

11:00 am Worship
September 3, 2023 - 14th Sunday after Pentecost

The altar is open for personal prayer time prior to the beginning of our service.

Welcome & Announcements

Prelude Chandler Ogles

Invocation Ray Kirby

Call to Worship *A New Day Psalm* Chancel Choir

***Hymn of Praise** *My Hope is Built* HM #102

***Responsive Reading** adapted from Romans 12:1-2

Leader: Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—

People: **this is our true and proper worship.**

Leader: Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—

People: **his good, pleasing and perfect will.**

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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

Children's Moment

Hillary Eckstein

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Music *I Will Make All Things New* Chancel Choir

***Prayer of Praise**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen

Message Romans Rev. Clint McBroom
"Living Sacrifices"
(Romans 12:1-2)

Service of Holy Communion HM #730

***Hymn of Invitation** *All to Jesus I Surrender* HM #607

***Benediction**

***Postlude** Kelley Hill

**please stand as you are able*

Sign-Ups

Name(s):

Mission House

____ Check if interested in volunteering

- There is a great need for the following**
- Food - Canned vegetables & meats, fruit cups, soups, powdered milk, peanut butter, mac & cheese, oatmeal, crackers & tea bags
 - Boy's sizes 6-18 & Men Small
 - Hygiene products- toothpaste & shampoo
 - Laundry detergent (powder)
 - Wheelchairs & rollator walkers
 - Student Bibles

Welcome!
We're glad you're here!

Name(s):

Email (optional):

Prayer Requests

Announcements

This Afternoon

No Afternoon Activities

Monday, September 4

Office Closed, Happy Labor Day

Tuesday, September 5

9-11:00 am - Chrismons, *fellowship hall*

5:30 pm - Restaurant Supper Club, *meet at church*

Wednesday, September 6

6:00 pm - Food & Fellowship - meal provided by *Group 7*

6:30 pm - Small Groups, Youth & Kids Classes

LAUNCH OF THE ALABAMA EMERALD COAST CONFERENCE

You are invited to the Celebration Launch of the Alabama Emerald Coast Conference of the Global Methodist Church! This will be an historic gathering as it will be our very first Annual Conference. It will be held at Saint James Global Methodist Church in Montgomery. The opening worship service will be on Friday, September 8th at 6 PM, and the ordination service that will close the conference will be on Saturday, September 9th at 1:15 PM.

SPECIAL OFFERING AT OUR OPENING CELEBRATION

We will have a special missional offering at our Annual Conference launch on September 8 and 9. The offering will go to purchase motorcycles for our clergy colleagues in the GMC Congo African Conference. Clergy in the Congo have to walk many miles to reach the churches they pastor, and these bikes will enable them to do so more quickly.

To give, mark your check or envelope "Congo Conference motorcycles" or choose the "Congo Conference motorcycles" fund in the online giving portal.

LAMP

We are in dire need of teachers to help with our Wednesday night LAMP program (5th and 6th graders). If you would be willing to help, contact the church office at 283-2195 or talk to Peyton or Hillary.



Romans

"Living Sacrifices"
Romans 12:1-2