

**Rally Sunday**  
**Sunday, September 12th**  
**10:30 Coffee Hour**  
**10:45 Sunday School Preview**  
**11:15 Potluck**

### Fall 2021 Sunday School Classes

We are excited to offer multiple small group Sunday School options this year. Today during our Sunday School preview, meet our teachers and hear an overview of their class in the Fellowship Hall. Kids will meet downstairs with Cori.

### Grief Share

Freshwaters will be hosting a Grief Share group this fall, led by Pastor Kevin. There is no cost for the class. The group begins on Thursday, September 16th from 6 PM-8 PM and continues for 13 weeks. Contact the office or Pastor for more information or to register.

### RightNow Media

We are gifting everyone in our church access to RightNow Media. Packed with thousands of Bible studies and informational materials, this is a great resource to start a personal or group study. Email invites will be sent out this afternoon. If you don't receive one, please email the church office and we will be sure to get you the link.

### Mark your Calendars!

**Roast Beef Dinner - November 3rd**

For the most up-to-date information, sermons, and bulletins visit our website at [freshwatersumc.org](http://freshwatersumc.org)

### THIS WEEK AT FRESHWATERS

#### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

6:30 PM Trustees  
7 PM One Board  
7 PM Boy Scouts

#### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

9 AM Quilters

#### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

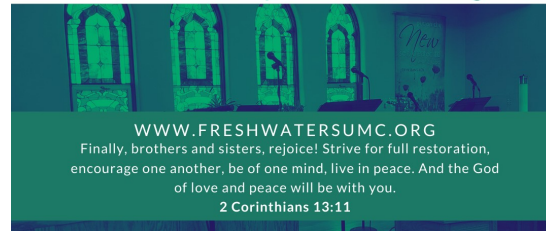
6 PM GriefShare

### FRESHWATERS FALL SCHEDULE

## Reverent and Joyful Blended Worship

STARTING SEPTEMBER 12, 2021

9:30 AM Worship | 10:30 AM Fellowship  
10:45 AM Sunday School for All Ages



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# Welcome to Freshwaters!

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We pray that you feel welcomed, loved, and encouraged by your visit here today.

Freshwaters is a mission focused church. We will take every opportunity to reach out to our community and help raise up disciples in the name of Jesus. You are welcome here and we would love for you to be a part of our Freshwaters family.

## PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

**Charlotte & Lowell Y**

**Betty & John O**

**Val V**

**Hans & Gloria**

**Mark P**

**Mary V**

**Elaine M**

**Bob & Rosanne B**

**The Joyce Mattson Family**

## MORNING WORSHIP

### WELCOME

### RESPONSIVE READING

Leader: Consequently, we are no longer foreigners and strangers, but fellow citizens with God's people and also members of his household,

**People: Built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, with Christ Jesus himself as the chief cornerstone**

Leader: In him the whole building is joined together and rises to become a holy temple in the Lord.

**People: And in him we, too, are being built together to become a dwelling in which God lives by his Spirit. Let us worship the Lord!**

### WE ARE THE CHURCH

(UMH 558 verses 1, 2 & 4)

### CHILDREN OF THE HEAVENLY FATHER

(UMH 141 verses 1, 2 & 4)

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### SCRIPTURE: GALATIANS 4:1-7

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**MESSAGE:** The Shift from Slave to Child

**Rev. Kevin Fox**

### SPECIAL MUSIC

Leah C with Gloria W

### PRAYER

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BLESSING

### AMAZING LOVE

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### Galatians 4:1-7

Think of it this way. If a father dies and leaves an inheritance for his young children, those children are not much better off than slaves until they grow up, even though they actually own everything their father had. They have to obey their guardians until they reach whatever age their father set. And that's the way it was with us before Christ came. We were like children; we were slaves to the basic spiritual principles of this world. But when the right time came, God sent his Son, born of a woman, subject to the law. God sent him to buy freedom for us who were slaves to the law, so that he could adopt us as his very own children. And because we are his children, God has sent the Spirit of his Son into our hearts, prompting us to call out, "Abba, Father." Now you are no longer a slave but God's own child. And since you are his child, God has made you his heir.