



Sunday, September 21, 2025



Prelude

Whether you are joining us in person or on-line, know that we are here to journey along with you as you grow in love of God and neighbor, and as a follower of Jesus Christ.

Remembering our Baptism

Cheryl Sawyer

***Opening Hymn Here I Am Lord UMH 593**

***Call to Worship**

Let us praise the name of the Lord,
God is wonderful! Yesterday, today and forever!
The Lord our God has done marvelous things,
We are blessed more than we could ever imagine.
For all the amazing gifts we have been given,
We praise the name of the Lord! Amen!

***Hymn Seek Ye First UMH 405**

First Lesson Psalm 79:1-9 CEB

Word for Children

Second Lesson Luke 16:1-13 CEB

Message for the Lord's Day Rev. Deborah Coble

**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.**

***Hymn of Response Take My Life and Let It Be UMH 399**

Prayers of the People

After each petition, there will be a pause for silent prayer.

After Pastor says "Lord in your mercy" ALL reply "hear our prayer."

Together, let us pray

for the people of this congregation...
for those who suffer and those in trouble...
for the concerns of this local community...
for the world, its peoples, and its leaders...
for the earth you have given to our care...
for the Church universal; its leaders, its members,
and its mission,
in communion with the saints...

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.**

Mission And Ministry Moment

Offertory

Sharing Our Tithes and Offerings

***Doxology:**

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

Prayer After Receiving Offering

**Holy God, we rejoice in your loving kindness! You create us in your image with unique gifts, so that we
may love and serve you in our distinctive ways. Thank you for guiding us continually as we seek to follow
Christ, your Son.**

**Empower our congregation by your Spirit to show and tell your good news of salvation to our neighbors.
Use these offerings to bless all whose lives are touched by the ministries of this church. Amen.**

*** Benediction**

Life is short and we have too little time

to gladden the hearts of those who travel the way with us.

So, be swift to love and make haste to be kind,

and may the blessing of God Almighty,

Father, Son and Holy Spirit be with you now and always. **Amen.**