

Rooted in Christ July 24, 2022



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.



WASHINGTON STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 24, 2022 | 7th Sunday after Pentecost | Liturgical Color: Green

(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

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 1: 1-3

One: Blessed are those who do not walk in the counsel of the wicked;

All: Or stand in the way of sinners, or sit in the seat of scoffers;

One: But their delight is in the law of the Lord All: and on God's law they meditate day and night.

One: They are like trees planted by streams of water that yield their fruit in season, and their leaves do not wither.

All: In all that they do, they prosper.

*HYMN #559

Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation

WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Words: 7th cent. Latin; trans. by John mason Neale, 1851 (Eph. 2:20-22; 1 Pet. 2:4-7)

Music: Henry Purcell, ca. 1680; adapt. by Ernest Hawkins, 1842

OPENING PRAYER

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.

ANTHEM

The Eyes of All Wait Upon Thee WSUMC Choir

Jean Berger

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Susan Caskey

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

MINISTRY MOMENTS

Ed McClain, Raggio Report

OFFERTORY

It Is Well with My Soul
Soloist: Maria Beery

trans. Craig Courtney

(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 29201; or scan the QR code on the back of the bulletin.

Words: Thomas Ken, 1674 Music: Attr. to Louis Bourgeois, 1551

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #881

The Apostles Creed

*THE GLORIA PATRI #70

MEINEKE

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

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Colossians 2:6-10

SERMON

"Rooted in Christ"

Rev. Alston Lippert

*HYMN #79

Holy God, We Praise Thy Name

GROSSER GOTT

Words: Sts. 1-4, Ignaz Frans, 18th cent; trans. by Clarence Walworth, 1853;

Sts. 5-7. F. Bland Tucker, 1982

Music: Katholisches Gesangbuch, ca. 1774

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*POSTLUDE

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

When our worship ends, our service begins!

Children's Sunday School is in session!



Attention parents & grandparents!

Children's Sunday school is held each Sunday from 10:00 am to 10:45 am. We would love to have your little ones join us!

Anyone wishing to join a rotation to teach Children's Sunday School (once every 4-6 weeks) should contact Mackin Wall at mackin@wsmethodist.org

Nursery is available for infants to 3 years.



Please pray for our Ecuador Mission Team

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PRAYER THOUGHT

Humbling ourselves is the principal aid to prayer.

PRAYER LIST

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
Jim Ward
Our homebound

SERVING TODAY

Director of Music Nicholas Todd Shumate Organ Louis Shirer Piano Dr. Rick Frierson Ushers Tommy Betenbaugh, Alan-Jon Zupan Sound/Video Grant Jackson/Lynn Shirley Visitor Cards Suzanne Joye Pew Maintenance Sarah Jones Sydney Clark, Jane Polk Nurserv Shelley Stafford Children's Church Online Service Moderator Ed McClain

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

(YTD as of 7-19-22):

Church Budget: \$865,000
Church Not available
Soup Cellar Not available

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Summer VBS Nights!
(PARENTS' NIGHT OUT)
AUGUST 3 (LAST ONE!)

BRING YOUR BATHING SUIT!
IT'S GOING TO BE WET!

Ages 4 to 12 5:00-8:00 pm

Music | Games | Bible Stories Food & Fun!

Nursery available for newborn to 3 yrs.

Attendance on 7/17/22:132 (in-person); (online as of 7/14/22); TOTAL =