LifeLine

LifeLine Contemporary Worship Service Shandon United Methodist Church Sunday, August 18, 2024 11:05 a.m.



Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost Sunday, August 18, 2024 11:05 a.m.

Opening Song

Put a Little Love In Your Heart

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Song of Praise

Glorious Day | Kristian Stanfill

Children's Moment

Susan Curran

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

Run To The Father | Worship Together

Scripture

1 Kings 3:1-15

Sermon

"An Understanding Mind" Rev. James Grubb

Song of Celebration

Sing Wherever I Go | We The Kingdom

*All children are invited to come forward.

Benediction



SHARE YOUR GIFTS by filling out our Ministry Involvement Questionnaire. The MIQ helps us connect you to areas in which you'd like to serve — and it only takes a minute! Visit **shandonumc.org/miq**.



FALL DOORWAYS ADULT BIBLE STUDIES: Connect with a communi-

ty and deepen your faith through our Fall Doorways classes starting the week of September 8. With 12 diverse offerings, including a weekly Zoom prayer group, a men's group on the art of trusting God in difficult times, the comprehensive *Disciple I* class, and a no-homework class for women eager to grow in their walk with Jesus, there's a class for everyone. For registration and class information, visit **shandonumc.org/doorways**.

TREK—NEW MEMBER CLASS: TREK is Shandon UMC's pathway to membership. Our next course is set to begin on **September 15 from 3:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.** It is designed to help you connect with our ministers and staff, our ministries, and one another. Register online at **shandonumc.org/trek**.

SAVE A LIFE—DONATE BLOOD: The Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on **Sunday, August 25, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.** in Player Hall. Sponsored by Health and Wellness, the blood drive needs you! Please plan to donate blood to help many in need. Reserve an appointment to give blood at **shandonumc.org/redcross**.

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS NEEDED: Lutheran Services Carolina's New Americans Program needs good condition dressers, bookshelves, coffee tables, lamps, and tables and chairs. The program is completely out of furniture for the many refugee families moving into homes. If you would like to donate for refugee relief, please contact Sue Haddock at (803) 206-3787.

WWJP? (WHERE WOULD JESUS PARK?) Well, of course, Jesus walked everywhere, so he wouldn't actually have to deal with the parking challenges we face on Sundays! But seriously, as school starts and more of us are back in church, we need to be very careful and considerate in our parking habits. A few friendly suggestions ...

- 1. **The lot beside the church** is important for those with mobility challenges, young children, and our first-time visitors. Please pay careful attention to handicap parking signs, including those for handicap accessible vans.
- The lot across Devine Street is our largest parking lot. On most Sundays we
 have an off-duty police officer to assist us in crossing the street. On the relatively rare occasions when no officer is available, please be sure to use the
 crosswalks.
- 3. Our friends at Dreher are nice enough to share their front lot with us. Please do not park on the grass anywhere on the Dreher property.
- There are a number of parking spaces on Adger Road. Please do not park
 by the yellow curb sections of Adger Road, especially close to the intersection.

STORIES AND SONGS: 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. Don't miss this opportunity to be part of an evening that celebrates the power of shared testimonies and songs.

CUB SCOUT ICE CREAM SOCIAL: Do you like camping? Hiking? Games and adventure? Then Cub Scouts might be the perfect place for you. Join us on **Sunday, September 8 at 4:00 p.m.** for an ice cream social and Lego derby. An informational meeting will begin at 4:30 p.m. in Player Hall, following the ice cream social. All children in 5K-5th grade and parents are welcome. More info: Dylan Goff at dylan@gofflawgroup.com or (803) 216-1008.

THE ST. NICHOLAS AND CHERUB CHOIRS will begin Wednesday rehearsals on **Wednesday, September 11 at 6:00 p.m.** in the DuBose Building. Julia Turner and Donna Salais will lead our Cherub Choir, and Amy Martin and Eddie Huss will lead the St. Nicholas Choir. We are grateful for their leadership in our music ministry. Parents may register their chorister on the first rehearsal night, September 11.

BIBLE PRESENTATION FOR 3RD GRADERS on Sunday, September 22, at the 11:00 a.m. Traditional and the 11:05 a.m. Lifeline services. If you have a child entering 3rd grade this fall, please complete the registration so we may prepare a Bible for them. Register your child online at **shandonumc.org/register**.

CHILDREN'S CHAPEL SERIES: Join us on Sundays, September 8, 15, and 22, during the 11:00/11:05 a.m. worship services as we embark on the Children's Chapel Series. This special series is designed for families with 4-year-old Preschool, K5, and 1st-grade children. Sessions, while different, are stand-alone. Immediately after the Children's Sermon, participants are invited to join Susan Curran and Cari Treece in Player Hall to learn about worship in age-appropriate activities. Parents attend these sessions with their children.

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