## Order of Worship September 3, 2023

14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

**Everyone Welcome!** 

**Welcome and Announcements** 

Pam Kilmon, Liturgist

Call to Worship – "Sweet, Sweet Spirit" UM Hymnal # 334 There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place, and I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord. There are sweet expressions on each face, and I know they feel the presence of the Lord. Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove, stay right here with us, filling us with your love. And for these blessings, we lift our hearts in praise; without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived when we shall leave this place.

\*Hymn of Praise and Lighting of Candles

Don Johnson

**Personal Sharing** 

Pam Kilmon

**Concerns and Praises** 

**Prayer and Lord's Prayer** 

Our Father, which 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, the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

Offering

\*Doxology

UM Hymnal # 95

**Hymn of Preparation** 

**Don Johnson** 

\*Scripture

Matthew 15:21-28

Sermon

Joe Beavon

**Sacrement of Holy Communion** 

UM Hymnal # 12

**Hymn of Dedication** 

Don Johnson

## **OUR ALTAR IS ALWAYS OPEN!**

\*Benediction and Shalom

**Upcoming Events** 

<u>Wednesday, September 6, 13, 20, 27:</u> 5:00pm The "Joyful Noise" will practice for the Fall program.

**Wednesday, September 13:** 2:30pm Pastor-Parish 3:30pm Finance Meeting

4:30pm Nominating Meeting

<u>Monday, September 18:</u> 1:00pm United Women in Faith will meet. <u>Sunday, October 8:</u> Our new District Superintendent, Rickey Wade will preach today, with a covered dish dinner to follow the worship service with Church Conference immediately after dinner.

The flowers today are in memory of JC Kilmon, who passed away September 3, 2017, given in honor by Pam Kilmon.

Today during communion, we will take donations for UMCOR Hawaii – Maui Disaster Relief. If you write a check, please put in the memo, Advance # 901670.

Thank you!

## Prayers & Concerns

Katherine Johnson - ongoing care

Tyler Stafford - transplant issues

Jaymon Loftis - diabetes

Sue Matthews - health concerns

Maria Rakaska - health concerns

Steve Chapman - health concerns

 $Judy\ Denny-health\ concerns$ 

David Bryant - cancer

Shirley Tayse - health concerns

Kerry Mitchell - Prayers for Ann Hart

Susan Huffines - health concerns

Rich Wilson – Prayers for cancer

Harold & Betty Martin - ongoing health issues

Benton Quarles - Prayers

Kerry Mitchell - Prayers for Mahi, HI

Pam Kilmon - Prayers for Tom Barlow, he is in ICU and prayers for

Alice, his mother

Tye Walker - Prayers for her sister, Leandra

Praises

Tim Huffines - Praises that Susan is home and sitting beside him

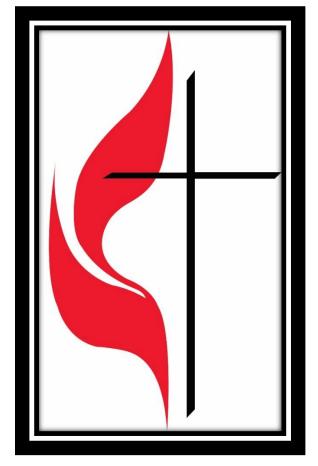
Email Pray Request: gainesboromethodist @gmail.com

Last week's plate offering: \$ 941.72 Weekly amount needed to be on budget: \$1,500.00 August plate offering total for the month: \$6,068.29

**Attendance Last Sunday: 32** 

Online Views of Streaming Video: 62

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