

Birthdays

September 30—Margaret Love

Lord, Hear Our Prayer!

East Bend: Hazel Matthews, Helen Fortune, Mickey Martin, Mike Crouse, Evelyne Shreve, Beauchamp's, Clyde Wall, Phil Curry, Nora Matthews.

Stony Knoll: Linda Smith, Sofie Carter, Dane Hill, Richard Shore, Dare Poindexter, Bristol Hope Hagen, Margaret Spillman, David Pilcher, Nate Wolford, Madison McCann, Larry Evans, Aiden Flynn, Jim Ruble, Linda Bobbitt, Annette Hennings, Ann Doub, Becky Poindexter, Bobby Atkins.

Long-Term Care: Sue Long, Nancy Wooten, Freddie Wall, Georgia Watts, Aggie Mae Smitherman, Bobbie Lineberry, Lucille Cox, Norman Shore.

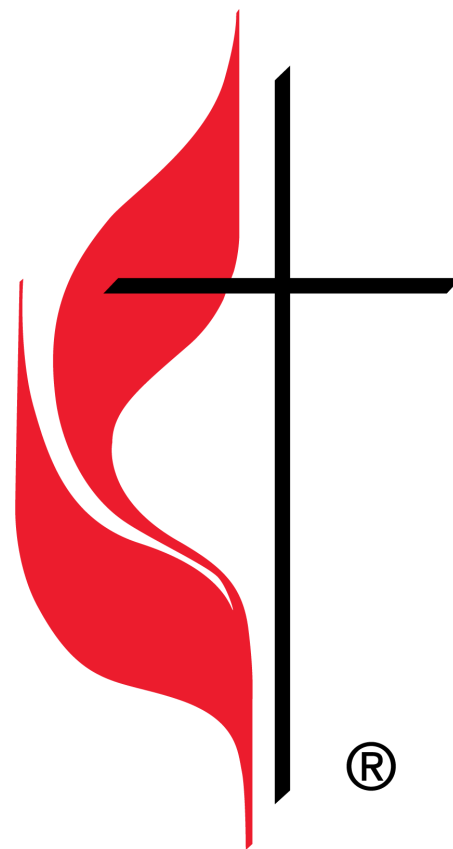
Armed Forces: Randy Frye, Daniel Lunsford, Cody Dagenhart, Eric Jennings, Amanda Payne, Tony Hatcher, Jay Staley, Robert Matthews, Michael Stillwell, Adam David, Drew Queen, Lance Miller, John Russell, Rannon Rowley, Justin Reavis, Matthew Regnery, Justin Minor, Aiden Flynn, Jason Drew, William Wilson.

World Wide: For Single-parent families, the underemployed, the homeless, victims of gun violence, those effected by natural disasters, world conflicts, those affected by Covid-19, and for the National political climate.

Pastor	Rev. David Blankenberg
Ministers	All the members of the church
EB—Choir Director & Organist	Ann Neill & Linda Brown
SK—Choir Director	Anne Watkins

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**East Bend UMC
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September 26, 2021

® 18th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome

Opening Prayer

God of unquenchable fire and overflowing grace, cast out the demons that oppress us; take away the things that make us stumble. Lead us into your realm of life and season us with your peace; in the name of Christ our Lord. Amen.

Opening Music *All Creatures of Our God & King* Grace C.C.

Prayer of Illumination

Lord God, by the power of your Spirit, enlighten our eyes, instruct our minds, rejoice our hearts, and revive our souls so that our lips and our lives may bear witness to your Word. Amen.

Sermon Series: Joy in Sabbath Rev. David
Living the 10, Today Exodus 20:8-11 Blankenberg

Profession of Faith *The Apostles Creed* **UMH # 881**

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.

Prayers of the People &
The Lord's Prayer

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, for ever and ever. Amen.



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Confession & Pardon

God, you know our great transgressions, our hidden faults, our secret sins. With our hands we grasp at power; with our feet we stumble into evil; with our eyes we look out for ourselves. Forgive us, gracious God, and lead us in your holy way of life and love and peace; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Though we wander from the truth, God brings us back and saves our souls from death. In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

Sending Music *Gather Them In* Eric Hagemeyer

Benediction

Let the name of Christ be the word you speak, the grace you show, and the love you share. Amen.

Calendar of Events

September 20, 2021 EB UMW

September 27, 2021 at 6 pm Dinner church Menu: Lasagna, Salad, French Bread, Banana Pudding

October 9, 2021 at 10 am SK Cemetery Committee meeting

October 10, 2021 at 7:30 am SK Men's Breakfast

October 11, 2021 at 6 pm Dinner Church

October 25, 2021 at 7pm SK UMW Meeting

Daily Scripture Readings

Sunday	Exodus 20: 1-20	Monday	Matthew 6:16-18
Tuesday	Ezra 8:21-23	Wednesday	Luke 2:36-38
Thursday	Acts 13:1-3	Friday	Acts 14:21-23
Saturday	Isaiah 40:25-31		