



Sacraments



January 9, 2022

9:00 am Service



We exist to welcome ALL people by sharing the Love of Christ!

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bob Green

PRELUDE

Gayle Graening

*HYMN

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

UMH 127

**Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, pilgrim through this barren land.
I am weak, but thou art mighty; hold me with thy powerful hand.
Bread of heaven, bread of heaven, feed me till I want no more;
feed me till I want no more.**

**Open now the crystal fountain, whence the healing stream doth flow;
Let the fire and cloudy pillar lead me all my journey through.
Strong deliverer, strong deliverer, be though still my strength and shield;
be thou still my strength and shield.**

**When I tread the verge of Jordan, bid my anxious fears subside;
death of death and hell's destruction, land me safe on Canaan's side.
Songs of praises, songs of praises, I will ever give to thee;
I will ever give to thee.**

INVITATION

Leader: Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

CONFESSION AND PARDON

Congregation: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Leader: Hear the good news: Christ has died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

**Congregation: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God. Amen.**

APOSTLES CREED

UMH 881

*HYMN

Glory Be to the Father

UMH 70

**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.**

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERING MEDITATION

Come, Sing Unto the Lord

Chancel Choir

***DOXOLOGY**

UMH 95

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise him, all creatures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Carrie Neblett

PASSING OF THE PEACE**FELLOWSHIP TIME***Surely the Presence of the Lord*

UMH 328

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER***SCRIPTURE**

Matthew 3:13-17

SERMON

Sacraments

Rev. Sean Stanfield

BAPTISMAL COVENANT IV

UMH 50

Leader: Brothers and sisters in Christ: Through the Sacrament of Baptism we are initiated into Christ's holy Church. We are incorporated into God's mighty acts of salvation and given new birth through water and the Spirit. All this is God's gift, offered to us without price. Through the reaffirmation of our faith we renew the covenant declared at our baptism, acknowledge what God is doing for us, and affirm our commitment to Christ's holy Church.

RENUNCIATION OF SIN AND PROFESSION OF FAITH

Leader: On behalf of the whole Church, I ask you: Do you renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, reject the evil powers of this world, and repent of your sin?

Congregation: I do.

Leader: Do you accept the freedom and power God gives you to resist evil, injustice, and oppression in whatever forms they present themselves?

Congregation: I do.

Leader: Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the Church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races?

Congregation: I do.

Leader: According to the grace given to you, will you remain faithful members of Christ's holy Church and serve as Christ's representatives in the world?

Congregation: I will.

Leader: Let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments. Do you believe in God the Father?

Congregation: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Leader: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

Congregation: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day

he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Leader: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

Congregation: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.

THANKSGIVING OVER THE WATER

Leader: The Lord be with you.

Congregation: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray. Eternal Father: When nothing existed but chaos, you swept across the dark waters and brought forth light. In the days of Noah you saved those on the ark through water. After the flood you set in the clouds a rainbow. When you saw your people as slaves in Egypt, you led them to freedom through the sea. Their children you brought through the Jordan to the land which you promised.

Congregation: Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Tell of God's mercy each day.

Leader: In the fullness of time you sent Jesus, nurtured in the water of a womb. He was baptized by John and anointed by your Spirit. He called his disciples to share in the baptism of his death and resurrection and to make disciples of all nations.

Congregation: Declare his works to the nations, his glory among all people.

Leader: Pour out your Holy Spirit, and by this gift of water call to our remembrance the grace declared to us in our baptism. For you have washed away our sins, and you clothe us with righteousness throughout our lives, that dying and rising with Christ we may share in his final victory.

Congregation: All praise to you, Eternal Father, through your Son Jesus Christ, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns for ever. Amen.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you

Congregation: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

Congregation: We lift them up to the Lord

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

Congregation: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Congregation: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Leader: And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Congregation: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Leader: All honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and for ever.

Congregation: Amen.

COMMUNION MEDITATION

Anne Dorris

***HYMN**

UMH 593

Here I Am, Lord

***I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin
my hand will save.***

***I, who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?***

***Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.***

***I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.***

***I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?***

***Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.***

***I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.***

***Finest bread I will provide
'till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?***

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*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

**BENEDICTION
POSTLUDE**

Gayle Graening

*Please stand as you are able

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Sacraments

Matthew 3:13-17

1. Baptism is a visible sign, a _____, pointing us to who we are in Jesus.
 2. Baptism reminds us that Jesus _____ to us.
 3. The Sacraments help us to _____ all that Jesus has done for us.
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Sweetheart Breakfast

Saturday, February 12

8:30 a.m. - Fellowship Hall

The Men invite all ladies to their Sweetheart Breakfast on February 12.



Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall.

Volunteer Opportunities Children and Youth Volunteers

Volunteer opportunities are available in a monthly rotation system on either Sunday Mornings with our Children's Ministry or on Wednesday Evenings with our Youth Ministry. Please contact Carrie Neblett or Tim Smith with any questions or if you would like to serve as a rotating volunteer once a month. We hope you will consider giving a little of your time to serve with these important ministries.

YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS

Confirmation Classes

Through the Spring Semester, the Youth Sunday School classes will be centered around Confirmation.

Confirmation marks the first time a baptized Christian publicly "confirms" their intention to live the vows of the baptismal and membership covenant and so becomes a professing member of the local congregation and The United Methodist Church. Confirmation is a way for students to formally express that they are a Christian and want to live a life of faith.

First Meeting

Sunday, January 9, at 10:30 am during Sunday School

Parents are invited to this session as well to answer any questions they might have.

Winter Retreat at Camp Holloway

**Friday, February 11, 2022
thru
Sunday, February 13, 2022**

Open to All Youth

Details and Registration Information
will be available soon!

MISSION OPPORTUNITY

Partnering Opportunities with Stay Warm Shelter

Weekly throughout the year, the Stay Warm Shelter offers a tote bag with shelf stable, nutritionally-balanced food for four meals for the unhoused in Gallatin. They also offer a hygiene bag.

Rehoboth will be collecting food for the food bags and hygiene items.

A collection bin will be located in Fellowship Hall.

(Please Note: The items needed are very specific. Therefore, please see the suggested items lists below.)

Suggested Food Items Include:

*(Please do not include spicy flavors, no refrigerated items,
make sure cans are metal and can be heated, and **ALL Cans must have a pull top.**)*

- ◆ Beef Stew, Beenee Weenies, Chunky Meat Soup, Beefaroni, Pork n Beans, Vienna Sausage, Spam, Chili with beans, Ravioli and Meatballs, Spaghetti, tuna fish can, chicken can (other like items with 10g or higher protein)
- ◆ Fruit cups - Pudding cups
- ◆ Cheese/cracker pack - Peanut butter/cracker pack
- ◆ Protein **soft** granola bars - Belvita Breakfast Bars – Nature Valley Biscuit
- ◆ Milk or Protein Drink (Boost, Atkins, Carnation Instant Breakfast, Premier)
- ◆ 12 oz. Gatorades
- ◆ Waters
- ◆ Sugar Free Gum
- ◆ Plastic ware wrapped in plastic as a set
- ◆ Sleeve of Saltines, Ritz, Club or any plain Crackers (prefer ½ size sleeve)

Suggested Hygiene Items Include:

- ◆ Toothbrushes and small travel toothpaste
- ◆ Hotel or travel size shampoo, conditioner, lotion, body wash, bar soap (in a baggie), chap stick, dental floss, mouthwash, nail clippers
- ◆ Additional Items: hot hand warming packets, hot foot warming packets, new warm hats, new warm gloves, new warm socks

5th Sunday Blended Worship Service and Potluck after Service

Beginning on January 30, when a month has 5 Sundays, we will be combining worship services and hosting a potluck after the worship service on that 5th Sunday. This Blended Worship Service will be held at 10 am with the potluck immediately following the service. No Sunday School or Fellowship Time will be held on those Sundays.



Card Creation & Fellowship



Join with others
to create greeting cards
Wednesday, January 12
10:00 a.m.
RUMC Library

Week of January 9, 2022

Today:

8:30 am Chancel Choir
9:00 am Traditional Worship Service
10:00am Fellowship Time
10:30 am Sunday School
11:15 am Contemporary Worship Service

Monday:

6:30 pm Encounter Prayer Group
(Chapel & Facebook Live)

Tuesday:

6:30 pm Church Visioning Team (CC)

Wednesday:

7:45 am Men's Breakfast (Panera)
10:00 am Card Fellowship Group (Library)
6:00 pm Youth Group
6:30 pm Chancel Choir

Saturday

8:00 am Trustees (Library)
9:00 am Finance (Library)
10:00 am Church Leadership Team
(Chapel)

INCLEMENT WEATHER SCHEDULE

Rehoboth will follow the
Sumner County school schedule
for inclement weather.
If school is cancelled, activities at
Rehoboth will also be cancelled.

Birthdays

Jan 11 Dot Poag
Jan 12 Emily Cage
Jan 14 Sally Meyer
Jan 15 Hunter Willbanks

Birthdays Blessings

REHOBOTH STAFF

SENIOR PASTOR: Rev. Sean Stanfield
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Maryann Davis
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY: Rick Sims
ASSIST. DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY: Danny Tucker
ORGANIST/ACCOMPANIST: Beth Holzemer
AUDIO/VIDEO TECHNICIAN: Nick Boyd
DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: Carrie Neblett
DIR. OF STUDENT & YOUNG ADULT MINISTRIES: Tim Smith
CHILDCARE WORKER: Stephanie Goodman

Rehoboth's Prayer Requests

Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

Long-Term

(hospice care or long-term medical treatments, diagnosis or rehab)

Maria Avila-Raspel (J. Miller)	Tom Harned (M. Miller)	Helena Ludwig	Chuck Schaal (Hanson)
Bob Beatty (D. Brown)	Dick Holtz	Jim Mason	Donna Stephens (J. Miller)
Bud Cage	Merle Hurst (Sims)	Richard Miller (J. Miller)	Rita White (Hayes)
Jean Cage	Gary Johnson (Moore)	Brian Mischley (S. Stanfield)	Bonnie Williamson
Brenda DeLagarde (Moore)	Ed Kennedy (B. Miller)	Vickie Muse (Cundiff)	
Sandy Smith Donnelly (T. Smith)	Sara Kennedy (B. Miller)	Jan Miller Raspel (J. Miller)	

Health Concerns

Charles Atkins	Sue Dwelle	Mary Lou McNabb	Wynde Sloan
Lynda Aldridge	Barb Gilligan	Roy Moriarity (Hasch)	Connie Stanfield (S. Stanfield)
JoAnn Bates	Katrina (Scowden)	John Myers (Cathcart)	Barbara Vaughn (Walker)
Carolyn Crabtree (J. Miller)	Jim Land	Stella Patrick (Patrick)	
Lynn D'Angelo (D'Angelo)	Erma Jean Mayton (Woodrich)	Latrice Phipps (Woodrich)	
Jon Dorris (Dorris)	Johnny McIntosh	Becky Sears (M. Atkins)	

Other Concerns

Family of Carol Gnyp (M. Atkins)	Family of Rev. Stephen Martin (J. Johnson)
Karl Heughan (M. Atkins)	Family of John Woodard (Wilson)

Sympathy To

Mike Vaughn and family in the passing of Mike's father Lowell Vaughn

Individuals will remain on our list for up to 3 weeks. Please contact the church office to resubmit a praise and/or prayer request.
(Names in Bold have been newly added to the list.)