



# MORRIS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## An Order of Service for Word and Worship

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

September 25, 2022 - 9:30 am

**Entrance**

**Prelude**

**Welcome** Be rich in the good things you do, that you may take hold of what is truly life.

**Call to Worship**

“Change My Heart O God”

Choir

† **Greeting**

L: God help us to change.

**P: To change ourselves and to change our world.**

L: To know the need for it.

**P: To deal with the pain of it.**

L: To feel the joy of it.

**P: To undertake the journey without understanding the destination. The art of gentle transformation.**

**Amen.**

† **Opening Hymn**

“Come, Thou Almighty King”

#61

† **Opening Prayer**

(Unison)

**Almighty God, you create, redeem, and sustain us, every moment of our lives. In you we place our trust. When we face illness, conflict, and fear, you are our steadfast protector. When we suffer setback and loss, you restore us through your love. When our lives prosper and we are comfortable, you move us to share our blessings with others. In times of hardship and plenty, you alone are the source life. Holy God, in love and trust, we live the power of your resurrection, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

**Old Testament Reading**

**Psalm 146**

Minister

† **Gloria Patri**

#70

**Children’s Message**

**Receiving of Joys and Prayer Concerns**

Minister

**Musical Interlude**

**Pastoral Prayer and Silent Meditation**

**Special Music**

“Jesus Is All I Need”

Choir

**Message**

**1 Timothy 6:6-19**  
**Fight the Good Fight of the Faith**

Minister

† **Sending Forth**

“Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus”

#514

† **Postlude**

† *Please stand as you are able*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS & PARISH NOTICES

Welcome to Morris Chapel United Methodist Church! We are excited that you joined us in Worship today via FaceBook Live and in person. All are welcomed as we come together to praise God and make disciples for Jesus!

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Communion Sunday Food Offering** - On monthly Communion Sundays, the Missions Committee will be collecting boxed and canned food for the Love Grove AME Church Food Pantry. Please no glass containers. If you have any questions, please ask Karen Rosser and Pastor Mike.

**September 25<sup>th</sup> Breakfast!** Join the Fellowship Committee TODAY immediately after the church service for breakfast! The MENU will be egg and French toast casseroles, sausage balls, donut holes, coffee cake, fresh fruit, coffee and tea! We hope for a good turnout and time of enjoyment for the congregation!

**Games, Games, Games** - We are looking to start a Game night. Please get with Pastor Mike and let him know of any games that you would like to have available on those nights and a night of the week that you would prefer.

**Lay Leadership for 2023** – We are quickly approaching 2023 and are looking for disciples ready to step in and help with the ministries of the church. If you have a passion to serve and feel God is calling you to a ministry at Morris Chapel, please let Pastor Mike or Karen Rosser know. They will help you become involved in a ministry, here at Morris Chapel UMC.

**Tithes and Offerings:** The church thanks you for your faithfulness in tithing and offering. Please continue to mail your gifts and tithes to the church or bring them when you attend. You may also follow the directions on the website at [www.morrischapelumc.org](http://www.morrischapelumc.org) for on-line giving through Vanco. Be in God's Grace, Peace and Love.

*Announcements may be given by noon on Wednesdays  
to Laurel Parker at [laurelparker@charter.net](mailto:laurelparker@charter.net) or (919) 271-0963.*

### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

#### **Richard & Pat Angel**

Carla Bailey  
Jessie & Carter Beck  
Joshua Black  
Aiken Blackwell  
Pat Branton  
Louise Buchanan  
Sharon Buchanan  
Shirley Buchanan  
Crystal Burichin  
**Deb Callodonato-travels**  
Berle Campbell  
Dwight & Kathleen Carter  
Tammy Casey  
Christians in Middle East  
**Family of Hal Cleavenger**  
Jimmy Clifton  
Noah Davis Clifton  
Mildred Cotton  
**Alan Cox**  
Jeanette Amos-Cox  
Linda Cox  
Morgan Cox  
Caleb Craig  
Colleen Custer

Phil DeVeau

#### **Family of Michelle Marie**

**Davis**  
Melissa Edwards  
Horace Ferguson  
Dale Flagg  
Dennis Fore  
Pam Gillis  
Buddy Godwin  
Lewis & Mel Hartman  
Bobby & Laura Holder  
Janice Holder  
Linda Holder  
Elva & Henry Hall  
**Dennis & Lewis Hartman**  
Kendall Huepper  
Mary Hudson  
Wayne Hudson  
Chad Huffman  
Carolyn Jernigan  
Evan Johnson  
Nancy Johnson  
Laverne Joiner  
Bobby Jones  
Warren Keyser  
Phil Kelly

June Kelly  
Peggy Kennedy  
Don Key  
Tony Kilcullen  
Beverly Leslie  
Lance Little  
Maude Maloney  
Melissa Martin  
Martha Meeks  
Military troops & families  
Linda McNeill  
Mary McNeill  
Tim & Donna McNeill  
Kim Neal  
Molly Margaret O'Quinn  
Nancy Page  
Greg Patterson  
Brooklyn Annette Perry  
Susie Pierce  
Pastor Larry Pittman  
Phyllis Poe  
Family of Brenda Popke  
Renee Ratcho  
Jason Ray  
Johnny Ray

Hank Richards  
Megan Riland  
Dot Roberts  
Betty Jean Rosser  
**Angelene Rosser**  
**Evin Johnson**  
Carolyn Saucier  
Ron & Peggy Scott-travels  
Sandra Shope  
Caden Smith  
Hilton Stewart  
Darby Thompson  
Robin Thompson  
**Wendy Turbeville**  
Ukraine & Russian people  
United Methodist Church  
United States of America  
**Unspoken Prayers**  
**Warren & Edna Bailey**  
Pam Vaughan  
Lance Weekly  
Heather Wicker  
Lilla Williams  
Fred Wilson  
Bill Wilson  
Sandy Woolston  
Sammy Womack

After Worship treats in the Fellowship Hall today are provided by the Fellowship Committee. Thank you!