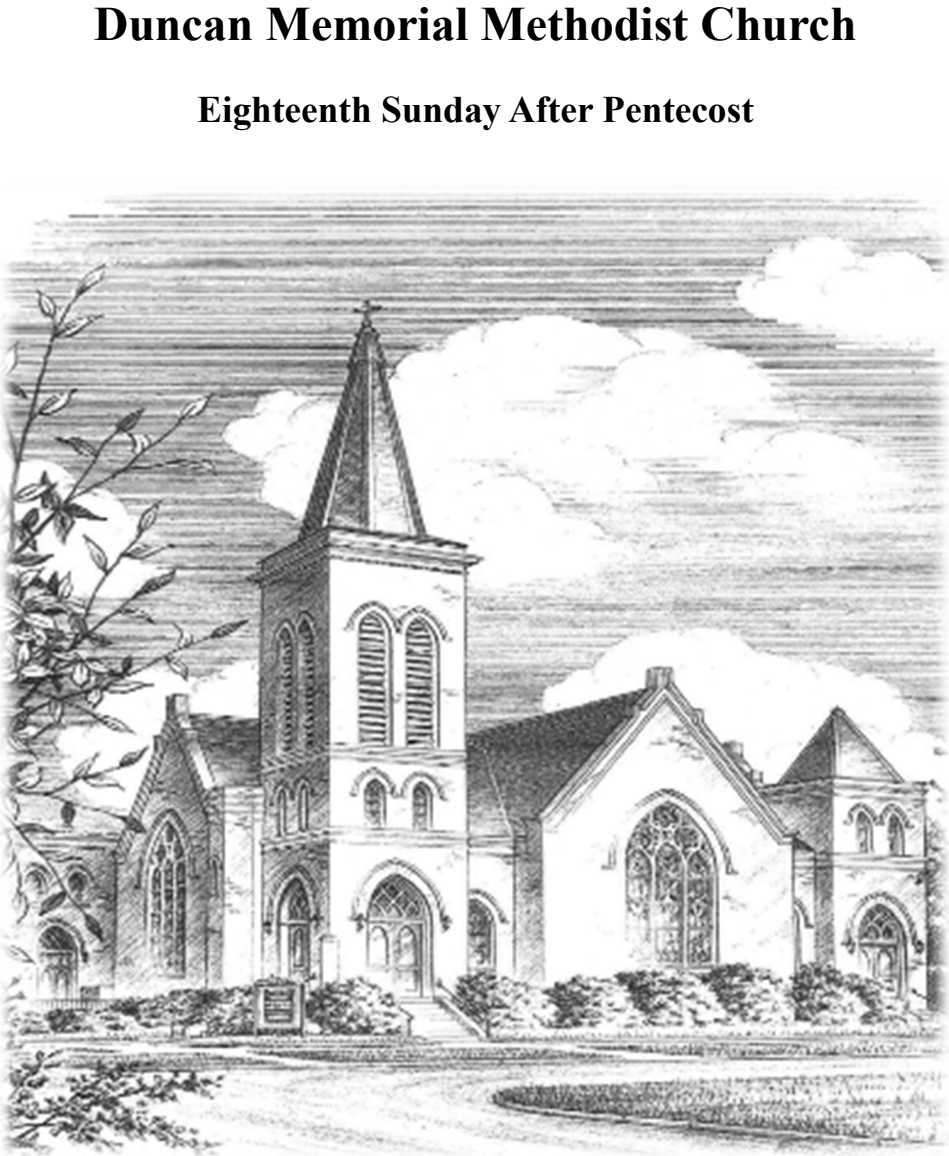


Weekly Calendar	
Oct. 12	
10:00am	Sunday School
11:00am	Worship
5:30pm	MYF Fun Nuts
Oct. 13	
9:00am	Counter (Pam Toemmes)
3:30pm	Stephen Ministry
5:30pm	Pastor Search Committee
Oct. 14	
7:30am	Men's Breakfast
9:00am	3M (Methodist Morning Moment)
10:00am	Nurture Group
5:30pm	Finance Advisory Committee
Oct. 15	
5:00pm	LOL & The Bridge
6:00pm	Wednesday Night Meal
Oct. 16	
10:00am	Women's Bible Study

This Sunday's Greeters & Ushers
Greeters: Cindy Thompson, Cindy Shaw, Margaret Ulrichsen, Jan Moore
Ushers/Offering: Bobo Thompson, Kenny Moore, Louise Walters, Melanie Daniels, Jerry Broome
We are glad you are here!
Welcome to Duncan Memorial Methodist Church. May this time of worship renew your spirit, draw you closer to God, and remind you that you are deeply loved and never alone.

CHURCH NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
Men's Breakfast: The men of Duncan are encouraged to attend breakfast Tuesday morning, October 14 to share in a meal and fellowship.
Wednesday Night Meals: Come join us for Wednesday Night Dinner on October 15 th at 6pm. The Kitchen Angels and Martin Harper will be serving Chicken Pileau!
Trunk or Treat Volunteers Needed! Date: October 22 – Decorating begins at 5pm, Dinner at 6pm, and Trunk or Treat starts at 6:30pm. Call or text the church office at 843-546-5647 to volunteer to decorate a trunk!
All Saints Sunday: We will honor our members who have gone to be with our Lord on November 2, 2025. Our All Saints Banner is in the back hallway if you would like to add the name of a loved one.

Our Faithfulness for October 5, 2025
 Weekly Collection: \$3,310.00
 Attendance: 88



God's Integrity and Glory
Romans 3:25-31

God procures this great Salvation by the shedding of the blood of Christ. The placating of the wrath of God pays the full penalty of the law and I am set free. Vs. 21-25a

1. **Propitiation** – This death placates, satisfies the Judge and the demands of the law. Every demand and penalty has been paid in full.
2. **Justification** – Viewing all the evidence in the life of the believer the judge declares sinner righteous – not just forgiven but clothed with the righteousness of Christ.
3. **Redemption** – This death penalty is a ransom that sets free the prisoner. Charles Wesley sums it up in the hymn “*And Can It Be.*”

This process guarantees God's integrity and justice. Vs 25b-26

1. **It took care of his forbearance. Vs. 25b** *He did this to demonstrate his justice, because in his forbearance he had left the sins committed beforehand unpunished--*
2. **It enables him to be just and the justifier of those who have faith in Christ. vs. 26** *he did it to demonstrate his justice at the present time, so as to be just and the one who justifies those who have faith in Jesus.*

The characteristic of this great work of Salvation. Vs. 27-31

1. **It proclaims God's glory.**
Vs. 27 *Where, then, is boasting? It is excluded. On what principle? On that of observing the law? No, but on that of faith.*
Ephesians 1:5-7 *In love he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will--to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace that he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding.*
2. **It is the divine plan to save all men, both Jew and Gentile.**
Vs. 29-30 *Is God the God of Jews only? Is he not the God of Gentiles too? Yes, of Gentiles too, since there is only one God, who will justify the circumcised by faith and the uncircumcised through that same faith.*
3. **It upholds the demands of the law**
vs. 31 *Do we, then, nullify the law by this faith? Not at all! Rather, we uphold the law.*