

Wesley United Methodist Church



Motto

"The church on the island where everybody is somebody and God Is All

Mission

"Wesley United Methodist Church's mission is to make Disciples of Christ by being a Christ-centered beacon to all people."

Vision

The vision of Wesley is to teach, educate, and advocate in the areas of spiritual growth, literacy, social justice, and relationship building to promote discipleship in the building of the kingdom of God.

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Bishop Jonathan Holston, Resident Bishop

Rev. Dr. Sandra Stevens Poirel,

District Superintendent

Reverend Eleanora C. Ellington, Pastor

Wesley United Methodist Church

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Color: Green

Sunday, September 19, 2021

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

Worship Leader: Mrs. Evelyn Brown

Minister of Music: Ms. Rogina Dease

We Gather to Worship God

Processional

Lighting of Candles

GreetingRev. Eleanora Ellington

***CALL TO WORSHIP:**

One: Happy are those who follow the ways of the Lord.

Many: God's ways are just and merciful.

One: Those who follow God's ways are continually nourished in faith.

Many: In all that they do, they prosper.

One: Come, let us open our hearts to God's compassionate love.

Many: Let us celebrate God's mercy and justice. Amen.

*Opening SelectionChoir

Morning PrayerMrs. Evelyn Brown

Response

*Affirmation of FaithThe Apostles' Creed, UMH #881

Gloria PatriUMH #71

We Listen for God's Word

*New Testament ReadingJames 3:13-4:3, 7-8a NRSV

The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.

SelectionChoir

The Message "Two Kinds of Wisdom"Pastor Eleanora Ellington

James 3:13-4:3, 7-8a NRSV

We Respond to God's Love

Invitational SelectionChoir

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

The Offering of God's Tithes and Our Gifts

Offering Baskets will not be passed. Please leave your tithes and offerings in the back of the Sanctuary when entering.

*The Dedication of Tithes and OfferingUMH #588

"All things come of thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee."

We Are Sent Forth to Serve

Song of Sending Forth

Going Forth with the Light

*BenedictionPastor Eleanora Ellington

*Please stand as you are able***Late Worshipers May Enter

News and Announcements

Teleconferencing with Pastor Ellington continues on Sundays at 10am; Dial number: 1-605-562-0400-Access code; 1522654. Also, continue to join us **live on Facebook**. Please review website or emails for changes made to services.

~Finance~

Beginning in January the finance committee will only be at Wesley collecting all givings on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month from 10 a.m. to noon until we return to in-person worship. You may also continue to pay electronically or by mail. Paying online, please visit our church website at www.wesleyumcjohnsisland.org, and in the upper right corner on top click on the green donation button.

Mailing address: WUMC, PO Box 72, Johns Island, SC 29457.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact someone from the finance committee.

~Sunday School~

Senior Adult Sunday School is held on Sundays from 8:50 to 9:50 am by via zoom. **Children Moments** at 11am on second Sundays via Zoom.

~Bible Study~

Bible Study is taking a summer break; we will convene in September

~Congregational Care~

Any member needing services, please contact Pastor Ellington, 843-826-6455. We will continue to care for our congregation and patients/residents in health care facilities via phone calls and notes.

Outreach and Witness Ministry will continuously in contact with our sick and shut-in members to ensure their needs are being met.

Temple Take-Out is held the second Sunday of each month. Seniors (65 years or older in need or having a mental or physical disability) to lunch. If you are interested, please call Mary Hill at 843-212-3504 or email at mdhill1986@yahoo.com.

Welcome....

We welcome you to worship today! Our deepest desire is that you have come to encounter the living, loving God and find yourself knowing God's great love for you. Our ushers and greeters are available to meet your needs during worship service and answer any questions you may have.

We are glad that you are here today! Welcome!

"Sick & Shut-Ins"

Sis. Debra Bloom

Bro. Eddie Hammond

Bro. Wilbur LaRoche

Sis. Vermelle Legare

Bro. William Saunders

Bro. Jordan Brown

Sis. Pearline Brown

Sis. Karen Campbell

Bro. Julius Mackey

Sis. Elizabeth Hymes

* Prayer List *

Sis. Emma Brown

Bro. Henry Brown

Sis. LaKara Campbell

Sis. Laverne Frasier

Bro. Abraham Fields

Bro. Robert Fields

Sis. Marna Fields

Sis. Mary Frasier

Sis. Sadie Gethers

Sis. Karen Givens

Bro. Arthur Grant

Sis. Elizabeth Hymes

Bro. Lewis Grant

Bro. Jack Fyall

Sis Wanda Jenkins

Bro. Paul Simmons

Sis. Quintella Grant

Sis. Eva Hammond

Bro. Abe Jenkins

Bro. Abraham Jenkins

Bro. Pierre Legare

Richard Legare

Sis. Shouvantae Legare

Sis. Viola Legare

Sis. Ella Richardson

Sis. Adriane Saunders

Sis. Betty Smith

Sis. Caroline Weaver

Sis. Joell Wigfall

Sis. Marjorie Hammond

Bro. Alonzo Pinckney



Remember our sick and shut-ins with our prayers and calls!