Service of Worship

+Please stand where indicated if it is comfortable for you. All are welcome in this place of worship. As you are seated, please silence your cell phones. A staffed nursery is available for those with infants. Please ask an usher for directions.

We Gather Around the Word

PRELUDE Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above Anonymous, arr. Lyndell Leatherman

Silence is kept during the prelude to prepare our hearts for worship

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ed Paxton

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

+CALL TO WORSHIP

May those who love your salvation say continually, "Great is the Lord!"

Yea, our heart is glad in God, because we trust in God's holy name.

Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise! We praise you, O God; we acknowledge you to be the Lord.

+PROCESSIONAL HYMN #617

"I Come with Joy"

Dove of Peace

+ PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Most merciful God, we confess that we have sinned against thee in thought, word, and deed, by what we have done, and by what we have left undone. We have not loved thee with our whole heart; we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves. We are truly sorry and we humbly repent. For the sake of thy Son Jesus Christ, have mercy on us and forgive us; that we may delight in thy will, and walk in thy ways, to the glory of thy Name. Amen.

Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. *Amen.*

+SUNG RESPONSE

"Glory Be to God, Creator"

Glory be to God, Creator, glory be to God the Son, glory be to God the Spirit, known as Three, yet God the One. As it was in the beginning, it is now and so shall be in a world without ending, glory through eternity. Holy, holy God Almighty, holy, Prince of Peace, holy, holy wind of Presence, holy, holy, holy. Amen.

We Hear the Word

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION (In Unison)

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Acts 4:36-37; Acts 9:27; Acts 11: 22-24 (Pew Bible NT Pages 114, 120 & 122)

The Word of God for the People of God Thanks be to God

HOMILY

"To Walk Alongside"

The Rev. Sarah Campbell

+HYMN OF RESPONSE #599

"Break Thou the Bread of Life"

Bread of Life

We Respond to the Word

MORNING PRAYER

OFFERTORY He Shall Feed His Flock

George Frideric Handel, arr. Lyndell Leather

+DOXOLOGY 94

Lasst Uns Erfreuen

Praise God from whom all blessings flow! Praise God all creatures here below! Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

+PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

COMMUNION MEDITATION

At the Name of Jesus

Cindy Berry

Thanksgiving and Communion

The United Methodist Church is an open communion. All are invited to partake regardless of denomination or religious affiliation. At the direction of the ushers, please come forward, take a wafer, dip it into the cup, and partake.

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING Page 17 Musical Setting A

THE LORD'S PRAYER #895

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 and ever. Amen.

GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

MUSIC DURING DISTRIBUTION

Iust As I Am William B. Bradbury Pass Me Not William H. Doane Jesus, I Come George C. Stebbins

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

We Bear the Word in the World

+RECESSIONAL HYMN #102

"Now Thank We All Our God"

Nun Danket

+BENEDICTION

The Rev. Sarah Campbell

+POSTLUDE

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah John Hughes, arr. Douglas E. Wagner

CONNECT CARD WELCOME! We'd like to help you get connected. Please fill out this card & place it on the offering plate. Let us know how we can reach out to vou! Name Address Zip _____ Phone _____ Email How long have you attended LH UMC? 1st time guest 2nd time guest guest from out of town regular attendee member I am interested in: Having the Pastor Contact Me Youth and Families Small Groups

Missions

United Methodist Women Men's Fellowship Group

Strawberry Festival Volunteer

Stephen Ministry

Greeting and Ushering

Communion Stewardship

Fellowship Hour Hospitality

Singing in the Choir

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

PRAYER REQUESTS

In everything by prayer... Let your requests be made known 'unto God.

Philippians 4:6

Please write your request here and place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher.

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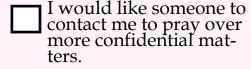
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Please remember that prayer requests are honored until notification is received otherwise. Please keep us updated so that the prayer lists are current. Call 941-964-2479 or email apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com

Thank you!



WELCOME!

All are welcome into the life and ministry of the United Methodist Church. We are honored that you are here. Please join us for refreshments after the service in the Fellowship Hall. We hope you will worship with us again as we continue to discover the difference God's love makes in our lives! Please pick up a gift mug in the Narthex as a token of our appreciation!

KIDS' NEEDS BACK TO SCHOOL WISH LIST

New Sneakers- Children sizes 11-4, Adult sizes 5-13 New socks- Same sizes as shoes, "Low cut" and "no show" preferred. New Underwear- Children sizes 4-18, Adult Men sizes 28-38, Adult Women sizes 4-8 or S,M,L, XL. Only boxer briefs for boys please!

There is a designated donation box in Fellowship Hall

WE NEED USHERS AND COMMUNION STEWARDS!

Please consider volunteering your talents to serve as ushers and/or communion stewards during the summer months. Sign up sheets and instructions are in Fellowship Hall—thank you!

THE REV. DR. WILLIAMS SABBATICAL

Reverend Matthew Williams is on sabbatical until October 1. If you need to convey any important information to him between now and then please contact the church administration offices at 941-964-2479 or email apearsall@bglighthouseumc.com

WELCOME REVEREND SARAH **CAMPBELL!**

Sarah is an eighth generation Floridian from Cedar Key, Florida. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Religion from the University of Florida and a Master of Divinity from Asbury Theological Seminary. She is currently studying for a PhD at the London School of Theology. Sarah has served churches



in Umatilla, New Smyrna Beach, Lakewood Ranch, and Inverness. She is currently serving as the North Central District Congregational Vitality Specialist. In her spare time, Sarah loves to fish!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT!

Prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness Our gifts as of July 28, 2019

Our girts as or july 20, 2017			
2019 OPERATING BUDGET	\$600,000.00		
PLEDGES, OFFERING, PLATE RECEIVED	\$419,225.00		
MISSION GIVING	\$101,497.00		
UMW MISSIONS	\$69,000.00		
CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	\$1,795,506.00		

SPECIAL THANKS FOR SERVING IN THE LORD'S HOUSE TODAY!

Ushers: Bo Hamrick & Jim Cooper **Hospitality Hosts:** Carol Stewart & Adair Newman **Cross Bearer:** Abigail Turner Audio Visual Technology: Mike Hilton



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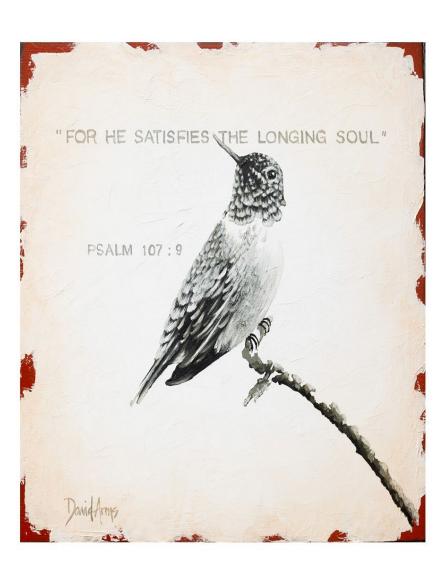


Lighthouse Church A United Methodist Congregation

August 4, 2019

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Receiving the Light, Being the Light, Sharing the Light **COMMUNION SUNDAY**



O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good; for his steadfast love endures forever. Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, those he redeemed from trouble. For he satisfies the thirsty, and the hungry he fills with good things.

From Psalm 107