

16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost  
August 31, 2008  
10:30 am

THE PRELUDE Cantabile in G  
(Capocci)

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETING AND SERVICE NOTES  
Bill Sherrill

TRINITY CHIME

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP God of Grace and  
God of Glory (John  
Hughes)

\*HYMN- No. 66 Praise, My Soul, the King  
of Heaven

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION- No. 477

Open wide the window of our spirits, O Lord,  
And fill us with light from Your Word; open wide  
the door of our hearts, that we may receive and  
entertain thee with all our powers of adoration  
and love. Amen

PSALTER Old Testament Lesson  
Exodus 3:1-6

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Matt  
Greer

CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS AND PASTORAL PRAYER

CHORAL RESPONSE Three-fold Amen  
(Danish)

GOSPEL LESSON  
Luke 5:1-11  
One day as Jesus was standing by the Lake of  
Gennesaret, with the people crowding around him and

listening to the word of God, he saw at the water's edge  
two boats, left there by the fishermen, who were washing  
their nets. He got into one of the boats, the one  
belonging to Simon and asked him to put out a little from  
shore. Then he sat down and taught the people from the  
boat. When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon,  
"Put out into deep water, and let down the nets for a  
catch." Simon answered, "Master, we've worked hard all  
night and haven't caught anything. But because you say  
so, I will let down the nets." When they had done so, they  
caught such a large number of fish that their nets began  
to break. So they signaled their partners in the other boat  
to come and help them, and they came and filled both  
boats so full that they began to sink. When Simon Peter  
saw this, he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go away from  
me, Lord; I am a sinful man!" For he and all his  
companions were astonished at the catch of fish they had  
taken, and so were James and John, the sons of  
Zebedee, Simon's partners. Then Jesus said to Simon,  
"Don't be afraid; from now on you will catch men." So  
they pulled their boats up on shore, left everything and  
followed him.

CHORAL ANTHEM

SERMON "The Dreadful, Bountiful Deep" Rev.  
Mickey Fisher

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT -No. 591 Rescue the  
Pershing

OFFERTORY English Tune  
(Hiles)

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH- No.881

\*GLORIA PATRI- No. 71

\*HYMN- No. 424 O Crucified  
Redeemer

\*EXTINGUISHING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION – No. 665 Go Now In Peace  
(N. 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 D major  
(Rinck)

(\*) Please stand as you are able.

The Flowers placed on the Altar today are given to the  
Glory of God and in memory of Marsha Disher's mother.  
Today would have been her 94<sup>th</sup> Birthday.

The budvase on the altar today is given to the Glory of  
God and in celebration of Claire Rebecca Philpot who  
was born on Friday, August 15, 2008 to Heather & Joe  
Philpot. Proud grandparents are Cindy & Steve Hester and  
Becky & Henry Philpot.

OTHERS TO REMEMBER IN PRAYER Claire Rebecca 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, Charlie Hunt, Zack Philpot, Mildred Huckaby, Lucy  
Hughes, Rachel Palmer, Larry LaParl, Mildred Pollard, Steve  
Hester's mother, (Elva Hester), Jerry Smith, Benson  
McWhite, Kathleen Griffin, and Jake Moorehead.  
Doris Williams came home from St. Francis Hospital on  
Wednesday; she was hospitalized with a mild stroke.  
Margaret Rivers is in The Cottages at Brushy Creek, Room  
101 Cottage Creek Circle, Greer, SC 29650. Margaret's  
phone No. is 797-8800.

Youth Breakfast On Sunday, September 14<sup>th</sup>, our youth will  
provide breakfast for us at 8:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall  
before Sunday School. Please come and support our  
youth and enjoy the wonderful breakfast and fellowship  
they give us!

Inspiration Group will have its first meeting of the season on September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Members and visitors are asked to assemble in the Ruth Bible class room at 9:00 a.m. Following a brief business meeting and devotion, the group will travel to Stepp's Orchard in Hendersonville and then go to J & S Cafeteria for lunch. Please contact Donna Helms at 295-2973 by Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, if you plan to ride the church bus on this outing. See you then.

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 \$205.00. Sign-up sheets are located on the back doors of the sanctuary. We need at least 20 people.

Gospel Night at the Upper SC State Fair Thursday Night, September 4<sup>th</sup> is Gospel Night and Brenda Guthrie's (who cooks for our CDC) daughter Brianna Guthrie will be singing. The singing will start at 7PM and will also include The Atkins Family, Stand Strong Ministries and Total Praise with Laura Gould's brother, Joe Trusty.

Labor Day The Office will be closed on Monday, September 1<sup>st</sup> for Labor Day.

Thank you to Patti Humphreys, Pat Teat, and Jayne Walker for helping with the newsletters on Thursday. I really appreciate all you do! Debbie Capps

Staff Appreciation Luncheon

Please help us show our staff how much we appreciate them at a covered dish lunch on September 21<sup>st</sup>. There will be a "love basket" to show our appreciation in a tangible way, and we will recognize each of our staff members to thank them for their dedication and hard work.

We will also use this time to thank Rev. Mickey Fisher for his services as our interim pastor this summer.

**Did You Know?**

Did you know our website features a directory of businesses owned by church members? If yours isn't listed, please send details to jayne@pbsit.com, or leave the information in the church office. And please remember to

check the directory to see if a fellow member of BFUMC has the product or service you're looking for!

Staff

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

THOSE WHO SERVE

Trustee	Corky Holman
Stewardship	Pat Teat
Altar Guild	Ellen Holman
Children's Moment	Matt Greer
Nursery	Margaret Rawson
Ushers	Gene Bondurant, Steve
Capps	
	Corky Holman, Ronnie Hunter

FOR YOUR INFORMATION (and inspiration)!

Attendance - Sunday August 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008:

Sunday School- 60    Worship -109

Financial report for August 24<sup>th</sup> 2008:

Received for Budget	\$3,180.27
Received to-date in August	\$14,830.78

Happy Birthday

September 1	Elaine Campbell
September 2	Carolyn Hunter
	Bobby Nalley
September 3	Teresa Painter
September 5	Jaron Ferrer
September 6	Samantha Smiley
	Brenda Johnson

Happy Anniversary

September 1    Carolyn & Ronnie Hunter

Wednesday Night Supper

September 3rd

Grilled Chicken  
Mashed Potatoes  
Marinated Vegetables  
Rolls, Apple Pie  
Tea, Coffee, Water

