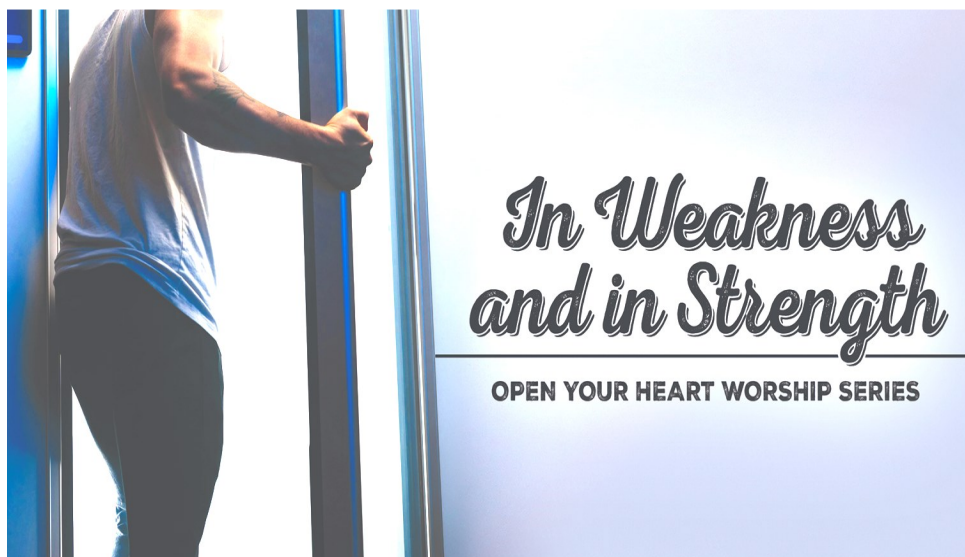


Main Street United Methodist Church



Eighth Sunday After Pentecost
July 14, 2024

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Order of Worship

Prelude

Prayer 366

For Guidance

Hymn 733

Marching to Zion

Psalter 782

Psalm 48

Children's Message

Hymn 400

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Congregational Life

Offering

Hymn 95

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Scripture

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

Sermon

In Weakness and In Strength

Prayer 894

The Lord's Prayer, Ecumenical Text

Hymn 529

How Firm a Foundation

Sending

Postlude



**Sunday Next: Ninth Sunday After Pentecost
July 21, 2024**

2 Corinthians 12:1-10

¹ It is necessary to boast; nothing is to be gained by it, but I will go on to visions and revelations of the Lord. ² I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. ³ And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— ⁴ was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. ⁵ On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. ⁶ But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, ⁷ even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. ⁸ Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, ⁹ but he said to me, ‘My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.’ So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. ¹⁰ Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong. (NRSV)

Reidsville Outreach Center: The **NOW Committee** is collecting **Cans of Baked Beans** for the Reidsville Outreach Center during the month of July. *Thank you for your support!*

The **Monthly Missions Offering** during July is supporting Home of Refuge, Inc., established in October 2011, a non-profit organization. The staff and volunteers have committed to promoting the spiritual welfare of the homeless, and the help bridge the gap between the community and homeless in Rockingham County. *Please use the yellow monthly missions envelope or indicate on your envelope.*

Prayer List: Homebound Members, Emma McGinnis, J.D. Paschal, Lisa Rorrer, Aaron Griffith, Barry Williams, Leslie Deaton, Tommy Hicks, Johnny Glover, Jesse Sigmon, Joe Alexander, Joanna Gibbs, Dennis Irving, Shannon French, Shirley Epling, Wanda Poole, Romona Setliff, Tylee Craft, Mitch Mason, Sandra Apple, Regina Hampshire, Ray Gibson, Family of Letitia (Tish) Harris Gemmill, The Marris Family.
**Please call the church office to be added/removed from Prayer List.*

Main Street Church Calendar

Sunday, July 14, 2024

9:30 A.M. Sunday School - *Fellowship Hall*

10:30 A.M. Sunday Worship

11:45 A.M. Reception for Jim & Martha Carroll - Sponsored by Choir

Wednesday, July 17, 2024

6:00 P.M. Bible Study - Ephesians 1:1-23

7:00 P.M. Choir Practice

For the month missions of June, Main Street United Methodist was able to donate **\$210.00 to Camp Guilrock**, to help support their mission. *Thank you to everyone who donated.*

Financial Report

June 2024

Actual YTD Income \$131,865.96 *

Actual YTD expenses \$120,328.66

YTD Income are **more** than expense by \$11,537.30

Includes 2nd quarter Garner/Sands payment

Thank you for supporting the church throughout the summer, the financial statement looks good but we need to continue to look to the future.

- The Finance Committee.

You're invited to a "Drop In/Floating" visit to celebrate **Peggy Saunders's 90th Birthday** on **Sunday, Aug. 11, 2024 from 3-5 P.M.** at the home of Jan Paschal (2001 Carpenter Dr., Reidsville, NC 27320) **No gifts, just love.**

Cruising Christians: Again this year, The Cruising Christians are planning a trip to Myrtle Beach, S.C., **November 13-15th, 2024.** (Wednesday through Friday.) We will spend 2 nights at the Dayton House on the oceanfront in Myrtle Beach. A full breakfast will be provided each morning. We will see two new Christmas Shows and eat dinner before the shows at 2 nice restaurants. The price is \$228 a person with two people in each room. If you have 1 person more or 1 person less a room, the price is adjusted. If you are interested in going, a **\$25 deposit** must be made **by August 15th.** *There is a sign-up sheet in the commons.*