First Sunday after Pentecost June 12, 2022 – 10:55 A.M.

*Please stand as you are able

ENTRANCE

MEDITATIVE MUSIC Jeanne Banks, Pianist

ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Will Waller

CHIMING THE HOUR

OPENING VOLUNTARY Softly & Tenderly—Wilson Lynn Meeks, Organist

ACOLYTE MINISTRY

GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP Ina Clements, Liturgist

L: Lord, we come to you as we are, people with struggles with sin.

P: Accept us as we are.

L: Enable us to be made new again. Make us transformed so that we do what we want to do, and don't do what we don't want to do.

P: Purify our hearts, purify our heads, purify our hands.

L: Lead us toward sanctification, not by working harder, but by trusting in the unfailing grace of Christ Jesus.

P: Make us more like him. Amen.

*HYMN OF PRAISE Near to the Heart of God No. 472

INVITATION TO THE CHILDREN Where Children Belong TFWS No. 2233

This, this is where children belong, welcomed as part of the worshiping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.

CHILDREN'S TIME Rev. Waller

(Afterwards, children in preschool through <u>2nd grade</u> may go to Children's Church.)

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

SCRIPTURE LESSON Exodus 20:14 (OT pg. 64); Matthew 5:27-30 (NT pg. 4)

Liturgist: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God!

SERMON Ten Commandments: VII Rev. Waller

OFFERTORY Prelude in Classical Style—Young

*THE DOXOLOGY Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, Whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

No. 94

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

ANTHEM We Worship You—Pethel Chancel Choir

PRAYER REQUESTS

CALL TO PRAYER All I Need Is You TFWS No. 2080

All I need is you, Jesus, all I need is you. You are the source of all I need.

All I need is you.

SILENT PRAYER

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE 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.

SENDING FORTH

*CLOSING HYMN You Are Mine TFWS No. 2218

*THE ACOLYTE MINISTRY

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE As We Go

As we go, may your spirit go before us. As we go, may we follow where you lead.

May we live what we have learned, share the message we have heard,
and be a light unto the world, as we go.

*Going Forth Rev. Waller

*Postlude Mrs. Meeks

The flowers on the Communion Table are given by P. D. and Mittie Hambrick to the Glory of God and in celebration of their 44th wedding anniversary on June 17. WOW!

Serving Today:

Liturgist: Ina Clements Greeter: Jane Turner Acolyte: Caleb Godfrey Usher: Mike Turner

Children's Church: Mittie Hambrick

Nursery: Suzanne Ross

Counters: Dan Walters, Jack Watts Locking Up After Worship: Jim Anderson

Serving Next Week (June 19):

Liturgist: Steve Angle Greeter: Annette C. Board Acolyte: Bella Godfrey Usher: Benny Board

Children's Church: Martha Sue Gibson

Nursery: Ina Clements

Counters: Linda Handy, Charlotte Hill Locking Up After Worship: Jim Anderson

Prayer Concerns:

Our country, our church and those serving in our armed forces; People of Ukraine; Peggie Foster; Kathleen Higgins; Lillie Hatchett; Jerry Davis; Tim Funk; Barbara Huffman; Lynn Cooper; Anna Campbell; Betty Dillon; CO Brickey; Dick Shoemaker; Jennifer Cooper; John Cooper; Arnold Dillon, Sr.; KC Barron (Becky Newbill); Janis Odom (DJ Pritchard); Richard McDaniel (Lindsay McDaniel); Doris Ferguson (wife of Bill Ferguson, former pastor of RMUMC); Everett Cotter (LuAnn Dunbar); Becky Bennett (Jennie Ardis); Sophia Moore (CO Brickey); Mike Shea (Enna Roseberry); Melissa Hays-Smith (Marsha Robertson); Debbie Ford (Ben Whitesell); Dennis Holland (Cyndee Holland); and Ed Peterson and Family in the death of his mother, Carol Peace, on June 1.

Forget-Me-Nots:

Eleanor Woody

Will Waller, Pastor
Lynn M. Meeks, Director of Music/Diaconal Minister
Jeanne Banks, Pianist
Valerie Latimer, Administrative Assistant
Jennifer Ardis, Nursery Attendant
Rebecca Dillon, Children's Church Coordinator
Craig Jamison, Custodian

Meetings and Announcements:

•Monday, June 13 5:00 p.m., United Women in Faith Annual Picnic at the

home of Dan and Linda Walters

Thursday, June 16-

Saturday, June 18 Virginia Annual Conference in Hampton

•Next Sunday, June 19 10:00 a.m., Small Groups

10:55 a.m., Worship

•Thursday, June 23 Serve lunch at Stepping Stone Soup Kitchen

•Tuesday, June 28 Serve lunch at Stepping Stone Soup Kitchen

12:00 p.m., Sunshine Girls will meet at Ippy's for lunch

•Wednesday, June 29 7:00 p.m., Chancel Choir

Assistive listening devices are available outside the sanctuary.

Next week, we have a special musician performing on banjo and piano (not simultaneously). Samantha Young will be leading two songs. Thank you Samantha for sharing your gift.

The Samaritan offering for Virginia United Methodist Homes will be received through Father's Day, June 19. Your gift supports residents who have been blessed by longevity but have outlived their financial resources. Samaritan gifts are not used for operational, capital, or administrative cost but are instead made available only for benevolent care. Make your checks payable to RMUMC and designate "Samaritan Offering" on the memo line. Thank you!

Save the Date: How does packaging 10,000 meals in just over an hour sound? Impossible. Come to church on September 11, 2022 and see.

We are collecting canned tuna for Heavenly Manna this month. Please put your donations in the barrel located in the narthex. Thank You!

The directories are out and they look great! If you would like an extra one or if you did not have your picture taken or submitted, please let our church office know. Call 483-5338 or email admin@rm-umc.org.

The non-profit group, Bald Knob Artists, is sponsoring an open, judged art show in the fellowship hall of Rocky Mount United Methodist Church September 16-18. This will be a first for the group in a Rocky Mount location. The show is open to adults and high school youth from all over. If you know anyone who would be interested in participating, please let them know. High school age grandchildren are welcome too. For more information, email harrietmadar@yahoo.com or phone 540-890-7039 or talk to church members, Suzanne Ross, Judy Anderson or Ruth Cook.