

MOTHER'S DAY / DAY OF PENTECOST

May 11, 2008

The flowers today are given to the glory of God and in honor of all mothers on Mother's Day, by John and Sandy Kopanski

Welcome

Prelude and Acolyte

Announcements

Call to Worship

Psalm 138

Leader: I give You thanks, O LORD, with my whole heart

People: I bow down toward Your holy temple

Leader: I give thanks to for Your steadfast love and Your faithfulness;

People: You have exalted your name and Your word above everything.

Leader: You increase my strength of soul.

People: For great is the glory of the LORD.

Leader: Though I walk in the midst of trouble, You preserve me

People: You stretch out your hand, and Your right hand delivers me.

All: Your steadfast love, O LORD, endures forever.

Opening Hymn

“Shout to the Lord”

#94

Confession of Sin (*In Unison*)

Merciful and Loving God, whose steadfast love is the foundation of all things, hear our humble prayers as we confess our iniquities. Speak to our hearts that we might fully know Your awesome presence in our lives. Forgive us O Lord, we fill our lives with the things of this world, help us set our minds toward You; we seek refuge in the temporary and fleeting, lead us to Your dwelling place so that we may have eternal life given through Jesus Christ.

Silence for Personal Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: *As God sends the Holy Spirit to sing to our hearts, so we sing to God as long as we live;*

People: *We sing praise to our God for we rejoice in the hope of Jesus Christ through whom we are forgiven.*

*Responsive Hymn

“Father, I Adore You”

#143

* Greeting and Rites of Friendship

Children's Message

Kay Dry

Giving of His Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory

* Doxology

Hymn # 34

Prayer of Dedication

Old Testament Lesson

Joel 2:26-32

Anthem

“Come, Holy Spirit”

Adult Choir

Musical Interlude

(Children exit with Chris and Kristy Stephenson to Children's Church)

Morning Prayers and The Lord's Prayer

New Testament Lesson

Acts 2:1-8

Sermon

“Motherhood and the Holy Spirit”

Rev. Jim Davis

*Dedication Hymn

“Blessed Be the Tie That Binds”

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* Acolyte, Benediction and Postlude

** Signifies Congregation to Stand*

May Scripture Passage

¹⁷ I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him, ¹⁸ so that, with the eyes of your heart enlightened, you may know what is the hope to which he has called you, what are the riches of his glorious inheritance among the saints, ¹⁹ and what is the immeasurable greatness of his power for us who believe, according to the working of his great power. (**Ephesians 1:17-19**)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEN'S FISH FRY. The Men's Fellowship will host their Annual Fish Fry on **Friday, May 16** from **11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.** Tickets are \$7. Eat-in or Take-out is available. To help, please contact Nathan Dry, to purchase tickets please contact Jeff Wood.

RELAY FOR LIFE. All members of Team 59 are invited to a meeting on May 22 at 6:30 p.m. at the church. The team will be preparing the luminaries for the Relay for Life event. Even if you aren't on the Team, you are invited to come and help. If you have questions, please contact Carolyn Stevenson or Carolyn Stuart.

Assisting in Worship this Sunday:

Ushers: Carlos Bagley and Nathan Dry **Acolyte/ Bell Ringer:** Hannah Stephenson
Infant Nursery: Heath and Heather White
Toddler Nursery: Pam and Lauren Collier

Assisting in Worship next Sunday, May 18:

Ushers: Gary Phillips and Mark Nelms **Acolyte/Bell Ringer:** Tim Nooney
Children's Message: Andrea Jones
Children's Church: David and Pam Collier
Infant Nursery: Andrea and Haley Jones
Toddler Nursery: Richard and Ryne Jones

Today at Providence:

9:45 a.m.: Sunday School Assembly in the Sanctuary
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School and New Member's Class
11:00 a.m.: Worship

Events for this week:

Tuesday, May 13: Stated Session Meeting at 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 13: Co-Ed Softball game at 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, May 14: Worship Committee meeting at 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 14: Adult Choir Rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary
Thursday, May 15: Co-Ed Softball game at 8:30 p.m.
Friday, May 16: Men's Fish Fry from 11:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Upcoming Events:

May 18. Youth Group meeting at 5:00 p.m.
May 22. Relay for Life Team meeting at 6:30 p.m.
May 20. Presbyterian Women Joint Circle meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
May 30. Parent's Night Out from 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m., sponsored by the Youth - Group
May 30-31. Team #59 Relay for Life at Johnston Community College
May 31. Youth Group Day Trip to Weatherly Rescue Farm

The Prayer List of Joys and Concerns

JOYS:

CONCERNS:

The families of Romie Eason and Les Healy
Sherry Baker, *friend of Mary Langdon, cancer*
Annie Ruth Barbour, *friend of Kathy Ryals, cancer*
Edward Bernier, *Pam Collier's father, cancer*
Eddie Blanks, *Randy Benson's friend, tumor*
Rachel Burnette, *friend of Jimmy Stuart, cancer*
Stacy Byrd, *Chris Roberts' uncle, cancer*
Jeannie Byers, *John Pickens' sister, degenerative spine*
Sarah Clayton, *member of community, recovering from car accident*
William Collier, *David Collier's brother, health concerns*
Sheila Dupree, *member of church family, health concerns*
Bill Ellis, *Georgeanna Phillips' father, prostate cancer*
Bill Embrey, *Dick Embrey's brother, cancer*
Ashley Green, *friend of Beth Pickens, lymphoma*
Lacy & Marilyn Johnson, *aging members of church family, health concerns*
David Kopanski, *John Kopanski's brother, cancer*
Paula Lee, *friend of Charlie Porter, breast cancer*
Blane Little, *son of Ross & Heather Little, born 14 weeks premature*
Landon Marshburn, *son of Will and Amy Marshburn, born 12 weeks premature*
Carol Mayben, *Sandy Kopanski's sister-in-law, cancer*
Julia Nales, *member of our community, cancer*
Carol Nauquin, *friend of Beck & Laura McLamb, cancer*
Jon Nooney, *member of church family, back problems*
Ray Nooney, *Jon Nooney's father, health problems*
Jim Parrish, *friend of the church, 50/210 Fire Chief, brain cancer*
Laeron and Becky Roberts, *Atlee Roberts' brother, health concerns*
Peyton Rodgers, *Andrea Jones' niece, health problems following surgery*
Alice Stephenson, *aging member of church family, health concerns*
Jimmy Stephenson, *member of community, cancer*
Wayne Stephenson, *the brother of Sam & Chris Stephenson, health concerns*
David Stewart, *Kathy Wood's uncle, health concerns*
David Stowe, *Kent Walton's friend and business partner, cancer*
Chris Wade, *relative of Bob & Nadine Reed, medical concerns*
Rosemond & Ann Woodall, *aging members of church family, health concerns*

If you have updates or changes to the prayer list, please notify DeEtta Wood at 919.331.9046 or jdwood72@gmail.com.

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Rev. Jim Davis

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John Kopanski <i>Personnel & Clerk of Session</i>	<u><i>Class of 2009</i></u> Steve Nordan <i>Long-Range Planning</i>	Kent Walton <i>Fellowship</i>
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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

To make new disciples by sharing the gospel through our words and actions,
To nurture existing Christians into a mature faith by worship, fellowship and Christian education,
To serve God by worshiping Him through Jesus Christ by the power of the Holy Spirit,
And to serve our neighbor as Jesus taught us.



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