

*Camp United Methodist Church*  
*Shallotte, North Carolina*



*Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost*  
*On-Line Order of Worship*

Sunday, October 11, 2020

11:00 a.m.

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<b>Welcome</b>		Pastor Alex Parker
<b>Chiming of the Trinity</b>		
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Psalm 106:1-6,8	Pastor Alex Parker
† <b>Hymn of Praise No. 140</b>	Great Is Thy Faithfulness	FAITHFULNESS
† <b>Scripture Lesson</b>	Exodus 32:1-14 (NRSV)	
<b>Sermon</b>	Life in the Wilderness: Wrong Turns	Pastor Steve Murphy
<b>Invitation to Response</b>		Pastor Steve Murphy
<b>Response Anthem</b>	It's Me, It's Me, O Lord Choir Ensemble	Afro-American Spiritual
<b>Prayers of the People</b>		Pastor Alex Parker
<b>Giving Thanks</b>		Pastor Alex Parker
† <b>Hymn of Thanksgiving No. 348</b>	Softly and Tenderly	THOMPSON

**Nicene Creed UMH 880**

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation He came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human.

For our sake He was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered death and was buried.

On the third day He rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic\* and apostolic church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

*The United Methodist Hymnal 880*

† **Benediction Response**

Amen

Allen Pote

† **Postlude**

For the Healing of the Nations

Setting by Paul Manz

† *Denotes that congregation stand if able*

*The Altar Arrangement is given to the Glory of God by  
Tamy Munns in honor of Emma and Luke Pittmans birthdays.*

**Scripture readings for October 11, 2020**

Exodus 32: 1-14

Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23

Philippians 4:1-9

Matthew 22: 1-14

**Theme:**

In the wilderness sometimes we make wrong turns (we offend, hurt, harm someone, we miss the mark, we go astray or someone offends us). God models for us a way of navigating life when offended by choosing covenant as our foundation. Like God choosing Covenant as the foundation of how God relates to us. The covenant of our baptism is to be the foundation from which we are called to participate with God and each other. The covenant of baptism is to be the foundation we return to when we get turned around in the wilderness.

**Reflection questions:**

How would you describe the covenant God has made with you and the church?

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How is God inviting you to allow this covenant to shape your life?

## Camp UMC Connecting together through Scripture and Prayer

As a way of drawing closer to God and each other as a church family, you are invited to join together in prayer and scripture reading. We will be using the lectionary scripture readings each week. This will be a way for us as a church family to be reading the same scriptures together, as well as prepare us all for worship since the sermon will be reflecting on one of the lectionary readings. Below is a suggested prayer liturgy to go along with the scripture reading plan.

You can find the weekly lectionary readings here <https://lectionary.library.vanderbilt.edu/>

### Scripture readings for the week of October 11, 2020

Exodus 33: 12-23	Psalm 99:1	Thessalonians 1: 1-10	Matthew 22: 15-22
Monday	Old Testament Reading		Exodus 33: 12-23
Tuesday	Epistle Reading		Thessalonians 1: 1-10
Wednesday	Gospel Reading		Matthew 22: 15-22
Thursday	Re-read the Gospel Reading		
Friday	Re-read a passage of your choosing		

Spend a moment after reading the scripture reflecting and listening to what God is saying.

This would be a good time to journal your reflections.

We are inviting everyone to pray each day this week using Psalm 99:1

### Prayer and Scripture Liturgy

#### Opening Prayer:

New every morning is your love, great God of light, and all day long you are making all things new. By the outpouring of your Holy Spirit upon all flesh may we be awakened to your resurrecting love so that our lives may bear witness to the Christ that is within us all. Amen.

#### Prayer:

Recognizing the presence of the risen Christ, pray using Camp UMC's weekly prayer list and this week's Psalm reading. Spend time praying for...

- Your family and friends
- The people of our Camp UMC Community
- Our neighbors of Brunswick County
- Those suffering
- Our leaders
- The world

Explore using the selected Psalm reading as a prayer.

Then in the quiet take five slow deep breaths listening to God then close with the Lord's Prayer.

# Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Great is thy faithfulness, O God my Father; there is no shadow of turning with thee; thou changest not, thy compassions, they fail not; as thou hast been, thou forever wilt be.

Refrain: Great is thy faithfulness! Great is thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see; all I have needed thy hand hath provided; great is thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me!

Summer and winter and spring-time and harvest, sun, moon, and stars in their courses above join with all nature in manifold witness to thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

*Tune: FAITHFULNESS*

# Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling

Softly and tenderly Jesus is calling, calling for you and for me; see, on the portals he's waiting and watching, watching for you and for me.

Refrain:  
Come home, come home;  
ye who are weary come home;  
earnestly, tenderly, Jesus is calling,  
calling, O sinner, come home!

Why should we tarry when Jesus is pleading, pleading for you and for me?  
Why should we linger and heed not his mercies, mercies for you and for me?  
(Refrain)

O for the wonderful love he has promised, promised for you and for me!  
Though we have sinned, he has mercy and pardon, pardon for you and for me.  
(Refrain)

*Tune: THOMPSON*



General Fund (Budget) Offering of

9/23/20 Week # 39 = \$ 6,702

Online Giving and Text to Give of

9/23/20 Week # 39 = \$ 400

Weekly amount needed for the General Fund is \$ 15,840.

Online Giving is available through the [campumc.org](http://campumc.org) website or your bank's bill pay service.

### New Sanctuary Debt

JTF Note Balance <u>9/30/2020</u>	JTF Rec'd on <u>9/27/2020</u>
\$ 186,500	\$585

### Worship Services

10-4-2020

197 Total



*In person Worship  
will be a full service.*