

Please Remember in Prayer the week of May 6, 2018

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**If You or Others** you know have an upcoming medical procedure, are sick, or are experiencing a significant life event, please let our pastoral staff know by contacting the church directly at [spumc@nc.rr.com](mailto:spumc@nc.rr.com) or calling 910-692-3518. You can also fill out the Pastoral Visit or Prayer Request card located on the back of each pew.

<b><u>Prayer List of Extended Family &amp; Friends</u></b>
<b>Anna Allen</b> (Maggie Bonecutter), <b>Charles Aubrey</b> (father of Tom Aubrey), <b>Charles Barnes</b> (son-in-law of Katherine Stafford), <b>Johnny Baskowski</b> (Gail Dodge), <b>Wallace Beeson</b> (the Conklin family), <b>Bradley Bettini</b> (Susan Reeve), <b>Bill Bingham</b> (cousin of Hugh Bingham), <b>Peggy Bitting</b> (Heilman/Tillman families), <b>Diana Bloom</b> (Shirley Shank), <b>Lillian Brewington</b> (David Young), <b>Deb Bridges</b> , <b>Mike Brough</b> (Greg & Brenda Tillman), <b>Inez Bundy</b> (Nancy Scaggs), <b>Rosalind Chapman</b> (Nancy Scaggs), <b>Ruth Claggett</b> (mother of Kathy Schlagel), <b>Sandra Cook</b> (mother of Mike Moore), <b>Chris Craven</b> (cousin of Carolyn Walters), <b>Roberta Danielson</b> (Jane MacDougall), <b>Debbie Cuthriell</b> , <b>Nancy &amp; Otto Deacon</b> (cousins of Libby Staples), <b>Patty Ellis</b> , <b>Jennifer Evans</b> (DIL of Marion Evans), <b>Father</b> of Shirley Bond, <b>Larry Frail</b> (Bonecutter/Scaggs), <b>Kay Gann</b> (cousin Mary Mandell), <b>Lynda Gomillion</b> (Keri Crowl), <b>Roy Hanna</b> (father of Stephanie Fraser), <b>Jerry &amp; Pamela Harris</b> , <b>Marilyn Hartsell</b> (Jean Hicks), <b>Grace Heilman</b> (mother of Brenda Tillman), <b>Max Hensley</b> (Brenda Tillman), <b>Steve</b> (Gary & Bobbye Hildebrande), <b>Joe &amp; Joseph Hill</b> (Gail Scott), <b>Becca Hughes</b> (David Young), <b>Jodi</b> (friend of Sue Rich), <b>Josh</b> , <b>Tonya Keith</b> (Brenda Tillman), <b>Patty Kidd</b> (family of Scaggs/Bonecutter), <b>Jacob Lancaster</b> (Gail Scott), <b>Mary Ann Laningham</b> (sister of Dr. Laningham), <b>Sherry Locklear</b> (David Young) <b>Julio Lopez-Martinez</b> (Don & Sandy Bryant), <b>Kara Matthews</b> (daughter of Richard & Vicki Brown), <b>Dianne McCormac</b> (Susan Reeve), <b>Mae McGougan</b> , <b>Harper Faith &amp; Tenley Grace Miller</b> (granddaughters of David & Sandra Miller), <b>Jim Miller</b> (brother of John Miller), <b>Joseph Morellio</b> (Geri Walker), <b>Mae Murchison</b> (Sandy Bryant), <b>Gene Oldham</b> (Greg & Brenda Tillman), <b>James Page</b> (Vicki Brown), <b>Grace Philips</b> (Susan Sweeley), <b>Peyton Priest</b> (granddaughter of Donie Oldham, Girl Scouts), <b>Jack &amp; Denny Rasmus</b> (parents of Joe Rasmus), <b>Erma Reeder</b> (mother of Kim Stoudenmire), <b>Carol Renken</b> (Kitzy Bundy), <b>Tom Riggins</b> (nephew of Katherine Stafford), <b>Johnny Rivera</b> (son of Donna Dickson), <b>Jonathan Scarboro</b> (Wyatt Glenn), <b>Phillip Scercy</b> , (Mikey Delle) <b>Max Sheridan</b> (grandson of David & Molly Wilson), <b>Marcie Stromberg</b> (Mikey Delle)Linda Szczytko (Mike Pusillo), <b>Monica Stevens</b> , <b>Peggy Swaringen</b> (sister of Betty Richardson), <b>Ed Thomas</b> (the Tillman's), <b>Ronnie Thompson</b> (Frank Thigpen), <b>Jeremy Tillman</b> (Greg & Brenda Tillman), <b>Carol Umansky</b> (sister of David Young), <b>the Walco Family</b> (Mike & Sally Moore), <b>Forrest White</b> (4 yr old w/cancer) <b>Vera Williams</b> , <b>Carol Wiseburn</b> (Marguerite Hussey).



Southern Pines United Methodist Church

8:30 Worship May 6, 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Confirmation Sunday

GATHERING

PRELUDE

*Hello, My Name Is*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*SONGS OF PRAISE

*We Will Worship  
We Believe*

WELCOME & CONCERNS

RECEPTION INTO MEMBERSHIP

Sean Crowl, Marshall Landry, Walker Shore, Jonathan Sullivan

SERMON SCRIPTURE

John 17:6-19

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

(On Communion Sunday, children ages 3-5 years old are invited to visit the nursery.)

SERMON

“Belonging”

Rev. Tommy Sweeley

\*SONG OF RESPONSE

*I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

INVITATION TO COMMUNION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION & WORDS OF ASSURANCE

OFFERING

*We Are the World*

\*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

THE LORD’S PRAYER

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

\*CLOSING SONG

*Pass It On*

\*BENEDICTION

\*SENDING FORTH

11:00 Worship	Children’s Celebration Sunday	May 6, 2018
Sixth Sunday of Easter		
OPENING VOLUNTARY VIDEO	“What Do You Love About Church?”	
INTROIT (Children’s Choir)	<i>Rejoice in the Lord</i>	Lindner
*CALL TO WORSHIP	Proverbs 22:6	Virginia Grey Sutton
*HYMN #191	<i>Jesus Loves Me</i>	Warner/McGuire
*OPENING PRAYER		Unison
Remind us, Lord, how valuable our children are. We can hinder them by being needlessly strict or over-permissive, and by neglecting them while we pursue our pleasures or by being too possessive and protective. Show us the balance and bless our children through us—and help us learn the lessons you would teach us through them. Amen.		
WELCOME AND CONCERNS		
SCRIPTURE LESSON	Mark 10:13-16	Rudd Sutton
CHILDREN’S CHOIR	<i>I’m Gonna Sing Who Will Be a Witness?</i>	spiritual spiritual/arr. Moore
PRESENTATION OF BIBLES		
SERMON SCRIPTURE	John 6:1-14	Joshua Mandell
TIME WITH THE CHILDREN		Erin Shore
(On Communion Sunday, children ages 3-5 years old are invited to visit the nursery.)		
SERMON	“Through a Child”	Rev. Tommy Sweeley
*HYMN #2040 FWS	<i>Awesome God</i>	Mullins
INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION		
PRAYER OF CONFESSION		Responsively
Coming together as God’s family, with confidence let us ask the Father’s forgiveness; for God is full of gentleness and compassion. Lord Jesus, you came as a child in the fullness of humanity that we may know God’s love for us. Lord, have mercy. <b>Lord, have mercy.</b> Lord Jesus, you called the children to you and blessed them that we may know God’s love for children. Christ, have mercy. <b>Christ, have mercy.</b> Lord Jesus, you will judge us by how we care for the least of these our brothers and sisters. Lord, have mercy. <b>Lord, have mercy.</b> May Almighty God have mercy on us, forgive us our sins, and bring us to everlasting life. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.		
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All: Glory to God. Amen.		

11:00 worship (cont’d.)	Sixth Sunday of Easter	May 6, 2018
WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERING		
OFFERTORY	<i>Children of the Heavenly Father</i>	arr. Forrest
(Willow Alston-Socha, flute; Paul Kirkpatrick, cello; Jess Smith, handbells)		
*Offertory Response #95	<i>Doxology</i>	OLD 100th
*Prayer of Dedication		
*THE GREAT THANKSGIVING No.17		
PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION		
Unison		
Lord God, in deep gratitude for this moment, this meal, these people, we give ourselves to you. Take us out to live as changed people because we have shared the Living Bread and cannot remain the same. Ask much of us, expect much from us, enable much by us, encourage many through us. So, Lord, may we live to your glory, both as inhabitants of earth and citizens of the commonwealth of heaven. Amen.		
*HYMN #585		
	<i>This Little Light of Mine</i>	Afro-American spiritual
(All the children are to come forward during the singing of the hymn.)		
*BENEDICTION		
Pastor		
Jesus taught us that whoever welcomes one such child in his name welcomes him, and whoever welcomes him welcomes not him but the One who sent him.		
<b>We bless these children before us and seek to be a blessing to all children.</b>		
May God grant you compassion and courage to serve with love and to call for justice so that all children may thrive. May Almighty God bless you, the Father and the Son, and the Holy Spirit.		
<b>Amen.</b>		
Go in peace to love and serve the Lord. Thanks be to God.		
*CLOSING VOLUNTARY		
Today’s altar flowers are given to the glory of God in loving memory of Frank Bundy by his wife, Kitzy and family.		
Our Christian love and sympathy to:		
Kitzy Bundy in the death her husband, Frank. Frank Bundy passed to his eternal reward Monday, April 30.		
Jim and Louise Laningham, whose sister-in-law passed away after a long illness on this past Sunday. Betty Laningham had lived in a rest home in Bristol, VA for a number of years.		
Betty Laird in the death of her sister who lived in Florida.		
Kim Stoudenmire in the recent death of her father, George Reeder.		
Worship Attendance — April 29, 2018: (8:30) Worship, 146; (10:00) Sunday School, 84; (11:00) Worship, 133; (5:30) Youth, 6 & 5 adults); Tuesday, Holy Communion, 5		