

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2008  
10:30 am

THE PRELUDE                      **Psalm of Glory**  
(Saxton)

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETING AND SERVICE NOTES  
Bill Sherrill

TRINITY CHIME

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP  
(John Goss)

**Praise, My Soul, The King of  
Heaven**

\*HYMN – No. 57                      **O For a Thousand  
Tongues to Sing**

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH – No. 881                      The  
Apostles' Creed

\*GLORIA PATRI – No. 71

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION – No. 477

*Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power  
of Your Holy Spirit, that, as the scriptures are read  
and Your Word proclaimed we may hear with joy  
what You say to us today.*

FIRST LESSON p.544, 862  
Psalm 23: 1

CHILDREN'S MOMENT  
Laura Gould

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS AND PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE                      **Three-fold Amen**  
(Danish)

SECOND LESSON p. 960, 1505  
Matthew 6:25-33

SPECIAL MUSIC  
**Worship Medley**

(Steve Green and Christian  
Bateman)

SERMON                      **Wanting the Right Things**                      Rev.  
Mickey Fisher

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT – No. 453    **“More Love to Thee,  
O Christ”**

OFFERTORY                      **A Simple Song**  
(Shea)

\*DOXOLOGY – No. 95

\*HYMN – No.557                      **Blest Be the Tie  
That Binds**

\*EXTINGUISHING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION – No. 665    **Go Now in Peace**  
(Natalie Sleeth)

**Go now in peace, go now in peace,  
may the love of God surround you everywhere,  
everywhere you may go.**

\*THE POSTLUDE                      **Postlude in G minor**  
(Krebs)

(\*) Please stand as you are able.

**OTHERS TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER** Joe & Heather Philpot,  
Jay and Vera Hunt, Helen Yockey, Carolyn Hunter, Nick  
Nichols, Bob Donaldson, Libby Wingate, Georgiana Dougherty  
and Georgiana's neighbor, (Bobbie Brown), Edith Bynum, and  
her sons Carl and Jerry, Margaret Rivers, Eunice Looper,  
Shirley Dickson's friend, (Marvin Lollis), Dub Childs, Dennis  
McCloud and Terri McCloud, Charlie Hunt, Zack Philpot, Mildred  
Huckaby, Lucy Hughes, Rachel Palmer, Larry LaParl, Mildred  
Pollard, Steve Hester's mother, (Elva Hester), Ruth Brock's son,  
(Mike Brock), Jerry Smith, Benson McWhite, Kathleen Griffin,  
and Jake Moorehead.

Margaret Rivers is in Cottages at Brushy Creek, Room 101  
Cottage Creek Circle, Greer, SC 29650. Margaret's phone No.  
is 797-8800.

**Sympathy** The Pastor and Congregation express their deepest  
sympathy to **Shirley Dickson** and her family upon the death of  
her husband **Truman Dickson**. Truman had been a member of  
Berea Friendship UMC since March 1998.

**Covered Dish Lunch** Please join us for a time of fellowship and  
good food following the morning worship every third Sunday.  
We always have lots of home cooked food and a great time!  
We ask you bring your favorite dish and join us.

**November 17<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> Springmaid Beach**-We still need more  
people to sign-up for the Springmaid Beach Trip. This trip will  
include 3 nights lodging, 3 breakfast buffets, 3 Christmas  
Shows. The cost will be between \$175.00 and \$200.00. Sign-  
up sheets are located on the back doors of the sanctuary. We  
need at least 20 people.

**UMW Gearing Up For School**  
**Covered Dish Picnic**

Join the ladies of the UMW for a covered dish picnic this coming  
Tuesday, August 19, 2008 at 6:30 P.M. in the social hall. We  
will enjoy a variety of food and fellowship and in the process  
learn about the Greenville County Schools, from our Speaker,  
Kathy Barbee, Director of Social Work Services for Greenville  
County Schools. We will be collecting school supplies for the  
schools at our picnic. In order to make sure we have enough  
place settings, please register your attendance on the sign up  
sheet located on the door at the back of the sanctuary.

**Book Club** If you would like to read and discuss books, please  
come and visit the book club, we would love to have you. We  
meet every fourth Wednesday Night following the Wednesday  
Night Supper at 6:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

**Carowinds Trip Coming Soon** The Youth are planning a trip to  
Carowinds on August 30<sup>th</sup>. They will leave from the church on  
Friday, August 29<sup>th</sup>, at 4:30 and will spend Saturday at  
Carowinds.

**Greenville Spartanburg Youth Retreat** Sept.19-21 at Camp  
Greenville. The retreat will begin on Friday evening w/  
registration from 7:00 - 8:00 pm. The theme will be "Can You  
Hear Me Now?" and the speaker will be Rev. Smoke Kanipe.

The focus will be on how, when, where, and why you should listen to God. The cost is \$100 per person (youth or adult).

**Youth Rally at Buncombe Street UMC** The Youth Rally & Kick Off will be held from 5:00 – 7:30 PM on September 21<sup>st</sup>. Supper will be served at no charge. Tony Eubanks, Spiritual Life Coach and Chaplin for the Clemson football team will be the speaker. There will be time to get to know one another, time for worship, and time to share our talents. Rev. Jerry Hill will tell the youth about the “Walk for the Homeless” which will be held October 5<sup>th</sup> in downtown Greenville. Please contact Ellen Scott at efscott3hotmail.com or 864-967-4914.

**Newsletter Deadline** Please have your newsletter articles in by this Wednesday, August 20th.

**Safe Sanctuary Policy** This year each church will be required to submit a copy of its Safe Sanctuary Policy at Charge Conference. This policy is for the protection of children, youth, and vulnerable adults. This policy outlines the procedures that are to be followed for all district and conference activities that include children, youth, and/or vulnerable adults. It can also serve as a guide for local churches as to what their policy needs to address. You may find out more about this policy by visiting South Carolina United Methodist website, and looking under resources.

**Staff**

Pastor	Reverend A. Mickey Fisher	
Music Director	Bill Sherrill	
Organist	Sibyl Thomas	
Membership Secretary	Pat Teat	
Youth Director	Patti Taylor	
Treasurer	Marsha Disher	
Administrative Assistant	Debbie Capps	all

**THOSE WHO SERVE**

Liturgist	Bill Sherrill
Acolyte	Monroe Stone
Trustee	Corky Holman
Stewardship	Pat Teat
Altar Guild	Ellen Holman
Children’s Moment	Laura Gould
Nursery	Becky & Henry Philpot
Ushers	Steve Capps, Tony Earnest, Corky Holman, Ronnie Hunter

**FOR YOUR INFORMATION (and inspiration)!**

**Attendance – Sunday August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008:**

**Financial report for August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008:**

Received for Budget	\$1,794.97
Received to-date in August	\$8,186.74

**Happy Birthday**

August 17	Lisa Adams
August 18	Corky Holman
August 19	Dub Childs
August 19	Tom Smith
August 20	Jim Rawson
August 22	Michelle Artificio Johnson

**Wednesday Night Supper**

**August 20<sup>th</sup>**

Marinated Chicken  
Rice & Gravy  
Italian Green Beans  
Rolls, Milk Chocolate Cake  
Tea, Coffee, Water



**Our Prayer for Confession**

O Lord, be merciful to us in the midst of our sins and transgressions. We have not loved You with our whole heart. We have rejected Your way of life as revealed through Jesus Christ. We have failed to permit Your Holy Spirit to guide us in things. We have not loved our neighbors as our selves. We have been conformed to the material world around us, rather than allowing Your Spirit to transform us into the persons that we ought to be; forgive us, we pray, through Jesus Christ. AMEN