## Traditional Service of Worship

#### 16th Sunday after Pentecost

September 12, 2021 11:00 A.M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

PRELUDE Thalben-Ball

Elegy

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

**INTROIT** 

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN

No. 73

O Worship the King Verses 1-3, 5

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (please join by reading the bold text)

Here in worship and in life, we listen for God's voice

May we have ears to hear and eyes to see God's handiwork.

Here in worship and in life, we look for signs and wonders of God

May we have ears to hear and eyes to see Christ's presence. Here in worship and in life, we seek and knock and ask for glimpses of

God's heavenly kingdom here on earth

May we have ears to hear and eyes to see the wonder of the Holy Spirit

#### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (APOSTLES' CREED)

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

#### \*GLORIA PATRI:

No. 70

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.

SCRIPTURE READING:

Psalm 19:1-4,7-10,14

LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God.

**PEOPLE: Thanks be to God!** 

#### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

We value the gift of generations, so all kids are invited to grab a worship bag (or coloring supplies) and remain in the sanctuary for worship.

ANTHEM Mueller

Create in Me a Clean Heart, O God (Psalm 51) Mark Mathews, Bass

#### PRAYER AND 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.

#### PRESENTATION OF GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, brought or mailed to the church office, or offered online (visit <a href="www.mywell.org/give/rpumc">www.mywell.org/give/rpumc</a> or use the QR code on the back.)

OFFERTORY Rutter

The Lord Bless You and Keep You Chancel Choir

\*DOXOLOGY: No. 95

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 OF ILLUMINATION No. 463

Lord, Speak to Me

SERMON & SCRIPTURE Judges 6:33-40

"Gideon, Here's your Sign"

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION: No. 152

I Sing the Almighty Power of God

\*THE BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Lang

Tuba Tune in D

#### \*CONGREGATION PLEASE STAND

### Riverside Park United Methodist Core Values (i.e. Who are we? What will never ever change?)

- Our common faith in Jesus Christ
- The love and grace we experience in God (Father, Son, and Holy Spirit)
- The Word of God (importance of learning and reading the Bible)
- Personal and spiritual growth through learning, gathering, and serving
- A Spirit of loving warmth and hospitality
- Our history and our roots
- The gift of generations
- Worshipping together as a community of faith
- The recognition that we are in process: the mission and process of God
- Our differences—and our willingness to wrestle with HOW we lovingly accept differences

#### Worship Attendance - September 5, 2021

56
29
59
32
176

### Serving in Worship Today

Greeters 9am: Pam Pearsall, Judy Marks, Dan Marks Greeters 11am: Nancy and Charlie Schubiger Crucifer 11am: Olivia Take Acolyte: Rhys Weisman

## What's Happening This Week? TODAY

Contemporary Worship: 9 am Sunday School: 10:10 am ~ McCord Bldg. Traditional Worship: 11 am Anti Racism Group: 3 pm Chancel Ringers: 5 pm

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES

Young Adult Book Club: Monday at 7:30 pm SPR/Finance Meeting: Tuesday at 6 pm Free To-Go Dinners: Wednesday at 5:30 pm Chancel Choir: Wednesday at 7:30 pm Margaret's Memories Sewing Bee: Saturday 9-2

The flowers on the altar are given in loving memory of James Pickren by Julie and Chuck Pickren.

Especially if this is your first Sunday or first time in a while,

#### Welcome

to Riverside Park United Methodist Church!

We are glad that you are here

### 9am CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

16th Sunday of Pentecost

**September 12, 2021** 

9:00 a.m.

#### Gather with Song

Trading My Sorrows - Darrell Evans
Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!
Scripture: Psalm 19:1-4,7-10,14
My Hallelujah - Bryan & Katie Torwalt

#### Kid's Message

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#### **Announcements**

- New for Sept: family ministry faith formation groups
- Margaret's Memories Sewing Bee
- "Meet the artist" for RPUMCs hallways gallery now online

Prayer for One Another and the World

#### Offer Gifts to God

Your Love Defends Me - Matt Maher

#### Proclaim God's Word

Judges 6:33-40 "Gideon, Here's your Sign" Rev. Emily Knight

#### **Benediction and Sending**

Start A Fire - Unspoken

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visit our website: <a href="www.riversideparkumc.com">www.riversideparkumc.com</a>
or call the church office: (904) 355-5491







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## COLLEGE AND YOUNG ADULT FALL BOOK READING

Mondays at 7:30 p.m. Sept. 13 - Oct. 25 via Zoom

CONTACT KAITLYN.FULLER@OUTLOOK.COM
FOR DETAILS



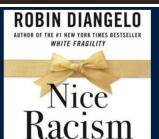
## FAMILY MINISTRY FAITH FORMATION GROUPS

Sundays @10am in the Fellowship Hall Starting September 12th (masks required. snacks provided)

### JOIN THE CONVERSATION

Sunday, Sept 12 @ 3pm

email Linda LaBell at LSLABELL@yahoo.com for the Zoom link and information



Sewing Bee for Margaret's Memories & Tiny Treasures September 18th 9am - 2pm

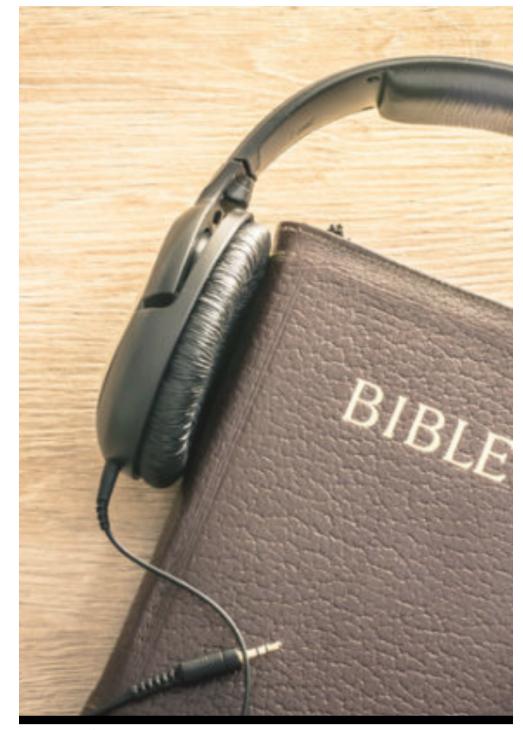
Pick up supplies in the fellowship hall.

Contact email Nicole at margaretsmemories@hotmail.com



# "ARTICLES OF FAITH" EXHIBIT MEET THE ARTIST:

Check RPUMC's Facebook & Youtube account for insights from photographer Ron Richardson





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