

Our Service during today's worship celebration:

Lector: Greg Lisle
Trustee: Betty Bewley
Financial Officer: Don Brown

Our Service for next Sunday's worship celebration:

Lector: Mary Barnes
Trustee: Betty Bewley
Financial Officer: Don Brown

Welcome to Burkhead United Methodist Church!

It is our prayer that this worship service will enhance your faith so that you can have the assurance of God's eternal care. If you have been attending Burkhead Church regularly and desire to become a member of our congregation, please speak with our pastor. We are always happy to welcome new members to our family!

It is the mission of Burkhead United Methodist Church to be an open, committed, caring community of followers of Jesus Christ who...

- *Witness to the faith by offering God's love and grace to all people*
 - *Nurture people in their growth as Christian disciples in a place of safety and refuge where everyone is accepted and respected, and*
 - *Empower persons to reach out to the world through service in mission*
- ...all to the glorification of God.***

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October 4, 2020

World Communion Sunday

Eighteenth Sunday

after Pentecost



Prelude
 Chiming of the Worship Hour
 Welcome and Announcements
 *Call to Worship

God of all creation,
 God of mercy, love and power,
 we have come to praise you today.
 God, cleanse our hearts.

Cleanse our hearts!

Come, Holy Spirit,
 and fill us for your glory;
 for you, O God, are One and holy!

Amen.

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Old Testament Reading Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20

The Word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God!

Special Music "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Gospel Lesson Matthew 21:33-46

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon Rev. Julie O'Neal
"Who's in Charge?"

Prayers of the People
*Please share your prayer requests
 and celebrations during this time.*

Holy Communion

SENDING FORTH

*Benediction

*Benediction Response

*Postlude

**Please stand as you are able*

Lectionary Readings

*The congregation is invited to read the lectionary passages
 each week in preparation for the upcoming worship service.*

Today, October 4	Next Week, October 11
*Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20; Psalm 19; Philippians 3:4b-14; <u>Matthew 21:33-46</u>	*Exodus 32:1-14; Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23; <u>Philippians 4:1-9</u> ; Matthew 22:1-14

Lector: *starred passage; Sermon: underlined passage

Weekly Announcements

A **“What Now” discussion** will be held **today at 5 pm** in the **Fellowship Hall**. This discussion is open to anyone interested in planning for the future. Please reach out to Julie or Darlene if you have not received a workbook and would like to take part.

There will be a **Nominations Committee meeting tonight at 6:30 pm** in the **Hamilton Davis classroom**.

Beginning **this Tuesday, October 6th at 6:30 pm**, join Julie for a **discussion on selected lectionary passages** for the upcoming Sunday. We'll meet in the **Fellowship Hall**.

Social Distancing Guidelines:

- Keep a minimum of 6 feet from others.
- Wear a mask covering your nose, mouth and chin.
- Do not handle anything you will not personally use.
- Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer before AND after touching items.
- Bring everything you need for worship service - your Bible, chair, water, etc.

Thank you for following the social distancing guidelines so we can continue worshipping in person!

Renewing Our Commitment:

*We promise to be faithful to
The United Methodist Church
by participating in its ministries
by our prayers,
our presence,
our gifts,
our service
and our witness.*

To reach Rev. Julie O'Neal outside of church office hours, please text or call her cell phone at 336-929-6001 or email her at joneal@wnccumc.net.

This Week at Burkhead UMC

Sunday, October 4th

9:00 am - H.O.P.E. sandwich making

10:00 am - Outdoor Worship Service with Holy Communion

5:00 pm - “What Now” Discussion

6:30 pm - Nominations Committee meeting

Tuesday, October 6th

6:30 pm - Lectionary Discussion

7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911

Sunday, October 11th

10:00 am - Outdoor Worship Service



Remembering in Our Prayers:

Members: Our Church, Our Pastor - Rev. Julie O'Neal, Our Homebound Members, Brenda Barlow, Marty Butner Covington, Betty Friddle, Bobbie & Ralph Futrell, Steve Gentry, Jean Hole, Durwood & Joni Howell, Harriet Lassing, Mitch Mende & Ali Gonzalez, Betty & Paul Powers, Brenda Raker-Gentry, Jane Rogers

Family & Friends: Ruby Anderson's family, Kendrick, Liza & Baby Beall, Concepcion Cabrera, Mary Caldwell, Ashley Campbell's family, Mary Chapman, Dick Collier, Tera Cordle, Todd Craven, Nicholas Delgado, Allan Donley & family, Anne Donley, Cathy DuBois, Lori Duckworth, Eddie & family, Chad Edwards, Joe Elliott, Kimberly Howard Green, Pat Harris, Barbara Harward, Sarah Howell, Ava Joyce, Sue Kaye, Richard Lisle, Betty & George Mack, Vanessa Maculaitis, Faye Marchant, Julie & Greg McKenna, Rick Randall, Chris Thore, Velma

**WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY
THANKSGIVING AND COMMUNION**

Invitation

Come to the Lord's Table, all you who love him.

Come to the Lord's Table, confess your sin.

Come to the Lord's Table, be at peace.

Confession of Sin

We have not believed you or trusted in your power.

Lord, help our unbelief.

We have stained our souls by our action and inaction.

Cleanse us, Lord.

We are broken by disease, bruised by the sins of others,
weakened and unable to repair ourselves.

Heal us, Lord.

We ignore your call to center our lives in you, we fail to care for the earth, and we ignore the hopes and cries of people we encounter every day and people far from us who are poor, sick, or immigrants, or prisoners.

Ground us, Lord!

Silence

When we confess our sinful ways, God abundantly pardons.

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.

In the name of Jesus Christ, we are all forgiven.

Glory to God!

By one Spirit we are all baptized into the one body,
the worldwide body of Christ that gathers this day at his table.

**Let us then pursue the things that make for peace
and build up our common life.**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be always with you!

And also with you.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them to you, Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to praise you.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, Always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Holy Triune God, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. From the rising of the sun to its setting your name is praised among all peoples. Therefore we praise you, joining our voices with your people on earth and all the company of heaven who forever sing this hymn to the glory of your name: You are holy, Almighty One!

Blessed are you, Jesus Christ!

In the power of the Spirit you created all things, blessed them, and called them good. You called to yourself a people to make your mercy and truth known in all the world.

We betrayed your calling;

You were faithful.

We wandered from the way;

You called us to return, and led us home.

And still we turned from your ways, abused your creatures, and made ourselves slaves to sin and death. At the right time you came and dwelt among us, as one of us, bringing good news to the poor, healing the sick, raising the dead, sharing table with the unrighteous, and teaching the way that leads to life. By your incarnation, life, suffering, execution, and resurrection you gave birth to your church, delivered us from slavery, made a new covenant with us by water and the Spirit, and have promised to raise us and all your people around the world to life everlasting in your new creation. On the night of your betrayal, Lord Jesus, you took bread, blessed it, broke it, gave it to your disciples and said,

"This is my body which is given for you.

Do this in remembrance of me."

You did the same with the cup after the supper, saying,

**"This cup that is poured out is the new covenant
in my blood."**

Blessed Trinity, in remembrance of all you have done to save us, we offer ourselves to you in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of our faith:

Christ has died.

Christ has risen.

Christ will come again.

Pour out your Spirit on us, and on these gifts of bread and wine
Make these gifts the body and blood of Christ.

Make us, through them, Christ's body alive and at work in all the world.

Glory to you now, and to the ages of ages.

Amen.

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

THANKSGIVING AFTER COMMUNION

**Lord, you now have set your servants free
to go in peace as you have promised.**

**For these eyes of ours have seen the Savior
whom you have prepared for all the world to see!**

**Blessing and honor and glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.**

Benediction

You have seen the Savior. Go now in peace.

And the blessing of God,

One in Three and Three in One, Go with you.

Amen.