Main Street United Methodist Church



Twelfth Sunday After Pentecost August 11, 2024

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Order of Worship

Prelude	
Prayer 676	For A New Day
Hymn 374	Standing on the Promises
Psalter 848	Psalm 130
Children's Mes	sage
Hymn 367	He Touched Me
Congregational	Life
Offering	
Hymn 95	Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
Scripture	Luke 11:5-13
Message	Power of Prayer
Prayer 459	The Serenity Prayer
Hymn 371	I Stand Amazed in the Presence
Sending 669	The Apostolic Blessing
Postlude	

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Sunday Next: Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost August 18, 2024 - Ephesians 3:14-21

Luke 11:5-13

⁵ And he said to them, "Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread, ⁶ for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set be-fore him.' ⁷ And he answers from within, 'Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything.' ⁸I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything out of friendship, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. ⁹ "So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. ¹⁰ For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. ¹¹ Is there anyone among you who, if your child asked for a fish, would give a snake instead of a fish? ¹² Or if the child asked for an egg, would give a scorpion? ¹³ If you, then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!" (NRSV)

The people of Main Street Church welcome **Pat Merrick**, a lay speaker and member of Salem United Methodist.

Ice Cream Social: There will be an ice cream social on **Sunday, August 18, 2024 at 6:00 P.M**. in the fellowship hall. Please bring some ice cream, ice cream toppings or a dessert to share. During the event plan to fellowship, have some fun, and win some prizes. We encourage you to bring extended family, grandparents, grandkids, or friends. We look forward to seeing you there!

The **Monthly Missions Offering** during August is supporting **United Methodist Committee on Reliefs** ministry (UMCOR). UMCOR helps relieve human suffering around the world; includes disaster relief and supplies, disaster risk reduction, health and humanitarian development. Donations will go to people who are need during crisis. *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, the family of Sandra Apple, Regina Hampshire, Ray Gibson and Rebecca Filibey. **Please call the church office to be added/removed from Prayer List.*

Main Street Church Calendar

Sunday, August 11, 2024

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

10:30 A.M. Sunday Worship

Wednesday, August 14, 2024

6:00 P.M. Bible Study - Original Fellowship Hall - Ephesians 3:14-21

7:00 P.M. No Choir Practice

The flowers on the altar are for the glory of God and in honor of **Peggy Saunders 90th Birthday**, from her Son - Bert Seller and Daughter in Law -Lee Clark-Seller. *Happy Birthday*!

Committee Meetings/Church Council:

-Finance Committee Meeting - Monday, August 19, 2024 at 5:30 P.M. - located in the Edna Watt Room of Main Street Church

-Church Council Meeting - Monday, August 19, 2024 at 6:30 P.M. located in the Fellowship Hall of Main Street Church

-Nomination Committee Meeting - **Thursday, August 22, 2024** at 6:30 P.M.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than live in the tents of wickedness. Psalm 84:10

Church Usher Breakfast: The Church Usher is a living example of Christian Hospitality. Often the first contact with guests to worship events, these servants greet and serve the congregation every Sunday! Let us celebrate the ministry of the Church Usher! The Worship Committee invites all past, present, and *potential* ushers to **The Usher Breakfast, Sunday September 8, 2024 from 9:15-10:15 a.m.** in the Main Street Church Fellowship Hall. Breakfast is provided for all, along with a personal gift and an amusing yet inspiring presentation. *Sign up sheet in the Commons A rea*.

Cruising Christians: Again this year, The Cruising Christians are planning a trip to Myrtle Beach, S.C., <u>November 13-15th, 2024</u>. (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 <u>\$25 deposit</u> must be made <u>by August 15th</u>. *There is a sign-up sheet in the commons*.