SHANDON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

CONSECRATION SUNDAY

OCTOBER 22, 2023

8:45 & 11:00 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Aria

Flor Peeters

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. C. E. "Smoke" Kanipe, Jr.

MINISTRY MOMENT

Stewardship Committee

EXCHANGE OF PEACE AND GOOD WILL

(11:00 a.m.) INTROIT

God's Love/Oh, Be Careful/Go Now in Peace

Mauri Macy

Cherub Choir (Collins Atkinson, soloist)

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 117

O God, Our Help in Ages Past

St. Anne

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Make a joyful noise to the LORD, all the earth.

Worship the LORD with gladness;

come into his presence with singing.

Know that the LORD is God.

It is he that made us, and we are his;

we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving,

and his courts with praise.

Give thanks to him, bless his name.

For the LORD is good;

his steadfast love endures forever,

and his faithfulness to all generations. (Psalm 100)

*GLORIA PATRI NO. 71 Greatorex

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.

A Future with Hope St. Nicholas, Youth, and Chancel Choirs

Surely I know the plans I have for you, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.

When you call on me, I will answer. I will hear your every prayer.

When you seek me with all your heart, you will find me, I will be there. (Jer. 29:11-13)

(11:00 a.m.) THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (Hymnal, pg. 39)

Celia Tate Goldman, daughter of Lauren and Anthony Goldman, was born on February 9, 2023. Her twin older brothers are Nathan and David.

(11:00 a.m.) THE BAPTISM SONG: HYMN 611 (verses 1,4)

Child of blessing, child of promise, baptized with the Spirit's sign; with this water God has sealed you unto love and grace divine. Child of God, your loving Parent, learn to know whose child you are. Grow to laugh and sing and worship, trust and love God more than all.

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Come, Holy Spirit:
give us your grace
that we might hear, love, and obey
the word which you speak to us this day.
In your precious and holy name we pray. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON	Jeremiah 29:1-14	Pew Bible, O.T. pg. 687-688
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(8:45 a.m.) CHILDREN'S SERMON Cari Treece

SERMON "We Are the Future" Rev. C. E. "Smoke" Kanipe, Jr.

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD FOR 2024

HYMN 87	What Gift Can We Bring	Anniversary Song
HYMN 328	Surely the Presence of the Lord	Wolfe
HYMN 393	Spirit of the Living God	Living God

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

To give online or by text: www.shandon-umc.org/give

Text 73256 and enter SUMC

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

(8:45 a.m.)

And Can It Be?

Anna Flynn, soprano

John Ness Beck

Dan Forrest

(11:00 a.m.)

Offertory Chancel Choir

With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high?

Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings, with yearling calves?

Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, with ten thousand rivers of oil?

Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

He has shown you, O man; He has shown you what is good.

And what does the Lord require of you but to do justice and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?

*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 399

Take My Life, and Let It Be

Messiah

*BENEDICTION

You have given yourself to us, Lord;

now we give ourselves for others.

Your love has made us a new people;

as a people of love, we will serve you with joy.

Your glory has filled our hearts;

help us to glorify you in all things. Amen.

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*CLOSING VOLUNTARY

"Little" Prelude in C Major

J. S. Bach

"We are The Future" - Today is Consecration Sunday: We invite you to actively participate in this special day of unity and commitment. During the Offering, bring your Commitment Card forward and spend a moment in prayer for our church. Extra Commitment Cards are available through our ushers. If you prefer, you can make a pledge online at shandonumc.org/pledge or via the Realm App, and you'll find "I Pledged Online" cards available through our ushers as well. Thank you for your faithful support of God's work through Shandon UMC!

The flowers at the altar today are given to the glory of God by Barbara Cobb and Lex & Cathy Knox in loving memory of Rachel and Marion Knox on the anniversary of their wedding date (October 19, 1940).

^{*}Congregation standing

ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 22, 2023

PECANS ARE COMING: UWF are again selling pecans for missions. You can pre-order after the 8:45 or before the 11:00 service in the Great Hall on **Sunday, October 22, Sunday, October 29,** or call Ellen Burks at 803.776.9054 before the **October 31 deadline**. Pieces are \$11 per bag, Halves are \$11.50 per bag and Butter Roasted are \$25 per container. They should be in around mid-November.

SCOUT WREATH SALE TODAY! Christmas is only 64 days away, so get started with your holiday decorations early. Shandon Scouts are selling Christmas Wreaths, Garland, Centerpieces, and More in the Great Hall and the Knox Building from 10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

ALL SAINTS CHOIR CONCERT: Choristers from Shandon, Trenholm Road, Union/Irmo, Salem/Irmo, and Trinity/Blythewood will perform John Rutter's *Requiem* with orchestra on **Sunday, November 5**, at 4:00 p.m. in our Sanctuary. Everyone is invited to attend.

GRATITUDE CALENDAR: As we enter the busy holiday season, we are providing a resource to help EVERYONE practice GRATITUDE every day. November 2023 Gratitude Every Day Calendars are available at the entrances of the Sanctuary and gym and are for all ages and households.

TREK CLASS: Are you ready to become a member of Shandon UMC? The next TREK Course, Shandon's Pathway to Membership, begins on **November 5** and is filling up. The course will meet November 5, 12 & 15 from 3:30 - 5:00p.m. Childcare is available. Go to **shandonumc.org/trek** to learn more and sign up today.

SHANDON SISTERS: Connections for Young Women (ages 25ish - 45ish) - Join us for a casual gathering to connect with mature women 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 one of our facilitators. This month we will meet on **Monday, November 6,** 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. at the home of Heather Mitchell. For more information contact Anne Marie Crosswell at amacrosswell@gmail.com, Taylor White at tmunnwhite@gmail.com or Ruthie Taylor at 803-318-7484. Friends are welcome.

ALLEN FUND SCHOLARSHIP: The Allen Committee is now accepting grant applications for the spring 2024 academic semester for students in college, technical and professional schools who are members of Shandon UMC or students of Epworth. Shandon members and Epworth students may apply for such awards to the Allen Fund Committee of the JOY Class on our website. The deadline to submit an application for the 2024 spring academic semester is **November 15, 2023**. Please visit **shandon-umc.org/allenfund** to apply.

CHILDREN & YOUTH

SIXTH GRADE Fellowship: Friday, October 27

Sixth Graders are invited to join us for the "6F" – Sixth Grade Fellowship event on Friday, October 27, from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. in the gym. Our time together will include games, snacks, and a time of devotion and songs. Register by **Tuesday, October 24**, at shandonumc.org/register. Friends are welcome. Questions? Please contact Lesli Wood (lwood@shandonumc.org).

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY in LifeLine worship: October 29

"Calling all 1st – 6th graders!" We're looking for you to join our team for Children's Sunday on **October 29** at the 11:05 a.m. Lifeline service. We have openings for ushers, greeters, prayer leaders, sermon assistants, and scripture readers. Don't worry if you're new to these roles; we'll provide all the guidance you need. Please email Cari Treece, ctreece@shandonumc.org, if your child would like to participate.

LIONS & GIANTS: Sunday, October 29, 3:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

Children in grades 5K-5th are invited to Sunday Funday with Ms. Cari in the gym for an exciting time of fellowship, games, and Bible time. Noodle Tag, Gaga Ball and Capture the Flag are just some of the games we may play. This gathering is a drop-off event, with no registration necessary. If you can stay and help, contact Cari, ctreece@shandonumc.org.

ADVENT IN A BAG: The Children & Family Ministry Team is creating Advent in a Bag kits to provide faith-at-home resources to support, love, and connect families without adding to the burden families feel during this time of year. The cost per bag is \$15 and must be ordered by **Wednesday**, **November 15**. Pick-up will begin on Sunday, November 19.

TRIPLE T: Tim's Tuesday & Thursday meals are \$9.00 and are available for pick up in the parking lot from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon. The weekly menu and required online registration can be found at **shandonumc.org/triplet**. Order by 5:00 p.m. Monday.

WEDNESDAY MANNA: Join us for family, food, and fellowship on Wednesdays from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. in Player Hall. Childcare is available in the gym from 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. The weekly menu and required online registration can be found at **shandonumc.org/manna**. Order by 5:00 p.m. Monday.

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.
Music Associate & Organist: Deborah K. Bauer

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