

## Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Chiming of the Beginning of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship Derek Weber

We worship because the Lord stood by us on difficult days.

**Even when we weren't aware and felt alone.**

We worship because the Lord gives strength.

**Even when we feel so weak.**

We worship because we have been rescued again and again.

**Even when we are afraid that we have lost.**

Come and worship the God who stands with us in our darkest days and promises to be with us to the end.

**We will worship in hope, seeking eyes to see  
and hearts to believe in God with us.**

\*Hymn *Spirit of Faith Come Down* UMH 332

\*Psalter Reading **Psalm 65** UMH 789

Epistle Reading **2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18**

*The Word of God for the people of God; Thanks be to God!*

Special Music arr. James Curnow

*When Peace Like a River*

Gospel Lesson **Luke 18:9-14**

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon **So Very Good at Being Humble**

Time of Silence for Personal Prayer and Reflection

\*Unison Prayer of Confession

**O God,**

**the strength of those who humbly confess their sin**

**and place their hope in you,**

**save us from vain displays of righteousness,**

**and give us grace to keep faith**

**with the true humility of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.**

Prayers of the People and the Lord's Prayer UMH 895

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Please note: an offering plate is located on the table  
near the entrance of the sanctuary*

\*Doxology UMH 95

\*Offertory Prayer

\*Hymn *Every Time I Feel the Spirit* UMH 404

\*Dismissal with Blessing

\*Threefold Amen

### Serving in Worship

**Today:** Ushers—Rick Mende, Beth Dixon, Larry Parks, Brenda Raker;  
Lector—Katie Moore; Financial Officer—Beth Dixon; Trustee—Gloria  
McGurk

**Next Sunday:** Ushers—Rick Mende, Beth Dixon, Larry Parks, Brenda  
Raker; Lector—Durwood Howell; Financial Officer—Beth Dixon;  
Trustee—Gloria McGurk

### Prayer Concerns and Praises

Shared the week of October 16: Marty Butner Covington, Wes White

October 9: the family of Sandra with the loss of an infant son

October 2: Samantha Aupperlee & Beach UMC, All in FL, GA and  
the Carolinas, Puerto Rico, Bob & Elaine Opoulos, Tom & Susan

Davidson, George Smith, Connie Mende, Lauren & new baby

September 25: the state of Florida and our families and friends in the  
path of Ian, Tom Sellers, Marge Serrano, Naomi Marks,

those in need and not seen by society

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Prayer concerns raised during our worship service will be listed for four weeks

### This Week at Burkhead UMC

Church Office is open Tuesday – Thursday, 10 am – 2 pm

Sunday, October 23

- 9:15 am New Life Sunday School
- 9:30 am Seekers Sunday School
- 10:15 am Fellowship Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service

Tuesday, October 25

- 1:00 and 6:30 pm Lectionary Study
- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Wednesday, October 26

- 10:00 am Knitting Group

### Upcoming Events

Sunday, October 30

- 9:15 am Outreach Hunger Event
- 10:15 am Fellowship Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service

Tuesday, November 1

- 1:00 and 6:30 pm Lectionary Study
- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Wednesday, November 2

- 10:00 am Knitting Group
- 1:00 pm Trellis Supportive Care Advanced Care Planning meeting

Saturday, November 5

- 11:00 am Port-A-Pit Chicken Barbecue at Burkhead

More information is available at [www.burkheadumc.org](http://www.burkheadumc.org).

### Reaching Out to Help

One of our greatest assets and privileges as United Methodists is to know we are not alone in our ministries but are part of a greater connection. We pray the communities impacted by **Hurricane Ian** will be blessed by the generosity, prayers, and support of our connection in the Western North Carolina Conference. Individuals are encouraged to donate to this special offering through their churches. Make checks payable to WNCC Treasurer and note "Hurricane Ian."



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## October 23, 2022

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