

Birthdays

August 24—James Inman

August 27—Leon Brown

August 28—Linda Brown

August 27—Brock Hennings

August 27—Karen Matthews

August 29—David Fredrick

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, Savannah Wright, Carolyn Brickey, Madison McCann., Cowell Family, Kay Bare.

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

Ministers

EB—Choir Director & Organist

SK—Choir Director & Pianist

Rev. David Blankenberg

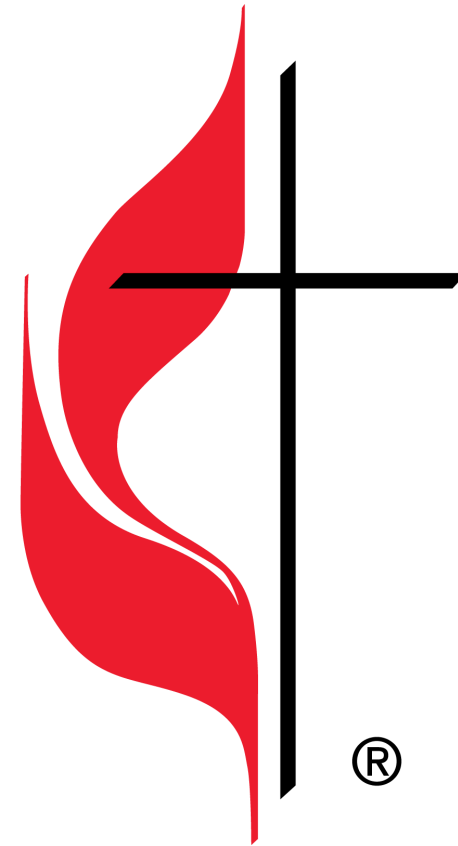
All the members of the church

Ann Neill & Linda Brown

Anne Watkins & Shannon Taylor

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August 23, 2020

® 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome

*Opening Prayer

Ever-present God, who is at the side of every creature in creation, renew our lives so that we may discern and do your will, what is good and acceptable and perfect In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

Opening Music

My Hope is Built

Melissa Beck

Prayer of Illumination

God of revelation, mere flesh and blood cannot reveal divine truth; only your Spirit can give that gift. Be in my breath and voice, be in our ears and understanding, that through these words your Word may be known. Amen.

Sermon:

"A New Community"
Matthew 16:13-20

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

I Belong

Eric Hagemeyer

*Benediction

May the Lord who made heaven and earth, the Christ who lived and died for all, and the Spirit who renews our minds and hearts abide with you and all God's people, now and forever.

Calendar of Events

August 23, 2020 at 9am Drive-in Worship & Online Worship

August 30, 2020 at 9am Drive-in Worship & Online Worship

September 6, 2020 at 9am Drive-in Worship & Online Worship

Weekly Scripture Readings

Sunday	Exodus 1:8-2:10; Psalm 124, Romans 12:1-8; Matthew 16:13-20
Monday	Mark 1:14-15
Tuesday	Luke 5:27-32
Wednesday	Luke 24:44-49
Thursday	Acts 2:37-42
Friday	Romans 2:1-11
Saturday	2 Peter 3:8-13

Matthew 16:15-16, He said, "And what about you? Who do you say that I am?" Simon Peter said, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God."

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