

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 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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Burkhead United Methodist Church

August 29, 2021

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Entrance

The people come together in the Lord's name.

Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Chiming of the Beginning of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship ***For True Singing*** UMH 69

*Congregational Hymn UMH 57
O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Proclamation and Response

The Scriptures are opened to the people.

Gospel Reading **Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23**

Special Music ***Come Thou Almighty King***

Epistle Lesson **James 1:17-27**

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon **Frank Sinatra Got It Right**

*Affirmation of Faith UMH 888
Affirmation from 1 Cor. 15:1-6 and Col. 1:15-20

Concerns and Prayers

*After each prayer, the leader will conclude: "Lord, in your mercy,"
and all may respond: "Hear our prayer."*

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Doxology and Offertory Prayer UMH 95

*Generous, giving God; we offer our gifts to you in gratitude
for all the blessings you rain down upon us.
Your sunshine warms us, your earth feeds us,
and your word nourishes us.
More than these gifts of money,
we give ourselves—our time and our energy—
that we might be doers of your word and not just hearers only.
We pray this in the name of Christ our Savior. Amen.*

Sending Forth

The people are sent into ministry with the Lord's blessing.

*Dismissal with Blessing

Lectionary Readings

Lector: *starred passage, Sermon: underlined passage

Today, August 29th	Next Week, September 5th
Song of Solomon 2:8-13 Psalm 45:1-2, 6-9 <u>James 1:17-27</u> *Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23	Proverbs 22:1-2, 8-9, 22-23 Psalm 125 or Psalm 124 <u>James 2:1-10 (11-13) 14-17</u> *Mark 7:24-37

Serving in Worship

Today: Ushers - Mike & Peg Price; Lector - Becky DuBois;
Financial Officer - Beth Dixon; Trustee - Mike Price.

Next Sunday: Ushers - John & Shirley Hedrick;
Lector - Kathy Lisle; Financial Officer - David Disher;
Trustee - Greg Lisle; Communion Stewards -
Katie Moore, Larry Parks



*We are so glad that you joined us today at
Burkhead United Methodist Church.
Please contact the pastor, Julie O'Neal,
at 336-929-6001, if you desire a visit.*

Weekly Announcements

Welcome to Worship!

Mayor Allen Joines issued an emergency order as of Friday, August 20th that requires everyone in non-household situations to wear masks in indoor public and private places. Our Bishop and Cabinet are strongly recommending the wearing of masks at ALL indoor ministry activities, including worship.

Thank you for helping us “do no harm”!

Churches and communities located in the Blue Ridge and Smokey Mountain Districts were damaged due to the recent Tropical Storm Fred. **Rev. Dr. Sam Moore reminds us that we are a connectional church, that we share joint ministries, and that we are present with those who are facing challenges.** Please make your gift payable to WNCC UMC, identified as “Tropical Storm Fred”, and place in the offering plate. Thank you for your consideration and generosity.

The **New Life Sunday School class** is studying *“Be Hopeful”*, Warren Wiersbe's commentary on 1st Peter. Please join them **Sundays at 9:15 am in the Parlor.**

Calling all volunteers! If you would like to help with tutoring, youth group, or child care during Bible Study for **Open Arms**, this training is for you! RSVP for the **in-person training Tuesday, August 31st at 6:00 pm** OR the **Zoom training Wednesday, September 1st at 1:00 pm** at openarmsumc.org.

Our **Red Cross Blood Drive** is in a few weeks! Could you assist with donor registration **between 1 pm and 5:30 pm, Thursday, September 23rd**? We **need blood donors** too! Contact Darlene to find a time to volunteer or to donate. Thank you!

This Week at Burkhead UMC

Sunday, August 29th

8:15 am - H.O.P.E. sandwich making

9:15 am - New Life Sunday School

10:15 am - Fellowship Time

10:30 am - Worship Service

Monday, August 30th

6:00 pm - Girl Scout Troop 1929

Sunday, September 5th

8:15 am - H.O.P.E. sandwich making

9:15 am - New Life Sunday School

10:15 am - Fellowship Time

10:30 am - Worship Service with Communion

Concerns shared the week of August 22nd

Prayers: Julie Giljames, Bobbie & Ralph Futrell, Afghanistan & its people, students returning to school, peace for people & their homelands, floods & fires worldwide, elected leaders everywhere, Susan English

Praises: Tim Clark, Sophia O’Neal

Concerns shared the week of August 15th

Prayers: David Laden Sr, Larry Tant, Tim Clark, Sophia O’Neal, Ralph & Bobbie Futrell

Praises: Donna Carson, needed rain & safety in storms

Concerns shared the week of August 8th

Prayers: Barry & Joan Crotty, Mike & Peg Price, Ben Bellus, family of Paul Haerich, Spencer Willard, Eileen & Tony Petrack, David Laden Sr., Logan, Jerry Sullivan, Connie Mende, Concepcion Cabrera, Meredith Mende-Kejriwal, Sarah Blumenthal, Sarah Howell, Our nation & world fighting COVID, Reopening schools & COVID

Concerns shared the week of August 1st

Prayers: Bonnie Flynn, Ben Bellus

Praises: Ron Frazier

Names will remain on our prayer list for one month.