

# 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*

FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY

February 4, 2024 at 8:45am & 11:00am

ENTRANCE

### GATHERING

Leader: God is good!

**People: All the time**

Leader: And all the time

**People: God is good!**

Welcome and Announcements

### PRELUDE

*Prelude on Azmon, by Michael Burkhardt*

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Lift up your eyes and see.

**People: Our God is an awesome God.**

Leader: God is from everlasting to everlasting.

**People: Our God is an awesome God.**

Leader: Hear the song of the earth and the praise of God's people.

**People: Our God is an awesome God.**

### \*HYMN

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

UMH 57

## \*APOSTLES' CREED

UMH 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth;  
And 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, dead and buried;  
the third day he rose from the dead;  
he ascended into heaven,  
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;  
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

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. Amen.

## \*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

**Mark 1:29-39** NRSVUE

As soon as they left the synagogue, they entered the house of Simon and Andrew, with James and John. Now Simon's mother-in-law was in bed with a fever, and they told him about her at once. He came and took her by the hand and lifted her up. Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.

That evening, at sunset, they brought to him all who were sick or possessed by demons. And the whole city was gathered around the door. And he cured many who were sick with various diseases and cast out many demons, and he would not permit the demons to speak, because they knew him.

In the morning, while it was still very dark, he got up and went out to a deserted place, and there he prayed. And Simon and his companions hunted for him. When they found him, they said to him, “Everyone is searching for you.” He answered, “Let us go on to the

neighboring towns, so that I may proclaim the message there also, for that is what I came out to do." And he went throughout all Galilee, proclaiming the message in their synagogues and casting out demons.

The Word of God for the people of God.

**Thanks be to God.**

*Your presence matters! Please take a moment to sign the pew pad located at the end of each pew at the center aisle. When it reaches the last person on your pew, pass the pad back to the starting point, and notice the names of those sitting around you and greet one another at the end of the service.*

## **CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**

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 message, during the 11am service, 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. For first-time guests, please have each child escorted by an adult for check-in.*

## **HYMN**

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

UMH 526

## **SERMON**

"Footprints in the Sand"

Reverend 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

*Praise the One Who Makes Us One, by Tom Trenney*

Sanctuary Choir

## \*PRESENTATION OF TITHES, GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

SCAN TO GIVE



## \*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 13

## 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

"Lord of the Dance"

UMH 261

### \*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

### \*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

### \*POSTLUDE

*Voluntary*, by Arlen Clarke

## **Worship Leadership**

Reverend James McCoy-Bruce, *Preacher*

Reverend Mollie Reddic, *Liturgist*

## **Worship Assistants**

8:45 am

Denise Barker, *Lay Reader*

Stella Schuch, *Acolyte*

Heath Schuch, *Crucifer*

Chris & Kim Huffman, *Communion Servers*

11:00 am

Margie Richardson, *Lay Reader*

Jack White, *Acolyte*

James Pool, *Crucifer*

Deb & Kevin Durden, *Communion Servers*

Chris Younts & Arch Fowler, *Usher Captains*

## **Musicians**

Trenholm Road Sanctuary Choir

Randy Moore, *piano*

Eben Trobaugh, *Assistant Conductor*

Reverend Sarah Fletcher, *Director of Music*

## **2023 OFFERING REPORT**

Annual Budget, \$1,528,470

Month-to-Date Receipts, \$211,157

Month-to-Date Expenses, \$138,667

Difference, \$72,490

Year-to-Date Receipts, \$1,469,473

Year-to-Date Expenses, \$1,519,432

**Difference, (\$49,939)**

## **January 28 Attendance:**

8:45 am - 85 people

11:00 am - 225 people

## **Reminder from the Business Office**

Have you remembered to update your Vanco, Txt2Give, or Bill Pay for 2024?

If not, please do so. If you need assistance, you may contact Catherine Henderson

803.254.6695 extension 109.

## **Prayer List**

B Jackson, Matt Turner, Jennifer Austin, Willie Byrd, *brother of Daryl Byrd*, Beverly Nance, Teresa Woods, Bob Henry, Pat and John Bolin, Ann Meares, *sister of Catherine Williams*, Larry Ayers, Jeff Adams, *son of Jess & Myra Torres*, Shealy McCoy, Maxine Reynolds, *mother of Amy Craighead*, Eddie Drayton, Michael Reed, Nancy Howarth, *grandmother of Nathan Cox*, Jess & Myra Torres, Vernon Bowen, Paula Wilson, Suzanne Wise, Sharon Lentz, Robbie Bowers, Andrea Pyatt.

## **Join the Prayer Team – Monday, February 5 at 11 am.**

If you believe in the power of prayer, join us for a monthly prayer meeting to pray for the TRUMC family.

We will gather for prayer tomorrow at 11 am. Contact Geri Cutler for details – 803-238-6641.

### **TRUMC Book Club**

The TRUMC Book Club will meet at 6:30 pm tomorrow, Monday, February 5 in the Parlor. The group will discuss *Dial A for Aunties*, by Jesse Sutanto.

Our TRUMC Book Club is comprised of TRUMC members and individuals from other churches in our area. We get to know other people and build relationships.

Newcomers are welcomed anytime.

To add your name to the mailing list for updates, contact Jane Elliott [jelliott24@att.net](mailto:jelliott24@att.net).

### **Harvest Hope Donations**

Throughout the month of February, we kindly request you to drop off canned soup in the white bin for Harvest Hope.

Your continued support is highly appreciated, as it helps numerous families in the Midlands.

Please make sure to check the expiration dates on all items donated to ensure that they are still safe for consumption. Thank you for your care and generosity towards these individuals and families.

### **Youth Updates**

**Monday, February 5:** Youth Core meeting via Zoom, 6:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, February 6:** Christopher Riddle Scholarship Applications Due by 5 p.m.

**Sunday, February 11:** UMYF (United Methodist Youth Fellowship) Superbowl Party! 6:00-7:30 p.m. in the Youth Lounge in the basement of the LM building. NOTICE TIME CHANGE!

**Monday, February 12:** Lattes with Linda, 3:00-5:00 p.m., Cool Beans

### **Wednesday Night Children's Ministry Activities**

Children ages 4-5th grade are invited to join us each Wednesday Night following dinner for Discipleship Junior (6:15-7:15 PM). We meet upstairs on the second floor of the Leisure Ministries Building. Pickup will be in the Gym. Nursery care is available for children 6 weeks through 4 years old.

### **Children's Choirs**

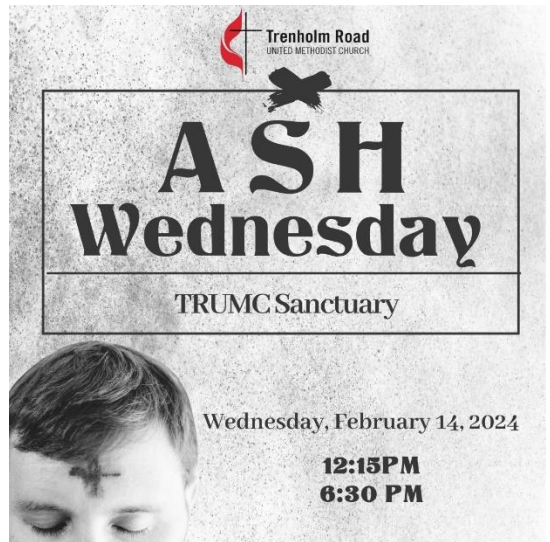
Children's Choirs meet on Wednesdays from 5:00 pm-5:45 pm in the Main Building. Children grades 5K through 5 are welcome to sing, and you may register your child at [www.trenholmroad.org](http://www.trenholmroad.org) if they would like to join us. Choirs will sing on Sunday, February 11 at the 11am service.

### **Wednesday Nights**

The congregation will gather Wednesday evenings at 5:30 p.m. in the Gym for a meal. Adult meals are \$10. Kids meals are \$7. Family meals are \$27. February 7 menu - Adults: Sausage & peppers or salmon patties, cheese grits, vegetable/slaw, hushpuppies and dessert. Kids: Hot dogs, fries, grapes and cheese, goldfish and dessert.

### **Souper Bowl for Hope – Next Sunday**

On Sunday, February 11, TRUMC will be celebrating Souper Bowl for Hope Sunday. This is a great opportunity to enjoy delicious soup while supporting a good cause. The soups, including Ham & Vegetables, Vegetarian Vegetable, Turkey Noodle, and Corned Beef & Cabbage, will be served from 10:45 am to 1:00 pm. You can either dine in the Dining Room or take bowls to go. All donations collected on this day will go towards supporting Family Promise, Homeless No More, and Washington St. UMC Soup Cellar.



### Small Groups at TRUMC

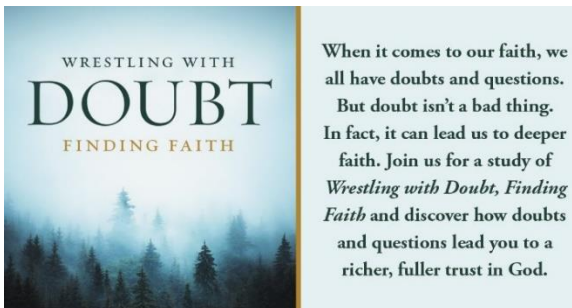
Wednesday Class: The 28-Day Prayer Journey class  
Jan 10 – Feb 7 @ 6:15 pm (Dining Room)

Wednesday Parenting Class: The Well-Behaved Child  
Jan. 10 – Mar. 6 @ 6:15 pm (Sanctuary)

Tuesday Women's Bible Study class: Women's Encounters with Jesus in the Gospels  
Jan 9 – Feb 6 at Noon (Dining Room) - bring Bible.  
Feb 12 - Noon (Dining Room)

Thursday Women in Faith Spring Session: The Me I Want to Be  
Feb. 15 – Mar. 21 at Noon (BYO Lunch) – Discussion 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm (Parlor)

For questions about joining these classes, visit [www.trenholmroad.org](http://www.trenholmroad.org).



### You can still have faith even if you have questions!

Everyone has doubts. Where is God when bad things happen? Does God hear our prayers? Is there a heaven? Doubts do not undermine faith and uncertainty does not mean a lack of belief.

Join the next small group.

**Class starts February 21.**

**\$10/Book – Register at**

**[www.trenholmroad.org](http://www.trenholmroad.org)**

**Led by Pastor James**



**ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND!!!**

# Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil Fundraiser

**ROASTED OYSTERS, BEAUFORT STEW AND HOMEMADE CHILI**

**Saturday, February 24, 2024**

AT TRUMC The Backyard Parking Lot  
3401 Trenholm Road Columbia, SC 29204

5:00PM - 8:00PM

RSVP - David Free

dafree@sc.rr.com

803-606-5745

Proceeds to fund a Habitat for Humanity house built by TRUMC & other local churches.

Hosted by: UMM

This event is open to the entire congregation!!

Nursery service unavailable.

**\$20 / \$35**  
PERSON  
or COUPLE

SCAN QR code to  
RSVP via email



The United Methodist Men (UMM) would like to extend an invitation to everyone for the 2024 Oyster Roast & Low Country Boil Fundraiser on Saturday, February 24 from 5 pm to 8 pm. The proceeds from this event will be used to construct a Habitat for Humanity house that will begin construction this spring with the help of several other churches in the community. We encourage support from all circles, Sunday School classes, and everyone who attends TRUMC. The cost of the event is \$20 per person or \$35 per couple. Please RSVP to David via email by using the QR Code or emailing [dafree@sc.rr.com](mailto:dafree@sc.rr.com). Join us for delicious roasted oysters, Beaufort stew, and homemade chili.



**Register now for Race for the Place 2024  
to support the homeless families and  
children at St. Lawrence Place and  
Family Shelter!**

Saturday, February 24

8:00 a.m.

St. Joseph Catholic Church

3600 Devine St.

*Fun Run at 9:00 a.m.*



[Register Here](#)

For more information, visit [homelessnomoresc.org](http://homelessnomoresc.org) and click on  
our events page

### **5K Run**

Don't miss the chance to support the Homeless No More cause with the Hope Sunday School class.

Join them for this upcoming 5K Race on Saturday, February 24.

### **Let's Go Hiking**

The Trenholm Road UMC Hiking Group will travel to Lee State Park to enjoy the 5-mile Loop Road Trail through sandhills and along the Lynches River. The park has several artesian wells built by the CCC in the 1930s, so bring a jug if you'd like to take home some of the good stuff. The group will meet in the TRUMC back parking lot at 8:00 am. on Friday, February 16 to travel by carpool. Please contact Steve Krietemeyer at [swkrietemeyer@gmail.com](mailto:swkrietemeyer@gmail.com) or 803.528.4184 if you plan to join us this month.

### **Presenting the Spaghetti Cook Off- Youth Fundraiser!**

Calling all saucy maestros and culinary connoisseurs- It's time to showcase your spaghetti prowess! We want YOUR secret sauce to steal the spotlight! Email Linda at [youth@trumc.org](mailto:youth@trumc.org). For more information and to enter! This is a fundraiser for the Christopher Riddle Memorial Scholarship and our Youth program! Mark your calendars for March 10 immediately following the 11:00 service! More information to come!

**TRENHOLM RD UMC STAFF**

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ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT: Renee Foxe

**Sunday On Call Maintenance – Kelvin Virgil**

**803.467.2183**



### **Welcome to Trenholm Road United Methodist Church!**

We are so glad to have you here today. We want to make sure that everyone is comfortable during worship. Please note that there are restrooms located on the main hallway before entering the sanctuary. For your convenience, there is also a water fountain located in the West Foyer. While you're in the West Foyer Welcome Center, be sure to pick up a copy of our newsletter and devotionals.

Nursery care is available for children 6 weeks through 4 years old on Sunday mornings.

Nursery care is available during all worship services and Sunday School times. Children under 2 are invited to stay in MB 19 and 2 years through 4 years in MB 12.

These rooms are on the bottom floor of the main building.

Two traditional worship services are held each Sunday at 8:45 AM and 11:00 AM.

Sunday school class is at 9:45 AM on Sunday mornings.

All are welcome.