



May 27, 2018

11:00 a.m.

*1st Sunday after Pentecost*

*Please silence your phone as we prepare our hearts for worship.*

† *We invite you to stand as you are able*

### **Chiming of the Hour**

#### **Welcome**

#### **Opening Voluntary**

*Toccato*

Young

#### **Choral Introit**

*Joy in the Morning*

Sleeth

#### † **Hymn of Praise No. 68**

*When in Our Music God Is Glorified*

Stanford

#### † **Affirmation of Faith No. 881**

*The Apostle's Creed*

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. \*living    \*\*universal

#### † **Glori Patri**

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.

### **Concerns of the Congregation**

#### **Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer**

#### **Anthem**

*Headin' for the Promised Land*

Natalie Sleeth

Chancel Choir

Brother, sister, lend an ear, I'm headin' for the promised land!  
Troubles will soon disappear, I'm headin' for the promised land!  
When I reach it there will be love and happiness awaitin' me.  
Come along and you will see! I'm headin' for the promised land!  
I'll be singin' freedom's song, I'm headin' for the promised land!  
That's the place where I belong, I'm heading for the promised land!  
I'll get there one day I know; now I've started, I'm ararin' to go  
where the milk and honey flow. I'm headin' for the promised land!  
O, listen, don't you hear the trumpet, sounding forth the call?  
O, children, won't you rise and follow, one and all?  
Better days are now in view, I'm headin' for the promised land!  
All my dreams are comin' true, I'm headin' for the promised land!  
Want to leave the past behind, face the future with a hopeful mind.  
Peace and joy I'll surely find, I'm headin' for the promised land!

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### **We Worship with our Tithes and Offerings**

#### **Offertory**

*Down to the River*

Choplin

#### **Doxology**

*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.*

### **We Worship with the Children**

(Kid Kits in the bright green bags, provided for K-5th graders, are located at the back of the sanctuary. Following *We Worship with the Children*, K-3rd graders are invited to attend Children's Worship on the ground floor Children's Ministry area...*just follow the Worship Leader.*)

#### **Scripture**

John 3:1-17

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John 15:12-14

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#### **Sermon**

*The Sacrifice*

Rev. Doug Rowe

#### ✠ **Hymn of Response No. 98 (vs. 1, 3)**

*To God Be the Glory*

Doane

#### ✠ **Benediction and Blessing**

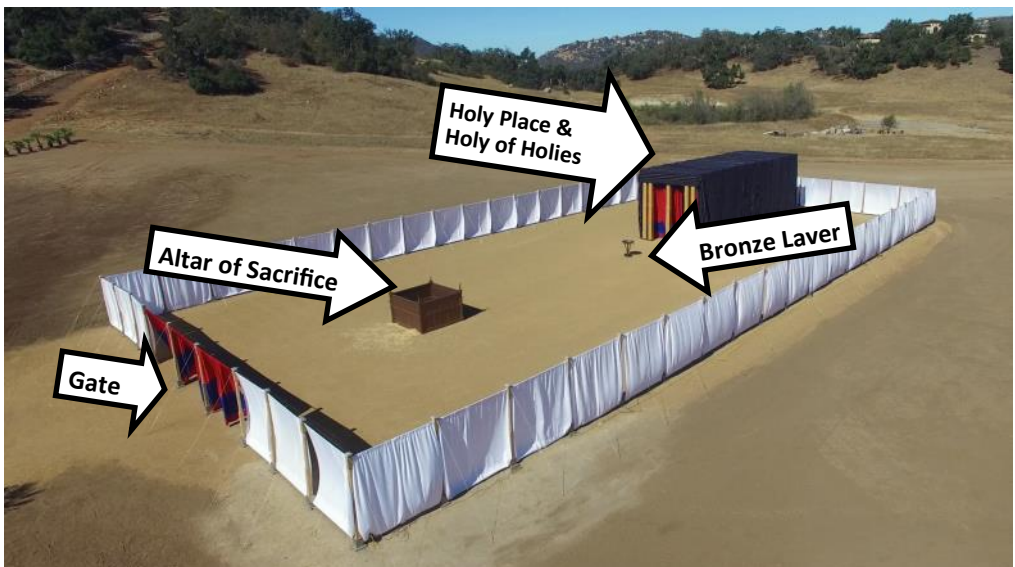
#### ✠ **Chiming of the Trinity**

#### ✠ **Postlude**

*God of Our Fathers*

Wilson

### **The Tabernacle as described in Exodus 40:16-33**



### Today's Greeters:

Nancy and Frank Cagle  
Liz and Phil Torchio

**Chief Ushers:** Jimmy Everhart and Richard Foust

**Captain:** B.A. Long **Co-Captain:** Mike Hall

Betty Frick, Bob Pearson, Tad Proctor, Larry Swing, Bren Varner and Dean Yemm. **Security:** Pete Murray

### Flowers

The flowers are placed on the altar today to the glory of God and in memory of Evelyn & Herman Roach and Charlotte & Fred O. Sink by Frances and Varner Sink.

### Announcements

Remember to visit our website [www.fumclex.org](http://www.fumclex.org) to stay connected with our church calendar, ministries, activities and events.

### Father's Day Bulletin

This year the Father's Day bulletin is being sponsored by HIS Club (3rd-4th-5th grade). Please submit your donation with a completed request form to the church office **no later than Monday, June 11**. Proceeds will assist with their upcoming mission projects.



**The 2018 Belize Mission Trip Recreation Team** needs your help to provide the children in Belize a fun recreation time at *All For Jesus* VBS being held this summer. We are asking both First Baptist and First Methodist churches to donate recreation items. **Donations will be accepted through June 24** in the main hallway near the workroom. Your support is valued and appreciated by the Teens of Life Youth Ministry. **Recreation items needed from First Methodist:** Jr/Small footballs, jump ropes, Frisbees, kick balls, beach balls, bandanas (all colors)

### Vacation Bible School Registration

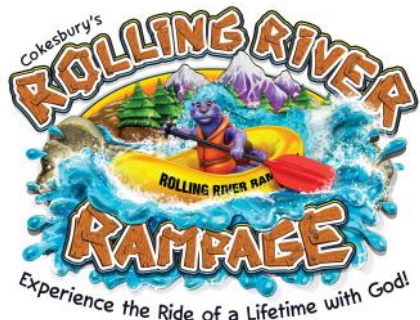
Registration Forms located at the Volunteer's Desk and online [www.fumclex.org](http://www.fumclex.org)

**Family Night VBS KICK-OFF**  
**Sunday, JUNE 10 (5:30 p.m.—8:00 p.m.)**

Dates: **JUNE 11 - JUNE 14**  
Time: **(5:30 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.)**

Location: **First UMC**

Questions?: Amanda Bostick (336-596-1363)



### WANT TO VOLUNTEER?

Volunteers are needed to serve all 4 evenings, especially on Tuesday, June 12. If you are available to serve one or all evenings, please contact Amanda Bostick (336-596-1363).



### WNCC Annual Conference

Thursday, June 21—Sunday, June 24 at Lake Junaluska, NC

### SAVE THE DATE...

**RISE AGAINST HUNGER EVENT**  
**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4 (2p-4p)**  
Fellowship Hall



PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO ADD OR REMOVE A NAME FROM THE PRAYER LIST.

**Prayer Requests**

Kathy Baragona  
Doug Clayton  
June Craver  
Linda Fisher  
Helen Fitzgerald  
John & Judy Hensch  
Earl Hester  
Martha Highsmith  
Miheepa Jones  
Susan Terry Jones  
Adrian Neal  
Jim Ragan  
Lynn Rowe  
John Scarff  
Dare Wilson

**Shut-Ins**

Dot Kinsey  
Caroline McCree  
Evelyn Sink

**Piedmont Crossing**

**Health Care**

Margaret McCrary Carver  
Barbara Proctor  
Margaret Ragan  
Nancy Wilkinson

**Residents**

Jo Doris Beck  
Herman & Naoma Crabtree  
Richard & Camille Lawrence  
Madeline Palmer  
Jim Ragan

**Alston-Brook**

Isabelle Trimpey

**Bethany Woods (Albemarle)**

Alvin Pope

**Brookdale**

Opal Bloome  
Betty Darr

**Brookstone**

Albert Gobble

**Genesis House (Salisbury)**

Julee Smith

**Lexington Health Care**

Hilda Brower

**Rolling Green Village**

(Greenville, SC)

Peggy Trollinger

**Spring Arbor (Albemarle)**

Bonnie Cates

**Wood Haven (Albemarle)**

Louise Pope

**Extended Family & Friends**

JoAnn Poston Hill  
Mary Garrett  
Helen Hall  
Tutterrow Family  
Norma S. Trotter  
Jimmy McDermott  
Rev. Jamie Armstrong  
Rev. Elizabeth Graves  
Shannon & Steve Ford  
Sherry & Roger Smith  
Rae Leonard  
Jayne James  
Arlena Edwards  
Sandy Balsler  
Ruth Carlton  
Mike Daniel  
Craig Thompson  
Lynn Mack & family  
Jennifer Bagby  
Katrina Hunt  
Bailey Christensen  
Rev. Russell Brownworth  
Gary Leonard  
Lillian Shearin  
Tami Robinson  
Kelli Jones  
Tom Sigmon  
Chris Hunt  
Spencer Davis  
Faye Graham  
Gracie Joy Hedrick  
Kendall Conner  
David Ogle

Tempie Almstead  
Kelly Michael  
Kristin Harris  
Claire Dowling  
Ann Schaefer  
David Stafford  
Cameron & Pete Dunlap  
Linda & Tom Dunlap  
Carol & Steve Harris  
Peggy Sisk  
Anna Smathers  
Pat Wilson  
Jack Smith  
Gene Oldham  
Nakajah Vaughan  
Brenda Hipp  
Jane King  
Breanna Wilson  
Ethan Reavis  
Jason & Stacy Heitman  
Jenny Rains  
Jimmy Davis  
Bentley Leonard  
John Bruce Davis  
Eric Leonard  
Robert, Doris, & Keith Hunt  
Martha Daniel  
Debra Ann Leonard  
Betty Jean Whitaker  
Len & Dottie Harris  
Jack & Susan Phillips  
Jordan Beswick  
Susan Fritts  
Regina Chrest  
Bruce Thornton

**Serving in the Armed Forces**

SGT John Hall  
Capt. Jarrad Thorley  
SMS Jason Brownworth  
SGT Alan Ingram



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## **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

### Sunday, May 27

- 8:30 a.m. Early Worship, Fellowship Hall  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary  
**No Youth Meeting today**

### Monday, May 28

**Church Office Closed — Memorial Day Monday**



### Tuesday, May 29

- 7:00 p.m. Scholarship Committee, Conference Room  
7:00 p.m. Theology Pub, High Rock Outfitters

### Wednesday, May 30

- 7:45 a.m. Prayer Breakfast, Cagney's  
9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting, Conference Room  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

### Thursday, May 31

- 7:45 a.m. Men's Devotion & Fellowship, Biscuit King on S. Main Street  
10:00 a.m. RIOM, Spruill Classroom until 4:00 p.m.

### Friday, June 1

### Saturday, June 2

- 8:30 a.m. UMW Walk for Mission, Grimes Park  
10:00 a.m. UMW Uwharrie District Team Meeting, Fellowship Hall

### Sunday, June 3

- 8:30 a.m. Early Worship, Sanctuary  
9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary

**Our Stewardship for God's Work** This stewardship report is given so you may follow our financial progress throughout the year. Each Sunday, please review and thoughtfully pray over this report.

Everyone is a part of God's stewardship.

Report for Sunday, May 20, 2018:

Early Worship: 16 Morning Worship: 200 Total: 216

Weekly Offerings: \$5,800.80

Weekly Needed: \$10,632.90

Total Received to Date: \$211,424.03

Needed to Date: \$212,658.00



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