

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

**Stand if you are able*

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Chiming of the Beginning of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship **Psalm 13** UMH 746
With musical response

*Hymn **Take Up Thy Cross** UMH 415

Epistle Reading **Romans 6:12-23**
The Word of God for the people of God; Thanks be to God!

Special Music arr. Pethel
When I Survey the Wonderous Cross

Gospel Lesson **Matthew 10:40-42**

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon **Welcome!**

Affirmation of Faith

Jesus said: "Whoever welcomes you welcomes me,
**and whoever welcomes me
welcomes the one who sent me.**

Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will
receive a prophet's reward;

**and whoever welcomes a righteous person
in the name of a righteous person
will receive the reward of the righteous;**

And whoever gives even a cup of cold water
to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple –

**Truly I tell you,
none of these will lose their reward."**

Prayers of the People

*After the pastor prays, Lord, in your mercy, All may respond; **Hear our prayer***

Invitation by Joel N. Martinez

(Translation) On this day, O Lord, we gather around your table as one family, we drink from the same Spirit, we have one baptism, we have one faith. For this family, which you hold so dear, there are no barriers, no nationalities, no race or tongue, and no culture that could separate us. You invite all your children, women, men, young, and old to celebrate our unity and to announce your great sacrifice.

Help us, O Lord, to extend your invitation to all your children to gather at your table to quench their hunger and thirst for justice. We pray in your holy name. **Amen.**

Confession and Pardon UMH 12

The Great Thanksgiving UMH 13

The Lord's Prayer UMH 895

Breaking the Bread and Giving the Bread and Cup

Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

An offering plate is located on the table near the entrance of the sanctuary.

*Doxology and Offertory Prayer UMH 95

*Hymn **God of the Ages** UMH 698

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Threefold Amen

Serving in Worship

Today: Ushers–Murray Sink, Nancy Flowers, Gloria McGurk, Brenda Raker; Lector–Greg Lisle; Financial Officer–David Disher; Trustee–Daryl Dixon

Next Sunday: Ushers–Taylor Crane, Terry & Lynn Blumenthal; Lector–Mike Price; Financial Officer–David Disher; Trustee–Daryl Dixon

Prayers and Praises

Shared the week of June 25: *Connie Mende,
Linda and Miranda Clark, Kim Jackson*

June 18: *Tina Powers (sister-in-law of David and Susan Disher),
J.T. Travis (cousin of Darlene's husband), Joan Crotty and family,
Concepcion Cabrera (Connie's mother)*

Praise: *Katie and Gloria back in worship*

June 11: *Gloria McGurk, Kathie and Randy Sherrill, Joe Gonzalez,
SPARK'Dwell, Safe travels for Greg, Kathy and Julie*

Praises: *Debbie Canter's new great granddaughter, Madeline
Brooke*

June 4: *Robert Burns, Alan Gordon, JoAnn Cole, Kim Jackson,
Connie Mende; Praises: Debbie Canter's new great grandson, Felix*



This Week at Burkhead United Methodist Church

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

Sunday, July 2

- 9:15 am New Life Sunday School class
- 9:30 am Seekers Sunday School class
- 10:15 am Fellowship Time
- 10:30 am Worship Service with Holy Communion
- 3:00 pm **Fourth of July Celebration, Nancy Porter's home**
SPARK'Dwell camp begins

Monday, July 3

- 6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop 1929

Tuesday, July 4 *Happy Independence Day!*

Friday, June 30 SPARK'Dwell camp ends

Sunday, July 9

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

Upcoming Events

Monday, July 10

- 6:30 pm **Finance Committee meeting**

Tuesday, July 11

- 10:30 am **Outreach Committee meeting**
- 6:30 pm **Trustees Committee meeting**

More information is available at www.burkheadumc.org.

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July 2, 2023

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