



SAINT PAUL

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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healing, and a loving relationship with Jesus Christ.



Third Sunday after Pentecost **June 26, 2022**

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Staff

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Church Administrator: Melissa Campbell

Sexton: Gary Putnam

Please silence and turn off Wi-Fi on your mobile device to ensure we have the bandwidth to livestream today's service. Thank you.

*Please stand as you are able.

Gathering

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Smith

*Processional Hymn "Victory in Jesus" Hymnal no.370

Lighting of the Candles

*Call to Worship Psalm 95:1-7

Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord;

People: let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Leader: Let us come into his presence with thanksgiving;

People: let us make a joyful noise to him with songs of praise!

Leader: For the Lord is a great God, and a great King above all gods.

People: In his hand are the depths of the earth; the heights of the mountains are his also.

Leader: The sea is his, for he made it, and the dry land, which his hands have formed.

People: O come, let us worship and bow down, let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker!

All: For he is our God, and we are the people of his pasture, and the sheep of his hand.

*Opening Prayer Colossians 3:12-17

Leader: Let us pray

All: As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, let us clothe ourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Let us bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven us. Above all, let us clothe ourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in our hearts, to which indeed we were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in us richly; let us teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in our hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever we do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him. Amen.

Passing of the Peace

Leader: Let us pass God's peace with each other. The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

(Please remain in your seat. Make signs of peace to those with you in person and connect with your phone with other live viewers through Facebook "comments.")

Welcome and Announcements

Word and Response

Children's Sermon

Children will come forward.

Following the children's sermon, we invite our K3 to 2nd grade children to follow the designated adult upstairs for a lesson and craft. Please follow the instructions on the name tag found in the back of your pew. At the end of the Prayers of the People, the adult leaders will bring them back to the sanctuary and ensure they return to their parent/guardian.

Prayer for Illumination

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

First Reading

2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14

NRSV (pg.317 OT)

Leader: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

*Affirmation of Faith

"The Apostles' Creed"

UM Hymnal #881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Gloria Patri

Hymnal no.70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

*Second Scripture

Luke 9:57-62

NRSV (pg.66 NT)

Leader: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Hymn Sing-a-long (we will sing the first and last verse of each hymn)

"I Surrender All"	Hymnal no.354
"Open My Eyes, That I May See"	Hymnal no.454
"Nothing but the Blood"	Hymnal no.362
"He Touched Me"	Hymnal no.367
"Standing on the Promises"	Hymnal no.374
"The Gift of Love"	Hymnal no.408
"I Am Thine, O Lord"	Hymnal no.419
"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"	Hymnal no.452

Prayers of the People

Leader: The Lord be with you. **People: And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

Response: Lord in your mercy, **hear our 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.

Offertory

Giving Links:

PayPal - <https://www.paypal.com/biz/fund?id=Y9NV28ABLG5LW>

Realm - <https://onrealm.org/StPaulUMC1107/give/now>

*The Doxology

Hymnal No. 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Sending

*Closing Hymn

"Where He Leads Me"

Hymnal no.338

*Benediction

(As you leave, please respect the social distancing needs of others.)

Postlude

"Who is on the Lord's Side?"

Smith

Our Tithes, Offerings, and Gifts

Giving for 06/12/2022	Amount	Attendance
General Fund Memorials & Honorariums	\$759.11	06/12/2022
Epworth Children's Home	\$60.00	In-person: 50
Total Giving	\$819.11	Streaming households: 17
		*Viewers reached: 138

*"Streaming households" is the number of screens tuned in during the live broadcast on Sunday. "Viewers" are the number of screens that watched the service for at least 3 seconds.

Today's Servers:

Reader: Rev. Michael Goldston

Acolyte: Karsyn Miller

Nursery: MaryAnn Stephens

Crucifer:

Children's Worship: Tennille Crnobrnja

& Katie Knobeloch

Victory in Jesus

1. I heard an old, old sto - ry, how a Sav - ior came
 2. I heard a - bout his heal - ing, of his cleans - ing power
 3. I heard a - bout a man - sion he has built for me

from glo - ry, how he gave his life on Cal - va - ry
 re - veal - ing, how he made the lame to walk a - gain
 in glo - ry, and I heard a - bout the streets of gold

to save a wretch like me; I heard a - bout his
 and caused the blind to see; and then I cried, "Dear
 be - yond the crys - tal sea; a - bout the an - gels

groan - ing, of his pre - cious blood's a - ton - ing,
 Je - sus, come and heal my bro - ken spir - it,"
 sing - ing and the old re - demp - tion sto - ry,

then I re - pent - ed of my sins and won the
 and some - how Je - sus came and brought to me the
 and some sweet day I'll sing up there the song of

Refrain

vic - to - ry.
vic - to - ry. O vic - to - ry in Je - sus, my
vic - to - ry.

Sav - ior for - ev - er! He sought me and bought me

with his re - deem - ing blood; he loved me ere I

knew him, and all my love is due him; he

plunged me to vic - to - ry be - neath the cleans - ing flood.

WORDS: Eugene M. Bartlett, 1939

MUSIC: Eugene M. Bartlett, 1939

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HARTFORD
Irr. with Refrain

I Surrender All

Unison

1. All to Je - sus I sur-ren - der; all to him I
 2. All to Je - sus I sur-ren - der; hum - bly at his
 3. All to Je - sus I sur-ren - der; make me, Sav - ior,
 4. All to Je - sus I sur-ren - der; Lord, I give my -
 5. All to Je - sus I sur-ren - der; now I feel the

free - ly give; I will ev - er love and trust him,
 feet I bow, world - ly plea - sures all for - sak - en;
 whol - ly thine; let me feel the Ho - ly Spir - it,
 self to thee; fill me with thy love and pow - er;
 sa - cred flame. O the joy of full sal - va - tion!

Refrain (Harmony)

in his pres - ence dai - ly live.
 take me, Je - sus, take me now. I sur - ren - der
 tru - ly know that thou art mine. I sur - ren - der
 let thy bless - ing fall on me.
 Glo - ry, glo - ry to his name!

all, I sur - ren - der all,
 I sur - ren - der all, I sur - ren - der all,

REPENTANCE

all to thee, my bless - ed Sav - ior, I sur - ren - der all.

454 Open My Eyes, That I May See

1. O - pen my eyes, that I may see glimps-es of truth thou
 2. O - pen my ears, that I may hear voic-es of truth thou
 3. O - pen my mouth, and let me bear glad-ly the warm truth

hast for me; place in my hands the won-der-ful key
 send - est clear; and while the wave-notes fall on my ear,
 ev - ery-where; o - pen my heart and let me pre-pare

Refrain
 that shall un-clasp and set me free.
 ev - ery-thing false will dis - ap-pear. Si - lent - ly now I
 love with thy chil - dren thus to share.

wait for thee, read - y, my God, thy will to see.

O - pen my eyes,
 O - pen my ears, il - lu - mine me, Spir - it di - vine!
 O - pen my heart,

Nothing but the Blood

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1. What can wash a - way my sin? Noth - ing but the blood of
 2. For my par - don this I see: noth - ing but the blood of
 3. Noth - ing can for sin a - tone: noth - ing but the blood of
 4. This is all my hope and peace: noth - ing but the blood of

Je - sus. What can make me whole a - gain?
 Je - sus. For my cleans - ing this my plea:
 Je - sus. Naught of good that I have done:
 Je - sus. This is all my righ - teous - ness:

Refrain

Noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.
 noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus. O pre - cious
 noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.
 noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.

is the flow that makes me bright as snow; no oth - er

fount I know; noth - ing but the blood of Je - sus.

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He Touched Me

1. Shack - led by a heav - y bur - den, neath a load of
 2. Since I met this bless - ed Sav - ior, since he cleansed and

guilt and shame, then the hand of Je - sus touched me,
 made me whole, I will nev - er cease to praise him;

Refrain

and now I am no long - er the same. He touched me, O he
 I'll shout it while e - ter - ni - ty rolls.

touched me, and O the joy that floods my soul! Some - thing

hap - pened, and now I know, he touched me and made me whole.

WORDS: William J. Gaither, 1963 (Mt. 8:3; Mk. 1:41; Lk. 5:13)
 MUSIC: William J. Gaither, 1963

HE TOUCHED ME
 Irr. with Refrain

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PARDON, *see further:*

389 Freely, Freely
 99 My Tribute

282 'Tis Finished! the Messiah Dies
 98 To God Be the Glory

Standing on the Promises

1. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es of Christ my King,
 2. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es that can - not fail,
 3. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es of Christ the Lord,
 4. Stand - ing on the prom - is - es I can - not fall,

through e - ter - nal a - ges let his prais - es ring,
 when the howl - ing storms of doubt and fear as - sail,
 bound to him e - ter - nal - ly by love's strong cord,
 lis - tening ev - ery mo - ment to the Spir - it's call,

glo - ry in the high - est, I will shout and sing,
 by the liv - ing Word of God I shall pre - vail,
 o - ver - com - ing dai - ly with the Spir - it's sword,
 rest - ing in my Sav - ior as my all in all,

stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
 stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
 stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.
 stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.

Refrain

Stand - ing, stand - ing,
Stand - ing on the prom - is - es, stand - ing on the prom - is - es,

stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God my Sav - ior;

stand - ing, stand - ing,
stand - ing on the prom - is - es, stand - ing on the prom - is - es,

I'm stand - ing on the prom - is - es of God.

The Gift of Love

1. Though I may speak with brav - est fire,
 2. Though I may give all I pos - sess,
 3. Come, Spir - it, come, our hearts con - trol,

and have the gift to all in - spire,
 and striv - ing so my love pro - fess,
 our spir - its long to be made whole.

and have not love, my words are vain,
 but not be given by love with - in,
 Let in - ward love guide ev - ery deed;

as sound - ing brass, and hope - less gain.
 the prof - it soon turns strange - ly thin.
 by this we wor - ship, and are freed.

WORDS: Hal Hopson, 1972 (1 Cor. 13:1-3)
 MUSIC: Trad. English melody; adapt. by Hal Hopson, 1972

GIFT OF LOVE
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I Am Thine, O Lord

1. I am thine, O Lord, I have heard thy voice, and it
 2. Con - se - crate me now to thy ser - vice, Lord, by the
 3. O the pure de - light of a sin - gle hour that be -
 4. There are depths of love that I can - not know till I

told thy love to me; but I long to rise in the
 power of grace di - vine; let my soul look up with a
 fore thy throne I spend, when I kneel in prayer, and with
 cross the nar - row sea; there are heights of joy that I

arms of faith and be clos - er drawn to thee.
 stead - fast hope, and my will be lost in thine.
 thee, my God, I com - mune as friend with friend!
 may not reach till I rest in peace with thee.

Refrain

Draw me near - er, near - er, bless - ed Lord, to the
 near - er, near - er,

The image shows a musical score for the hymn "I Am Thine". It consists of two systems of music, each with a vocal line and a piano accompaniment line. The key signature is three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat), and the time signature is 7/10. The first system contains the lyrics "cross where thou hast died. Draw me near - er, near - er,". The second system contains the lyrics "near-er, bless-ed Lord, to thy pre - cious, bleed - ing side." The piano accompaniment features a steady eighth-note bass line and chords in the right hand.

WORDS: Franny J. Crosby, 1875 (Heb. 10:22)
MUSIC: William H. Doane, 1875

I AM THINE
10 7.10 7 with Refrain

452 My Faith Looks Up to Thee

1. My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of
 2. May thy rich grace impart strength to my
 3. While life's dark maze I tread, and griefs a -
 4. When ends life's tran - sient dream, when death's cold,

Cal - va - ry, Sav - ior di - vine! Now hear me
 faint - ing heart, my zeal in - spire! As thou hast
 round me spread, be thou my guide; bid dark - ness
 sul - len stream shall o'er me roll; blest Sav - ior,

while I pray, take all my guilt a - way,
 died for me, O may my love to thee
 turn to day, wipe sor - row's tears a - way,
 then in love, fear and dis - trust re - move;

O let me from this day be whol - ly thine!
 pure, warm, and change - less be, a liv - ing fire!
 nor let me ev - er stray from thee a - side.
 O bear me safe a - bove, a ran - somed soul!

Where He Leads Me

1. I can hear my Sav - ior call - ing, I can
 2. I'll go with him through the gar - den, I'll go
 3. I'll go with him through the judg - ment, I'll go
 4. He will give me grace and glo - ry, he will

hear my Sav - ior call - ing, I can hear my Sav - ior
 with him through the gar - den, I'll go with him through the
 with him through the judg - ment, I'll go with him through the
 give me grace and glo - ry, he will give me grace and

call - ing, "Take thy cross and fol - low, fol - low me."
 gar - den, I'll go with him, with him all the way.
 judg - ment, I'll go with him, with him all the way.
 glo - ry, and go with me, with me all the way.

Refrain

Where he leads me I will fol - low, where he leads me

I will fol - low, where he leads me I will

INVITATION

fol - low; I'll go with him, with him all the way.

Important Dates to Remember

Current week:

Sun, 6/26	Pool Party for the Goldston family	1:00pm
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Upcoming events:

Mon, 7/4	Office Closed: Independence Day	
Sun, 7/10	Sunday School	10:15am
Mon, 7/11	S/PPRC meeting: Zoom	8:00pm
Sun, 7/17	Welcome Luncheon for Greer family	12:30pm

From Pastor Michael

(You can always reach me at 864-979-2435 or megoldston@umcsc.org)

Office Hours: We are open from 8:15am until 1:30pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday and 8:00 to 12:30 on Wednesday. I am available at the above contact info and Melissa is available through the church email and phone.

Pastor Matt Greer's first Sunday will be July 3.

Sunday Worship Safety Protocols

1. **Cloth or surgical face masks** covering the nose and mouth are **optional** for all times, places, and events. Masks are required for everyone aged 3 and older in the balcony.
 2. "Do unto others what you would have them do to you." This means putting yourself in the shoes of your neighbor, who may be wearing a mask, or may be immune-compromised, or may be unvaccinated; treat each person with the dignity of a child of God to respect their personal space and personal decisions. If you don't personally know someone's needs, give them space in seating and standing.
 3. If you feel sick in any way, please worship from home.
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Saint Paul Cares

Happy Birthday: Darrie Crabtree, 6/30

Happy Anniversary: Troy & Stephanie Gamble, 6/26; Brian & Brooke Becker, 6/30. Darrie & Patsy Crabtree will be celebrating 42 years together on 6/26! Congratulations!

In your prayers, please remember:

Roger Barrett, Vicki Bolen, Annette Bostic, Zonelle Boykin, Linda Bruce, Paul Campbell, Cheyanne Cantwell, Connie Cox, Patsy Crabtree, Eleanor Cunningham, Natalie Davis, Isaac Ferrell, Catherine Gilstrap, Marie Good, Debbie Goodwin, Doris Goodwin, Lisa Harbin, Carol Head, Sue Howard, Bill Huff, Lee Jenkinson, *Carol Johnson*, Jean Jones, Tinsley Lyles, Crystal McCoy, Chuck McLesky, Karsyn Miller, **Mary Pool and family**, Ronnie Roberts, Diane Robertson, Beth Rogers, Raymond Rogers, Joyce Searcy, Mary Lee Shirley, Nancy Smith, Suzanne Sprinkle, Joe Whitmire, Darlene Wooten, friends serving in the Armed Services, first responders, and the leaders of the United States of America. (Bold = New, *Italics* = Currently in hospital or rehabilitation)

Missions: Salkehatchie, Empowering Haitians, Interfaith Hospitality Network, Legacy Elementary, Hinton Center

Praise be given: Abbie Barnette is cancer free, Mackenzie Murphy has fully healed, Tom Boykin is fully recovered

Upcoming Meetings



Trustees: Will not be meeting in June or July. Members are Ed Pool, Jason Cheshire, John Smith, Jimmie-Lou Vaughn, Debbie Goodwin, and Chris Cox. All are welcome!



S/PPRC: Will be meeting on 7/11 at 8pm via Zoom. Members are Rebecca Roper, Tennille Crnobrnja, Jim Storey, Katie Knobeloch, Donna Connelly, Troy Gamble, Eugenia Vicars, and Pastor Matt. This is a closed meeting.



Finance Committee: Will be meeting on 7/18 at 8pm via Zoom. Members are Becky Hollifield, David Knobeloch, Melissa Campbell, Donna Connelly, Tommy Head, Eugenia Vicars, Tracey Biggers, Jason Cheshire, and Pastor Matt. All are welcome!



Church Council: will NOT be meeting in June. The next meeting will be on 7/25 at 8pm via zoom. Members are Tracey Biggers, Lori Cheshire, Heather Storey, Janet Cook, Peggy Whitmire, Collins Cheshire, Eugenia Vicars, Ed Pool, Jim Storey, David Knobloch, Becky Hollifield, Carol Head, Davis Lupo, MaryAnn Stephens, Bill Searcy, Edna Patterson, Elaine Byers, Mary Anne Terminato and Pastor Matt. All are welcome!

Announcements & Upcoming Events



Name Badges: Dear congregation, we will be welcoming Pastor Greer and his family on 7/3. Please wear your name badge, located on the hooks in the narthex, in order to help our new pastor and his family learn our names.



Welcome Luncheon: S/PPRC will be hosting a luncheon to welcome Pastor Matt and his family to Saint Paul on Sunday, 7/17, following the worship service. Join us as we welcome our new pastor and his family. RSVP at:

<https://forms.gle/caujqfk2aAp26uUo7>



Help Needed: We are looking for a couple of volunteers willing to jump in broadcasting our service on Sunday whenever Mary Anne is unavailable. The biggest requirement is being here a little earlier on a Sunday morning and learning the computer system to get us broadcasting. If you are interested, please contact either the office at 864-235-3494 or saintpaulumc1107@gmail.com or talk directly to Mary Anne Terminato after any service. Thank you!



Altar Servers Needed: Are you or your child interested in being an acolyte, crucifer, or reader? Please contact the office or speak to Edna Patterson to sign up for acolyte training or to become a crucifer or reader. We would love to have your participation in our rotation schedule.



Sunday School News

As Sunday School attendance is usually low during the summer we will have Sunday School two Sundays a month for June, July and August.

July 10 and 24

August 14 and 28.

Lauren will provide Toddler care for Sunday School and Worship each of these Sundays.

Opportunities to Serve



In June, we will be supporting the VBS mission project of collecting items from the list below for **United Ministries**. ***You may bring items to the church any Sunday in June. Items needed are:*** canned fruit, ramen noodles, canned vegetables, mac and cheese microwavable cups, peanut butter, canned meat, cereal, grits, paper towels, laundry detergent. Thank you for helping support United Ministries as they continue to help those in need in our community.



United Ministries: During the month of July we will be collecting dollars for United Ministries. We will be doing this in honor of Fowler, Anna, and John David as they will be helping with this ministry. Let us support our children and those in need in our community.



Traveling this summer? We are continuing to collect non-perishable items for the **Hygiene Bags**. Please see the display in the narthex for examples of what we need. A list of quantities needed is below. Thank you!



Please consider helping support Project Host by ordering supplies they need on a regular basis (see the link on their website) or sign up to volunteer at <https://www.projecthost.org/>.



We are still collecting donations to our **Legacy** fund to help cover the cost of the food supplied to those children most in need this school year. Thank you!

E-vangelism

Let someone know about our **free wi-fi hotspot** for e-learning!

Network: St. Paul Guest

Password: Guest

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Take five minutes and write us a **review!** [Facebook](#) or [Google](#)



**Items Needed for Hygiene Bags for 2022
(Please see the display in the narthex for sizes.)**

Item Needed	Quantity Needed
Shampoo	39 travel bottles
Soap	0 travel bottles or bars
Toothbrushes	5
Toothpaste	14 travel tubes
Dental Floss	78
Conditioner	13 travel bottles
Lotion	71 travel bottles
Socks (tube-style)	52 pairs
Band-aids	142 pieces
Wash Cloths	76
Neosporin	97 tubes
Chapstick	39 tubes
Deodorant	40 travel size