

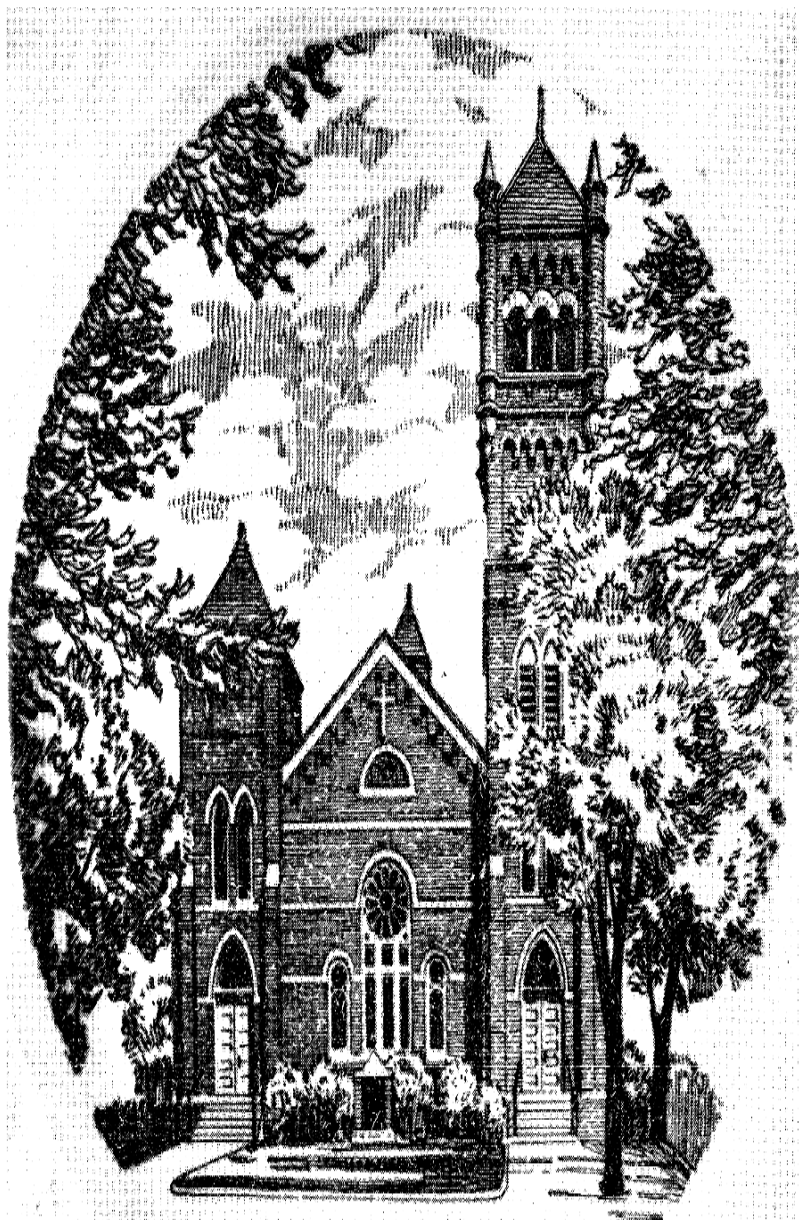
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MAIN STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
221 South Main Street - Reidsville - North Carolina
A Church for All God's People
Sunday, August 11, 2019

Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

August 11, 2019

Liturgical Color: Green

Welcome and Announcements

Organ Prelude

(please stand as you are able) HYMN 529 UMH “How Firm a Foundation”

General Opening Prayer

Leader (L): Living God, give us faith to be sure of what we hope for, and certain of what we do not see; to believe that you are, and that you reward those who truly seek you; that we may please you and receive what you have promised; in Jesus Christ our Lord.

People (P): **Amen.**

HYMN 507 UMH “Through It All”

Lesson from Scripture Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16 Larry McDowell

HYMN 507 UMH “Through It All”

Children’s Message Sherry Rountree

The Offertory

(please stand as you are able) Doxology

**Let us with a joyful mind
praise our God for ever kind,
rich with mercies that endure,
ever faithful, ever sure.**

The Offertory Prayer

The Anthem “Lamb of God” Chancel Choir

The Sermon “Abandoning Status Quo Rules” Rev. Joe Tarpley

Prayers of the People

L: O Holy One, we thank you that we stand in a long line of believers who have been faithful through the ages. You have led your people through trial and difficulty and have always set before them hope for today and hope for a better tomorrow. We pray that you would bless us in our time as we seek to be as faithful as our forebears. May we, too, know the faith which is filled with hope in things not seen.

WEEKLY CHURCH ACTIVITIES

Sunday, August 11

8:30 am- UMM Meeting in Fellowship Hall

9:30- Fellowship Breakfast

9:45 am- Sunday School

New Apostles S.S. Class- Soup Kitchen

11:00 am – Worship Service

12:00 pm- Lemonade on the Lawn

4:00 pm- N.O.W. Committee Meeting

Monday, August 12

7:00 pm- Worship Committee Meeting

Wednesday, August 14

10:00 am- Snack Pack Distribution

7:00 pm- Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, August 15

5:45 pm- Sidewalk Evening Prayer

Sunday, August 18

9:30- Fellowship Breakfast

9:45 am- Sunday School

11:00 am – Worship Service

6:00 pm- Ice Cream Social & Town Hall Meeting

Wednesday, August 21

9:30 am- Community Breakfast

10:00 am- Snack Pack Distribution

7:00 pm- Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, August 22

5:45 pm- Sidewalk Evening Prayer

 **PLEASE REMEMBER IN PRAYER** 

Church Family: Everette Sykes; Pat Foy Brady; Ramona Setliff; Sybil Jones; Lillian Brady; Charlie Setliff; Janet Hines; Jimmy Waynick; Betty Knight; Pete Parks; Johnny Hoover; Tommie Ward; Nancy Powell; Phyllis Holderby; John Noell; Hal & Donna Griffin & family; June Mooney-Riggs; all homebound members; members in nursing facilities; our church and one another.

In the Community: Rosalie Pickard; Judy Moore; Ashley Taylor; Cheryl Doolittle; Barbara Moyer; Renee Griffiths; Tammi Romine (friend of Martha Carroll's); Kitty Avery; Matt Ritchie (Friend of JD and Jan Paschal); Bob Deal and Family; Don Hanes (Jan Paschal's brother); Bill Hanes (Jan Paschal's brother); Mike Tabor; Lisa Diedrich (Joe McAllister's Mom); Douglas Diedrich (Joe's Stepdad); Stacy Setliff; Joe & Nina Chandler (health issues); Timothy Russell; Jordan Massey; GW (resident of Avante); Mayanna Guisinger; Brenda Cayton; Holly Johnson (cancer); Theresa Kocher; Helen Lovins; Brenda Odell; Tish Gemmill (esophageal cancer, Marguerite's sister); Steve (Tyke) Allen (stroke); Ruby Lee Hunt; Chelsea Lothian; Chief Warrant Officer Jonathan Oldham (Jim & Martha's nephew) deployed to Afghanistan; Deborah Caskey-Slamon; Iris Conner (Norma's Aunt); Randy Abercrombie (cancer) & family; The Pass Family; Adam Horne (the Hatton's grandson); Bill Schaur (cancer, member of Sunnycrest Church); the world.

Give us a faith like the grain of mustard seed, which had small beginnings but which yielded large results.

Give us the faith to move the mountains of difficulty which come to each of us.

Give us the faith that sees a distant goal and is willing to work to achieve it. Give us a faith which has a vision of a new world where peace and love characterize the transactions of people and of nations and where war is no more.

Give us a faith such as Abraham's to move forward not knowing our destination but trusting in your guiding providence.

Give us a faith which is able to endure those moments of personal disquiet and to trust that you are with us.

Give us a faith which sees the welfare of humankind as our business because it is the focus of your enduring love for your people.

Give us a faith which sees beyond the years to an eternal city.

God, give us faith to walk with you through the ebb and flow and the victories and the defeats of life and to achieve victory and mastery of life.

All: **Amen.**

The Lord's Prayer *(to be prayed in Unison; page 895, UMH)*

(please stand as you are able) HYMN 508 UMH, "Faith, While Trees Are Still in Blossom"

Dismissal with Blessing

Chime of the Trinity

Postlude

UMH, The United Methodist Hymnal

Stewardship Report for week of 7/28/2019

Revenue	\$ 3,265.00
Weekly budget	\$ 5,156.49
Worship Attendance	62

Stewardship Report for week of 8/4/2019

Revenue	\$ 7,643.00
Worship Attendance	104

Announcements

OUR HEARTFELT THANKS to all who helped to make our Vacation Bible School such a ROARING success! We had at least 40 adult volunteers who came out to assist, lead, teach, serve and model love to our children. There were approximately 30 children registered for this year's VBS. Main Street has always done its VBS "right!" We are grateful for your support.

TODAY YOU ARE INVITED TO STAY FOR A FEW MOMENTS OF FELLOWSHIP at our lemonade table on the front lawn!

TODAY OUR NURTURE, OUTREACH, AND WITNESS COMMITTEE MEETS at 4p in the Edna Watt Room. Members of this committee are Ed Thomas, Tom Hardy, Becky Hoover, Lisa Goodman, Sally Fulcher, Sue Permar, Mary Carr, Elinda Turpin, Lew Peoples, Phyllis Perkinson, and Alva Wilson. Others who are interested in the work of this committee are invited to attend.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE MEETS TOMORROW, Monday, August 12 at 7p in the Edna Watt Room. Members of this committee are Justin Terrell, Sharon Dickens, Donna Griffin, Jane Aswell, Ann Marie Noell, Linwood Jernigan, Marcia Treece, and Mark Perkinson.

SIDEWALK EVENING PRAYER continues to meet at 545p on Thursdays in front of the Church (outside). Join us for this prayer time.

NEXT SUNDAY... at 6p we will have an ICECREAM social and "town hall" meeting as a measure of "checking in" on our progress as far as goals, aims are concerned at Main Street. Come out and hear about the many wonderful things we are doing as a congregation; make your comments, suggestions and concerns known as we move into the Fall and, then, into the 2020 year with newer and exciting ways for making disciples in our community! (A SIGN UP SHEET IS IN THE COMMONS AREA...let us know if you'll be providing homemade ice cream, other ice cream, other desserts (cakes), or drinks).

SUPPORT CAMP GUILROCK... at our Burger cookout on Sunday, August 25, following worship. Our UMM will be sponsoring this cookout and our donations will support this camp and the great experiences that happen here.

ITEMS NEEDED... We are in need of deodorant for our hygiene kit ministry. Donations can be dropped off at the entrance to the commons area.

Announcements

ANYONE AVAILABLE to give a local couple a ride to the bank and grocery store? We have been contacted with this need. Please notify Joe Tarpley if you can help.



The beautiful flowers gracing our sanctuary today are in honor of Lillian Brady for her 83rd Birthday, given by Patrick, Denise, Anna Foy, and Elizabeth Brady.

Thank you notes:

The family of Louise Parker acknowledges with grateful appreciation your kind expression of sympathy. Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers in the church in memory of mom. She always liked to see fresh flowers on the altar.

Sincerely,
Elinda & Family

Thank you for the graduation gift. I appreciate your kindness and support.

Sincerely,
Zach Baber

Worship Assistants Today: (Next Week)

Acolyte: Olivia Carter/Ivan Tarpley (**Rob Hardy**)

Breakfast Hosts: Ann Marie Noell & Becky Hoover (**Susan Clark & Peggy Saunders**)

Infant Nursery: Elinda Turpin (**Mary Carr**)

Head Usher: Mark Perkinson

Ushers: J.D. Paschal, John Kolesar, Bradley Goodman, Craig Dickens, Parker Turpin

Lemonade Hosts: Ann Marie Noell & Becky Hoover

Offering Counters: Chuck Clark & Elizabeth Matherly (**Susan Clark & Angie Stallings**)