

# TRENHOLM ROAD

## UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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### **Our Mission:**

*Come And Worship*

*Grow in Faith, Share the Word, Go and Serve*

A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE

*for the*

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

SEPTEMBER 4, 2022 *at* 10:00 am

### ENTRANCE

*The flowers at the altar are given in loving memory of our aunt, Miriam Parrott from  
Celia Parrott Jernigan and Karen Parrott Shaver.*

### GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. James McCoy-Bruce

### PRELUDE

*Sing Praise to God, arranged by Paul Laubengayer*

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

One: In beauty and mystery,

**All: We see the face of God.**

One: In the common and the ordinary,

**All: We know the love of Christ.**

One: In the bread and the cup,

**All: We taste the presence of God.**

One: In the song and in the embrace,

**All: We share the joy of faith.**

**\*HYMN**

“Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above”

*UMH 126*

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**

“The Apostles’ Creed”

*UMH 881*

**\*THE GLORIA PATRI**

“Glory Be to the Father”

*UMH 71*

**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.**

**PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE**

**SCRIPTURE LESSON**

**Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 NRSV**

O Lord, you have searched me and known me.  
You know when I sit down and when I rise up;  
you discern my thoughts from far away.  
You search out my path and my lying down  
and are acquainted with all my ways.  
Even before a word is on my tongue,  
O Lord, you know it completely.  
You hem me in, behind and before,  
and lay your hand upon me.  
Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;  
it is so high that I cannot attain it.  
For it was you who formed my inward parts;  
you knit me together in my mother’s womb.  
I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made.  
Wonderful are your works;  
that I know very well.  
My frame was not hidden from you,  
when I was being made in secret,  
intricately woven in the depths of the earth.  
Your eyes beheld my unformed substance.  
In your book were written  
all the days that were formed for me,  
when none of them as yet existed.

How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God!  
How vast is the sum of them!  
I try to count them—they are more than the sand;  
I come to the end—I am still with you.

The Word of God for the people of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

## CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ashlea Cox

What is our prayer for these children?

**Our prayer is that our children will grow up to be like Jesus:  
strong, loving, brave, and full of grace and truth;  
and that we will help them.**

*Following the presentation, children in 4K through 1st grade are invited to attend Little Church in the Riser Room on the third floor of the Leisure Ministries Building.*

## DUET

*Psalm 139, by Allen Pote*

Ann Baggett & Daryl Byrd

## SERMON

"Who Has Your Back?"

Rev. James McCoy-Bruce

## CONFESSION AND PARDON

UMH 12

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.

*All pray in silence.*

*Leader to people:*

Hear the good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;  
that proves God's love toward us.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

*People to leader:*

**In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!**

*Leader and people:*

**Glory to God. Amen.**

## MORNING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

*The pastor offers the morning prayer.*

## OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*My God Is an Awesome God*, by Keith Hampton

Daryl Byrd, *tenor*

## \*PRESENTATION OF TITHES, GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

## \*DOXOLOGY

*"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"*

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.**

# THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

UMH 11

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

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.

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery  
in which you have given yourself to us.  
Grant that we may go into the world  
in the strength of your Spirit,  
to give ourselves for others,  
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord,  
Amen.

SENDING FORTH

\*HYMN

"God Will Take Care of You"

UMH 130

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

\*POSTLUDE

*Fugue in C Major*, by Dietrich Buxtehude

## NEWSWORTHY

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**TRUMC** will be closed Monday, September 5, in observance of Labor Day.



### Looking ahead to Sunday, September 11

#### **WORK DAY OFFERING NEXT SUNDAY!**

Next Sunday is the annual Work Day offering for Epworth Children's Home. This tradition dates back decades to when Methodists were challenged to "Give a Day's Pay" to the children at Epworth.. Your generous contribution to our church's ministry enables transformation to happen for the children who are served by Epworth. Epworth does not receive apportionment dollars from the United Methodist Conference. This offering is our opportunity to support this vital ministry. Be sure to give!!!

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### Children's Updates

#### **Children and Youth Basketball Sign Ups**

It's that time of year again! Basketball sign ups. Children and Youth ages 2nd-12th grade are able to participate in our basketball league. We partner every year with the Christian Youth Basketball League (CYBL) to put on a great

season. The fee to play is \$75, which includes a jersey that you can keep. If you are interested in coaching, please email Ashlea or Linda. Use the link below to sign up!


<https://forms.gle/yvre6G73ALFvY9rK7>

#### **Children's Ministry Volunteer Information**

If you are a volunteer within our children's ministry, please take the time to fill out our information form through the link below. Please fill out the form so we will have a better idea of the places you would like to serve, and to help with burnout of volunteers. Please send me an email if you have any questions or for more information on the various volunteer opportunities! [Ashlea@trumc.org](mailto:Ashlea@trumc.org).

<https://forms.gle/qzaYjPzT5vfBZRJ26>

#### Youth Updates

- Missed the **Youth Parent Information Meeting**? Don't worry- visit the church website to watch the Power point!
  - **NO MYF** - Sunday, Sept. 4.
  - Scan this QR code to sign up to **assist with Sunday School, MYF or Discipleship**
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- **Discipleship** begins Wednesday Sept. 7- Youth will meet, if desired, for dinner in the dining all from 5:30-6:00. Bible study and games will occur between 6:00-7:00. At 7:00 we will have early pick up or free time! This is to allow Linda to attend choir rehearsal. Use the QR code above to sign up to teach MYF, assist or arrive at 7:00 to help supervise! Thanks!
  - **Youth Choir and Youth Hand bells**- Our first performance will be October 16<sup>th</sup> at the 11:00 service! Youth choir and hand bells will rehearse in sessions. Meaning you will know

the performance date and rehearsals before you sign up! If you are unavailable for the performance date, no worries, just keep your eyes open for the next session and join us then! We can't wait to get started! Scan this QR code to register: (see attached)

**Rehearsals:** 5:00-5:30 (Choir in the choir room, Hand bells in the bells room (LM125) – September 25<sup>th</sup> Choir will be from 4:00-4:30!  
**Choir:** September 11, September 18, September 25 (4:00-4:30 on this date ONLY), October 9  
**Hand bells:** October 2, October 9

### Children's Choirs Registration

It's time to sign up for our 2022-2023 season of Children's Choirs! Weekly rehearsals are held on Wednesday afternoons from 5:00 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. and will resume Wednesday, September 7. Choirs are open to children ages four through fifth grade. You may register your child by visiting [trenholmroad.org/music](http://trenholmroad.org/music).

## Converse & connect with PASTOR JAMES!!

**Thursday, September 15, 11am**

In Person, open session

**Sunday, September 18, 4 pm**

Believer's Class (Columbia Craft Brewing)

**Monday, September 19, 6:00 pm**

Friends in Faith (church)

**Sunday, September 25, 12:15pm**

Pathfinders (church)

### IN-PERSON Book Club

The September book club will meet in person and in the parlor on September 12.

#### Meet the Authors!!

Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray will appear at the "Author Talk" on Thu, Sept. 8 at 6:30pm at the Richland County Library - 1431 Assembly St. Columbia, SC

If you have any questions or would like to participate and join, please contact Margaret Haffner at [musselman123@hotmail.com](mailto:musselman123@hotmail.com).

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## PRAYERS WITHIN THE TRENHOLM ROAD CONNECTION

**Christian Sympathy:** To Sarah and John Cuttino, at the death of Sarah's dad, Marshall Ramsey. Mr. Ramsey passed on July 28. A private graveside service was held on August 2.

- Stuart Smith
- Carol Parrish
- Jess Torres
- Debby Joyner
- Angela English
- Hayes Mizell
- Stella Wilkins
- Nancy Howarth, *grandmother of Nathan Cox*
- Robbie Bowers
- Lendi Watkins, *niece of Geri Cutler*
- Art Baker
- Vernon Bowen
- Carol Mosser
- Betty McCoy
- Betty Jo Nix, *grandmother of Ashlea Cox*
- Celeste Cobb
- Suzanne Wise
- David Williams of *DeLoache Florist*
- Matt Turner, *son of Elizabeth Turner*
- Maxine Reynolds, *mother of Amy Craighead*
- Linda Dhunjishah, *mother of Michelle Betette*

## Offering and Attendance Report

Attendance, last Sunday	329 people
Annual Budget	\$1,416,812
Month-to-Date Receipts	\$106,759
Month-to-Date Expenses	\$125,467
<i>Difference</i>	<i>(\$17,808)</i>
Year-to-Date Receipts	\$769,953
Year-to-Date Expenses	\$769,958
<i>Difference</i>	<i>(\$5)</i>

### Preacher:

Rev. James McCoy-Bruce, Pastor

### Worship Assistants

Acolyte: Bates Trobaugh

Crucifer: Ryan Hamner

Lay Reader: Terri Strauss

Usher Captains: Bob Henry, Chris Younts

Children's Message: Ashlea Cox, *Director of Child & Family Ministries*

### Musicians

Trenholm Road Sanctuary Choir

Ann Baggett, *soprano*

Daryl Byrd, *tenor*

Sarah Fletcher, *Director of Music*

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DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRIES: Rev. Sarah Fletcher

DIRECTOR, CHILD & FAMILY MINISTRIES: Ashlea Cox

DIRECTOR, STUDENT MINISTRY: Linda Collins

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