



MAIN STREET
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

July 21, 2024
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

8:45am
Jubilee! Worship Service

Psalm Reading	Psalm 89: 20-37	Amanda McGowan
Old Testament Reading	2 Samuel 7: 1-14	Lanny Lancaster
Sermon	“The House of God”	Lanny Lancaster

*We are happy you have joined us for our Jubilee! Worship Service today!
Please sign the Connection Pad so that we may have a record of your presence.*

Today’s Jubilee Worship Leaders:
Clay Howard, Jubilee Music Director
Victoria Smathers, Director of Children’s Ministries
Rev. Lanny Lancaster, Senior Pastor

Our Mission: *To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.*
Our Vision: *Fostering vital communities through love and life-changing experiences.*

Let’s Worship Together!

Sundays

8:30am less-formal Traditional service in the Sanctuary
8:45am Jubilee Contemporary service in the Chapel
10:55am Traditional Worship service in the Sanctuary

Wednesdays (September-May)

5:30pm Oasis Mid-week Service in the Sanctuary

Thursdays

6:30pm NOW: Night of Worship contemporary service in the Chapel (1st & 3rd Thursdays)

Announcements

FOOD DRIVE: New Horizons Sunday School class has organized a food drive competition called “Be Doers of the Word” to run from **July 14 to July 28**. Victoria Smathers, Wayne Purdy and our newest minister Rev. Lanny Lancaster have all enthusiastically agreed to compete against one another to collect food for Crisis Control Ministries. A bin with each willing contestant’s face will be in the tower entrance. Place your food items in the bins and the bin with the most items will be the “Winner.” The winner will receive a “whipped cream” pie in the face at our annual churchwide picnic on August 4 at Triad Park. *Be doers of the word, and not hearers only. Otherwise, you are deceiving yourselves. James 1:22*

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING will be on **July 25** at 7:00pm in the Choir Room.

KIDS IN ACTION Summer Service Camp—This year KIA will be **July 29 to July 31** from 9 am - 3 pm. Our kids have a service project in the morning and a fun activity in the afternoon! There are only 20 spots available so sign up soon! Registration is open to rising 2nd graders - rising 6th graders and the cost is \$80 per child.

JOIN US FOR OUR BACK TO SCHOOL SERVICE on Thursday, **August 1** at 6:30 pm in the Chapel! This year, our Night of Worship Band will lead us in musical worship, we will have a special message from a local educator and spend time together praying over the start of another wonderful school year. Kids of all ages are welcome and encouraged! Childcare will be available for infants and toddlers and our older children are encouraged to come and participate in worship. Bring your bookbags and receive a blessing tag to carry throughout the year!

CHURCH MICE NEEDED! The Church Mouse program was started over 15 years ago and is a “secret pal” program designed to keep our MSUMC college students connected to their church family. A Church Mouse is assigned a specific college student and provided with a list of their interests and favorites. Throughout the school year, the Church Mouse is encouraged to send a combination of notes, inexpensive treats, care packages, or gift cards. The identity of the Church Mouse is kept a secret throughout the year and is then revealed at the end of the school year in late April/early May. If you are interested in being a Church Mouse, please contact Kathryn in the church office (336-993-3411 or kathryn.jenkins@mainstreetumc.org) by **August 1**. For questions, please contact Christie Hunter or Tara Stamper.

A BIG PICNIC AND MORE! Mark Sunday, **August 4** on your calendars for *A Big Picnic and More!* The Member Care Committee has reserved Shelter #1 at Triad Park from 4:00- 8:00 for *A Big Picnic*, which means lots of FOOD. The church will provide fried chicken, tea, water, plates, cups, cutlery and some serving utensils. All who are able, are encouraged to bring side dishes and desserts, as well as any other desired main dishes. Please bring your food to Shelter #1 between 4:00 - 5:00, and Pastor Lanny will bless the food around 5:15. This is an opportunity to MEET Pastor Lanny and his wife Janet, and to socialize with Main Street friends and to MEET new people! The evening will reveal even *More!* Come and see who will get the Pie in the Face as the culmination of the food drive competition for Crisis Control. Let’s all wear our name tags to this event; we will have stickers if you forget your church nametag. Please help us plan by registering your plans to attend by **July 31** at mainstreetumc.org under “signups” on the red stripe.

COOKIES FOR KAIROS—It’s that season again where Main Street UMC goes to prison!! Well, certain volunteers go, but we need the support of our church family in baking cookies for Kairos! Since COVID however, the rules for cookie baking have become VERY stringent. We would appreciate your participation in helping us bake the cookies, as we need **80 dozen**, so please read the updated directions in the July newsletter and at mainstreetumc.org (on the red stripe, click Ministries>Ministries We Support>KAIROS Prison Ministry) if you want to help. Be sure to follow the guidelines or your cookies may not end up in prison. Thank you for your participation in contributing to Prison Ministry work. Please have all baked cookies (1 dozen per baggie) at the church office by Monday, **August 5**.

GOLF BALL FUNDRAISER: For nearly two decades the Groce/Kirkman Sunday School Class has provided over \$20,000 of scholarships to Main Street Youth. In order to build the fund up, Darrell Davis will have golf balls for purchase on Sunday between services. Curt Brown has provided the balls and Darrell has cleaned each one by hand (*over twenty gallons*). We are asking for a minimum donation of \$6.00 per dozen, however additional donations will be greatly appreciated. All proceeds will go to the scholarship fund. There is an excellent variety and most in very good condition Checks can be made to the Groce/Kirkman Scholarship Fund.

OLDER ADULT LUNCHEON—join us in the Fellowship Hall on **August 8** at 11:45am for lunch and fellowship! RSVP to Pat Knox (336-993-5413).

HONEYBEE FESTIVAL: Our church will have a booth at this year’s Honeybee Festival on Saturday, **August 17** from 10am until 5pm at 4th of July Park. This is a chance for you to represent our church and engage the Kernersville community. The goal is to make more disciples. We are looking for church members to take shifts at the booth on August 17 and to setup on August 16. Sign up to help at mainstreetumc.org under “Signups” on the red stripe.

Lyrics

Because of Your Love

As we come into Your presence
We remember every blessing
That You've poured out so freely from above
Lifting gratitude and praises
For compassion so amazing
Lord, we've come to give You thanks for all You've done

Because of Your love, we're forgiven
Because of Your love, our hearts are clean
We lift You up with songs of freedom
Forever we're changed because of Your love (repeat)

Mighty To Save

Everyone needs compassion
A love that's never failing, Let mercy fall on me
Everyone needs forgiveness
The kindness of a Savior, The hope of nations

Savior, he can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save
Forever author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave

So take me as you find me, All my fears and failures
And fill my life again
I give my life to follow everything I believe in
And now I surrender, I surrender

Savior, he can move the mountains
My God is mighty to save, He is mighty to save
Forever author of Salvation
He rose and conquered the grave, Jesus conquered the grave

Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing
For the glory of the risen King, Jesus
Shine your light and let the whole world see
We're singing
For the glory of the risen King

Your Love, O Lord

Your love O Lord
reaches to the Heavens
Your faithfulness stretches to the sky
Your righteousness
is like the mighty mountain
Your justice flows like the ocean's tide
And I will lift my voice
to worship You my King
And I will find my strength
in the shadow of Your wings (repeat)

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to worship You my King
And I will find my strength
in the shadow of Your wings
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reaches to the Heavens
Your faithfulness stretches to the sky

Build My Life

Worthy of every song we could ever sing
Worthy of all the praise we could ever bring
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you, Oh, we live for you

Jesus, the Name above every other name
Jesus, the only One who could ever save (worthy...)
Worthy of every breath we could ever breathe
We live for you

Holy, there is no one like You, there is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder
Show me who You are and fill me with Your heart and lead me in
your love to those around me

Jesus, the Name above every other name
Jesus, the only One who could ever save
Worthy of every breathe we could ever breathe
We live for You, Oh! We live for You

Holy, there is no one like You, there is none beside You
Open up my eyes in wonder
Show me who You are and fill me with Your heart and lead me in
your love to those around me

I will build my life upon Your love, it is a firm foundation
I will put my trust in You alone and I will not be shaken