

SERVICE AND EVENTS

FLOWER MINISTRY HELP

Almost weekly, the sanctuary flowers are broken down into smaller arrangements and delivered to those in need of encouragement and well wishes. As you may be aware, Kristy Schueneman does a great job spearheading this, and she is now in need of those who are willing and able to help with this rewarding ministry. If you are able to help serve on a rotation of volunteers, please contact Kristy at kschueneman@yahoo.com.

UMW FUNDRAISER

The United Methodist Women will be selling greeting cards in the breezeway this morning for only \$10 per pack. The cards are packaged in bundles of twelve, containing a variety of beautifully photographed pictures of our church on the front of the cards, and blank on the inside. One hundred percent of the proceeds will support mission efforts. They

will be available for purchase on Sundays or throughout the week during regular office hours. You may contact Jane Asher if you have any questions.

NEWS AND EVENTS

Interested in keeping up with news and current events at Wesley? Sign up to receive email updates based on your preferences: Wesley Newsletter, Church Life, Events and Concerts, and/or Children and Youth. Visit wesleyssi.org/news to let us know your interests!

WORSHIP SERVICES

We are grateful for the wonderful response we've had to our 11:00am traditional service and our outdoor contemporary service on Sunday mornings at 9:00am. It has been such a blessing to have our Wesley family come back and worship in-person together!

AUDIO-VISUAL VOLUNTEERS

The Wesley Audio-Visual Ministry needs volunteers in the sound booth for Sunday services as well as other events. If you would like to volunteer in this vital area of ministry you may reach out to Jamie Forbes by email at jamie@wesleyssi.org.

DATES OF INTEREST

10/06 Prayer Meeting via Zoom
10/11 Church Council Meeting
10/18 Singing at the Circle
10/25 Children's Sunday
11/01 All Saints Sunday
11/08 District Charge Conference

PHOTOS, VIDEOS, NEWS

www.facebook.com/wesleyfrederica

ONLINE GIVING

To take advantage of online giving options, visit www.wesleyssi.org.

IN SERVICE



Senior Pastor
Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.
Director of Program Ministries
Paige Gober
Director of Children's Ministries
To Be Filled
Director of Youth Ministries
Logan Johnson, to start October 19
Associate Director of Youth Ministries
Samantha Pearson
Director of Music Ministries
Dr. Zachary Marshall
Asst. Director of Music Ministries, Organist
Rev. Dr. Jennifer Marshall
Director of Contemporary Worship
David Herndon
Organist Emeritus
Beth Humber
Office Administrator
Elaine Brown
Director of WAEL
Nikki Browning

Church Ofc: 912.634.1412 / M-Th., 9:00am-5:00pm



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at *Frederica*

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NEWS

WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

Today, The United Methodist Church celebrates World Communion Sunday with congregations all over the globe. Followers of Jesus Christ in large churches and small, on farms and in cities, in ornate buildings and under tents, gather to receive the bread and cup of Holy Communion. In The United Methodist Church, World Communion Sunday continues to be a special giving Sunday. The monies raised today help provide scholarships for racial and ethnic minority students in the U.S., and students worldwide. If you'd like to donate, please make your check payable to Wesley with "World Communion Sunday" in the memo line.

WESLEY STAFF NEWS

The Staff-Parish Relations Committee is pleased to announce that *Logan Johnson* has accepted our offer to be our new Director of Youth Ministries. Logan's start date will be October 19, and he is relocating from Athens, where he graduated from the University of Georgia with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Communication Sciences. He has a history of working with youth and is passionate about bringing them to Jesus! He has also worked as an intern at the Gathering Place while in college and is excited to be back in the area. In other staff news, beginning October 14, *Emily Lester* will join in the church office as an administrative assistant. Emily is

CHILDREN & YOUTH

CHILDREN

Nursery (Newborn - 2s)
Cherubs (3s and 4s)
Children's Church (K - Grade 2)
Club 345 (Grades 3, 4, 5) - 11:00am

YOUTH TIMES

5:00 to 6:00pm - Middle School
6:30 to 8:00pm - High School
No Snack Supper will be served.

FAMILY RESOURCES ONLINE

Parents, as you "do church" from home, be sure to check out our Parent Resources page on the Wesley website! We have added lots of new content for Fall, and will continue updating kids' video lessons and parent guides each week. You'll also find links to several YouTube playlists for Children's Church, Kids Worship, and other encouraging content like Parent Cue and The Chosen series. Let us partner with you as are raising

Living Faith... Rooted in Tradition

Sunday, October 4, 2020
World Communion Sunday
11:00am
Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.

"Psalm 8: The Great Creator's Psalm"
Psalm 8

a graduate of Columbia International University with a Bachelor of Science in Intercultural Studies and the Bible. She is relocating from Charleston, SC with her husband, Jacob.

CHURCH PRAYER MEETING

Please join Wesley for a churchwide prayer meeting via Zoom on Tuesday, October 6, at 6:00pm. We will be praying for our nation, the election, and however else we are led. The Zoom information will be listed on our home page at www.wesleyssi.org. The link will go live an hour before the meeting begins. We hope to see you there!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER CONCERNS

Jeff Stevenson, Mary Gibson, Jan and Marti Carriker, Rev. Wes Moye, Stacy Vann, Krista McNeal, Elizabeth Colon, Hank Condon, Bill Sanders, Bill Dunlap, Larry Kimel, Holly Lamb, Clarijane Bush, Allyson Garrison, Pam Smith, Ian and Hannah Hilley, Carolyn Stafford, Joe Songer, John Griffin, James Wise, Debbie Cassata, Daschiel Townsend, Lauren Terry, Jim Danowski, Keith and Barbara Weikel, Tom Burton, Hollis Youngner, Martha Mooney
Military: Francis Cahill, Alex McLean, Hunter Missildine, Derek Livingston

Please respect the privacy of individuals. Confirm their desire to be added to our prayer concerns, then send your request to churchoffice@wesleyssi.org.

BEREAVEMENT

With a sad heart we share the news that Wesley church member, Ruth Barker, lost her father-in-law, Roy Barker, on Wednesday, September 30, 2020. Roy lived here locally, and was a long time employee of Sea Island. His granddaughter, Beth Millican, is employed at the Wesley preschool.

STATUS UPDATES NEEDED

Please help us keep our Prayer Concerns current. If your request has been shared for an extended period of time, we ask that you let us know the status of your friend or family member. Call (912) 634-1412 or email churchoffice@wesleyssi.org.

your kids to know Jesus; we are here to help! Check out the link below: wesleyssi.org/childrens-parent-resources

DONATION DRIVE CONTINUES

Wesley youth continues to partner with Communities in Schools to collect donations for students. The biggest needs currently are for working laptops, sturdy backpacks, athletic shorts, and water bottles. To make a donation contact Samantha at samantha@wesleyssi.org.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

11:00

Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by
Temple and Susu Millsap in loving memory of Kenneth Henson on his birthday.

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

Gebet (Prayer)

Hugo Wolf

Lord! send what Thou will, joy or pain; I am content that both flow from Thy hands.
Do not, I ask Thee, overwhelm me with joy or suffering! But in the middle lies blessed moderation.

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

We Are Marching in the Light of God

SIYAHAMBA

HYMN NO. 145

Morning Has Broken

BUNESSAN

+OPENING PRAYER

Please stand when "+" is indicated.

Let us pray. | **God of all nations, we give You thanks that we are all made in Your image, with such rich diversity. On this day we are in solidarity with the faithful around the world. As we break bread together, we remember that we are still one body in You, even though we have different languages, cultures and traditions, different ways of worship, praying and praising. In solidarity we drink the cup together of hope, of new life, knowing that Your will is for Your people to be one body. We are one body, but we are not the same—it is through the gift of diversity that we are able to be Your body. We thank You and praise You for making us all who we are, individually and collectively. We each celebrate our own ancestry, culture and ethnicity, all made possible through your Everlasting Love! We pray these things in the Name of Jesus Christ, Our Lord. Amen.**

SERVICE OF THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Let us pray. | **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.**

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

Luke 2:8-14

EPISTLE LESSON

Hebrews 2:5-8

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalms 8

SERMON

"Psalm 8: The Great Creator's Psalm"

Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.

RESPONSE TO THE WORD: SERVICE OF THE TABLE

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION | CONFESSION AND PARDON | SHARING THE PEACE UMH, pg. 12

CALL TO OFFERING | As a forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OFFERTORY

Name of All Majesty
Chancel Choir Members

Tom Fettke

Name of all majesty, fathomless mystery, King of the ages by angels adored;
Power and authority, splendor and dignity, Bow to his majesty—Jesus is Lord!
Child of our destiny, God from eternity, The love of the Father on sins out poured;
See now what God has done sending His only Son, Christ the beloved One—Jesus is Lord!
Source of all sovereignty, light, immortality, Life everlasting and heaven assured;
So with the ransomed, we praise Him eternally, Christ in His majesty— Jesus is Lord!

+PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND DOXOLOGY NO. 95

OLD 100TH

**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.**

+THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UMH, Pg. 13

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

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.

GIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

The body of Christ, given for you. **Amen.**
The blood of Christ, given for you. **Amen.**

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

Holy Communion and the Lord's Table are "open" in that all who come in faith in Christ, regardless of church membership or denomination, are welcome.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Let us pray. | **Eternal God, we thank you for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. In your great love, you sent your only Son who gave his life to save us from sin and to make us one. In humble gratitude and joyful obedience, we offer ourselves to you now. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, united in love, to give ourselves for others. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray, Amen.**

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN NO. 77

How Great Thou Art

HOW GREAT THOU ART

+BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

Yigdal: The God of Abraham Praise

Richard Proulx

Visitors who would like to learn more about Wesley may stop by the breezeway following any worship service to receive information and a warm Wesley welcome!

Wesley's mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Wesley UMC at Frederica is a Stephen Ministry church.

Morning Has Broken

Unison

C Am Dm G F C

1. Morn-ing has bro - ken like the first morn - ing;
 2. Sweet the rain's new fall sun - lit from heav - en,
 3. Mine is the sun - light! Mine is the morn - ing

Am Em/G F Em Dm G

black-bird has spo - ken like the first bird.
 like the first dew - fall on the first grass.
 born of the one light E - den saw play!

C F C Am Dm/F

Praise for the sing - ing! Praise for the morn - ing!
 Praise for the sweet - ness of the wet gar - den,
 Praise with e - la - tion, praise ev - ery morn - ing,

D7/F# C/G F G7 C

Praise for them, spring - ing fresh from the Word!
 sprung in com - plete - ness where his feet pass.
 God's re - cre - a - tion of the new day!

WRDS: Eleanor Farjeon, 1931 (Lam. 3:22-23)

MUSIC: Trad. Gaelic melody; harm. by Carlton R. Young, 1988

BUNESSAN

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How Great Thou Art

1. O Lord my God! when I in awe-some won-der *NB*
 2. When through the woods and for-est glades I wan-der,
 3. And when I think that God, his Son not spar-ing,
 4. When Christ shall come with shout of ac-cla-ma-tion

con-sid-er all the worlds thy hands have made,
 and hear the birds sing sweet-ly in the trees;
 sent him to die, I scarce can take it in;
 and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart.

I see the stars, I hear the roll-ing thun-der,
 when I look down from loft-y moun-tain gran-deur
 that on the cross, my bur-den glad-ly bear-ing,
 Then I shall bow in hum-ble ad-o-ra-tion,

thy power through-out *NB* the un-i-verse dis-played.
 and hear the brook, and feel the gen-tle breeze;
 he bled and died to take a-way my sin;
 and there pro-claim, my God, how great thou art!

Refrain

Then sings my soul, my Sav-ior God to thee;

how great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my

soul, my Sav-ior God to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art!

*Authors's original words are "works" and "mighty."

WORDS: Stuart K. Hine, 1953

HOW GREAT THOU ART