

## Fifth Sunday of Easter

May 2, 2021

Liturgical Color: White

+Congregation standing, if able. Congregation responses in **BOLD**.

### GATHERING

Quiet conversation among congregants is encouraged.

### PRELUDE

**“The Song Divine”**

Shea

Please observe a moment of prayerful silence as we enter our worship.

### CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

### WELCOME

Rev. Chellis

### HYMN

**“Only Trust Him”**

No. 337

### +CALL TO WORSHIP

All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the Lord;  
**And all families of the nations shall worship before him.**

Posterity will serve him! Future generations will be told about the Lord!  
**His deliverance will be proclaimed to all people of all times!**

### +GLORIA PATRI

**“Glory Be to the Father”**

No. 70

### OLD TESTAMENT READING

**Psalm 22: 25 - 31**

### CHURCH CONCERNS

Rev. Chellis

### PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER

Rev. Chellis

### THE GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY

**“O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee”**

Smith

(piano/organ duet)

(Children ages 4 through 3<sup>rd</sup> grade will leave to go to Children’s Church. Children will be offered communion during Children’s Church. Children are welcome to stay in the main service to receive communion with their families.)

### +DOXOLOGY

**“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”**

No. 95

### ANTHEM

**“Though Your Sins Be As Scarlet”**

arr. Fettke

### +GOSPEL LESSON

**John 15: 1 - 8** (Page 109)

### SERMON

**“Pruned to Bear Fruit”**

Rev. Chellis

### +AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**Apostles’ Creed**

No. 881

### SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

### +CHORAL BENEDICTION

**“Three Fold Amen”**

### POSTLUDE

**“A Song of Praise”**

Smith



Youth Group Meeting—Food and Fellowship today  
from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

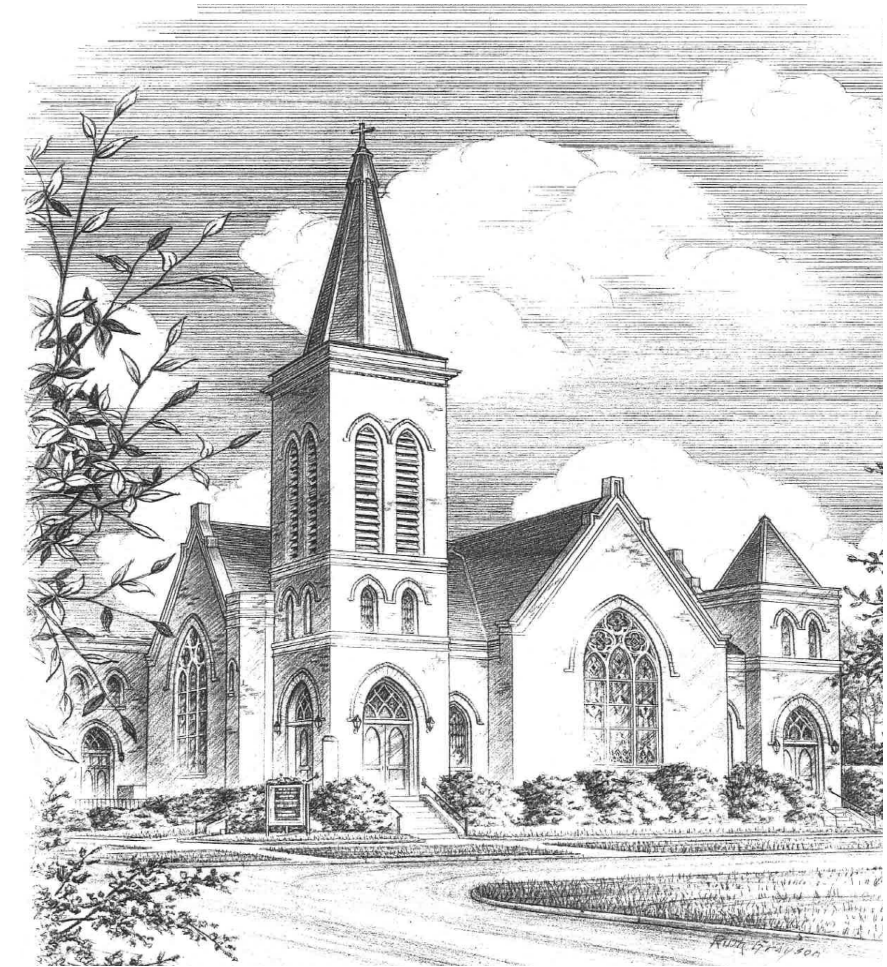
*Announcement:* Ushers are looking interested members to fill several vacancies. If you are interested, please contact Paige Sawyer at: [paigesawyer@gmail.com](mailto:paigesawyer@gmail.com).

### Save the Dates:

May 9 – 11 a.m. Epworth Annual Mother’s Day Offering  
May 12 – 6 p.m. Christian Ministry Meeting for Volunteers/New Volunteers  
May 16 – 11 a.m. Older Adult Recognition Sunday  
May 18 – 12 Noon Older Adult Recognition Luncheon (FLC)  
May 23 – 11 a.m. Confirmation  
May 30 – 11 a.m. Trinity and Children/Youth Sunday

**Fifth Sunday of Easter  
Morning Worship**

**May 2, 2021**



**“Primed to Bear Fruit”**

**John 15: 1 - 8**

**Rev. E. Rossiter Chellis**

*Minister*

*L. Jonathan Holston  
Resident Bishop*

*Timothy J. Rogers  
District Superintendent*



**DUNCAN MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

901 Highmarket Street, Georgetown, South Carolina 29440-3527

*Oldest Existing United Methodist Church in South Carolina – Est. 1785*

**Assisting in Worship Today:**

**Acolyte:** Neal Koonce **Crucifer:** Cannon Johnson

**Nursery:** Mary Kathryn Shelley, Grace DuBose, Denise Pace

**Greeters:** Ann Koerber, Cindy Gibson, Melissa Constable (P) **Children’s Church:** Lindsay Moore

**Ushers/Offering:** Paige Sawyer, Hank Strickland

**Worship Chair:** Melanie Daniels **Counter for Monday, May 3:** Susan Sawyer



The flowers on the altar in the sanctuary today are given to the glory and honor of God and in honor of my mother’s birthday, Mrs. Winifred Ballard Poit, by Chip and Melanie Daniels.

**Duncan’s Weekly Opportunities May 2 to May 8, 2021**

fh = Fellowship Hall flc = Family Life Center

<u>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></u>	9:45 am	-	Confirmation Class
<u>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></u>	10:00 am	-	Discussion for Youth with Miss Katie
<u>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></u>	10:00 am	-	Choir Rehearsal
<u>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup></u>	11:00 am	-	Morning Worship
<u>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup></u>	6:30 pm	-	Choir Rehearsal
<u>Thursday 6<sup>th</sup></u>	10:00 am	-	Stephen Ministry (fh)

**Our Faithful Giving for April 25, 2021**

Weekly Budget Requirement.....\$11,458 Weekly Receipts 4/25/2021.....\$7,455  
Attendance .....155

**CURRENT CHURCH HOURS:** Monday through Wednesday Office is open from 9 am to 2 pm Thursday Office is open from 9 am to 12:30 pm Friday Office is closed all day You can leave a voicemail at the Main Number: 843-546-5647 and your call will be returned

**Music Ministry.....**Mary Ruth Ragland **Organist.....**Paul I. Skoko **Pianist.....**Melodye Sparks

**Christian Education.....**Kassijo Lloyd **Nurture/Outreach.....**Debbie Kaufman

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