**WELCOME** Mark Fullerton

**PRELUDE** Organ

"Praise Him, Praise Him" arr. Jeff Cranfill

Mike Doll-euphonium, Susan Doll-French horn, Abigail Doll-flute,

and Jonathan Doll-clarinet.

The prelude is offered on behalf of the congregation. Quiet meditations and private prayers are encouraged.

# \*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

\*GREETING (From Exodus 15)

Dee Fullerton

Leader: The Lord is our strength and our song,

People: The Lord is our salvation.

Leader: O God you lead the people you have redeemed.

People: The Lord will reign for ever and ever!

\*"GOD OF GRACE AND GOD OF GLORY"

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#### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

\*GLORI PATRI UMH#71

**SCRIPTURE** Psalm 49:16-20 page 451 Liturgist: Dee Fullerton

CHILDREN'S TIME Denisha Louth

# PASTORAL PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who 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, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

#### **OFFERING**

Tables are set up at the back of the sanctuary to receive your offering and mission basket donations.

"LEAD ME, LORD"

Wesley/arr. Bock

St. James Chancel Choir

**DOXOLOGY** UMH#95

SERMON: IICM: Invitational 2 Rev. Andrew Wolfe

Scripture: Mark 10:17-27 page 822

\*"GO, MAKE OF ALL DISCIPLES"

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#### COLLECT

Our loving God, to those who follow the Lord Jesus, your spirit gives gifts to use in your service. Give us the heart and the conviction to

serve however you may call us. May the use of these many gifts always serve to glorify your name, witness to your compassion, and bring good to others. May we trust you as you guide and lead us. In your loving name we pray. Amen.

## \*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE

## Mission Basket

This month's Mission Basket supports our Sunshine Club. This group visits our homebound and remembers them on their birthdays and special holidays with cards and goodie bags and gifts.

Kid's Club: Today at 4pm in Fellowship Hall
United Youth: Today at 5pm at Silver Hill UMC
Bible Study: Tuesday at 7pm or Wednesday at 4:30pm

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Community Group Kickoff**: TODAY we begin a new year of Community Groups at 4pm. We'll all gather together in the Fellowship Hall to meet and we'll have some snacks. If you want to be a part of a group and didn't sign up, please come and join us.

#### Fall Festival:

We invite all those connected with the church to a preview sale on Friday, Sept. 29 from 12-2pm.

Saturday, Sept. 30 is our Fall Festival that opens at 7am with our huge yard sale and we'll have a fun filled day! The donation deadline for yard sale and silent auction is Wednesday. The gym will be open

Monday-Thursday 9am-2pm and 5:30-8:30pm. Items to be donated should be brought during these times. Invite your friends!

Fall Festival on TV: Pastor Andrew and Mary Lu will be on Your Carolina on Thursday at 9am on WSPA as they spread the word about our Fall Festival.

**Trunk or Treat candy:** Look for the orange topped bins where you can donate candy for our Trunk or Treat on Sunday, October 29 at 4pm. We have collection bins outside the church office and in the Narthex. If you aren't able to shop, consider giving a monetary donation. Please label checks or envelopes, Trunk or Treat.

We also need trunks for our event. If you'd like to participate, call the church office or fill out the online form: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/49zps4a4">https://tinyurl.com/49zps4a4</a>

# **In Our Prayers**

Jean Allison
Shirley Anderson
Nancy Becker
Phyllis Bird
Kenny Brown
Iris Browning
Lila Cates Childs
Michael Crawley

Sara Gaulden

Rick Hammett,

Health concerns

Al Hammerbeck

Elouise Faulkner

**Betty Hughes** Nancy Hughston Michelle Kelley Shirley Lupton Anne Lutz Amy Mullis Sandy O'Dell Bryson Parler Susan Plaxco Gwynn Radaker Todd Ramella George Ricker Irene Ruskin Joyce Scott Kory Scott Ira Snead

Irene Stone
Darlene Stacy
Mary Stork
Linda Taylor
Linda Thompson
Ivy & Jude Thomas
Dotty & Jim Tubb
Grace Vandegrift
Caty Waterfield
Frank Watson
Buddy Weathers
Barbara West
Jenny Woofter

Rena Hamrick Marge Hart Priscilla & Peter Heer Lorelei Hightower

Sympathies are extended to Pastor Andrew Wolfe and his family on the passing of his maternal grandmother, Rachel Cruey on September 7.