

# SHANDON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



*We gather to worship God, nurture Christian faith,  
and go out into the world in mission.*

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JUNE 30, 2024

8:45 A.M.

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY

A Rejoicing

Alfred Fedak

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. James Grubb

EXCHANGE OF PEACE AND GOOD WILL

\*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 73

O Worship the King

*Lyons*

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

We have been held captive, slaves to sin.

**We have struggled and suffered for so very long.**

The Lord has heard our cries.

**And God has provided a way for freedom.**

A table is set before us. A feast is prepared for us.

**A meal of meat and bitter herbs, of bread and wine.**

It reminds us of all that has been promised and done.

**Let us worship our Lord for what has been done. Amen.**

\*GLORIA PATRI NO. 71

*Greathorex*

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;**

**as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,**

**world without end. Amen, Amen.**

(8:45 a.m.) THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM AND RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS (p. 33)

We celebrate the sacrament of baptism today with **Helen Renee Tison**. Joining our congregation along with Renee is her fiance, **Brian Gwin**.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**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. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON

1 Samuel 8:4-20

Pew Bible, O.T. pp. 239-240

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Susan Curran

SERMON

"He Will Take ..."

Rev. James Grubb

\*HYMN 77

How Great Thou Art

*How Great Thou Art*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

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.**

THE OFFERING

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Text 73256 and enter SUMC

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him

*Faben*

\*DOXOLOGY NO. 95

*Old 100th*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise him, all creatures here below;  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

\*HYMN 462

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

*Trust in Jesus*

\*BENEDICTION

\*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

\*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Simple Gifts

Dale Wood

\*Congregation standing

*The flowers at the altar today are given in honor of Leanne and Sonny Jarrett for their 65th wedding anniversary by their children, grandchildren, and great-granddaughter; and in memory of Nancy Hill Robertson and William Wallace Robertson in honor of their wedding anniversary, June 30, 1957, by Jeannie, Bill, William, and Christopher Metzger.*

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## SUMMER SOUL SERIES

Join us for the 2024 Summer Soul Series, sponsored by Shandon UMC Health and Wellness, featuring insightful sessions **every Sunday from July 14 to August 4**, from 9:45 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

**July 14:** “Well-being” with Lesli Wood

**July 21:** “Strategies for Helping Children and Teens Navigate Anxiety”  
with Dr. Elizabeth Jeffords

**July 28:** “The Impact of Technology on Adolescents” with Dr. Jonathan Brock

**August 4:** “Guidance on Caring for Elderly Relatives” with Amanda Mahan  
from Still Hopes Episcopal Retirement Community

No registration is needed, and all are welcome! All sessions will take place in Player Hall, except for the final session on August 4, which will be held in Knox 204.

**MANY THANKS** to all who made last Sunday’s America the Beautiful celebration a big success — to Susan Curran and Cari Treece for the beautiful table decorations in the gym and Player Hall, to Tim Scott for the delicious meal, and to our choir and musicians for the inspiring music!

**THE 20TH ANNUAL GARAGE SALE IS COMING!** Save the dates: August 9 and 10. Please start gathering the treasures you no longer need for our sale. Drop off will be from Saturday, 8/3 through Monday 8/5. More info to come!!

**EYES FOR HAITI:** Hal Crosswell’s recently published memoir of the eye clinic in Jeremie, Haiti, started by South Carolina United Methodist Volunteers in Mission, is an inspiring account of God’s people sharing God’s love in the world. Shandon UMC members are a big part of the story. The books are available in the gray credenza in the Great Hall for \$20 (cash or make check to The SC United Methodist Advocate).

**LIVE ON THE LAWN:** The Evangelism Committee invites you to grab your blankets, lawn chairs and friends, and join us for an unforgettable evening of music, fun and community. The concert is free and open to all. Chicken tender dinners will be available for purchase (\$4.00 Child, \$8.00 Adult) and Truly Scrumptious Ice Cream Truck will be back with sweet treats. Join us at 6:30 p.m. on **Tuesday, July 9**, when *Prettier than Matt* will perform. Don't miss out on a night of celebration, community, and music!

# CHILDREN AND YOUTH

**SUMMER FUN AND FELLOWSHIP FOR CHILDREN:** Wild Wednesday (Drop-Off Event), **Wednesday, July 10:** Bingo Night. This summer, there will be opportunities for fun and fellowship for children of all ages! Rising Kindergarten-rising 6th grade, 6:00-7:30 p.m., Player Hall. This is a drop-off event, and we need help from parents. Please email Cari at [ctreece@shandonumc.org](mailto:ctreece@shandonumc.org) to volunteer. Younger children may attend if accompanied by a parent.

**YOUTH MISSION PROJECT:** Registration is now open for the 2024 Youth Mission Project (YMP)! YMP will be back in Hollywood, SC, from **July 14-20** this year, and all students in 9th-12th grade are invited. You can find more information and registration at [shandonumc.org/register](http://shandonumc.org/register).

**POPSICLES AT THE PARK: Wednesday, July 17, 4:00-5:00 p.m.** (NOT a drop-off event) All ages, Gills Creek Memorial Park Splash Pad, 24 Forest Lake Place. Join us for playtime with friends at the park ending with popsicles and a Bible story with Ms. Cari.

**SUMMERTIME FAMILY FAITH:** Summer presents a busy schedule, yet it offers an excellent opportunity to cultivate faith practices. It's not too late to pick up a Summertime Family Faith packet, complete with calendars for June, July, and August. Each day features a unique theme, providing a perfect framework for strengthening your family's faith. Remember, it's okay if you skip a day or if a particular activity isn't feasible for you. Simply do what you can and enjoy this time with your family. You can find the packets at the entrances to the Sanctuary and gym and in the center walkthrough area of DuBose.

*Shandon UMC is a Stephen Ministry and Safe Sanctuary Congregation*

Senior Minister: The Reverend C. E. Kanipe, Jr.

Minister of Assimilation & Discipleship: The Reverend James Grubb

Minister of Music & Arts: The Reverend D. Edwin Huss, Jr.

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