

# Welcome Home

## Order of Worship



Prelude

### Welcome & Announcements

#### \*Call to Worship

Leader: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: The risen Christ is with us.

All: **Praise the Lord!**

#### Opening Prayer

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen

#### \*Opening Hymn

**“Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”** 400

#### Children’s Time

Pastor Malcolm

#### Pastoral Prayer

##### 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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

#### Morning Offering

#### Special Music

#### Scripture Reading

#### Morning Message

Pastor Malcolm

**“Are You Ready to Be Honored by God?”**

Hymn of Preparation **“One Bread, One Body”** 620

Celebration of Holy Communion 13  
Consecration of Elements  
Giving & Receiving of Holy Communion

\*Hymn of Invitation  
**“Rise Up Ye Saints of God”** 576

\*Benediction

\*Choral Response **“Shalom to You”** 666

Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends.  
May God’s full mercies bless you, my friends.  
In all your living and through your loving,  
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

Postlude **The Glory of the Spirit** Lani Smith

\*Congregation standing as able

**\*The Communion offering will go to the  
Shelby County Outreach Ministries.**

#### Congregational Response to New Members

*We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.*

#### Sermon Notes:

## This Week in Our Congregation

Sunday October 4

10:00 am Combined Worship

Monday October 5

5:15 pm Finance Committee Meeting-Parlor

5:30 pm YOGA-Fellowship Hall

Tuesday October 6

3:30 pm Kids ‘N Christ

5:30 pm Missions Committee Meeting-Parlor

Wednesday October 7

5:00 pm MYF

6:00 pm Choir meeting

## Prayer List

#### Comfort & Peace

Family of Bea Mettauer

#### Most Recent & Acute Needs

Michael Masterson, Mason Parks, Kevin & Schelli McCauley, Silver Motley, Justin Smith, Danielle Permenter, Bruce Koonce, Mary Dell Windham, Rhonda Patterson, Shirlynn Harbison, Brenda Mackey, Polly Smith, Tim Patterson, Roseanne Rideout, Dr. Robert Hughes, Larry Russell, Jerrie Kenikee, Dr. Ledet, Yazoo Thomas, Jay Watlington, Betty Robertson, Randy Dickerson, Bill Eberenz, Sharon McMahon, Mary Fomby, Becky Roberts, Wayne & Sherry Hooper, Dolly Cunningham, Brady Scarber, Jan Cruse, Nell Polley, Ryan Chandler, Debbie Maxey, Gwenyth Jackson, Hilde Gard, Amanda Mooney, Margaret Andrews, Pastor Andy Wilson & family, Rob Payne, Elizabeth Goff, Gina Estes, Peggy Haley, Wayne Howard, Robin Smith, Kathy Hardy

#### Long Term Need for Healing

Jeri Frank, Kevin Blake, Lynn Fox, Debbie Mercer, Brooklyn Swann, Charles Hall, Beth Kell, Billy Wayne Williams, Zac Day, Judy Walker Wood, Angela Lawson, Makinley Pigg, Evelyn Green, Connie Mettauer, David Swanzy, Robert Ortigo, Mandy Estes, Cecil Watlington, Jennifer Paddie, Judy Foster, Gail Porter, Mason Charles Anderson, Jocelyn Lopez, Bonnie LeRoy, Tresa Pearce, Vicki Lee, Ann Harmon, John Griffin

#### At Home & Nursing Home Members & Friends

Mae Dell Brannen, Gwendolyn Crawford, Margaret Henry, Yvonne Permenter, Doris Wennerbom, Billy Williams, J.W. Braden, Orval Headley, Jay Teske, Joy Miller, Margaret Ihlo, Charlene Monroe

#### Those Serving Our Country

Wade Angelo, Josh Nobles, Jimmy Crocker, Jason Adams, Chris Bentley, Stephen Bentley, Kirk Cogswell, Cpl. Dustin W. Osgood, Caleb Rasmussen, Trey Taylor, Jason Peveto, Josh Waller, Kyle Bell, Robert Shaun Johnson, Rebecca Kruger, David Johnson, Anthony Johnson, Major Jonathon Welborn, Cpt. Cody Dobiyanski, Staff Sgt. Hannah Wilkins Saunders, Dylan Barbee, Thomas Bartle, Dallas Osburn, Daniel Fox, Zack Holt, Buddy Walker, Cody Osburn

\*In an effort to keep our prayer list updated, please notify Kelli of any changes.



**Saturday  
October 31, 2020**

**Join us for our annual**

**6:00pm - 7:30pm**

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**\*CAKE WALK-WE NEED CAKES!!!**

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Director of Children & Youth Ministries	Faythe Abraham
Pianist	Nancy Dickerson
Organist	Jim Green
Administrative Assistant	Kelli Snider
Housekeeping	Jessi Webb

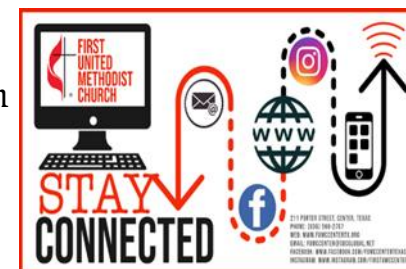
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October 4, 2020  
18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
10:00 am Combined Worship Service



Thank you for choosing to worship with us today!  
We are grateful for your presence and hope you find a warm community that you can call home.

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