ORDER OF WORSHIP
NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

August 2, 2020 **10:00 AM** **GREEN**

RINGING OF THE TRINITY
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS
PRELUDE: *Break Thou the Bread of Life* Sherwin
INVOCATION Jan Terrell
HYMN OF PRAISE: *Sweet Hour of Prayer*
♣ **CALL TO WORSHIP:**

Leader: As a shepherd seeks a lost sheep,
People: so God seeks and saves the lost.
Leader: Like a woman who searches for a lost coin until it is found,
People: so God rejoices over one soul restored to wholeness.
Leader: As a father receives a returning wayward son,
People: so God welcomes us, and lets the past be the past.
Leader: Therefore let us praise God in thanksgiving that we are received.
People: Let us receive and welcome and rejoice over one another in the name of Jesus Christ.

♣ **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**: *The Apostles' Creed*
♣ **GLORIA PATRI**
PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER
DOXOLOGY
CHILDREN'S TIME Rev. Kurt McPherson
SPECIAL MUSIC Reggie Noce and Jerry Loiselle
SCRIPTURE LESSON: *Matthew 14:13-21*
COMMUNION MEDITATION: Rev. McPherson
Broken and Blessed
COMMUNION
HYMN OF DEDICATION: *Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling*
♣ **BENEDICTION**
♣ **POSTLUDE**: *Seek the Lord* Day

♣ Congregation Stands [Please stand if you are able]

The flowers in the Sanctuary this morning are given to the glory of God and in honor of Olin Grant Cooper's first birthday by his parents, Logan and Amber Cooper, and his grandparents, David and Leigh Smith.

EXITING THE CHURCH

At the conclusion of the service please remain seated until you are dismissed by an usher.

Welcome!

We welcome you to Socastee United Methodist Church. If you wish to join this church, you may do so by any of the following ways: [1] Speak to the pastor following the service; or [2] Contact the church office at 843-650-3373. Thank you for worshiping with us today.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Tithes and offerings including coins of change can be placed in the baskets located at each door as you enter or exit the Sanctuary.

ATTENDANCE

Since we cannot safely pass the attendance pads we ask that you give your name to the ushers when you arrive so we can continue to mark attendance in our database. Thank you.

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY

Thursday morning bible study will not meet during the month of August. It will resume on Thursday, September 3.

SPRC ANNOUNCEMENT

SPRC is pleased to announce Pastor Kurt has been re-appointed for another year!

SERVING US TODAY

Choir Director:	Jay Barton
Pianist:	Ann Spangler
Organist:	Marianne Eaton
Crucifer:	Rianna Kearns
Acolyte:	Tina Doud-Kearns
Lay Reader:	Pat Wood
Ushers:	Walt & Rene Smith, Carol Sullivan, and Norm Wiley
Sexton:	Syd Putman

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR THIS WEEK AT SUMC

TODAY:	**August 2**
8:45 AM	**Sunday School**
10:00 AM	**Worship/New Sanctuary**
4:30 PM	**Prayer and Praise/1875 Sanctuary**
TUESDAY:	**August 4**
9:00 AM	**Stitchers/John Wesley Room**
2:00 PM	**Women's Bible Study/Room 105**

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

We are a loving congregation that strives to show the love of Christ to the world.

BLUE STAR MOTHERS

Blue Star Mothers of Coastal Carolina will be sending out a Summer Hero Box in August. If you know of anyone in the military deployed outside the US and deployed through October, then let us know. (The military stops mail 30 days before deployment ends, so boxes would be returned.) Please send us their complete address in a private message on the church's Facebook page, or call or message me at 843-421-9527. Thank you. Marilyn Burch

OUR PRAYERS AND SUPPORT

IN HOSPITAL: Katie Ward

IN REHAB: None at this time

SHUT-INS: Mary Lou Smith, Dot Froelich, Annabel McIntyre, Nancy Edwards, and Dot McCracken.

REMEMBER OUR MILITARY FAMILY MEMBERS IN PRAYER:

- ♣ Lt. Jennifer Dean Boyd, 5213 Carillo Ave., Norfolk, VA 23508
- ♣ CMSgt. Jason T. Heilman, PO Box 290126, Yigo, GU 96929 [son of Janice Heilman]
- ♣ William Harry Smith IV, 7925 Merrill Rd. – Apt. 1005, Jacksonville, FL 32277 [son of Harry Smith]
- ♣ M/Sgt. Nicholas McLaughlin, 6702 Marvin Ave., Eldersburg, MD 21784-5901
- ♣ Master Sergeant Jason Saunders, 3422 Ayers Drive, Alexandria, VA 22309 [Lee & Dee Horton's grandson]
- ♣ Airman First Class Cassie Edwards, 8201 Frost Avenue SE, Building 2022, Room W108, Kirkland AFB, Albuquerque, NM 87116.Kirkland AFB, NM [Nancy Edwards' daughter]
- ♣ Captain Jennifer Melfi, 6638 Fielding Ter., Colordo Springs, CO 80911 [granddaughter of Marilyn Burch]
- ♣ Major Jon-Michael Farino (USAF), Joint Base Lewis-McChord, Washington State [husband of Lee Smith Farino and son-in-law of Jim and Neal Smith]
- ♣ Hugh F. Smith, has returned from Afghanistan, is living at home, and working out of McIntyre National Guard Base [nephew of Walt Smith]
- ♣Alex Beltran, Pvt Beltran, Alex RN 412, 4th PLT,CHARLIE Company 3-47 Infantry,9240 Treadwell Dr., BLDG 3405, Fort Benning, GA 31905. On envelope place a green circle lower left. [grandson of Kathleen Twomey]
- ♣SGT Scoggin Warren, 10 McLaney Street, Fort Bragg, NC 28307 [grandson of Bill and Sherry Montgomery]
- ♣PFC Scott Boster, is now home. [Scott is a member of SUMC]

A LOOK AT OUR FAITHFULNESS & ATTENDANCE

July 26, 2020

Sunday School - 33 10 AM Service – 93 Vespers – 8
YouTube Views - 33

BUDGET OPERATING FUND [07/26/2020]

Received this week.....4,177.00
Received this week online 320.00
Needed each week.....11,633.00
Received this year.....243,749.75

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS [07/26/2020]

Building Rental.....150.00
Janet Whilden Home Repair.....300.00

BUILDING TOGETHER FOR TODAY AND TOMORROW

"I will not offer to God that which cost me nothing."- 2 Samuel 24:24

Received to complete the Fellowship Hall **[07/26/2020]**.....145.00
Loan Balance Owed as of **[07/08/2020]** on Fellowship Hall...306,391.57
Total 2020 contributions for Fellowship Hall Campaign.....21,100.00

1875 SANCTUARY CONTRIBUTIONS

Received for 1875 Sanctuary **[07/26/2020]**.....10.00
Balance of 1875 Sanctuary Fund.....53,561.03

IMPROVEMENTS FOR PRESENT BUILDINGS/GROUNDS [07/26/2020]

Received in Coins of Change for improvements.....58.00
Improvement Fund & Coins of Change Balance [CIF].....13,728.86

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