ORDER OF WORSHIP
Sunday, August 12, 2018
Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost

ENTRANCE
The people come together in the Lord's name.

PRELUDE

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST AMONG US

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP from Psalm 130

One: You have been waiting long enough. It's time to listen for God's voice.
All: We have been waiting many a long night.
One: Well, the day is here and the time is now to find new hope in God alone!
All: It is God! It is Jesus Christ, God himself, who is finally saving us!
One: Then come and join in the hope we share of God's never-ending love.
All: We will celebrate by singing and praising God!
One: Totally, completely, without reservation, God is worthy of our praise!
All: Without holding anything back, we sing and shout the praise of our God!

*OPENING PRAYER

O Bread of heaven, come down. Come down and fill us with your Spirit - for your Spirit satisfies like no other. We hunger and thirst for you this morning and long to be nurtured in your love and forgiveness. So we come to this sacred time and place, where our hungers are finally and fully satisfied as only your bread can do. We will wait and listen for your leading in this hour. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE — *Soon and Very Soon* — UMH 706

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

COMMUNITY CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

HYMN OF PRAYER — *I've Got Peace Like a River* — TFWS 2145

PASTORAL PRAYER

Lord, in your mercy: **hear our prayer.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER — UMH 895

PROCLAMATION
The Scriptures are opened to the people.

SCRIPTURE — John 6:35, 41-51 — NT 91

CHILDREN'S SERMON — *Role Models*

No Children's Church June 10-September 2. Children's activity bulletins are available in the back of the sanctuary. Please see an usher for assistance if needed. Children's Church will resume September 9.

ANTHEM — *Grace Alone* — Brown/Nelson

SCRIPTURE — Ephesians 4:25-5:2 — NT 179

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SERMON — *Live in Love*

RESPONSE
The people respond with acts of commitment and faith.

RESPONSIVE PRAYER

One: Glorious things of thee are spoken.
All: We marvel at the wisdom of your word, O God of heaven.
One: May these words we have heard become nourishment for our souls and guidance for the living of our daily lives.
All: Write these words on our hearts, O Lord, that we may be reflections of your truth and mercy. Amen.

OFFERING

Offertory — *To a Wild Rose* — arr. Alan Rideout
*Doxology — UMH 95
*Dedication of the Offering

SENDING FORTH
The people are sent into ministry with the Lord's blessing.

*HYMN OF PROMISE — *Let There Be Peace on Earth* — UMH 431

*THE LIGHT OF CHRIST GOES FORTH

BENEDICTION — *On Eagle's Wings* — UMH 143

And He will raise you up on eagle's wings,
Bear you on the breath of dawn,
Make you to shine like the sun,
And hold you in the palm of His Hand.

POSTLUDE

* = Please stand as you are able.
NT = New Testament, OT = Old Testament
TFWS = The Faith We Sing, UMH = United Methodist Hymnal
A fully staffed and stocked nursery is available for your convenience.
Also, the rocking chairs in the Sanctuary are for rocking your little ones.
Please ask an usher if you need assistance.

THE FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR are given to the glory and praise of Almighty God and in loving memory of Jane Yates on her birthday and wedding anniversary, by James, Jimmy and Marlena.

SUPPORTING THE CHURCH

BY OUR PRAYERS…

Unless otherwise requested, prayer requests remain on this list for thirty days. We have an active prayer chain. If you have need for immediate prayer, please call the church office or Joanne Taylor at 910-892-7034.

Lou Allred	Family of Muriel Collett	Johnny Glover	Mattie Story
Irma Apel	Nancy Cooper	Rick Grossman	Sherrell Taylor
Elizabeth Schmidlin Barina	James Cooper	Sarah Herring	Nancy Thomas
Family of Mary Lemuel Blalock	Charlie Crumpler, Jr.	Susan Horton	Kinsley Vann
James Brooks	John Curtis	Anne Johnson	Dollye Walters
Harold Butts	Harvey Eldridge	Ida Lawrence	Irvin Warren
Kim Byrd	Lin Ferrell	Mitchell Parson	Terry Waterbury
Wilma Byrd	Elliott Gifford	Family of George Rawls	Vickie West
Larry Carmichael	Joe Giles	Christian Spell	Debra Winstead

BY OUR PRESENCE AND GIFTS 7/22/18…

Sunday School Attendance	12	Offering Received	$ 5,416.00
Worship Attendance	75	Weekly Cash Needs	$ 7,369.29

BY OUR SERVICE…

		This Week		*Next Week*
ACOLYTE	Aug 12	Grace Wilson	Aug 19	Kyle Parker
ALTAR FLOWERS	Aug 12	James Yates	Aug 19	Dianne Callahan
FINANCE	Aug 12	Jim Schmidlin	Aug 19	Jim Schmidlin
GREETERS	Aug 12	Don and Faye Butler Bob Johnson	Aug 19	Open
NURSERY	Aug 12	Quinn Schmidlin	Aug 19	Lois Dail

		This Month		*Next Month*
ALTAR GUILD	Aug	Sharon Hundley Patti Queipo	Sep	Peggy Johnson Susie Creel
LITURGIST	Aug	Craig Strickland	Sep	Gary Ronnfeldt
USHERS	Aug	Cory Wilson, Richard Bond, Lois Dail, Open	Sep	Whit Brewer, Pete Bynum, Harold Butts, Jerry Callahan

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Today's Scripture Readings
2 Samuel 18:5-9, 15, 31-33
Psalm 130 (UMH 848)
Ephesians 4:25-5:2
John 6:35, 41-51

Next Week's Readings
1 Kings 8:(1, 6, 10-11) 22-30, 41-43
Psalm 84 (UMH 804)
Ephesians 6:10-20
John 6:56-69

A Place to…Belong…Believe…Become

Live… IN LOVE
(Sermon Series)

AUGUST 12, 2018

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