



HEROS OF THE FAITH

Rahab

May 5 2024



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.

PROUD MEMBER OF





WASHINGTON STREET

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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6th Sunday of Easter | May 5, 2024 | White

(As our worship begins, please silence any electronic devices.

Portable hearing devices are available in the Narthex. Please ask an usher for assistance.)

PRELUDE

Variations on OLD 100th

arr. Mark Thewes

(Theme, Ornamented Chorle, Adagio, Chorale, Trio)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE RINGING OF THE BELL

CALL TO WORSHIP

Surely The Presence

Ms. Bryan Burgess, Soloist

MORNING PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

MINISTRY MOMENT

Papa Tank Theater for Inclusion

*HYMN #57

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

AZMON

SCRIPTURE

Joshua 2:1-14

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Rev. Adrienne Fink

(After Children's Moments, children 5 and under may go with the class leader to the 2-3's classroom on the first floor past the elevator on the left. They may be picked up there after services.)

OFFERTORY

I Will Rise

arr. Tomlin

Emily Schegel, Christine Powell, and Pato Aravena

(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 A bulletin.)

*DOXOLOGY #94

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

HYMN FWS #2224

Make Us One

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(sing through three times)

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

One: We praise you...praise you in an endless chorus of praise

All: Holy, Holy, holy Lord, God of power and might. Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the One who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

One: Holy are you...as we proclaim the mystery of faith:

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

One: Fount of Courage...Mercy over all, ever abounding.

All: Amen.

COMMUNION ANTHEM

Do Not Be Afraid

Philip Stopford

RECEIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

*HYMN #670

Go Forth for God

GENEVA

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL RESPONSE

*POSTLUDE

Toccata on OLD 100th

arr. Mark Thewes

**Congregation standing. If standing is uncomfortable, please remain seated and continue your participation.
When our worship ends, our service begins!*

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Pianist (Volunteer)

PRAYER THOUGHT

Every great moment of God can be traced to a kneeling figure or folded hands.

PRAYER LIST

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John Benfield
Ron Bowden
Carol Breneman
Sue Dillon
Mickey Epting

Nancy Epting
Carl Evans
Pat Griffin
Karen Horne
Lisa Johnson
Jean Kanes

Lin Fesperman Lord
Beverly McClanahan
Paul McClanahan
Sharon McCullough
Ellen Parker

Shawn Powers
Genie Quinn
Peggy Ward
Nancy Williams
Our homebound

VOLUNTEERS SERVING TODAY

Acolyte
Greeters

Alma Louise Aravena

Ushers

Ute
Jay Parmley
Susan Luthren

Children's Moment
Sound/Video/Projection

Rev. Adrienne Fink
Spencer Stevens
John Pannell

Visitor Cards
Children's Church

Suzanne Joye
Shelley Stafford
Tracy Powers

Nursery

Heidi Ankeny
McCullough Adams

Lay Reader
Lord's Prayer Reader
Morning Prayer Reader
Scripture Readers
Piano

Bryan Burgess
Enzo Thomas
Ayden Cobb
Adora Norris
Joe Hudson

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

As of 05-2-24

Church Budget: \$ NA

Church Actual	\$ 239,720.00
Soup Cellar	\$ 25,006.00
Foundation	\$ 5,700.00



SCAN TO GIVE

Attendance on 4/28/24: 146 (in-person); NA (online as of 05/2); TOTAL = 146

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