

Traditional Service of Worship

11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 13, 202311:00 a.m.

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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

INTROIT

*HYMNCrown Him with Many CrownsNo. 327

*CALL TO WORSHIP (Please respond by reading the bold text aloud.)

When storms rage and our peace is disrupted, God walks through the waves towards us.
Jesus says, “I am here. Do not be afraid.”
When we doubt our ability to move forward, God calls us out of the safety of our ordered lives.
Jesus says, “Come and Follow Me.”
When we sink into fear and doubt, God reaches out for our hands and catches us.
Jesus, reach us. Jesus, save us.
Truly, Lord, you are the son of God.

THE 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 PATRINo. 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.

*RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP
Let no one be a stranger in the house of God.
Please take this opportunity to greet those around you

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SCRIPTUREPsalm 85:8-13
One: The Word of God for the people of God. All: 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 as part of worship. The nursery is open and available for kids four and younger.

ANTHEMGounod
O Divine Redeemer
Timothy Keatley, Tenor

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.

OFFERTORY ANTHEMMarshall
Awake, My Heart, Chancel Choir

*DOXOLOGYNo. 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 ILLUMINATIONNo. 358
Dear Lord and Father of Mankind (Verses 1, 4, 5)

SCRIPTUREMatthew 14:22-33
One: The Word of God for the people of God. All: Thanks be to God!

SERMONRev. Emily Knight
“That Sinking Feeling”

*HYMN OF DEDICATION
Love Lifted Me
I was sinking deep in sin, Far from the peaceful shore,
Very deeply stained within, Sinking to rise no more;
But the Master of the sea Heard my despairing cry,
From the waters lifted me—Now safe am I.

Refrain: Love lifted me, Love lifted me,
When nothing else could help, Love lifted me;
Love lifted me, Love lifted me,
When nothing else could help, Love lifted me.

All my heart to Him I give, Ever to Him I'll cling,
In His blessed presence live, Ever His praises sing.
Love so mighty and so true Merits my soul's best songs;
Faithful, loving service, too, To Him belongs. [Refrain]

Souls in danger, look above, Jesus completely saves;
He will lift you by His love Out of the angry waves.
He's the Master of the sea, Billows His will obey;
He your Savior wants to be— Be saved today. [Refrain]

*THE BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDEKeene
Allegro con brio

Worship Attendance - August 6, 2023

Contemporary Worship- In-person	64
Contemporary Worship- Online	31
Traditional Worship- In-person	83
Traditional Worship- Online	19
Total Worship	197

Serving in Worship Today

Greeters 9 a.m.: Pam Pearsall, Judy & Danny Marks
Tech Team 9 a.m.: Tami & Frankie Crowell
Greeters 11 a.m.: Nancy & Charlie Schubiger
Ushers 11 a.m.: Bryan Davis, Radley Remo
Tech Team 11 a.m.: Kaitlyn Fuller, Britt Scott
Crucifer: Anthony Strong. Acolytes: Quinton Scott, Andrew Strong
Liturgists: Misty & Rhys Weisman

What’s Happening This Week?

Tai Chi: Tuesday at 10:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m. (Fellowship Hall)
Church Council: Tuesday at 6:00 p.m. (Library)
Yoga: Wednesday at 2:30 p.m. & Friday at 1:00 p.m. (Parlor)
Wednesday Night Ministry: Wed. at 5:30 p.m. (McCord Building)
Chancel Choir: Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. (Room #501)

Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given in honor of our beautiful Chancel Choir by Zada Stroble.

Free Wednesday Meals Served: 160

QR Code for Online Connect Card:



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.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

11th Sunday after Pentecost

August 13, 2023

9:00 a.m.

Gather with Song

Come, Now is the Time to Worship - Lifeway Worship

Welcome! Greet one another in Christ!

I Will Follow - Chris Tomlin

Scripture: Psalm 85:8-13

How He Loves - Crowder

Children's Message

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Announcements

(Please fill out a Connect Card located in the pew pocket or scan the QR code on the other side of this bulletin.)

Prayer

Offer Gifts to God

The Blessing - Kari Jobe

Proclaim God's Word


Matthew 14:22-33

"That Sinking Feeling"

Rev. Emily Knight

Benediction and Sending

Voice of Truth - Jeremy Camp




Youth Ministry

August 26th
Ichetucknee Springs Tubing

Sunday Mornings
@10am
in the James
Pickren Youth
Room

Training for

Greeters: Sunday, August 20th at 10 a.m.
Acolytes: Sunday, August 20th at 12:15 p.m.
Ushers: Sunday, August 27th at 12:15 p.m.



Is GOD CALLING YOU TO SERVE IN OUR CHANCEL CHOIR?

Rehearsals have resumed! Wednesdays at
7:30 p.m. in the choir room, Room 501
Children's Building.

For more information, please contact
John Larsen, Director of Traditional Worship
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"YOU & ME & RPUMC"

Thursday, Aug 24
1pm & 6pm
fellowship hall



First Friday Friends

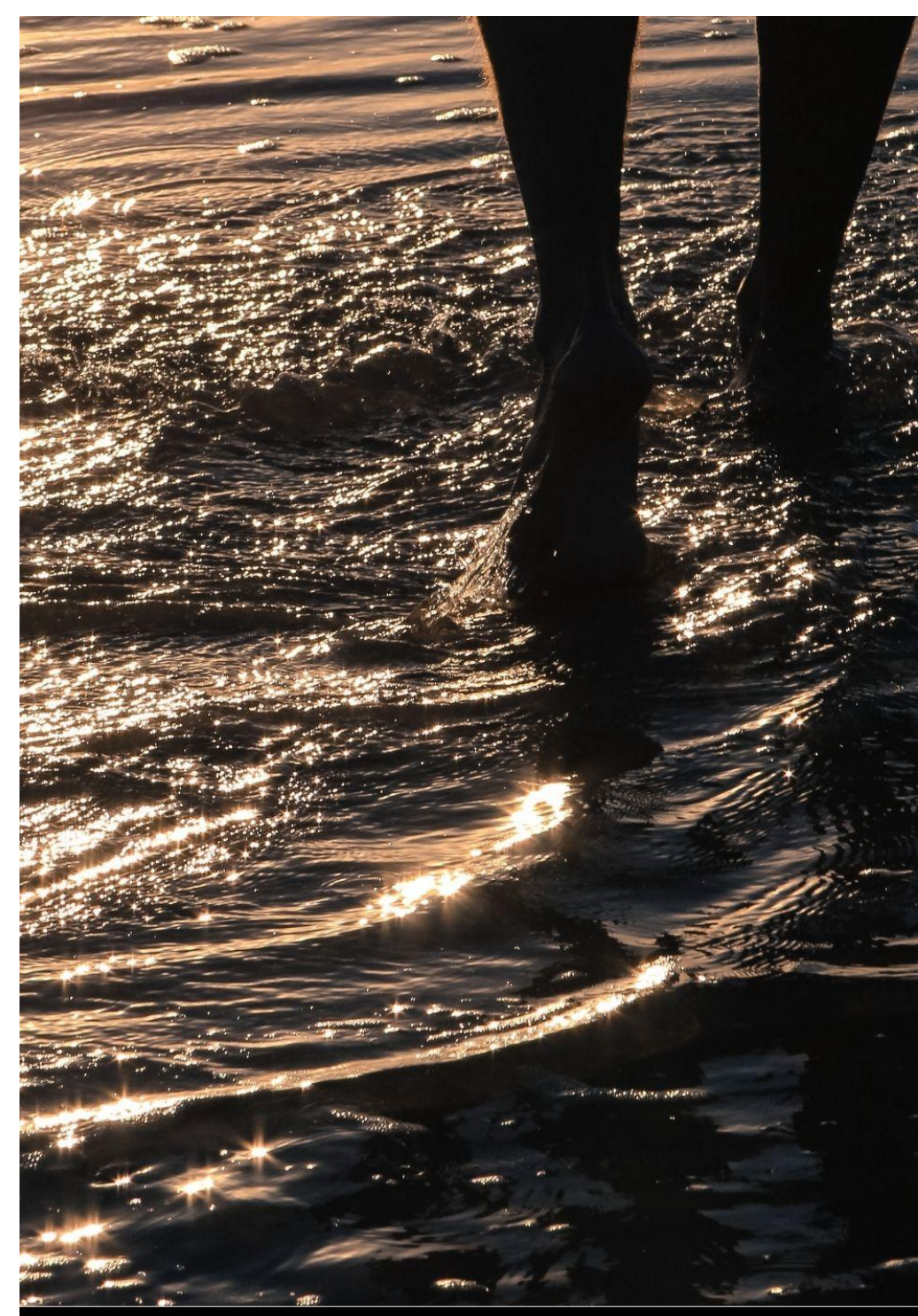

(Senior Adult Ministry)

September 1st at 11:15 a.m.

Come hear the dulcimer group and enjoy a free lunch with your First Friday Friends.



Offerings can be placed in the sanctuary offering plates, mailed to the church (819 Park St. Jacksonville, FL 32204) or given online using "MyWell" (code to the right):
www.mywell.org/give/rpumc



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