Children's Message

Amber Faulhaber

*Afterward, children ages birth to grade 5 are invited to a time of learning in classrooms on the north wing of the building. Bridget Ross is our Children's Ministry Director. You are welcome to escort your child to that area and meet Bridget

Offering

*Doxology – UMH #95

*Prayer over the offering

Doug Medlin

...Anchored in Christ

Song - "Open our Eyes, Lord"

Mark 8.22-26 "I Can See People"

...Sharing God's Love through Joyful Service

Prayers of the People – Lord's Prayer

Apostles' Creed

*Closing Song~ "He Touched Me"

*Benediction

*Sending Forth into the world – "Trees of the Field"

*Stand if you are able

Altar Flowers are dedicated to the Glory of God and provided by the Worship Planning Committee

Welcome Table for September 15th: Jeanette Mason & Sherri Davila

Attendance: 9/01/24: 8:00-65 9:30-119 9/05/24-10

Calendar of Events

Monday 9/09

9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6 1:00p Monday Bible Study 6:30p Cub Scouts

Tuesday 9/10

7:30 Open Prayer 8:30 Men's Breakfast Group 9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6 6:00p Praise Band Practice 7:00p Women's AA/Reef

Wednesday 9/11

9:30 Communion 10:00 Rainbow Circle, Rm. 6 10:30 Staff Meeting 11:15 Women Rooted & Anchored Group 7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef 7:00p Cantata Practice 7:45p Choir Practice

Thursday 9/12

9:00 Backpack Program 9:30 Centering Prayer 12:00p AA Group, Rm. 6 5:30p Girl Scout Troop #4242 6:00p MDT 6:00p Love Thyself Training

Friday 9/13

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group

Saturday 9/14

8 – 10:00 Pilot's Men's Group 5:30p Praise Service

Sunday 9/15

8:00 Beach Service 9:30 Worship Service 10:45 Adult Sunday School, Rm. 6 10:45 JR Basic/Adult Sunday School 10:45 MS Basic Group 3:00p Celebrate Recovery Group 5:00p HS Youth Group/Reef

Announcements:

Do you have a heart for worship? Join us at 5:30pm in the sanctuary~ **Saturday**, **September 14**th for a contemporary Worship service. Bring a friend!

You are invited! We meet in the sanctuary Thursdays from 9:30- 10:30 to learn and practice Centering Prayer. All are welcome. For questions, call Gail Widholm (910) 297.2465 or Bescye Burnett (678) 882.6721

CALLING ALL SINGERS!!! We will begin practicing the music for our Christmas Cantata on Wednesday, September 11th at 7:00pm in the sanctuary. Come join us! If you have any questions, call Allison Campbell 804-651-5488

The Thrift Store Bake Sales have resumed and will continue the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month. *See the Messenger for more information. Feel free to call our bake sale facilitator Rachel Shade at 910. 232. 2860 or 910.329.1831 with any questions.

From the Finance Team:

Giving up to 6/30/24	Budget up to 6/30/24	2024 total budget
\$222,748	\$226,155	\$452,561

Scripture Card~ Week of September 9th

Centering Prayer: Those who trust in the Lord are like Mount Zion.

Psalm 125

M I Corinthians 5.1-8, Luke 6.6-11

Tu I Corinthians 6.1-11, Luke 6.12-19

W I Corinthians 7.25-31. Luke 6.20-26

Th I Corinthians 8.1-13, Luke 6.27-38

F I Corinthians 9.16-27, Luke 6.39-42

Sa I Corinthians 10.1-22, Luke 6.43-49

Su Proverbs 1.20-33, James 3.1-12, Mark 8.27-38

Key scripture Mark 8.29: "Peter answered him, 'You are the Messiah."

PRAYER CONCERNS MEMBERS: Joyce Arnette, Ray Blackburn; Frank (Connie) Carroll; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Parker Fox & Family; Diane Geary; Gail Hargett-Lilly; Janet Hughes; Janice Long; Doug & Sandi Lowery; Martha Marlow; Tony Merlino; Larry & Becki Modlin; Sean Mooney; Alma Osborn; Sue & Ted Penny; Judy Pratt; David & Jill Strohpaul; Ron (Annie) Voli; Alice & Owen Williams

MILITARY: Joe Fraley, Andy Harrison, Ryan Hermance, Greg Holmes; Joey Horne, Abbie Kizer; John Modlin, Branden Mooney, Tyler Ray, Charlotte Taylor



Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost 9:30 a.m. September 8, 2024

... A Beacon of Hope

Please take a moment to fill out the attendance pads at the end of each row, and then pass them to your neighbors. This gives us a chance to get to know you. Please know that the Lord loves you and desires for you to grow in your knowledge and love of Jesus Christ. If you would like to share any information that our pastoral staff can pray for you about, feel free to share that on the pad as you fill it out.

Psalm 125.1-5

*Opening Song: "O For a Thousand Tongues To Sing"

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Madeline Law

*Opening Prayer: Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

*Passing the Peace