

Sunday, July 2nd, 2023

VISITOR INFORMATION

List the names of all those with you today (please list children's ages):

Address: _____

Best Phone: _____

Email: _____

- I / We...
- ☐ First-time visitor
 - ☐ Regularly attending
 - ☐ Visiting Family / Friends
 - ☐ Would like more information
 - ☐ Request email Newsletter
 - ☐ Interested in membership

Do NOT detach separately from this tear-off

MEMBER ATTENDANCE

Please list the name of all members in attendance:

Please contact the church office with all changes to contact information.
(ie—phone, email, address)



July 2-July 9

Sunday 2nd
10:45am Worship Service & Holy Communion
11:45am Pecan Orders in Narthex
5:00pm First Youth

Tuesday 4th- Independence Day
Office Closed

Sunday 9th
9:30am Sunday School
10:00am Chancel Choir
10:30am JAM Children's Church
10:45am Worship Service
Lisa Nichols Preaching
5:00pm First Youth
5:30pm Life Groups

Gifts to the Church

To Building Fund
In Memory of Mary Bell Howell
John & Delores Driver



- SHORT TERM PRAYER**
- Doug Blanchard
 - Darlene Gordon
 - Dr. Aaron Samuel
 - Will Hyberger
 - Jill Ingram
 - Sarah McLeod
 - Steve Medley
- LONG TERM PRAYER**
- Ron Merz
 - Ruth Miller
 - Scobey Newman
 - Eleanor Perkinson
 - Tom Phillips
 - Carolyn Rogers
 - Elizabeth Samuel
 - Rick Scoggins
 - Charlotte Shaver
 - Cathy Smith
 - Bob Sneed
 - Tom Southard
 - Mildred Sparkman
 - Stuart Switzer
 - Janice Tate
 - Betty Watt
 - Olivia Weatherford
 - Jackson Yarber



As of 6/26/2023:
Receipts to Date \$259,857.12
Expenses to Date \$346,055.25

Place your Tithes and Offerings in the collection plate on Sunday mornings
OR Mail them to the church.

ATTENDANCE

	In-Person	Online	Kids	Youth
6/25/23 AM	110	--	18	--
PM	--	--	--	--



July 2nd, 2023 5th Sunday after Pentecost

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude

Call to Worship

*Hymn of Praise Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart UMH 160

*Affirmation of Faith "The Apostles' Creed"

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 13

Prayer Chorus Goodness of God

Prayer Rev. Walt Simmerman

Prayer Response Goodness of God

*Hymn of Reflection Leaning on the Everlasting Arms UMH 133

Offertory

New Testament Lesson Luke 22:14-24

Message Around the Table Rev. Walt Simmerman

Communion Anthem Thank You Jesus for the Blood Applied

*Hymn of Invitation Battle Hymn of the Republic

Benediction Rev. Walt Simmerman

Postlude

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pastor - Rev. Curtis McKee Worship Director - Roberta Bishop Knight
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Last Day for Pecans!
The United Women in Faith will be taking orders for pecans after Worship Service in the Narthex

Holston Home Donations
The Seeker's Circle is collecting needed items for the children at Holston Home. Items can be dropped off in the box by the office throughout July. Thank you!

- Towels & Wash Cloths
- Composition Notebooks (NOT wire-bound)
- 3 Ring Binder Note Paper
- Large Packs of Colored Pencils & Colored Markers (more than 8-10 colors)
- Red, Black, & Blue Gel Pens

Holston United Methodist Home for Children provides hope & healing for a brighter future by sharing the love of Jesus with children & families struggling with life's challenges.

Save The Date—Sat. July 29th
Faith & Family Night at the Lookouts!
Mrs. Jill will be finished with chemo & is inviting all families of children & youth to go to a Lookouts game together. Fans will have the unique opportunity to experience a night of fellowship & faith & baseball.

Families can drive their own vehicles & will meet at the stadium at 6:30. Please contact Jill Ingram if your family wants to attend & let her know how many will be there!

GADABOUTS

Gadabouts will meet July 13th at noon in the Commons. Bring your own sandwich/soup. Jamie Mortensen speaking. There will be BINGO!

WORSHIP *night*

Friday, July 14th at 7pm
in the Narthex
join us for Worship Night & an ice cream social

One n' Done Women's Choir

Join the choir for one rehearsal & one performance.
7/16 Rehearsal 10am
Performance 10:45am

Sunday Lunch Fellowship Group

will meet July 23rd.
Keep an eye out for the sign-up in early July

Call To Worship
-Psalm 105:1-3 (ESV)

Leader: *Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name;*

People: make known his deeds among the peoples!

Leader: *Sing to him, sing praises to him;*

People: tell of all his wondrous works!

Leader: *Glory in his holy name;*

All: let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!

Sing With Understanding: The Battle Hymn of the Republic

The refrain of the patriotic hymn echoes in the halls of American hearts, but what does it mean to the Chrisitan? The Battle Hymn of the Republic is teeming with Biblical references and imagery of war. The refrain alone underscores the proclamations made by Jesus Christ in John 14:6 "I am the way the truth and the light". Galatians 2:5 reflects the gospel refrain's "His truth is marching on..." with the Apostle Paul's charge to "not yield submission even for an hour, that the truth of the gospel might continue with you." The war between God and Satan still rages today and hymns like this serve as the battle cry to continue the fight for freedom from sin with the weapons of God's truth.

Remember in Prayer

Please List:

Name: _____

Reason: _____

Circle one: Long-term / Short-term

☐ Prayer List ☐ Prayer Chain

☐ Both ☐ Neither

Person Making the Request: _____

Short-term requests are only posted for two weeks.

NOTIFY THE CHURCH OFFICE TO ADD OR REMOVE NAMES FROM THE PRAYER LIST.

LIFE GROUPS

Sunday Evening Life Groups are starting July 9! We need to know who is interested in joining so we can make plans. Scan the QR code, use link in the E-Newsletter, or fill out the info below.

Yes! Sign me up for a Sunday Evening Life Group:

Name: _____

SCAN

OR

FILL OUT