WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. John W. Bowling

CALL TO WORSHIP

In the beauty of this moment, O God,

We worship You.

In the fellowship of your people,

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In newness of life which Christ our Lord provides,

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In the presence of Your Spirit that empowers us,

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In the company of all creation this sabbath day:

We worship you, O God

WORSHIP WITH SINGING*

Chris Pinelo, Ron Jump, Sally Osborn, Teri Coffman

CHILDREN'S BLESSING

(At this time, children 4yrs through 5th grade may stand for a blessing before heading upstairs for Sunday School.)

MINISTRY OF GIVING

OFFERING MUSIC

SCRIPTURE LESSON various

MESSAGE HOW SWEET THE SOUND Rev. John W. Bowling

"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

WORSHIP WITH SINGING*

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE

*Please stand as you are able.



Looking for a way to make new connections at Highland United Methodist? Looking to meet and grow with parents? We've started a **new 11AM Sunday School class** for just that! Join us in **Room 109** on Sundays for a time for fellowship, learning, and fun.

Welcome to Highland United Methodist! If you're looking for information about our church, you can probably find it and much more at **highlandmethodist.com**

We welcome all visitors today and kindly request you complete a "Connect Card" found either in the pew or by scanning this QR code. We would love to get to know you!





The flowers on the altar today are given in memory of Beverly Harber's July 4th birthday by her family.

Altar Flowers



We extend a very warm <u>welcome</u> to the individuals who have made the decision to join with Highland United Methodist Church in membership over the last couple of months.

Please join us in welcoming:

Glenna Amburgey, Valeria Amburgey, Rick & Amy Andrae, Mike & Sonya Girdwood, Vernon & Ann Hicks, Tiffany Kosier



Join us Sunday, July 30, at 12:15 at Highland Hills Park, shelter #2 for the annual Highland UMC Picnic. We'll provide chicken. You can make the event a success by signing up to bring a dish or help with setup or cleanup at the link on the website.



Highland UMC's Administrative Council will meet THIS Tuesday, July 11, at 7:00pm in the Welcome Area to vision and plan for the ministries of the church. All members of the Highland Methodist community are invited to attend and engage in this process.



Bluebird Preschool has a lead teaching position open for a 4 yr old class. This position is 8:00-noon, Monday through Thursday, 16 hrs per week at \$15 per hour. Our school year

begins the Tuesday after Labor Day and ends in mid May. Please contact Cyndy Jones at 859-441-2132 if interested.



Every week, John Hodges-Batzka takes the Sunday sermon, adds a devotion and announcements about upcoming events to create the **Highland Methodist Podcast**. Check it out! Available Mondays in the app, Apple Podcasts, and Google Play.

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HYMN #154* All Hail the Power of Jesus Name (vs. 1-4, 6)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #887* (From Romans 8)

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MORNING PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

MINISTRY OF GIVING

OFFERTORY

Doxology*

SPECIAL MUSIC Grace Mark Hayes

Valeria Amburgey

SCRIPTURE LESSON various

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"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

Hymn #89* Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE

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Thank you to our guest organist, Christina Seal, who is with us while Terrie heals from knee surgery.

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CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



VBS is July 23-27, 2023 6-8pm! Registration is now live at highlandmethodist.com Twists & Turns is a fantastical celebration of games of all kinds. Kids will play their way through VBS while learning that Jesus guides them through all the twists and turns of their

lives. They'll find that even when they mess up it's never "game over." Following Jesus changes the game.

Questions? Contact Hilary Dungan children@highlandmethodist.com

Looking for adult subs to help with the nursery on Sundays as well as youth and adults to assist with Sunday School. If you would like to be put on a sub or assistant list, please contact Hilary Dungan children@highlandmethodist.com

YOUTH MINISTRY

- Sunday School will meet in the youth room between services from 10:35-10:55
- Sunday night Youth Group tonight 6-8pm

PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISE REPORTS

- Praise for healthy growth of Atlas A
- Family going through difficult times
- Rochelle A—health & comfort
- Jeff L—recovery from surgery
- Affordable housing
- Norma Jo N
- Jean A
- Wilma Y

- Terrie-knee surgery
- Lana V—knee healing & pain management
- Grant C—healing and rehab
- Bill & Kathlene—health issues
- Mary Frances—vertebrae fracture
- Rick E —chemo & kidney stone
- Amanda B.—breast cancer



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Highland United Methodist Church

Sunday, July 9, 2023 9:30am Sixth Sunday after Pentecost



Highland United Methodist Church affirms and welcomes people of all sexual orientations, gender identities, ages, nations, and races. We fully include all in the life and ministry of the church as we seek to share God's love in Jesus Christ.

The Mission of Highland United Methodist Church is to transform lives by demonstrating Jesus' love and making him known through serving others.