

**Today's Worship
July 17, 2022
Sixth Sunday after Pentecost**

GATHERING

WELCOME Rev. Tyler Jackson

CALL TO WORSHIP Leader and People

L: We gather to worship God, who is faithful in all time, spaces, and places.

P: God, your faithfulness endures forever!

L: We gather to worship God, who shares all things with us.

P: Let us receive and celebrate God's goodness and generosity!

L: We gather to worship God, who works in us and through us.

P: Let us worship together to be renewed and sustained by God!

AMEN.

MUSIC **In Him We Live** All
(See screen for words)

MUSIC **Love the Lord** All
(See screen for words)

OPENING PRAYERS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Tracey Wimpy

CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS

The concerns are followed by:

ALL: Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayers.

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER All

Our Father, which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever.

MUSIC **Lord I Need You** All
(See screen for words)

THE WORD Ms. Wimpy

SCRIPTURE **Acts 2:42-47 (NIV)**

⁴² They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. ⁴³ Everyone was filled with awe at the many wonders and signs performed by the apostles. ⁴⁴ All the believers were together and had everything in common. ⁴⁵ They sold property and possessions to give to anyone who had need. ⁴⁶ Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts, ⁴⁷ praising God and enjoying the favor of all the people. And the Lord added to their number daily those who were being saved.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Rev. Jackson

SERMON **Commitment**

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

MUSIC **Take My Life** All
(See screen for words)

BENEDICTION

Rev. Jackson: May we not follow Jesus alone but, instead, witness to an even greater goodness of God that comes when we live the life of faith, together, in community with each other, in Jesus' name.

ALL: We commit ourselves to embody the goodness of God as we Love Christ, Love People, and Help People Love Christ. AMEN.

Opportunities This Week

Monday, July 18

Music Rehearsal 7 p.m. Bagley Annex
(Janni Martin 770-533-0679, friendofguatemala@gmail.com)

Tuesday, July 19

Craft and Quilt Squad 11 a.m. Annex Sunroom
(Suanne Stewart 770-842-1364)

Good News at Noon 6:30 p.m. at Good News
(Jean Prezel jeanprezel@gmail.com, 678-720-6945)

Wednesday, July 20

Summer Explorers Camp 9 a.m. Church campus
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)

Thursday, July 21

Wesley Small Group
(Jackie Buchan 678-313-8893, jabuchan@use.startmail.com)

Sunday, July 24

Holy Grounds: Coffee, Community, & Jesus 9 a.m. Pavilion
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)

Children's Sunday School 10 a.m. Annex Sunroom
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)

Joyful Noise Adult Sunday School class 10 a.m. Bagley Annex basement
(John Wright 404-281-9820, grampajohngrumps@gmail.com)

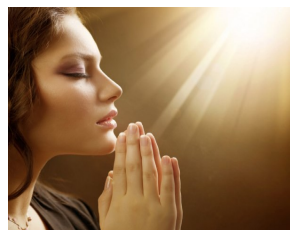
Current Hearts Adult Sunday School 10 a.m. Virtual
(Rev. Dr. Susan Taylor revdrtaylor@gmail.com)

Journey to Bethlehem Adult Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Annex Garage
(Lamar and Judy Jordan 770-536-9043, ljordan4751@charter.net)

Pages Adult Sunday School 10 a.m. Bagley Annex
(Garry Glenn 678-617-8073, rglenn@aim.com)

Worship 11 a.m. Pavilion and Streaming Online
(Rev. Tyler Jackson 770-532-3160, tyler.jackson@ngumc.net)

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McEver Rd Church is Praying For:

Diane Davis (serious health issues)
Carolyn Evans (Garry Glenn's aunt)
Joyce Fike (Jeannette Christman's friend)

Continued Prayers For:


Pat Adams, Margie Barron, Noel and Betsy Bassett, Jim Burton, Brandon Cartledge, Judy and Max Chosewood, Jan Christian, Gary Clark, Terry Dale, Wayne Davidson, Natalie Donatelli, Walter P. Emerson Family, Martha Farr, Dick Fleming, Shari Gwaltney, Linda Hollimon, Jill Johnson, Luci King, Michele Lecorchic, Carolyn Lindsley, Thomas Lindsley, Vivian Mills, Mark Mobarri, Paul Mobarri, Jeff Palulis, Fern Patterson, Jean Pool, Red Bird Mission, Carol and Martha Shay, Lloyd and Florence Smee, Tom Sorrells, Kya Strickland, Jerry Thompson, Connie Towe, Barbara Vogt, Sharon Walton, Bob Wilder, Mike Wofford, Linda Yocom, John Young, all those fighting cancer

Our Service Men and Women:


Ryan Cantrell, Breanna Cantrell, Christian Edens, Maribel Edens, Robby Harrison, Travis Hutchinson, Kiernan Kane, Mason McDaniel, Kendall Payne, Zachary Peterson, Darrell Scales

Missionaries:

Ashley Johnson, Christie and Rick Krueger, Ann Milligan, Zonia Mucun



Heather Barrera	7/19	Mike Randolph	7/26
Maggie Buchan	7/20	Glenn Burkhalter	7/28
Denise Burgess	7/20	Taylor King	7/29
John Roberts	7/21		



John and Ruby Roberts	7/19		
Donnie and Mimi Mathis	7/27		



Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar today are given by Morris and Jane Hollingsworth in honor of the South Hall Community Food Pantry and the people who support this ministry.

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CHURCH

A United Methodist Community

Loving Christ Loving People Helping People Love Christ

Welcome! We're Glad You're Here!



We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, filthy rich, dirt poor. We extend a special welcome to those who are crying newborns, skinny as a rail or could afford to lose a few pounds.

We welcome you if you can sing like Andrea Bocelli or like our pastor who can't carry a note

in a bucket. You're welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Methodist than Asbury, or haven't been in church since little Joey's Baptism.

We extend a special welcome to those who are over 60 but not grown up yet, and to teenagers who are growing up too fast. We welcome soccer moms, NASCAR dads, starving artists, latte-sippers, vegetarians, junk-food eaters.

We welcome those who are in recovery or still addicted. We welcome you if you're having problems or you're down in the dumps or if you don't like "organized religion;" we've been there too.

If you blew all your offering money at the dog track, you're welcome here. We offer a special welcome to those who think the earth is flat, work too hard, don't work, can't spell, or because grandma is in town and wanted to go to church.

We welcome those who are inked, pierced or both. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid or got lost in traffic and wound up here by mistake. We welcome tourists, seekers and doubters, bleeding hearts and you!

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