

11/10: Safe Sanctuary Trainings AND DONUTS!! (9:45 am in Trinity Hall, 12:15 pm in Trinity Hall)

Blood Connection Blood Drive (10:00 am - 2:00 pm)

Youth Bible Study & Dinner (Offsite @ Kitchens Home)

11/11: CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED: Veterans Day

Women's Bible Study (10:00 am - Merritt Room)

11/12: OHUMC Staff Meeting (1:00 pm - Seekers Room)

11/13: Fellowship Choir Rehearsal (7:00 pm - Choir Room) Board of Trustees Meeting (11:30 am - Seekers Room)

11/17: Worship Committee Meeting (12:15 pm - Seekers Room)

Coat Collection Items DUE to Church Office



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

Triune Mercy Center Staff Luncheon with SHARE

Nov 24 Advent Family Dinner in Trinity Hall

Shelf stable food item donations DUE to Church Office

Nov 25 Alexander Elementary Canned Food Distribution

Nov 26 Charge Conference (5:30 pm) with District Superintendent

LET'S CONNECT!

Use the QR code to find Open Hearts UMC on social media and to register for 🗓 upcoming events/programs!





SAFE SANCTUARY TRAINING: TODAY!

Join Jana Clack for a Safe Sanctuary training at either 9:45 am OR 12:15 pm in Trinity Hall. Snacks and drinks will be provided. Safe Sanctuary trainings are required annually for those who volunteer with vulnerable populations, including children, youth, and vulnerable adults. AN RSVP IS **NOT REQUIRED!**

COLLEGE STUDENT CARE PACKAGES We're excited to be supporting our college students again this school year! If you have a student attending school post-high school, please fill out the form via the QR code above. We'd love to be praying for them and sending care packages from their church family throughout the school year. Questions? Contact Amanda Youngblood



(information in Realm).

Consider giving back this season with the winter coat drive, lunch with the Triune Mercy Center staff, BCBS Thanksgiving Meal distribution, or the Gratefull Greenville Meal. Details are on bulletin boards and in our recent newsletter.



SPECIAL GUESTS IN WORSHIP: NOVEMBER 17 Next week, we will welcome two special guests in worship. President of Spartanburg Methodist College, Scott Cochran, will bring us greetings; and our own Natalie Buck will share her gifts of preaching by bringing us the sermon. Please come and support our connect and meet Scott and Natalie!

CHARGE CONFERENCE: NOVEMBER 26

A Charge Conference is an annual meeting with the District Superintendent (DS) of the UMC to report on the state of the church and celebrate ministries. Because we are not a chartered church. we will not have an official Charge Conference but will have time with the DS at the first part of our Board of Stewards meeting at 5:30 PM to hear from each other and celebrate our ministries. It is an open meeting and anyone may attend.



November 10, 2024

Twenty Fifth Sunday Following Pentecost

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

We are glad you are here! Please register your attendance in the pew pad. Please note that services are livestreamed, recorded, and posted to our YouTube Channel. Nursery is available for ages 0-4; Children's Worship Activity Boxes are available behind the organist and in the lobby to help your child worship with us. Sunday Bible School is offered weekly for those Ages 4-5th grade following the Children's Message. Children will be brought back to the Sanctuary following the Benediction.

> (*) Stand as you are able (UMH) United Methodist Hymnal

WELCOME Rev. Karen Jones

ANNOUNCEMENTS Jana Clack

PRELUDE Prelude from Suite in A Major Handel

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*OPENING HYMN (UMH 92) For the Beauty of the Earth Kocher/Pierpoint/arr. Monk

Natalie Buck

*OPENING PRAYER God of power and might, turn our hearts of stone into hearts of flesh. For only in loving can we lead lives worthy of your calling. Grant us the courage to live with the saints in the glory of your love. And fill us with your grace and peace, that we may know the richness of eternal life in your Spirit, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***PSALTER** (UMH 857-858) Psalm 145:8-21 Natalie Buck

*GLORIA 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, amen.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE David Stanley

If your child would like to give an offering, they may bring it up at this time. Children in 4K through 5th grade are invited to attend Sunday Bible School after the Children's Message. They will return to the Sanctuary following the Benediction for pickup.

Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above *OFFERTORY HYMN (UMH 96) Wesley

OFFERTORY PRAYER Natalie Buck

OFFERTORY Meditation on "Nettleton" arr. Smith

*DOXOLOGY (UMH 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.

CHOIR ANTHEM Sing to the Lord of Harvest Willan

SCRIPTURE READING (NT 194) Ephesians 4:25-5:2

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Grace as Our Guide" Rev. Karen Jones

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UMH 883) Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada Rev. Jones

RECEIVING OF NEW MEMBERS (UMH 38) Rev. Jones

Amanda, Lani, and Jordyn Johnson

Beth Potts

*CLOSING HYMN (UMH 521) I Want Jesus to Walk With Me Spiritual/arr. WF Smith

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION God Be With You Till We Meet Again Tomer/Rankin

POSTLUDE Gigue from Suite in A Major Handel

The flowers on the altar today are given to the glory of God by Tanya Pearson in honor of her husband Bill and for all our veterans at Open Hearts UMC.

Living Out Our Baptismal Covenant

Open Hearts United Methodist Church cultivates a welcoming community - united in God's love, guided by scripture, and empowered by the Holy Spirit - to live out Jesus Christ's teachings.

PRESENCE AND GIFTS— NOVEMBER 3, 2024		ONLINE GIVING and TEXT
Sunday School Attendance:	101	Online giving at:
Worship Attendance:	161	onrealm.org/openheartsUMC/give
Offering:	\$12,625.00	Text to give: Text OPENDOORS to 73256.
		We accept credit, debit, and checking.
October EOM Offering	\$75,626.18	

WORSHIP

The color **GREEN** represents growth and is used during Ordinary Time in the Christian year.

ROLE	SERVING TODAY	SERVING NEXT WEEK
Greeters	Jean Marshall, Debra Leeke, John Winn, Mary Ashley Adkins, Margaret Clayton, Alex Burgin, Tiby Weinstein, Martha Judd, Gary Judd	Bill Shell, Penny Gall, Ashley Cheney, Jane Johnson, Irveta Shouse, Susie Bradshaw, Scotty Bradshaw, Jim Patterson Jr.
Ushers	Gary Judd, Susan Wright, Alex Burgin, Tiby Weinstein	Roy Williams, Bill Shell, Irveta Shouse, Larry Gall
Tellers	Tiby Weinstein, Gary Judd	Larry Gall, Steve Thrailkill
A/V	Jim Patterson Jr., Roy Williams	Marshall Gaddy, Dottie Pittman
Acolyte	Lani Johnson	Jane Ann Creech
Liturgist	Natalie Buck	Matt Raven
Children's Message	David Stanley	Carol Wilson
Sunday Bible School	Donna Wilson, Amanda and Ava Youngblood	Evelyn Rogers, Wendy Thrailkill
Nursery	Zahria Stewart, Savannah Spivey	Lennon and Mia Murphy
Communion	N/A	N/A

If you are interested in serving in a **volunteer** role above, please contact Membership@openheartsumcsc.org or Karen.Jones@openheartsumcsc.org.

If you are interested in sponsoring altar **flowers**, sign up on the Flower Chart posted by the office. Contact Jane Johnson at rjohnson2121@bellsouth.net to discuss details.

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OFFICE HOURS: 9:00 am-1:00 pm Monday-Thursday

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Dr. Elliott Smith, Organist and Pianist

Savannah Spivey, Nursery Staff

Zahria Stewart, Nursery Staff

Blake Wolfe & Julian Conrad, **Campus Police Officers**

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