



**South Hill United Methodist Church**  
**July 14, 2019**  
**11:00 am**

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**  
**July 14, 2019**

**ENTRANCE**

GATHERING, WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

*(Constance Cherry)*

Jesus said, "Come unto me all you who are weary and I will give you rest."

**We long for our souls to rest in the peace which Jesus gives.**

Jesus also said, "Take my yoke upon you and learn from me."

**We come today to learn from the God of all knowledge.**

Jesus said, "My yoke is easy, and my burden is light."

**As we come to worship, let us cast our burdens on the Savior and  
find that he bears our burdens and lightens our load.**

**ALL: Jesus invites us to "Come." It is our joy to say yes  
to his invitation.**

\*HYMN

*God of Grace and God of Glory*

UMH 577

\*OPENING PRAYER

*(Alcuin of York, England, 8th cent.)*

**Eternal Light, shine into our hearts.**

**Eternal Goodness, deliver us from evil.**

**Eternal Power, be our support.**

**Eternal Wisdom, scatter the darkness of our ignorance.**

**Eternal Pity, have mercy upon us.**

**That with all our heart and mind and soul and strength  
we may seek your face**

**and be brought by your infinite mercy to your holy presence;**

**Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*May the peace of Jesus Christ be with you,*

**And also with you.**

## PROCLAMATION

PSALTER READING	<i>Psalm 82</i>	UMH 804
CHILDREN'S TIME		
*GOSPEL READING	<i>Luke 10: 25 - 37</i>	pg. 735
MESSAGE	<i>Rule of Law</i>	Rev. Brian Siegle

## RESPONSE

CONCERNS, CELEBRATIONS, AND TESTIMONIES

PASTORAL PRAYER

PRAYER

**You asked for my hands,  
that you might use them for your purpose.  
I gave them for a moment, then withdrew them,  
for the work was hard.  
You asked for my mouth to speak out against injustice.  
I gave you a whisper that I might not be accused.  
You asked for my eyes to see the pain of poverty.  
I closed them, for I did not want to see.  
You asked for my life, that you might work through me.  
I gave a small part, that I might not get too involved.  
Lord, forgive my calculated efforts to serve you –  
only when it is convenient for me to do so,  
only in those places where it is safe to do so,  
and only with those who make it easy to do so.  
Father, forgive me, renew me,  
send me out as a usable instrument,  
that I might take seriously the meaning of your cross. Amen.**

GIVING OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS & CHILDREN'S OFFERING

OFFERTORY

*CHORAL RESPONSE	<i>Doxology</i>	UMH 95
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\*THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

**SENDING FORTH**

\*HYMN

*Lord, I Want to Be a Christian*

UMH 402

\*BENEDICTION

\*FOLLOWING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

\*POSTLUDE

\*Those who are able, please stand.

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**Notes:**

## Luke 10: 25 - 37

A legal expert stood up to test Jesus. “Teacher,” he said, “what must I do to gain eternal life?” 26 Jesus replied, “What is written in the Law? How do you interpret it?” 27 He responded, “You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your being, with all your strength, and with all your mind, and love your neighbor as yourself.”

28 Jesus said to him, “You have answered correctly. Do this and you will live.” 29 But the legal expert wanted to prove that he was right, so he said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?”

30 Jesus replied, “A man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho. He encountered thieves, who stripped him naked, beat him up, and left him near death. 31 Now it just so happened that a priest was also going down the same road. When he saw the injured man, he crossed over to the other side of the road and went on his way. 32 Likewise, a Levite came by that spot, saw the injured man, and crossed over to the other side of the road and went on his way. 33 A Samaritan, who was on a journey, came to where the man was. But when he saw him, he was moved with compassion. 34 The Samaritan went to him and bandaged his wounds, tending them with oil and wine. Then he placed the wounded man on his own donkey, took him to an inn, and took care of him. 35 The next day, he took two full days’ worth of wages and gave them to the innkeeper. He said, ‘Take care of him, and when I return, I will pay you back for any additional costs.’ 36 What do you think? Which one of these three was a neighbor to the man who encountered thieves?”

37 Then the legal expert said, “The one who demonstrated mercy toward him.” Jesus told him, “Go and do likewise.”



## Notes of Interest

MEETING  
REMINDER

Trustee's Meeting, today, 12 Noon  
Finance Meeting, Tuesday, July 16<sup>th</sup> 5:30 pm  
Church Council Meeting, Sunday, July 21<sup>st</sup> 12 Noon

**Third Tuesday Luncheon** – We cordially invite you to our Third Tuesday Luncheon to be held at **Brian's Steakhouse** on Tuesday, July 16<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 am. This Dutch treat will be a time to fellowship with each other and not have to worry about cooking or cleaning. Everyone is welcome.



The 40th Anniversary Lay Servant Academy will be held at Randolph-Macon College August 2-4! Featuring 11 different 10-hour courses for lay servant certification, recertification and/or enrichment, including Spiritual Care/Pastoral Care by Rev. Bert Cloud and Conflicts in Church Transformation by Rev. Teresa Keezel and Mr. Gerry Fuss. Deadline to register is July 19<sup>th</sup>. For a brochure, course descriptions and registration, visit [www.vaumc.org/layservantraining](http://www.vaumc.org/layservantraining). For questions regarding the Academy, contact David Bailey at 804-338-3168 or [dw.bailey@comcast.net](mailto:dw.bailey@comcast.net). For help with registration, contact Mary Kaye Cochran at 804-521-1155 or [marykayecochran@vaumc.org](mailto:marykayecochran@vaumc.org)

**July Special Offering - Peace with Justice** - Enables the United Methodist Church to have a voice in advocating for peace and justice through a broad spectrum of global programs.



**Wanted** - Pastor Brian would like addresses for any of our college students.

**If you are visiting us, kindly take a moment to complete the Visitor Card and place it in the offering plate.**

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### Church Office Hours This Week

Monday – Thursday: 8:30 am – 4:00 pm

Office phone: 434-447-4761

## This Week at South Hill UMC

<b>Today:</b>	8:45 am	Worship Service
	9:45 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship Service
<b>Monday:</b>	7:00 pm	District Stewards Meeting, 7 pm Keysville UMC 9290 Church Street, Keysville
<b>Tuesday:</b>	11:30 am	Third Tuesday Luncheon at <b>Brian's Steakhouse</b>
	5:30 pm	Finance Meeting
	7:00 pm	Seekers in Prayer (707 N. Brunswick Ave)
	7:30 pm	Synago (212 Pennington St.)
<b>Wednesday:</b>	6:30 pm	Narcotics Anonymous
	8:00 pm	AA Group
<b>Thursday:</b>	11:00 am	Hundley Chapel Service
<b>Thursday – Saturday:</b>		LakeFest, Clarksville, VA
<b>Friday:</b>	7:00 pm	AA Group
<b>Saturday:</b>	8 – 3	Upper Room Sales

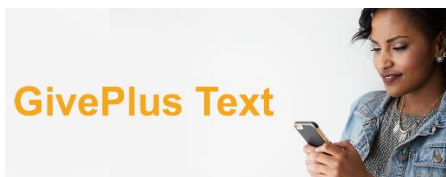
Next Week's Sermon:

Colossians 1: 15 - 28

*Who is the Head?*

## Coming Events:

July 18 <sup>th</sup>	Sunset Sounds featuring Tim Cifers 6:30 pm Centennial Park \$3 Admission
July 21 <sup>st</sup>	UM Men's Breakfast 8 am Church Council Meeting 12 Noon
August 2 <sup>nd</sup> – 4 <sup>th</sup>	40th Anniversary Lay Servant Academy at Randolph-Macon College
August 4 <sup>th</sup>	"Huddles" – Meet the new DS – Denise P. Bates 3 pm Boydton UMC, 25 Bank Street, Boydton, VA 23917
November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	District Conference at South Hill UMC 9:30 am – Noon



*A warm welcome to all as we gather as God's people to worship the Lord. May our worship strengthen your faith and desire to serve God who loves us with an everlasting love in Christ Jesus. Visitors, we're especially glad to see you!*

### This Week's Worship Team

Greeters:	Glen & Denise Cox
Acolyte:	Chance Barbour
Liturgist:	Nancy Merrel
Teller:	Cammie Puckett
Guest Pianist :	Richard Watson
Worship Technicians:	Jimmy Hardin & Cameron Shook
Interim Bishop:	Peter D. Weaver
District Superintendent:	Rev. Cecelia P. Bates

### **Known Prayer Concerns:            Members**

<b>Hundley Center:</b> Jo Carol Cole & Norene Pritchett	<b>Chase City:</b> John & Judy Turchetta
<b>Meadowview Terrace:</b> Carrie & Everett Barbour	<b>The Crossings:</b> Dan & Thelma Wilson
<b>Pineview:</b> Ann Nichols	
<b>Missionaries:</b> Guthrie Family, Annie Judd, Ruth & Colson Lacey, Justice O'Koth	

### **Home:**

Shirley Carrillo	Herbert Farrar	Gerry Nash
Randy Cash	Lynn Haskins	Nancy Merrel
Doug Child	Jean Holmes	Amelia Poythress
Paul, Nancy & Peggy Conner	Bill Hudson	Roger Tanner
Mary Coulter	Evelyn Lambert	Transformation at SHUMC
Maxine Crowder	Mickey Moore	

### **Family & Friend**

Corder Campbell	Christopher Brack	Bobby Adams
Mary Siegle	Nell Warren Coffman	Jake Chapman
	John Randolph	Bishop Sharma D. Lewis
	Irma Reese	Linda Montgomery
	John Siegle	Judi Newman

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