Birthdays

August 5—Keith Cornelius

Lord, Hear Our Prayer!

East Bend: Hazel Matthews, Stewart Maples, Helen Fortune, Phil Curry, Mickey Martin, Mike Crouse, Evelyne Shreve, Ellen Jent, Roland Dove, Haithcock Family, Beauchamps, Don Beauchamp.

Stony Knoll: Margaret Love, Linda Smith, Sofie Carter, Dane Hill, Denny Lane, Richard Shore, Dare Poindexter, Bristol Hope Hagen, Margaret Spillman, Dottie Ratledge, Nate Wolford, David Pilcher, Shannon Taylor, Savanah Wright, Carolyn Brickey, Madison McCann.

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

Armed Forces: Randy Frye, Daniel Lunsford, Brian Speas, 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.

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.

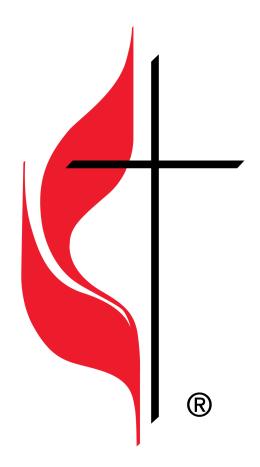
Pastor Rev. David Blankenberg

Ministers All the members of the church

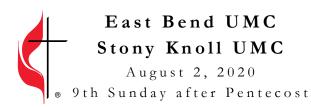
EB—Choir Director & Organist Ann Neill & Linda Brown

SK—Choir Director & Pianist Anne Watkins & Shannon Taylor

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Welcome

*Opening Prayer

Life-changing God, you have touched us and transformed us to reach out to all who hunger for what only you can give. Keep our feet in your paths and bless us to multiply blessings to others, through Jesus Christ our Redeemer and Lord. Amen.

Opening Music

Trust and Obey

Melissa Beck

Prayer of Illumination

All-knowing God, you have satisfied our hunger at sunset and held us close through nights of wrestling. Now let the day break with your blessing. Awaken and illumine us by your Word that we may behold your likeness. Amen.

Sermon Series: "What

 $\it ``Self-Control"'$

the World Needs Now" 2 Peter 1:3-8

Profession of Faith

The Apostles Creed

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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 w/

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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*Sending Music Mistaken Eric Hagemeyer

*Benediction

Christ himself, who holds you in his hands, has blessed you, broken you, and given you as his gift to the world. May the grace of Christ be multiplied to you and through you, now and forever.

Calendar of Events

August 2, 2020 Online Worship Only—Pastor
David will be on Vacation

August 9, 2020 at 9am Drive-in & Online Worship at EB with Drive Through Communion

August 16, 2020 at 9am Drive-in Worship & Online Worship

Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday Genesis 32:22-31; Psalm 17:1-7, 15; Romans 9:1-5; Matthew 14:13-21

Monday Luke 11:1-13
Tuesday Jeremiah 33:1-9
Wednesday John 17:1-11
Thursday Matthew 6:1-15
Friday Psalm 118:1-9
Saturday Matthew 7:7-11

2 Peter 1: 5 you must make every effort to support your faith with goodness, and goodness with knowledge, 6 and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with endurance, and endurance with godliness, 7 and godliness with mutual affection, and mutual affection with love.

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