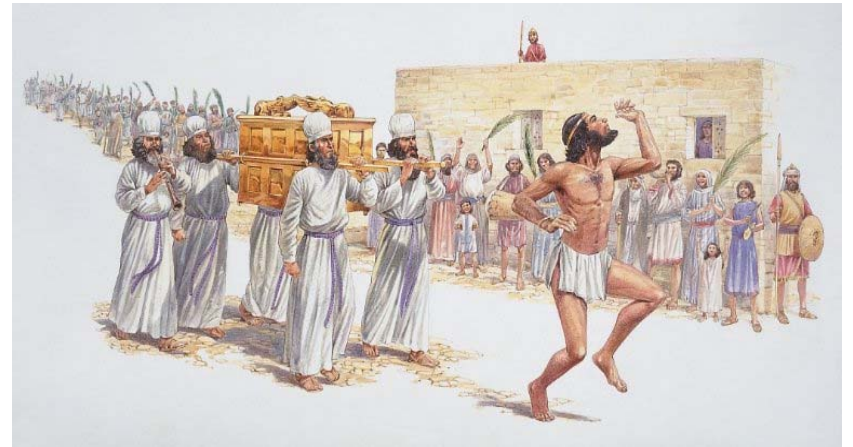


*SERMON NOTES*  
"Are You in the Window?"  
II Samuel 6:1-5, 12b-19



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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 15, 2018

Pentecost 8 B

8:30 SERVICE ON THE SCREEN 11:00 SERVICE BELOW



WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

GREET ONE ANOTHER

PRELUDE "My Jesus, I Love Thee" (Gordon/arr. McDonald)

*(Please pass the attendance book in your row.)*

*(Guests, please be sure to list your address, phone number and email address.)*

SERVICE OF LIGHT

*Acolytes*

CALL TO WORSHIP

We are here because Christ has called us.

**We assemble in response to His word.**

Prepare to rise above fickle moods, into the loving discipline of praise and worship.

**With God's help we will.**

Give God the best that you can!

**We offer Him heart, soul, mind and strength.**

Let us then worship God.

MORNING HYMN UMH No. 327 "Crown Him With Many Crowns"

vs 1, 2, 4

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Jesus loves me! This I know, for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong; they are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

The money today in the Children's Coin Jar will go to support the efforts of the UMCOR Flood Buckets.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Let the Healing Begin" (Gaither/Gatlin) Vicki Fisher

JOYS, CONCERNS AND PRAYER REQUESTS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER UMH No. 895

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory – "Lord, I'm Coming Home" (Kirkpatrick)  
Clark Evans, Vicki Fisher

Doxology – UMH No. 95 "Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost." Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN OF FAITH UMH No. 261 "Lord of the Dance" vs 1,5

SCRIPTURE II Samuel 6:1-5, 12b--19

SERMON "Are You in the Window?" Brian Seders

SPECIAL MUSIC "Smiling Faces" Susan Seders

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Thank You, Jesus" (Williams)

\* The 11 am service is videotaped and uploaded to both Youtube and Facebook on a weekly basis. Call or email the office for a link to Youtube. (If parents or guardians have any questions or concerns, please contact Brian Seders.)

THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS (as of July 8)

**MILITARY** – Joel DiStefano (Andy Montgomery's cousin), Sgt. Lantz Elbon (Tim and Beth Conklin's son-in-law), Tyler Fretwell, Max Jeffries (Heidi Jeffries' son), Robert Jerow (Jerry Jerow's son), Ryan Murphy, Patrick Spears, Isaac Stalnaker (Denise "Stalnaker" Losh's son), Patrick Thompson (Sue Mallow's Son), Joel Timmons (Seth and Michelle Pratt's son-in-law), Aaron Wetsch, Max White (Andy Montgomery's nephew), Sgt. Megan White (Kit Phillips' niece), Ann Urban

**KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS** – JoAnn Barlow, Denver Barnett, Janice Bodkins, Donna Boltz, Adrianna Brown, Jerome Brown, Charles Burcaw, Robert Burdine, David Burgess, Jan Butcher, Jack Calain, Jack Calance, Maxine Cooper, George and Maria Corley, Hobert Corley, Melissa Craig, Crawford Family, Gary Crawford, Wilma Crowley, Dominic Cunningham, Mary Sue Daniels, Don DePoy, Mike Despar, Displaced Children, Hannah Ebel (Pat and Evette LaFayette's granddaughter), Elvin, Don Fitzwater, Patty Frisbee, Nellie Galford, Janet Godwin, Government, Jan Hagarty, Barbara Halperin (Rachel Montgomery's mother), Skylar Harman, Jeri Hatch, Phyllis Henline, Amelya Hensley, Ruth Hepler, Mike Herron, Bob Hinkle, Halie House, Denise Howell, Evonne Howell, Kendra Kalar, Loretta Kaylar, Karson, Pat Kenney, Dana Kirkpatrick, Phillips Kolsun, Fred Knutti, Ann Kump, Irene Marstiller Lothes, Timmy Loudin, Marilyn Lowe, Patricia MacVean, Mary Margaret's daughter, Ginger Malone, Jim and Patty McCloud, Patty McCloud's daughter and mother, Allison McNabb, Sharon McQuain, Medical Personnel, Frankie Menendez, Norma Kerr Metzger, Mike Moran, Jeremiah Myers, Billy Joe Nelson (Angie Kisner's father), Our Country, Nancy Pan, David and Connie Parker, Patella Family, Terry Patterson, Joan Plant, Sandra Poe, Tommy and Anne Pritt (Dale Goodman's cousins), Aunt Jean (Dick Proudfoot's aunt), Shelly Purkey, Gilbert Rexrode, Rick and Vick., Wayne Rippey (Jane Conway Rippey's husband), Nancy Rotruck (Jane Corley's sister), Sam, Betty Schafer, Mary Scott, Tommy Scott (Bill Umbright's grandson), Charity and Kelly Seders, Faith Seders, Pat Seders, Susan Seders, Patty Simmons, Jean Skidmore, Jim Slider, Grace Smith, Bill Snedegar, Jason Snyder, Norma Stalnaker, Lisa Stanley, Steve Stemple, Margie Sutton, Matt Taylor, Those Trapped in Thailand Cave, Phil Tomblyn, Miranda Trader, Dick and Betty Walden, Jack Wamsley, Lewis Ware, Leo Ware, Margaret Winans, John and Linda Wood, Alan Yeager

**COLONIAL PLACE** – Rose Barnett, Hope Caplinger, Jo Criss, Jim Crowley, Millie Metheny, Katie Sayres

**ERCC** – Macy Canfield, Dixie Gutmann, Lindsay Kenney, Paul Mullins

**NELLA'S** - Mabel Phares

**LAVENDER FIELDS** – Rosalie Wilhelm

**VALENTINE'S** – Robert Fretwell

**Daily Bible Reading**

Mon–Zechariah 1    Thurs–II Samuel 7:1-14a    Sun–Mark 6:30-34, 53-56

Tues–Zechariah 2    Fri–Psalm 23

Wed–Zechariah 3    Sat–Ephesians 1:11-22

**Weekly Memory Verse:** "The Lord is my shepherd. I shall not want." Psalm 23:1

Theme for Pentecost 9 B: II Samuel 7:1-14a

"Worst to First"

**Read Through the Bible:**

Mon – Isaiah 1-4

Tues – Isaiah 5-8

Wed – Amos 1-5

Thurs – Amos 6-9

Fri – II Chronicles 27, Isaiah 9-12

Sat – Micah 1-7

Sun – II Chronicles 28, II Kings 16-17

June 17, 2018

8:30 AM Worship 35, Sunday School 25, 11 AM Worship 190,  
Weekly Collection \$6,750.00, Needed through 6/17.\$198,382.00  
Received through 6/17.\$198,000.00

**June 24, 2018**

8:30 AM Worship 44, Sunday School 24, 11 AM Worship 185,  
Weekly Collection \$9,051.50, Needed through 6/24.\$207,434.00  
Received through 6/24.\$206,250.00

**July 1, 2018**

8:30 AM Worship 41, Sunday School 27, 11 AM Worship 179,  
Weekly Collection \$8,577.02, Needed through 7/01.\$216,011.00  
Received through 7/01.\$214,500.00

I will support my church with my presence and gifts"

July 8, 2018

**ATTENDANCE:**

8:30 AM Worship	38
Sunday School	24
11 AM Worship	156

GIFTS: Weekly Collection                    \$

Needed for Budget through 7/08.....\$

Received for Budget through 7/08.....\$

Our 2018 Budget is \$429,000.



**We are working on developing a weekday children's program beginning this summer. If you have kids or grandkids entering grades K-5 that may be interested, please give the office a call or speak with Kary McAtee.**

**Upcoming Events/Meetings:**

**Circle 1 (Hitchcock) will not meet again until August.**

**Circle 4 (Armentrout/Gay) will not meet again until August.**

Trustees Meeting scheduled for Tuesday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm in the Parlor.

VBS will start Sunday, July 22<sup>nd</sup> – Thursday, July 26<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm

For more information please contact Kary Kramer-McAtee, 304-636-0660.

U. M. Women's Executive Board Meeting will be on Monday, July 30<sup>th</sup> at 1 pm in the Parlor.

We Care will meet on Tuesday, August 7<sup>th</sup> at 12 pm in the Parlor.

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday – Thursday, 8:30 AM – 3 PM / Friday 8:30 AM – 12-noon PH: 304-636-0660

Pastor: Brian Seders (304-636-0406 Home)

Administrative Assistant: Rhonda Elmer

Director of Christian Education: Kary (Kramer) McAtee

Financial Secretary: Danielle Taylor

Music Director: Gale Poe

Pastor Emeritus: Basil Hensley

Custodian: Angela Kisner

Nursery Worker: Jennifer Wanless

**COME, SHARE, REJOICE...**

**SUNDAY, July 15 (Mark 6:14-29)**

8:30 AM CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

9:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES

11:00 AM TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

11:00 AM CHILDREN'S CHURCH / Orange Room (1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grader)

**MONDAY, July 16 (Psalm 89:20-37)**

**TUESDAY, July 17 (Mark 6:53-56)**

9:00 AM STAFF MEETING / Parlor

**WEDNESDAY, July 18 (2 Samuel 7:1-14a)**

**THURSDAY, July 19 (Mark 6:30-34, 53-56)**

**FRIDAY, July 20 (Ephesians 2:11-22)**

**SATURDAY, July 21 (2 Samuel 7:1-14a)**

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- \*Combs/Hairbrushes
- \*Soap
- \*Wash cloths
- \*Deodorant
- \*Nail Clippers
- \*Drinking Cup

### SCHOOL SUPPLIES

- \*Coloring books
- \*Crayons/coloring pencils/markers
- \*Eraser
- \*Writing pads/paper
- \*Scissors
- \*Glue sticks (no liquid glue)
- \*Solar calculators
- \*Rulers
- \*Stamps and ink pad sets

### GENERAL

- \*Sunglasses
- \*Flashlights with batteries
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- \*Slinky
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- \*Jumping ropes
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- \*Music box
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- \*Stationary
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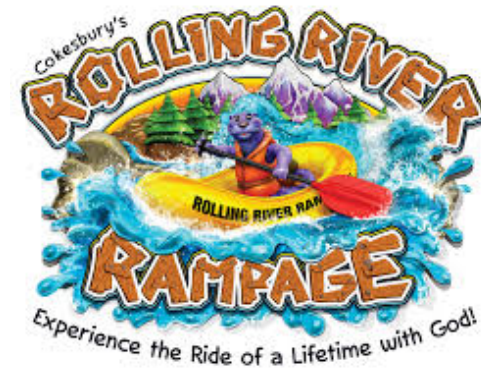
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- **Five-gallon round bucket with resealable lid (14.35” h x 12.19” w x 12.19” d)**
  - No screw lids
  - May be used, but must be free from all residual product
  - Advertisements on the outside acceptable
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  - No spray cleaners
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- **4-8 oz. pump spray air freshener (three solid, or three gel fresheners also acceptable)**
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  - Pump spray bottles must have protective covers
- **Scrub brush**
  - With or without handle
- **Re-use cleaning wipes**
  - No terrycloth, microfiber or paper towels
- **Scouring pads sponges**
  - No stainless steel pads with soap in them
- **Clothespins**
- **50-100 ft. clothesline (cotton or plastic line)**
- **24 roll of heavy-duty trash bags (33-45 gallon sizes)**
- **N95 particulate respirator dust masks (1-3 mm thickness)**
  - No surgical masks
- **Kitchen gloves**
  - Durable for multiple uses
- **Work gloves**
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Items may be dropped off in the tub marked UMCOR by the church office.

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