

Youth Sunday
June 11, 2023 – 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	<i>He Leadeth Me—Whitworth</i>	Lynn Meeks, Organist
ACOLYTE MINISTRY		
*CALL TO WORSHIP		Lindsey Jenkins, Liturgist
L:	Lord we have heard you call us; heard you ask to enter our lives.	
P:	Lord, you are our God and Savior: we come before you in worship and praise.	
L:	Lord, we have heard you call us to be your disciples, learning from you.	
P:	Lord, you are our leader and teacher: we come to listen to your living Word.	
L:	Lord, we have heard you call us to serve you lovingly in the world.	
P:	Lord, you are the Spirit of life and love: we come to offer our lives to you. In Jesus' Name, Amen.	
*HYMN OF PRAISE	<i>Since Jesus Came into My Heart (vs. 1, 2, 3)</i>	TFWS No. 2140
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	<i>The Apostles' Creed</i>	No. 881
SCRIPTURE	John 6:53-59	New Testament pg. 93
HYMN	<i>People Need the Lord</i>	TFWS No. 2244
SKIT	<i>The Welcome</i>	
	Jesus – Noah Burdick	
	Mary Beth – Lindsey Jenkins	
	Bill – Caleb Godfrey	
INVITATION TO THE CHILDREN	<i>Where Children Belong</i>	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
	<i>(Afterwards, children in preschool through 2nd grade may go to Children's Church.)</i>	
SCRIPTURE	Mark 2:1-12	New Testament pg. 34

HYMN	<i>He Touched Me</i>	No. 367
SKIT	<i>Forgive and Heal</i>	
	Mother – Brandi Altice	
	Son – Lucas Amos	
	Father – Don Ranson	
PRAYER	<i>For God's Gifts (No. 489)</i>	Addie Roe
OFFERTORY	<i>O Worship the King—Whitworth</i>	
	<i>(Please tear off the pew pad attendance sheet and place in the offering plate.)</i>	
*THE DOXOLOGY	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	No. 94
	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!	
*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING		Bella Godfrey
ANTHEM	<i>Here I Am, Lord—Larson</i>	Chancel Choir
SCRIPTURE	Mark 10:46-52	New Testament pg. 44
HYMN	<i>Open My Eyes, That I May See</i>	No. 454
SKIT	<i>Blind No More</i>	
	Bartimaeus – Aidan Jenkins	
PRAYER REQUESTS		
CALL TO PRAYER	<i>Spirit of the Living God</i>	No. 393
	Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.	
	Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.	
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.	
*CLOSING HYMN	<i>I'll Fly Away</i>	TFWS No. 2282
*THE ACOLYTE MINISTRY		
*COMMISSIONING OF THE DISCIPLES		Lindsey Jenkins

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***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

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*The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God and in honor of Baylor Kay Perdue's
second birthday today from her grandparents, Sam and Jane Roseberry.*

Serving Today:

Liturgist: Lindsey Jenkins

Greeters: Caleb Godfrey and Bella Godfrey

Acolyte: Evan Hatchett

Usher: Noah Burdick

Children's Church: Mittie Hambrick

Nursery: Jessica Call

Counters: Ina Clements, Ben Whitesell

Serving Next Week June 18):

Liturgist: Bill Cooper

Greeter: Phyllis Lavinder

Acolyte: Miles Gibson

Usher: Conrad Lavinder

Children's Church: Christina Gibson

Nursery: Martha Sue Gibson

Counters: Bobby Thompson, Jack Watts

Elementary Small Group at 10:00 a.m. (June 18)

Will Waller

Prayer Concerns:

**Our country, our church and those serving in our armed forces; People of Ukraine;
Arnold Dillon, Sr.; Rodney Cundiff; Bob Huffman; Debbie Caulder; Jack Dillon; Jason
Lavinder; Hazel Henderson; Lillie Hatchett; Jerry Davis; Barbara Huffman; Lynn
Cooper; Betty Dillon; CO Brickey; Jennifer Cooper; John Cooper; Dr. Matthew and
Amanda Billups (Jack Watts); Don Angle (Steve Angle); Mike Shea (Enna Roseberry);
Debbie Ford (Ben Whitesell); and Dennis Holland (Cyndee Holland).**

Forget-Me-Nots:

Kathleen Higgins

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
Brad Hodges, Custodian

Meetings and Announcements:

- **Wednesday, June 14** **7:00 p.m.**, Chancel Choir
- **Thursday, June 15-
Saturday, June 17** **Virginia Annual Conference in Roanoke**
- **Next Sunday, June 18** **10:00 a.m.**, Small Groups
 10:55 a.m., Worship
- **Thursday, June 22** **Serve lunch at Stepping Stone Soup Kitchen**
- **Sunday, June 25** **10:15 a.m.**, Chancel Choir
- **Monday, June 26-
Thursday, June 29** **6:00–8:00 p.m.**, Vacation Bible School at Rocky Mount
 Christian Church
- **Tuesday, June 27** **Serve lunch at Stepping Stone Soup Kitchen**
 12:00 p.m., Sunshine Girls will meet at Ippy's for lunch
- **Wednesday, June 28** **7:00 p.m.**, Chancel Choir

Assistive listening devices are available outside the sanctuary.

The Virginia Annual Conference sets aside the period between Mother's Day and Father's Day for special offerings to be collected for the Samaritan Program. Pinnacle Living's mission is to provide benevolent care in a vibrant community for older adults. Your Samaritan Offering will provide financial assistance to residents who have outlived their financial resources and can no longer afford the full cost of their care. The average age of recipients is 96 years old. One hundred percent of your offering will go to support these folks. Please make your checks payable to RMUMC and note Hermitage Roanoke Samaritan Program in the memo line.

Rocky Mount United Methodist Church announces an opening for a Part-time Office Manager. The hours for this position will be Monday through Thursday 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. and will begin at the beginning of August. We are looking for a person who has excellent writing skills and can communicate well with the pastor and staff. Some duties would include greet visitors and direct incoming phone calls, type and print the weekly worship bulletins, type, print and mail the monthly newsletters, maintain a calendar of church events and special activities, and maintain the church website and online calendar. We prefer the applicant to be strongly proficient with social media. Please send a resume to Mrs. Kelly Peterson, Staff/Parish Relations Committee Chair, at kbpeterson62@gmail.com.

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