

Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Enter to Worship, Depart to Serve

**Stand if you are able*

Prelude

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Chiming of the Beginning of Worship

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship Dr. Lisa Hancock

Family of God, as we gather today, Jesus asks us,

“Who do you say that I am?”

You are our Messiah, the Son of the living God!

Family of God, as we gather today, the Holy Spirit asks us,

“Who do you say that I am?”

You are our Comforter, Advocate, and Sustainer!

Family of God, as we gather today, God the Father asks us,

“Who do you say that I am?”

You are our Creator, Provider, and Healer!

Family of God, as we gather today, the Triune God asks us,

“Who do you say that I am?”

**You are Love that creates, saves,
and enfolds us into the family of God!**

May we be instruments of Love

in all that we are and all that we do. Amen.

*Hymn *Have Thine Own Way, Lord* UMH 382

Epistle Reading **Romans 12:1-8**

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

Special Music *Come Follow Me* Althouse

Gospel Lesson **Matthew 16:13-20**

Prayer for Illumination

Sermon **Rock On**

*Affirmation of Faith from I Timothy UMH 889

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer UMH 895
After the pastor prays, Lord, in your mercy, All may respond; Hear our prayer

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 *Blest Be the Tie That Binds* UMH 557

*Dismissal with Blessing

*Threefold Amen

Prayers and Praises

Shared the week of August 20: *Shane Plott, Lee Lallance, Elaine*

August 13: *Arthur Disher, Misty McGuire, David Bethune, the devastation of the Maui Lahaina fires*

August 6: *Family of Claudetta Wall, Kim Jackson, David Bethune; Praises: Greg Lisle*

July 30: *Kim Jackson, David Bethune, Claudetta Wall, SPARK'Dwell campers; Praises: Greg Lisle*

Serving in Worship

Today: Ushers–Rick Mende, Beth Dixon, Larry Parks;
Liturgist–Mike Price; Financial Officer–Durwood Howell;
Trustee–Don Brown

Next Sunday: Ushers–Murray Sink, Nancy Flowers,
Gloria McGurk, Brenda Raker; Liturgist–Durwood
Howell; Financial Officer–Rick Mende; Trustee–Lynn
Blumenthal

*Thank you for joining us today
at Burkhead UMC!
If you have questions or pastoral
concerns, please contact our pastor,
Julie O'Neal at 336-929-6001.*



This Week at Burkhead United Methodist Church

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

Sunday, August 27

- 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

Tuesday, August 29

- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 911

Sunday, September 3

- 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 Communion

Upcoming Events

Sunday, September 10

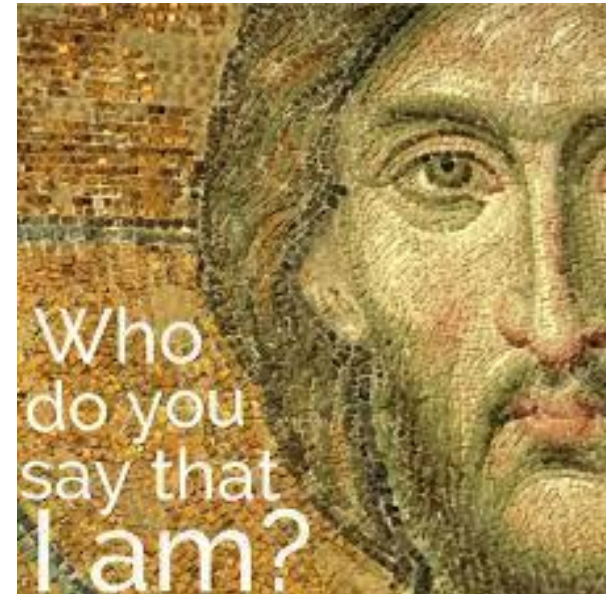
No Sunday School classes

- 10:30 am Church Worship and Picnic at
Leinbach Park

Monday, September 11

- 6:30 pm Finance Committee – Budget
Requests Due

More information is available at www.burkheadumc.org.



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August 27, 2023

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