

Birthdays

August 30—Courtney Phillips

August 31—Linda Hill

Lord, Hear Our Prayer!

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

Stony Knoll: Margaret Love, Linda Smith, Sofie Carter, Dane Hill, Denny Lane, Richard Shore, Dare Poindexter, Bristol Hope Hagen, Margaret Spillman, 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

Rev. David Blankenberg

Ministers

All the members of the church

EB—Choir Director & Organist

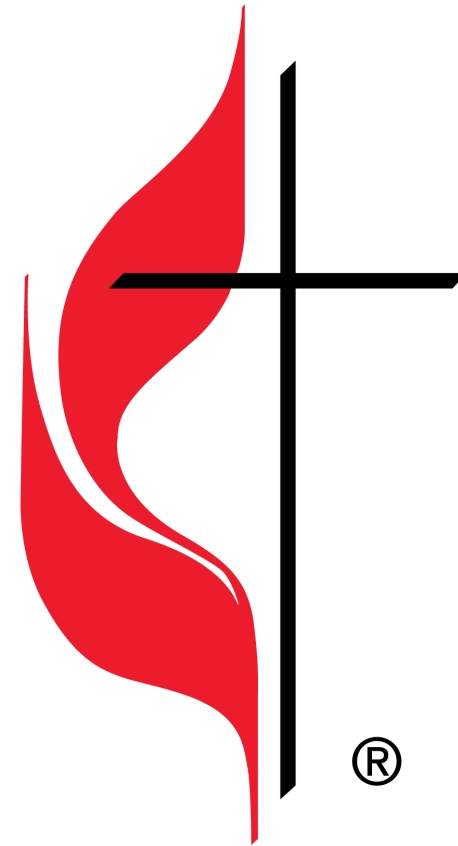
Ann Neill & Linda Brown

SK—Choir Director & Pianist

Anne Watkins & Shannon Taylor

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August 30, 2020

® 13th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome

*Opening Prayer

Almighty God, in the self-giving love of Christ you have revealed the path of salvation; give us courage to deny our selfish desire and bear the cross of discipleship, that we may live as those who have no fear of death and receive the joy of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Opening Music *Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us* Melissa Beck

Prayer of Illumination

By the power of your Spirit, O Lord, make your Word become a joy to us and the delight of our hearts. Amen.

Sermon: *"The Mirror World"*
Matthew 16:21-28

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 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 *Everything and Nothing Less* Eric Hagemeyer

*Benediction
The blessing of God be with you, the love of Jesus fill you, and the power of the Holy Spirit sustain you, as you follow in the way of Jesus our Lord, now and forevermore.

Calendar of Events

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 3:1-15; Psalm 105, Romans 12:9-21; Matthew 16:21-28
Monday	John 4:7-15
Tuesday	Exodus 17:1-7
Wednesday	Isaiah 12:1-6
Thursday	John 7:37-39
Friday	Revelation 7:13-17
Saturday	Isaiah 42:1-9

Matthew 16:24-25, Then Jesus said to his disciples, "All who want to come after me must say no to themselves, take up their cross, and follow me. All who want to save their lives will lose them. But all who lose their lives because of me will find them.

Address for our young adults—let's send some letters!

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