let us rejoice, and be glad in it!***

*Call to Worship (*Leader / People*)

*With gratitude we gather to worship the One from whom every family in
heaven and earth takes its name.*

**According to the riches of God's glory, our strength is being renewed
with power through the Holy Spirit.**

*Rooted and grounded in love, the awareness of Christ's presence, is our
peace.*

**Surrounded by all the saints who have gone before, we strain to
comprehend the vastness of God's love.**

*We fall short as we attempt to measure the breadth, length, height and
depth of God's love.*

**Only by the power of the Holy Spirit at work among and within us do
we recognize the fullness of God.**

*To God be the glory in Christ's church to all generations forever and
ever! **Amen!***

Thanks to those serving today

WE Team - Ed Hazlett, Martha Yeoman

Greeters - Cathy Dubiel, Diane Scipione

Ushers - Ron and Judy Van Wie, Rick Eckstein, Al and Connie Copeland

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Prayer Concerns

*Please let us know how we can pray for you by calling Pastor Pete:
843-694-7447 or Sandy Biggs in the church office: 843-379-1888.*

Praises and Joys

The flowers given last Sunday by Al and Connie Copeland in celebration of their 15th wedding anniversary

Remembering our Shut-ins / Those at home

Jim Berry | Barb Carnal (now relocated near Columbia SC) | Jack Hills

For God's Guidance

For our Country, our UM Church, and the leadership of each.

Ill / Healing

Jeanne Witte

Carrie, daughter of Jane May, and Jane

Don Myers

Spike Kammerer

Kelley Fullen Brink

Sharon Boulware

Phil Bright

David Jenkins

Ashley, granddaughter of Lorrie and Gordon Arnold

Barbara and Bill Graner

Paul, brother-in-law of Shirley Boyce

Susan McDougall

Vidda Voyles, mother of David Voyles

Samantha Bengé, daughter of Anna Marie Kuether

Kaite Sams

Dawn Hall

Friends of Alan and Carole, dealing with a difficult health issue

Alex, son of GW Hall

Lauren McLeod

Vinny Martucci

Those Grieving

Karen Ayers and family in the death of Karen's wife, Carla Utsey

June, Kathryn, Anthony Stone, family and friends, as Jimmy's interment was this week in Monroe, Ga

Friends and family of Shirley Karr, a special cousin of Janette Wilkerson, as Shirley transitioned to life eternal Friday night.

For Luz Coston, our nursery attendant, in the death of her sister, Abigail Alarcon, in Columbia, South America, after a struggle with cancer.

*(Prayer requests remain active for two weeks,
but may be renewed as necessary / desired.)*

*Opening Prayer

*Gloria *Gloria, gloria, in excelsis Deo!* UMH 72
Gloria, gloria! Alleluia! Alleluia

We Listen For God's Word

Psalter *Psalms 14* Judy Raney

Hymn of Preparation *Jesus Loves Me* UMH 191

Scripture Lesson *Ephesians 3:14-21* Rosanne Collins

Proclamation *New Life in Christ: Grounded in Love* Pete Berntson

We Respond To God's Love

*Song of Response *Christ Beside Me* TFWS 2166

*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* UMH 881

Sharing of our Prayers, Concerns, Joys and Victories

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Ministry Moment - Family Promise

Offering Our Total Selves in Service to Our Lord

Offertory *Shout to the Lord* Rodrigo Rodriguez
Be Thou My Vision

Doxology *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* UMH 94

Prayer Over the Offering

We Are Sent Into The World

*Sending Hymn *They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love* TFWS 2223

*Benediction

*Postlude *When in Our Music God is Glorified* arr. Mark Hayes

*Our worship service is at an end,
our worship through service has just begun!*