

## GATHERING OF THE PEOPLE TO WORSHIP

Prelude

*The prelude is an invitation to enter into God's presence with thanksgiving and into God's courts with praise. As the organist begins please listen quietly and allow the music to lead us into God's eternal presence, and prepare us to worship the triune God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.*

Procession of the Cross and Light

*The cross symbolizes Christ crucified and risen and the light symbolizes the presence of God inviting us to prepare for worship.*

Welcome

Military Honors

Opening Litany

*Psalm 1*

Hymnal 738

Blessed are those

who do not walk in the counsel of the wicked;

**or stand in the way of sinners,**

**or sit in the seat of scoffers;**

but their delight is in the law of the Lord,

**and on God's law they meditate day and night.**

They are like trees

planted by streams of water

that yield their fruit in season,

and their leaves do not wither.

**In all that they do, they prosper.**

The wicked are not so,

but are like chaff which the wind drives away.

**Therefore the wicked will not stand in the judgment;**

**nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous;**

for the Lord knows the way of the righteous,

**but the way of the wicked will perish.**

## PRAISE AND ADORATION OF GOD

\*Hymn 103

*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*

\*Affirmation of Faith

*A Modern Affirmation*

Hymnal Page 885

*Liturgist:*

Where the Spirit of the Lord is,

there is the one true church, apostolic and universal,

whose holy faith let us now declare:

**All:**

**We believe in God the Father,**

**infinite in wisdom, power, and love,**

**whose mercy is over all his works,**

**and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ,**

**Son of God and Son of man,**

**the gift of the Father's unfailing grace,**

**the ground of our hope,**

**and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.**

## We believe in the Holy Spirit

**as the divine presence in our lives,**

**whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance**

**of the truth of Christ,**

**and find strength and help in time of need.**

**We believe that this faith should manifest itself**

**in the service of love**

**as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord,**

**to the end**

**that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.**

\*Response of Praise

*Gloria Patri*

**Glory be to the Father**

**and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost,**

**as it was in the beginning**

**is now, and ever shall be,**

**world without end. Amen. Amen.**

## RESPONSE TO GOD'S GRACE

Pastoral Prayer and 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,**

**forever. Amen.**

Special Music

*Just a Closer Walk with Thee*

Marie Lewis

## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD OF GOD

\*Gospel Reading

*Mark 9:30-37*

Sermon

*Re-imagining Greatness*

Rev. Dr. Rebecca Bruff

## SENDING FORTH INTO GOD'S WORLD

\*Hymn 127

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

\*Benediction

\*Postlude

*\*The congregation stands*

*~We encourage everyone to wear a mask and to maintain social distancing.*

*~Please fill out tear off on your bulletin and place in offering plate as you leave so we have a record of who attended. Take your bulletin with you as you leave.*

*~A congregational photograph will be taken as well so we can document who attended.*

**Prayer Concerns**

**Information for the Ministers**

**Items for The Carteret**

**Connection**

**Sign Up for a Nametag**

## COMMUNICATION SHEET

### Guests

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Service Attended:  
8:30am \_\_\_\_\_ 10:30am \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (cell) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

### **Please circle all that apply:**

- First time guest
- Repeat guest
- New to area
- Visiting with family/friends
- Would like more information about CSUMC
- Interested in Sunday School
- Would like a call from minister
- Would like to join CSUMC
- Add to mailing list
- Add to email list

### Members

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Service Attended:  
8:30am \_\_\_\_\_ 10:30am \_\_\_\_\_

**Please let us know of  
address, phone or email changes.**

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City/State \_\_\_\_\_  
Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone (cell) \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

*Please complete both sides, detach  
and place in offering plate.*

**The flowers** are given by George and Arlene Hull to the glory of God and in honor of the children of the Epworth Home and in memory of Merle Hull, George's father, who was orphaned at age 7.

**The rose** is given in honor of **Caspian Kye James** born August 26, 2021 in Atlanta, GA. He is the son of Jerod James and Brandy Kelley, grandson of Chuck James and great-grandson of Charlotte James.

**We extend our sympathy to** James and Bradley Fabian on the death of their grandfather, **James F. Fabian, Jr.** on September 13, 2021 in Beaufort, SC; Charlotte James on the death of her son and Karen Wilson and Cheryl Gollighugh on the death of their brother, **Chuck James** on September 15, 2021 in Pooler, GA.

### OUR STEWARDSHIP

I will be loyal to the United Methodist Church and uphold it with my prayers, my presence, my gifts, my service and my witness.

### OUR PRAYERS

As the bulletin was prepared: **Home** Buddy Clark, Connie and Hugh Folk, Barbara Garrison, Hoyt Graham, Frank Hamilton, Jim Hayes, Jim Hicks, Ed Howle, Charlotte James, Christine Jones, Forrest Jones, Becky Lapp, May Lepionka, Priscilla Lyons, Marilyn MacKinnon, Lori Mangano, Sandy Manuilow, Hilda McMillan, Sue Mumma, Linda Oliva, Grable Page

**Beaufort Nursing and Rehab** Rob Black

**Methodist Oaks** Martha Smith

**Ribaut Senior Village** Hazel Rose, Joan Suda

**Sprenger Health Care** Jackie Black, Gayle Holliday

**Wesley Commons, Greenwood** Betty Elkins

### OUR PRESENCE

Worship	8:30am	41
	10:30am	93

### OUR GIFTS

Needed Each Week	\$ 11,382.63	Received Last Week	\$ 7,495.00
Budget Needs Y-T-D	\$ 421,157.31	Received Y-T-D	\$ 390,219.02

### OUR SERVICE

Ushers	8:30am	Lionel Cabaniss, Cliff Wimberly
	10:30am	Allen Farley, Todd Keyserling
Crucifer/Acolytes	10:30am	Lily Nappier; James and Sarah Bette Bundy
Liturgist		Rev. Bryson Williams

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**MELINDA ACKERMAN**, Director of Children's Ministries

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**REV. DR. REBECCA BRUFF**, Part-time Pastoral Assistant

**ROBERT BLANTON, JR.**, Director of Music Ministry

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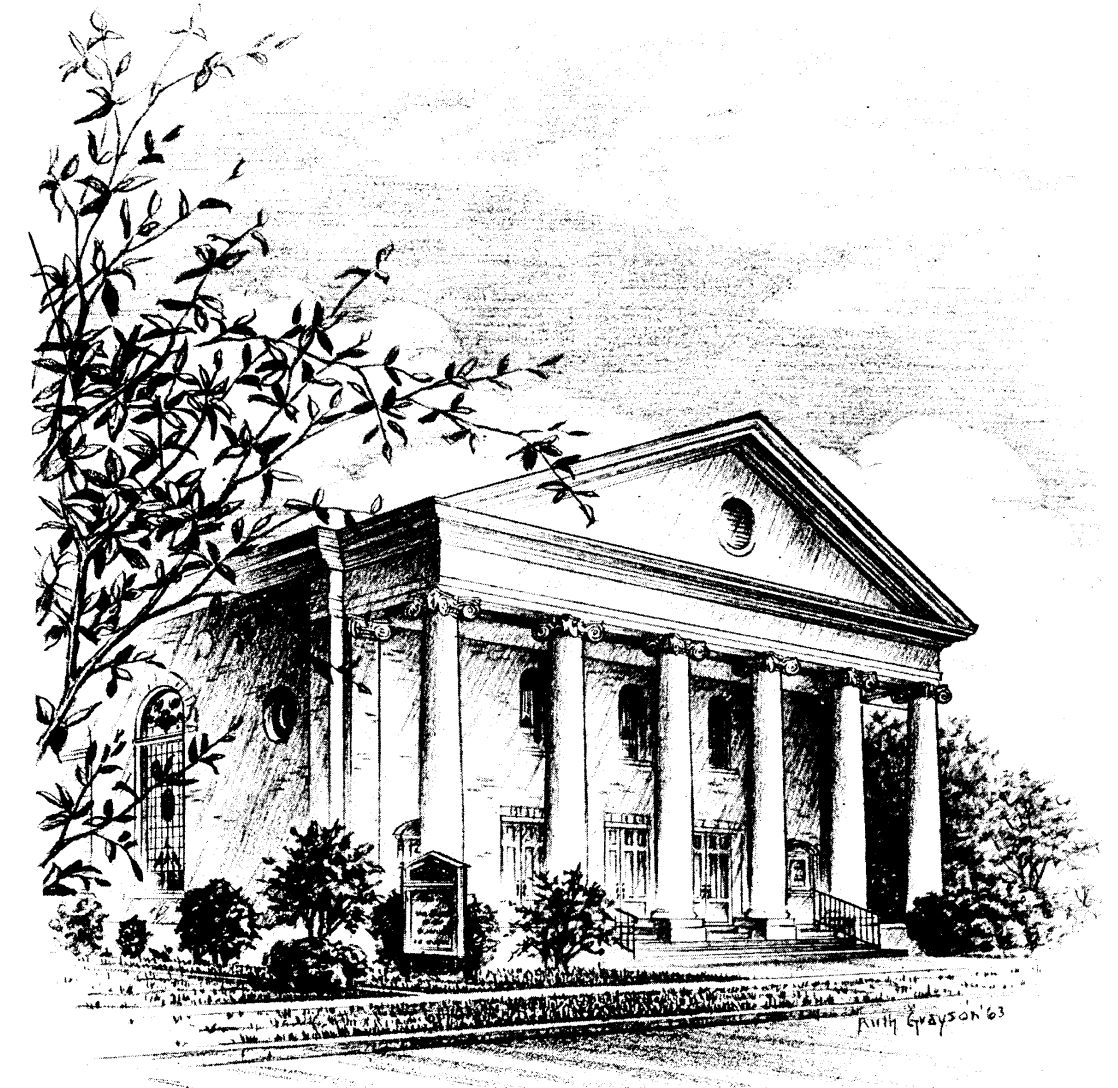
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# Carteret Street United Methodist Church



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Welcome to Carteret Street United Methodist Church. We greet you in the name of Jesus Christ and are glad you have come to worship with us. We invite you to let us know of your presence today by completing the Communication Sheet attached to this bulletin. Detach the Communication Sheet and place it in the offering plate as you depart. If you need assistance with a hearing device, please see an usher.