

Order of Worship

Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 6, 2021

The liturgical color is red remembering the Holy Spirit coming to the Church.

We lift up prayers for the community, our church family, staff, ministers, and for the work of Christ in the world.

- Prelude** "Above All" arr. Sherman
Adult Handbell Choir
(The Prelude is a pathway into the presence of God. Let the worshipers remain silent and contemplative.)
- Choral Call to Worship** "Sing, Make a Joyful Sound"
- Welcome** Rev. Dr. George K. Howle
- * **Opening Hymn** "My Hope Is Built" UMH #368
- * **Affirmation of Faith** UMH #881
- * **The Gloria Patri** UMH #70
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.
- Pastoral Prayer** Jennifer Hupko
- The Lord's Prayer**
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.
- 8:30 Reception of New Members** UMH #38
Denise and Glen Daniels
- Celebrating Grace by Returning God's Tithes and Giving Our Offerings**
(Offering Stewards will come forward at this time)
- Offertory** "Brother James' Air" arr. S. Wright
- * **The Doxology** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" (*Olde Hundredth*) UMH Pg. 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.**
- Children's Message** Chad Mullinix **8:30**
Carol Anne Felts **11:00**
*11:00 | Children 3 years old to 1st Grade are invited to attend Little Church.
Please pick them up following the service in room 201, Wesley Bldg.*
- * **Hymn of Preparation** "Glorify Thy Name" TFWS #2016
- Sermon Text** Psalm 138:1-8 Jennifer Hupko
- Anthem** "He Never Failed Me Yet" arr. Ray
Heather Whitley, *Soloist*
- Sermon** "Presence of God" Rev. Howle
- * **Closing Hymn** "And Can It Be that I Should Gain" UMH #363
Vs. 1,3,5
- * **Benediction** Rev. Howle
- Postlude** "Ode to Joy" arr. D. Cherwien

(* Please stand as you are able.)

The Steeple Highlights

The **Adult Chancel Choir** rehearses weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00PM in the Music Room. All who are vaccinated are welcome to join as we prepare for worship. For questions, please contact Norman McQueen, 843-602-5582.

First Church will serve at **Community Kitchen** this week, June 7th—11th: Breakfast 7AM to 10AM and Lunch 10AM to 1PM. Masks and social distancing are in effect; gloves provided. To volunteer, please contact Lesa Jones, 704-796-7280 or LJones6430@gmail.com

Youth will meet June 6th at 5:15PM, North Campus, Rising 6th Graders are welcome to join us in Youth Group activities.

Youth and Senior Recognition Sunday is June 13th. Our Youth will lead both traditional worship services. Graduating Seniors will be recognized at 11:00AM Traditional worship.

OPEN REGISTRATION 2021-22 **Kindergarten Enrollment.**

Register Online: www.fumamb.org or contact: Melody Gildner, 585-770-4183, or mgildner@fumamb.org.

Vacation Bible School will be July 19-22, 2021 at our North Campus soccer field. Registration online at www.fumcmb.org.

Urgent opportunities to Serve: Nursery, Ushers, Greeters, Readers, and Church Librarian. To sign up, please email Jennifer Julian, jennifer@fumcmb.org. Many hands make light work!

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Attendance

Members and guests, kindly pass the attendance book along the pew for everyone to register their attendance.

Sunday School

Classes are available for Children age 3 through Adult every Sunday from 9:45-10:45 AM.

****Ask the ushers for children's Wiggle Bags, hearing devices and large print hymnals****

Children

First Church invites families to worship together. We offer "Little Church" to children ages 3 through 1st grade following the Children's Message in worship. Little Church is a child-friendly "mini" worship service in room 201 of the Wesley Building (upstairs). Parents, please pick up your children immediately after worship.

The **Flowers** that beautify our sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God and in memory of our beloved son and grandson, Bradley Taylor, by his parents, Joe and Patricia, siblings (Bryan, Laura and Maddy) and grandmother, Dorothy Huggins.

Flowers are needed for the following dates: July 11, 25; Aug 1, 8, 15, 22, 29. To place flowers in honor or in memory of a loved one, please contact Jennifer Julian in the church office, 843-448-7164 or jennifer@fumcmb.org.

Appreciation and thank you to Pat Downes who is our guest organist today.

We welcome our guests today and pray that you will experience the presence of Christ in our worship together.

Sunday Worship may be viewed Live on Facebook at 8:30AM or on the website (www.fumcmb.org), on our mobile app, or on FOX TV Sundays at 10AM on channel 7 (one week delay).

Mask and distancing requirements for those vaccinated are optional; please be respectful of others.

Assisting in Worship

USHERS

8:30 Harry Branton, Jerry Champion, Judy Hall, Roger Hall, Jack Rebeck, Toby Ward
11:00 Neal Bowers, Jackson Bowers, Preston Bowers, Clark Butler, Gene Butler

ACOLYTES | **8:30** Lily Langway | **11:00** Reagan McQueen

Video | Jim Lewis
Audio | **8:30** Dan Fleming

11:00 Scott Bowen

