Lifeline

LifeLine Contemporary Worship Service Shandon United Methodist Church Sunday, September 15, 2024 11:05 a.m.



Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost Sunday, September 15, 2024 11:05 a.m.

Opening Song

Multiplied | Needtobreathe

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song of Praise

There's a Higher Power | Buddy Miller

Children's Moment

Cari Treece

Following the Children's Sermon, childcare is available for 4 & 5 year olds in Room 115 of the Knox Building.

Prayers of the People

Offering

We worship God through our gifts and tithes. Give online at **shandonumc.org/give** or via the Realm App (**onrealm.org/shandonumc**)

Offertory Song

Chain Breaker | Zach Williams

Scripture

Mark 8:27-38

Sermon

"Right Title, Wrong Meaning" Rev. James Grubb

Song of Celebration

He Reigns | Newsboys

*All children are invited to come forward.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL SERIES: Join us today, as well as September 22, in Player Hall immediately following the Children's Sermon to learn about worship in an engaging, age-appropriate way. Children's Chapel series is designed for families with 4-year-old Preschool, K5, and 1st-grade children. Sessions, while different, are stand-alone. Parents should attend these sessions with their children.



STORIES AND SONGS THIS EVENING: As Christians, we are called to share our stories of faith with others. Join us on **Sunday, September 15, from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** to hear a blend of traditional and contemporary music, and the inspiring personal faith journeys of **Jeff and Stephanie Black and Creston Brown.** Childcare for infants to 3-year-olds will be provided starting at 5:45 p.m., with a **special event for children** (4-year preschoolers to 5th graders) led by our Student Ministry from 5:45 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., where they will enjoy games, faith stories, and songs. A light, family-friendly meal will be available in Player Hall from 5:00 p.m. to 5:45 p.m. No advance registration is required, and the meal cost is \$9 for adults and \$4 for children.

COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS will be opportunities to listen to each other in groups of about 10 as we discern God's will for Shandon. The key questions for the conversations will be ... "What do you value most highly about Shandon UMC?" and "How do you think the recent decisions of our UMC General Conference may, or should, impact the things you value about Shandon?" We pray that these conversations will be times for speaking what is on our hearts and, even more importantly, for listening to our brothers and sisters speak what is on their hearts. We have two more session this month—**September 22** and **24.** Please register at **shandonumc.org/register**.

WEDNESDAY MANNA returns on **Wednesday, September 11**, in Player Hall from 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Meals are \$9.00 for an adult's meal and \$4.00 for a child's meal. Childcare is available in the gym from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Meals must be purchased in advance online at **shandonumc.org/meals**.

BIBLE PRESENTATION FOR 3RD GRADERS will be held next **Sunday, September 22** at the 11:00 a.m. traditional and the 11:05 a.m. LifeLine services. Register your child online at **shandonumc.org/register**.

CONNECTIONS TRIP: On **Thursday, September 19**, adults, age 55+ are planning a trip to the Hendersonville area to purchase apples and visit the Carl Sandburg Home. After choosing our apples, cider and other goodies at Justus Orchard, we will enjoy a delicious picnic box lunch on the grounds of the Sandburg Home and then tour the farm. Departure time is 8:30 a.m. and return by 4:00 p.m. The only cost for the trip is \$12.00 for your lunch, but you will need money for purchases at the orchard. Email Susan Curran at scurran@shandonumc.org if you plan to attend.

MORE JUSTICE: While Shandon members are deeply involved in mercy ministries, our work with MORE Justice addresses systemic issues affecting our community. Together with 27 congregations, we focus on four areas: food justice, affordable housing, gun violence, and mental health. From mobile markets and affordable housing initiatives to reducing gun violence and providing crisis training for first responders, MORE Justice is making an impact. Join us on Monday, September 16 at 6:30 p.m. in Wesley Hall for a progress report and to learn how you can get involved.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST: Our September Men's Prayer Breakfast will be held on **Thursday, September 19 from 7:30 a.m. until 8:15 a.m.** in Player Hall. A full breakfast will be provided, and for our program, Shandon's new Associate Pastor, Rev. Maggie Cantey, will share her faith journey. Please plan to join us, and don't forget to invite a friend.

SHANDON SISTERS provides connections for young women (ages 25ish - 45ish). Join us for a casual gathering to connect with mature women who are ahead of you in life's journey. Our time together will include fellowship, light refreshments, conversation, and a brief reflection with "pearls of wisdom" from a facilitator. Our next meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 19, from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.** at Ashley Brantley's home. For info, contact Anne Marie Crosswell at <a href="maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maintenance-maint

THE DEATH PENALTY: WHAT TO CONSIDER: Join us in Player Hall from **9:45 -10:45 a.m. on Sunday, September 29**. The Rev. Hillary Taylor, Executive Director of South Carolinians for Alternatives to the Death Penalty, will lead us in thinking about Christian perspectives on the death penalty as we are guided by Scripture, Christian tradition, our personal experience of God, and our human reason. All adults are invited. For more information, contact Lesli Wood at lesliv.org.

TRIPLE T IS BACK: We will resume Triple T on **Tuesday, September 24**, and are returning to our Tuesday/Thursday schedule. Meals must be preordered by 5:00 p.m. on Monday at **shandon-umc.org/meals**. Meals are \$9.00 and are available for pick up in the church parking lot from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon.

FAMILY BINGO: Join us for bingo, prizes, and dinner on **Friday, September 27, from 6:00–7:30 p.m.** in Player Hall. All families are invited. Bring your friends, too! Chicken fingers and French fries will be served—\$5 for adults, \$3 for children, (2 & under eat free). Registration is required. No childcare is provided. Register online at **shandonumc.org/register**.

CREATE A PUMPKIN SUCCULENT PLANTER: As we look forward to cooling temperatures, are you also looking for a new idea for your fall home décor? Join us on **Wednesday, October 16, at 10:30 a.m. or 6:00 p.m.** to make your own pumpkin planter, a real pumpkin topped with live succulents. Details and registration can be found at **shandonumc.org/register**.

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