

## **September 13, 2020**

Hey folks! Happy Labor Day to everyone, I hope you enjoyed the holiday. As I think back on Sunday I have all sorts of feelings. I'm thankful for the chance to be with our church in person and for the chance to preach to both our modern and traditional services. I also finally feel like this appointment is real - really real if you know what I mean. Seeing many of you in the sanctuary, others of you online, all of it gave me a piece of normalcy that I think my spirit has been searching for without me even being conscious of it.

I hope you will take to heart my invitation to engage in the spiritual practice of stacking stones as a way to remember God's faithfulness even in these crazy times. I know that this week I am remembering how God has been faithful to me and my family by sending us to Columbus and to Wynnton United Methodist Church. Our church and each of you are in my prayers and I hope that we will be seeing much more of each other soon enough!

Greg

#### **MEMORIAL GIFTS**

In memory of Kristi Chriss Tidwell by Lynn Christenson

## JOYFUL NOTES FROM THE CHOIR!

William Kirkpatrick was born in Ireland and immigrated to the United States in the 1800s. He was an accomplished and versatile musician and composer. He wrote tunes to many favorite hymns, among them "Jesus Saves", "'Tis so Sweet to Trust in Jesus", and "He Hideth My Soul". He wrote both the lyrics and music to the hymn "Lord, I'm Coming Home". This hymn was inspired by an event that took place at one of the Methodist Camp Meetings. William Kirkpatrick was responsible for acquiring soloists and providing the music for the meetings. He became aware that one of the young soloists had not come to know Christ. As he prayed one evening, a song formed in his head. He jotted down "Lord, I'm Coming Home". Later, he gave this hymn to that young soloist, who was so convicted by the words, that he gave his life to Christ at an altar call at the next Camp meeting.

Yours in Christ, Diana B.

#### **GIFTS OF LOVE**

In honor of **Rev. J Grantham** on his birthday by Zane Draughon

#### **Our Known Prayer Concerns:**

Sue Rogers

Bob and Judy Ottman

Jennefer Spell

John and Saunders Richey

Lexie McRae

Jan Pittman

Jim Dryman & family

John and Saunders Richey

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Brad Trim
Janet Stafford
Jean Adams
Kathy Draughon

#### **Christian Sympathy for loss of loved one:**

Family of Carolyn Belk Family of Louie Willett Family of Cloie Porch

#### **PASTOR ON-CALL**

For emergencies Sept. 11-13, Rev. J Grantham 706-681-3258

## **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

### Sunday, September 13

9:00 a.m. The Link on Facebook

10-10:30 a.m. Virtual Sunday School – Facebook Live

Rev. Greg Harrison Rev. Kim Evans

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

Rev. J Grantham - Facebook Live

#### Wednesday, September 16

10:00 a.m. Women's Zoom Bible Study

6:00 p.m. Midweek Check-In

Rev. Kim Evans - Facebook Live

## Thursday, September 17

6:30 a.m. Men's Zoom Bible Study

6:00 p.m. Youth Zoom Call with Justin Mead

#### Friday, September 18

11:00 a.m. Friday Fellowship Friends

Conference Call

Phone number: 669-900-6833

Code: 4745976652#

#### OUR STEWARDSHIP

#### 9-6-20

General Fund	22,341.00
Endowment Fund	60.00
Other Income	72.00
UMCOR	50.00

#### **SUNDAY'S SERMON**

The Hope for Change Genesis 32:9-12 Rev. J Grantham



# **PRESENTS**

"The Universal Christ" by Richard Rohr

## WHAT IS A VIRTUAL BOOK CLUB?

A community that gathers virtually to discuss the themes of a book! We'll be using the free app "Marco Polo" for discussion.

## WHAT IS THE MARCO POLO APP?

It's a free app you can download on your phone or tablet that acts like a video walkie talkie.

## HOW DO I SIGN UP?

Contact Pastor Greg Harrison via the church office (706-324-2424) or email (gharrison@wynntonumc.org)

#### READING THROUGH THE BIBLE

**September 13:** John 15:1-16:4, 2 Chronicles 23,

Psalm 80

September 14: John 16:4-33, 2 Chronicles 24,

Psalm 81

**September 15:** John 17, 2 Chronicles 25, Psalm 82

**September 16:** John 18:1-18, 2 Chronicles 26,

Psalm 83

**September 17:** John 18:19-38, 2 Chronicles 27-28,

Psalm 84

**September 18:** John 18:38-19:16, 2 Chronicles 29,

Psalm 85

**September 19:** John 19:16-42, 2 Chronicles 30,

Psalm 86

#### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 13 Becky Boswell, A.J. Corkron
- 14 Averett Lipp
- 15 Kay Hart
- 16 Billy Grayson, Shirley Wright
- 19 Judy Davidson