

Persons Helping Us Experience Worship Today:

Greeters: Butch and Rose Spradley

Scripture Reader: Mark Hollar

Ushers: Rob Bays, Bobbie Fox, Michael Aheron

Communion Celebrants: Bobbie Fox, Sally Kohls

Praise Team: Hannah Sullivan, Rose Spradley, Vic Spradley, Heather Roberts, Lisa Clary, Jason Gordon, Mark Hollar, Rachel Gorrell, Bruce Buck

Pianist: Rowena Rantanen

AV Team: Bruce Buck, Mike Sullivan, Laura Rantanen, Bobbie Fox, Mason St. John

Pastor: Rev. Angela Hollar

Circle of Prayer:

Karen Broderick, Nina Nalle Robinson and her family (Elyn and Helen), Tamara and David McElveen, Dave Young, Chris Yancey, Rev. Jim Tate, Becky Bullock, Chuck Friedl, Renee Young, the family of Bud Cameron, the family of Margaret Gordon, the family of Dennis Coleman, Betty McGee, Ellery Spradley, Bobbie Fox

Calendar of Events

Wednesday, August 9th	6:30 PM	Weekly Bible Study (Adult Sunday School Room)
Thursday, August 10th	6:45 PM	Praise Band Practice

Office Hours

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 AM-1:00 PM

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Church at Six Forks
Sunday, August 6th, 2023 - 10:00 AM
Tenth Sunday after Pentecost

Entrance and Praise

Prelude *May this be a time for quiet reflection and meditation.*
“As We Gather Around the Table” - Blankenship
“The Bread, the Cup, Throughout the Years” - Nichols

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Hollar

Call to Worship “Shout to the Lord” TFWS #2074

*Opening Prayer BOW #460

*Hymn of Praise “Standing on the Promises” UMH #374

*Affirmation of Faith UMH #884
“A Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church”

*Gloria Patri “Glory Be to the Father” UMH #70

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Children’s Time

Proclamation and Response

First Lesson Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28 Mark Hollar

This is the Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Anthem “In The Garden”

Preparation for Prayer

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Hollar

Second Lesson Romans 10:5-15 Rev. Hollar

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Sermon “Taste and See” Rev. Hollar

Holy Communion *Insert*
“Spirit Song” UMH #347

Thanksgiving

Offering of Our Gifts
Offertory Prayer
Offertory “Tithes and Offerings With You Bring” - Lloyd

*Doxology UMH #94

Sending Forth

*Closing Hymn “We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations” UMH #569
(During the closing hymn, the altar of our church is open for a time of personal prayer and reflection.)

*Sending Forth Rev. Hollar

*Chiming of the Holy Trinity

Postlude “Vivace” - Gurlitt

*You are invited to stand, as you are able.

*Please take your bulletin with you as you leave.
Recycle it both literally and spiritually.*

Sunday, August 6, 2023
The Great Thanksgiving for Ordinary Time

Invitation

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

Confession and Pardon

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners: that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

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Glory to God. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, almighty God, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through your prophets, who looked for that day when justice shall roll down like waters and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream, when nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. Your Spirit anointed him to preach good news to the poor, to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, and

to announce that the time had come when you would save your people. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and ate with sinners. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit. At his ascension you exalted him to sit and reign with you at your right hand.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty God, now and for ever.

Amen.

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.

Giving the Bread and Cup

Congregational Prayer after all have received communion:

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.