



WASHINGTON
STREET

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



August 11, 2024

Philippians 2:3-4

Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves. Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.

Galatians 6:2

Carry each other's burdens, in this way, you will fulfill the law of Christ.

Order of Worship

12th Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

Chariots of Fire

Vangelis

WORDS OF WELCOME

RINGING OF THE BELL

CHORAL INTROIT

Spirit of the Living God

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

(Words will be projected)

Lee Smith

ST. AGNES

***HYMN #561**

Jesus, United By Thy Grace

Lee Smith

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

(Words will be projected)

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***GLORIA PATRI #70**

Rev. Becky Shirley

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

(After the lesson, children ages 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. If this is your child's first time with us, please accompany them. Children may be picked up in this room following the service.)

ANTHEM

I Love You, Lord

Stan Pathel

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice to worship you, oh my soul rejoice!
Take joy, my King, in what you hear! May it be a sweet, sweet sound in your ear.
My Jesus, I love thee, I know thou art mine; For thee all the follies of sin I resign.
My gracious redeemer, my savior art thou; if ever I loved thee, my Jesus, 'tis now.

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Alston Lippert

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(Words will be projected)

SCRIPTURE LESSONS Philippians 2:3-4 & Galatians 6:2

MINISTRY MOMENT Aldersgate Special Needs Ministry Rev. Bill Childs

OFFERTORY

O Great God

Bob Kauflin

***DOXOLOGY #94**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

***HYMN FWS # 2243**

We All Are One in Mission

KUORTANE

SERMON

“Teamwork Makes the Dream Work” Rev. Becky Shirley

***HYMN #562**

Jesus, Lord, We Look to Thee

SAVANNAH

***BENEDICTION & CHORAL RESPONSE**

***POSTLUDE**

Little Prelude and Fugue in C Major

J.S. Bach

*Indicates Congregation stands as you are able

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In Sympathy

Rev. Becky Shirley, the staff and Washington Street UMC family extend our deepest sympathy and Christian love to the family of John Holladay who died August 4, 2024. A service celebrating his life will be held on August 19th at 11:00 at Washington Street UMC

Opportunities to Grow in Faith & Serve in Love

Why Washington Street Wednesday

"Why Washington Street Wednesday" posts are going up on our social media once a week on Wednesdays. They serve to show the public why our members choose Washington Street. We would love to feature as many members as possible on our social media. Please reach out to McKenzie at mckenzie@wsmethodist.org

Youth Group

Youth Group will begin again on Sunday, September 8 with games and pizza. Bring a friend and come to the youth room at 4:30 ready to have fun! Rising 6th through 12th graders are welcome! Contact Rev. Kathy James at kljames@umcsc.org for more information.

Disciple In-depth Bible Studies

Disciple One will be led by Rev. Kathy James and consists of 34 weekly gatherings as the group engages in daily readings gaining an overview of the 66 books in the Protestant Bible.

Disciple Two will be led by Rev. Alston Lippert for persons who have already completed Disciple One. This course consists of 32 weekly gatherings and daily readings focused on the books of Genesis, Exodus, Luke and Acts. For more information, contact Rev. Kathy James (kljames@umcsc.org) or Rev. Alston Lippert (alflippert@umcsc.org)

Watch the movie *Rustin* on your favorite streaming service and join us in The Wesley Room at the church or via Zoom for film discussion. Scan the QR code for ZOOM link & to register. For more info, contact Rev. Alston Lippert, (alflippert@umcsc.org)



AUG. 25TH -A DAY TO THRIVE!

11 am - Bible Presentation

We will present Bibles to our 3rd Graders. Contact Rev. Kathy James (kljames@umcsc.org) to ensure your 3rd grader's name is listed correctly.

12 pm - Potluck Lunch & Small Group Launch

We will provide the meat and beverage, so bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share and join us for fun and fellowship and learn about the small group opportunities

In Our Prayers

Ann Bell
John Benfield
Ron Bowden
Mickey Epting
Nancy Epting
Carl Evans

Pat Griffin
Karen Horne
Lisa Johnson
Jean Kanes
Paul McClanahan
Patrick McClanahan

Sharon McCullough
Ellen Parker
Joe Plaugh
Our Homebound

Making Disciples of Jesus for the Transformation of the World

The congregation of Washington Street UMC praises and serves God from the heart of the city in ways that reach 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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Participating in Today's Service

Acolyte: Beatrice McGandy

Children's Church: Tracy Powers and Ethan Cook

Greeters: Jim & Lois Ann Tuell

Sound/Video/Projection: John Parnell & Spence Stevens

Ushers: Emily Caskey & Jay Parmley

Senior Pastor: Rev. Becky Shirley (rjshirley@umcsc.org)

Associate Pastor for Nurture: Rev. Alston Lippert (aflippert@umcsc.org)

Associate Minister of Discipleship: Rev. Kathy James (kljames@umcsc.org)

Director of Music: Dr. Catherine Nance (catherine@wsmethodist.org)

Organist: David Turner (david@wsmethodist.org)

Pianist: Dr. Rick Frierson (volunteer)

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