

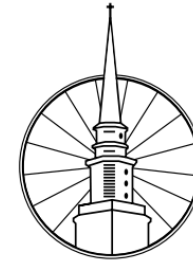


THIS WEEK AT OHUMC:

- 11/24: Family Advent Night (5:30 pm - Trinity Hall)
Shelf stable food item donations DUE to Church
- 11/25: Alexander Elementary Canned Food Distribution (4:00 pm)
- 11/26: Board of Stewards Meeting with District Superintendent (5:30 pm - Merritt Room)
- 11/27: Fellowship Choir Rehearsal (7:00 pm - Choir Room)
- 11/27: **CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED: Thanksgiving Holiday**
- 11/28: **CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED: Thanksgiving Holiday**

LET'S CONNECT!

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



OPEN HEARTS
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- Dec 15 Lessons and Carols during Worship service
- Dec 24 Christmas Eve Worship services (11:00 am & 5:00 pm)
- Dec 24-26 Church office closed: Christmas holiday
- Dec 29 Moravian Love Feast during Worship service
- Dec 31/Jan 1 Church office closed: New Year holiday



November 24, 2024

Christ the King Sunday

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

We are glad you are here! Please register your attendance in the pew pad. Please note that services are live-streamed, 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

GREETINGS

Rev. Karen Jones

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jana Clack

PRELUDE

Voluntary on MARION

arr. Smith

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*OPENING HYMN (UMH 98)

To God Be The Glory

Doane/Crosby

*OPENING PRAYER

Donna Wilson

*Sovereign God, you clothe your people in the garments of salvation, and you bless them with grace and peace.
Open our eyes to the glory of your Son, who comes to rule with justice and reign with righteousness.
Open our ears to the sound of his voice, and open our hearts to love as he loves,
that we might shine like dew on the grass and dwell in Christ's peace. Amen.*

*PSALTER (UMH 849)

Psalms 132:1-5, 11-18

Donna Wilson

*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.*

PASTORAL PRAYER

Rev. Jones

THE LORD'S PRAYER (UMH 895)

1 SHOW THANKS FOR GOD'S BLESSINGS

Consider giving back this season with the Alexander Elementary Thanksgiving Meal distribution, or the Gratefull Greenville Meal. Details are on bulletin boards and in our recent newsletter.

2 GIFTS OF STOCK

The Finance Committee is grateful to those who have chosen to donate stock as a form of tithing. Many people choose to give gifts of stock as part of their year end financial plan. Should you have questions regarding such a transaction, please contact Gary Judd (contact info in Realm).

3 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.



4 CHRISTMAS EVE AT OPEN HEARTS

It's hard to believe we are about to enter the season of preparation: Advent! We will have two Christmas Eve worship services this year: 11:00 am (family-friendly service) and 5:00 pm candlelight. Both services will include communion and nursery.

5 ADVENT DEVOTIONAL BOOKLETS

As we prepare to welcome the Christ child, we invite you to take an Advent Booklet home with you. The booklets include devotions, information about Advent events, worship, and outreach opportunities. Feel free to share one with a neighbor or friend!

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Jana Clack

*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.*

***OFFERTORY HYMN (UMH 90)** Ye Watchers and Ye Holy Ones Vaughan Williams/Riley

OFFERTORY PRAYER Donna Wilson

OFFERTORY Jesus Will Still Be There Mandeville/Sterling
The Hope Quartet (Hannah Bennett, alto soloist; Tish Gabor, soprano; Ben Griffeth, tenor; Jeremiah Reid, bass)

***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 Come, Ye Thankful People, Come Elvey/arr. Harlan
Congregation joins verses 1 and 4 on cue (UMH 694)

SCRIPTURE READING (NT 245) Revelation 1:4-8
*The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.*

SERMON "Christ Will Come Again" Rev. Jones

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (UMH 880)** The Nicene Creed Rev. Jones

***RECESSIONAL HYMN (UMH 203)** Hail to the Lord's Anointed Montgomery

***BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION** God Be In My Head Rutter

POSTLUDE "Allegro" from Voluntary I Travers

The flowers on the altar today are given by Theresa Clarke to the Glory of God.

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 17, 2024

Sunday School Attendance: 111
Worship Attendance: 167
Offering: \$5,234.00

ONLINE GIVING and TEXT

Online giving at:
onrealm.org/openheartsUMC/give
Text to give: Text OPENDOORS to 73256.
We accept credit, debit, and checking.

WORSHIP

*The color **WHITE** is used on Christ the King Sunday to represent the sovereignty of our Lord Jesus.*

ROLE	SERVING TODAY	SERVING NEXT WEEK
Greeters	Bill Adkins, John Winn, Beth Padgett, Jane Johnson, Jan Paige, Kathy Anderson, Steve Anderson	Eleanor Allen, David Atkinson, Jenna Robinson, Peter MacKinnon, Vickie Frazier, Jennifer Hincapie, Tanya Pearson, Mary Ashley Adkins, Sally Adkins
Ushers	Steve Anderson, Sammy Cely, Beth Padgett, John Winn	Miles Loretta, Linda Sarratt, Jim Sarratt, Steve Thrailkill
Tellers	Steve Anderson, Sally Adkins	Bill Pearson, Gary Judd
A/V	Dottie Pittman, Miles Loretta	Carol Wilson, Ashley Newton
Acolyte	Jim Patterson Jr.	Hunter Richardson
Liturgist	Donna Wilson	Natalie Buck
Children's Message	Jana Clack	Sarah Moseley
Sunday Bible School	Julia Turlington, Jana Clack	Sarah Moseley, Jana Clack
Nursery	Zahria Stewart, Jenn Byford	Zahria Stewart, Savannah Spivey
Communion	N/A	Theresa Clarke, Isabel Stringfellow, Jennifer Hincapie

*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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Savannah Spivey & Zahria Stewart
Nursery Staff

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Campus Police Officers

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