

Living a Spirit Led Life



June 5, 2022



**WASHINGTON
STREET**

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The congregation of Washington Street UMC praises and serves God from the heart of the city in ways that reach our neighbors near and far. We welcome and affirm all who seek the love and mercy of Christ regardless of race, creed, age, gender, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity, or economic status. We honor traditions as rooted in our history, our expression of worship, and our respect for theological curiosity. We nonetheless see vital change and ongoing renewal as essential for spiritual growth.

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Pentecost | June 5, 2022

Liturgical Color: Red | Pentecost

*(As our worship begins, please silence any electronic devices.
Portable hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.)*

GATHERING IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

PRELUDE

Choral varié sur le theme du "Veni Creator"

Maurice Duruflé

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: The Spirit is among us now!

All: The Spirit calls us to rejoice together!

One: The Spirit is moving in our world now!

All: The Spirit calls us to do justice, love mercy, and walk humbly with God!

One: The Spirit is within us, alive in us now!

All: The Spirit awakens us to the movement of God in the world!

One: Come, worship God, and be filled with love.

All: Amen.

*HYMN #539

O, Spirit of the Living God

FOREST GREEN

Words: Henry H. Tweedy, 1934 (Acts 2)

Music: Trad. English melody; arr. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

OPENING PRAYER

ANTHEM

Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me
WSUMC Choir

K. Lee Scott

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Dane Waund

(After the Children's Moments, children 2 yrs. to first grade may be dismissed to Children's Church.)

SPECIAL MUSIC

You are the Light

David Steele, Tom Fettke

Waund Family Singers: Denise Gibson, Debbie Linnes, Steve Linnes, Dane Waund

MINISTRY MOMENT

Darby Waund

BLESSING OUR GRADUATES

OFFERTORY

I Feel the Spirit Moving
Soloist: Maria Beery

arr. Mark Hayes

(Giving is easy! Place your gift in the offering plate; text the word "CONNECTIONS" to the number 73256; donate through Realm Connect; visit us online at wsmethodist.org/giving; mail a check to WSUMC, 1401 Washington St., Columbia, SC 29212; or scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin. If you gave online, you may place one of the "I Gave Online" cards located in the pew rack with the giving envelopes into the offering plate.)

*DOXOLOGY #94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Words: Thomas Ken, 1674; adapt. by Gilbert H. Vieira, 1978
Music: Geistliche Kirchengesange, 1623; harm. by Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1906

*THE GLORIA PATRI #70

MEINEKE

Words: Lesser Doxology, 3rd-4th cent.
Music: Charles Meineke, 1844

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 2:1-18, 38-41

SERMON

“Living a Spirit Led Life”

Rev. Becky Shirley

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

If you are in need of Communion elements, please raise your hand, and an usher will bring it to you.

One: On this day of Pentecost, may you feel the Spirit at work in your life!

All: Come, Holy Spirit, to fill our hearts with love.

One: May God's Word become your language of praise.

All: Come, Holy Spirit, teach us new songs of thanksgiving.

One: Let us pray: With a Word, you scattered chaos, God of wonder and joy...With those who dare to imagine your wonder, with those who wonder what is going on, we sing of the thanksgiving filling our hearts:

All: Holy, holy, holy are you, God who loves us and seeks to be with us. All creation joins in praising you. Hosanna in the highest!

One: Blessed is the One who sends the Advocate to us.

All: Hosanna in the highest!

One: God of every moment, you alone are holy...and so we share that mystery we call faith:

All: Christ has died. Christ is risen and Christ will come again.

One: Pour out now your Holy Spirit...and hear us as we pray the prayer Jesus taught us to pray:

All: 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.

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*HYMN #384

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling
Words: Charles Wesley, 1747

HYFRYDOL

Music: Rowland H. Prichard, 1830; harm. from The English Hymnal, 1906; arr. by John Rutter

*BENEDICTION & BLESSING OF THE MEAL

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*POSTLUDE

Improvisation

Louis Shirer

**Congregation standing. If standing is uncomfortable, please remain seated and continue your participation.*

When our worship ends, our service begins!

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PRAYER THOUGHT

Grief does not have an expiration date. Neither does happiness. Pray during both times.

PRAYER LIST

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Martha Boynton
David Byrum
Heidi Conte
Jimmy Dawkins
Mickey Epting
Rev. Paul Harmon
Bud Harrelson

Karen Horne
Lisa Johnson
Debby Joyner
Rev. Judy King
Martha Helen King
Mike LeFever
Paul McClanahan
David Middleton

Genie & Ron Quinn
Frances "Tut" Robertson
Rick Rowe
Boyd Saunders
Stephanie Saunders
Sarah Threatt
Edee Vaughan
Our homebound



Acolytes bring the light of Christ's spirit into the worship service. Children who are rising 3rd through 8th grades are eligible to serve as acolytes. Training for prospective acolytes will be held in the coming weeks.

Please contact Susan Brown at 803-422-9394 or by email at sbrown13@sc.rr.com if your child would like to serve.

SERVING TODAY

Ushers	Tommy Betenbaugh, Alan-Jon Zupan
Sound/Video	Spencer Stevens/Lynn Shirley
Visitor Cards	Suzanne Joye
Pew Maintenance	Worship Team
Nursery	Shelley Stafford
Children's Church	Mackin Wall
Online Service Moderator	Ed McClain

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

(as of 6-2-22):

Church Budget: TBD—PENDING CHURCH COUNCIL APPROVAL

Church Actual: \$229,534

Soup Cellar: \$32,684

Foundation: \$250

SCAN TO GIVE



Attendance on 5/29/22: 80 (in-person); 126 (online as of 6/2/22); TOTAL = 214

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