

SHANDON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



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

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

NOVEMBER 16, 2025

8:45 AND 11:00 A.M.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Prelude in F Major

J.S. Bach

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

MINISTRY MOMENT

Dana Klinepeter

EXCHANGE OF PEACE AND GOOD WILL

* PROCESSIONAL HYMN 66 Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

Lauda Anima

* CALL TO WORSHIP

The LORD is my chosen portion and my cup;
you hold my lot.

**The boundary lines have fallen for me in pleasant places;
I have a goodly heritage.**

I bless the LORD who gives me counsel;
in the night also my heart instructs me.

**I keep the LORD always before me;
because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved.**

Therefore my heart is glad, and my soul rejoices;
my body also rests secure.

**For you do not give me up to Sheol,
or let your faithful one see the Pit.**

You show me the path of life.

**In your presence there is fullness of joy;
in your right hand are pleasures forevermore.**

(from Psalm 16:5-11)

* 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.**

(11:00 A.M.) ANTHEM

There Is a Wideness in God's Mercy

Calvin Hampton

Grant Ebert, baritone

Brian Smith, flute

(11:00 A.M.) THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM (Hymnal, pg. 39)

Riley Michael Rush, son of Carmen and Scott Rush, was born May 10, 2025.

(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

**God whose word is as old as creation, yet fresh as tomorrow,
pour out on us your Holy Spirit,
that the covenants of the patriarchs,
the visions of the prophets,
and the testimonies of the apostles
might be for us the way of life. Amen.**

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Isaiah 65:17-25

Pew Bible, O.T. pg. 654

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Cari Treece

*(Following the Children's Sermon, childcare is available for 4 and 5-year-olds
in Room 115 of the Knox Building)*

* HYMN 368

My Hope Is Built

The Solid Rock

* (8:45 A.M.) 884 - A STATEMENT OF FAITH OF THE KOREAN METHODIST CHURCH

We believe in the one God

**creator and sustainer of all things, Father of all nations,
the source of all goodness and beauty, all truth and love.**

We believe in Jesus Christ,

**God manifest in the flesh,
our teacher, example, and Redeemer, the Savior of the world.**

We believe in the Holy Spirit,

God present with us for guidance, for comfort, and for strength.

We believe in the forgiveness of sins,

**in the life of love and prayer,
and in grace equal to every need.**

We believe in the Word of God

**contained in the Old and New Testaments
as the sufficient rule both of faith and of practice.**

We believe in the church,

**those who are united in the living Lord
for the purpose of worship and service.**

We believe in the reign of God

**as the divine will realized in human society,
and in the family of God,
where we are all brothers and sisters.**

We believe in the final triumph of righteousness

and in the life everlasting. Amen.

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: shandonumc.org/give

To give by text: Text SUMC to 73256

(8:45 A.M.) OFFERTORY There's a Wideness in God's Mercy Calvin Hampton

Grant Ebert, baritone

Brian Smith, flute

*There's a wideness in God's mercy, like the wideness of the sea;
There's a kindness in His justice, which is more than liberty.
There is plentiful redemption in the blood that has been shed;
there is joy for all the members in the sorrows of the Head.*

*For the love of God is broader than the measures of our mind;
and the heart of the Eternal is most wonderfully kind.
If our love were but more simple we should take him at his word,
and our lives would be all sunshine in the sweetness of our Lord.*

*Fearful souls, why will you scatter like a crowd of frightened sheep?
Foolish hearts, why will you wander from a love so true and deep?
There is welcome for the sinner and more graces for the good;
There is mercy with the Savior, there is healing in his blood. Amen.*

(11:00 A.M.) OFFERTORY With a Voice of Singing Martin Shaw

The Chancel Choir

*With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.
Utter it even unto the ends of the earth.
The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia.
O be joyful in God, all ye lands,
O sing praises to the honor of his name, make his praise to be glorious.
With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia.*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

* HYMN 261

Lord of the Dance

Shaker Tune

* BENEDICTION

* (11:00 A.M.) CHORAL RESPONSE The Lord Bless You and Keep You John Rutter

*The Lord bless you and keep you,
the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up the light of his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.*

* CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

* CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Trumpet Tune in E-flat

David N. Johnson

* Congregation standing

*The flowers at the altar are given in honor of the baptism of Riley Michael Rush. Riley is
the son of Scott and Carmen Rush and the grandson of Bob and Jennie Rush.*

*The flowers at the altar are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold C. Muir, and Mr. and
Mrs. Maxwell K. Spear, by Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Spear.*

*The flowers in the narthex are given to the glory of God and in honor of
John Grantland by his family on his 60th birthday.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SHANDON SERVES: So far we have received 207 pledges for \$1,839,693 to support our 2026 budget. Thank you to all who have made a pledge! If you have not yet submitted your pledge, you can mail in your Commitment Card or simply go to shandonumc.org/pledge.

METHODIST YOUTH FELLOWSHIP (MYF): November 16 - Thankful Hearts. Let's show appreciation to the people who make our church feel like home! Dinner, fellowship, and Bible study will take place from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the Youth Zone.

GRIEFSHARE-SURVIVING THE HOLIDAYS: The holidays are tough even in the best of circumstances. If you are grieving, please join our Stephen Ministers today, Sunday, **November 16**, from 2:30-4:30 p.m. in Knox 214 as they offer support, understanding, and tools to navigate the season. Materials will be supplied for a \$5 donation made during class. Register for the class and childcare, if needed, at shandonumc.org/events.

SOUTHERN CHRISTMAS SHOW: Charlotte, NC, on Tuesday, **November 18**. This show is one of the top holiday events in the Southeast. The bus will depart Shandon UMC at 8:30 a.m. and return around 5:00 p.m. Space is limited to 14 participants. The cost is \$15 per person. Contact Susan Curran to register at scurran@shandonumc.org.

WEDNESDAY MANNA: The **November 19** menu will be herb baked chicken, brown rice pilaf, steamed vegetables, mixed green salad, homemade bread, and dessert. Pre-order of meals is required at shandonumc.org/manna. The deadline to order each week is Monday at 5 p.m. Meals are served from 5:00-6:00 p.m. in Player Hall, and are \$9.00/adult and \$4.00/ child. Children may choose a portion of the weekly meal or a children's plate.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST: All men are invited to join us this Thursday, **November 20**, from 7:30-8:15 a.m. in Player Hall for our Men's Prayer Breakfast. Chef Tim will be providing a delicious full breakfast, followed by a short program led by Jason Snyder. Please join us and bring a friend to be filled with food, fellowship and faith.

SEEKERS LUNCH: Young professionals ages 23 to 30 seeking fellowship and community are welcome to join the Seekers group for lunch at Taziki's following the 11:00 a.m. and 11:05 a.m. worship services on **November 23**. Please contact Rev. Maggie with questions or to be added to the group email list.

SUMC BOOK CLUB: Discussing what you read is an easy, enjoyable way to get to know people on a deeper level and to expand your thinking and faith. Come join the conversation! The SUMC Book Club meets on the third Thursday of each month, from 5:30-6:30 p.m. in Rm. 221 (2nd fl. Bruner Bldg.). Newcomers are warmly welcomed any time. **November 20:** *The Lies We Leave Behind* by Noelle Salazar.

ORGAN RECITAL: Please join us for an organ recital by Alisdair Welty in our sanctuary on Friday, **November 21** at 7:00 p.m. Alisdair is a high school senior from Cleveland, Ohio, and is the winner of the 2025 Columbia American Guild of Organists competition. A reception for Alisdair will be held in Wesley Fellowship Hall afterwards.

BLOOD DRIVE: Give the gift of life at Shandon's Blood Drive on Sunday, **November 23**, from 9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. in Player Hall. Visit shandonumc.org/redcross to schedule your appointment. All donors will receive a fun pair of Pac-Man socks—come give and make a difference!

CHRISTMAS IN PETERSFIELD: We plan to visit the Petersfield community in Hollywood, SC, in early December, and we invite our congregation to prayerfully consider donating to this community. Our collection goal is \$6,250 to spread the joy of Christmas to 125 homes in Petersfield through gift cards. Our deadline for this collection is **November 26**. Monetary donations may be dropped in the offering plate with "Christmas in Petersfield" marked in the memo line or given online using the drop-down menu and selecting "Petersfield Assistance."

UWF CHRISTMAS DINNER: The United Women In Faith Christmas Dinner will be Tuesday, **December 2**, at 6:30 p.m. in Player Hall. The UWF will honor their 2025 Woman of the Year and remember those UWF members and special friends who have joined the church triumphant during the past year. The cost of the meal is \$10 and is payable at the door. Reservations are required and can be made with Jennifer Parker at jpcllemsongirl@gmail.com or (770) 301-6376. Reservations are due by Friday, November 28. All are welcome!

GREENING OUR FAITH: Join us as we celebrate the season of Advent for a session of creative expression along with a meaningful Advent devotion on Wednesday, **December 3**, at 6:00 p.m. in Wesley Hall. Don't miss this hands-on opportunity to create a wreath of fresh greenery (18" round, 14" square, or 22" cross). We will provide all the materials, instruction, and guidance. Childcare is available. The cost is \$35. Space is limited. Register at shandonumc.org/events.

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

We're partnering with the grassroots nonprofit F.I.R.E., which provides outreach to the unhoused community living in motels and on the streets in Columbia. Next Sunday, **November 23**, we invite you to bring shelf-stable items like ramen noodles, canned chicken, tuna, vegetables, fruits, soups, and cereal. During worship, you can bring your donations to the altar as a meaningful act of love and service.

POINSETTIA ORDERS

If you would like to place a poinsettia in our worship spaces this holiday season or donate to the Landscape Fund in honor or memory of a loved one, please fill out the Order Form in your pew rack or sign up at shandonumc.org/events by **Wednesday, December 3**. The cost is \$15.

Shandon UMC is a Stephen Ministry and Safe Sanctuary Congregation

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

Associate Pastor: The Reverend James Grubb

Associate Pastor: The Reverend Maggie Cantey

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

Organist and Music Associate: Kipp Gill

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