

Quilters. The Quilters meet Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. and 7:00 p.m. and again Thursday at 10:00 a.m.

Trustee Committee. The Trustee Committee will not meet in July.

Book Club. The Book Club meets this coming Thursday, July 21st at 6:00 p.m. at Jayne Ferrer's home for a potluck meal.

Newsletter Deadline. Please have your articles for the August newsletter in by this coming Friday, July 20th.

VBS will be Saturday, July 30th from 10-2.

Please join us for Vacation Bible School on Saturday, July 30th from 10:00-2:00. We'll enjoy Bible stories, games, recreation, craft time, and lunch. If you are interested in helping, please let Melissa, Terri, or Vickie know.

Servants Needed. In the coming months we will be working towards completing our annual church charge conference, there will be positions becoming open for members to volunteer to work for the upcoming year, as we start this process if you would like to be part of the leadership team of the church please call the office or myself to let us know that you are offering yourself for service in the house of the Lord.
Pastor Enrique Gordon.

Financial Statements. Please pick up your financial statements located on the back table in the sanctuary.

Needed: The Quilters are working on jam, jellies, preserves, pickles, chow-chow, etc. for the church Bazaar in November. We need pint and half-pint jars. Thanks for your help! The Quilters.

Attendance for July 10th: S.S. -25; Worship -67

Financial report for July 10th:

Received for Budget: \$5,376.50

Received to-date in July for Budget \$8,894.00



July 17 Eugene Bondurant
July 19 Vickie Failor
July 20 Ronnie Argo
Elsie Cabaniss
Ivy Evans
Reaja Gordon
July 21 Rhonda T. Hovious
July 23 Andi Nichols



Jonathon Holston
Resident Bishop

Dr. George Howle
District Superintendent

Enrique Gordon
Pastor

Joan Kotrady
Director of Music

Joan Kotrady
Organist

Debbie Capps
Admin. Assistant

Pat Teat
Membership & Financial Secretary

Terri McCloud
Treasurer

Anne-Marie Failor
Acolyte

Lynne Dyson &
Debbie Capps
Nursery

Corky Holman
Trustee of the Month

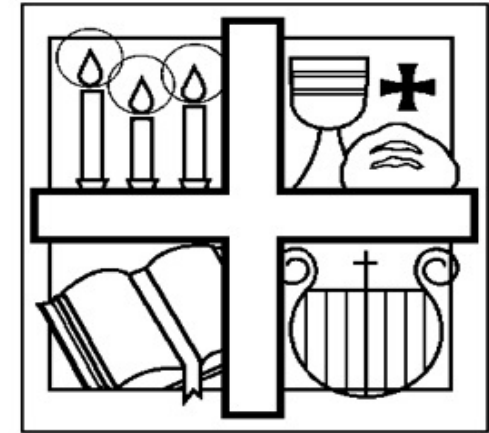
Terri McCloud
and Melissa Miller
Children's Church

Terri McCloud
Children's Moment

Corky Holman
Stewardship

Patty Bowers
Altar Guild

Steve Capps
Rick Greer
Corky Holman
Ronnie Hunter
Ushers



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9th Sunday after Pentecost in Kingdomtide

**July 17, 2016
10:30 a.m.**

The mission of Berea Friendship United Methodist Church is to glorify our Lord by serving all people equally, welcoming those in search of a loving and supportive church

Welcome to Berea Friendship United Methodist Church!

If you are new to our community, we hope you will participate in our service as you are comfortable. An asterisk (*) indicates that you are invited to stand as you are able. **Bold print** indicates that you are invited to join the community in reading aloud those passages that are indicated.

Please take a moment to sign the Worship Attendance Pad that is found in your pew.

Welcome to this assembly of the people of God!

THE PRELUDE **Immortal, Invisible, God only Wise** arranged/ John Innes

LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

TRINITY CHIMES

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP **Holy Ground** Geron Davis

*HYMN – No. 158 **Come, Christians, Join to Sing**

*OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Let us pray

O Heavenly Father, you have always been and before you nothing has been. There is no one to pray to but you. The star nations all over the heaven are yours, and yours are the grasses of the earth. You are older than all need, older than all pain and prayer. Heavenly Father, Great Spirit, fill us with light. Give us strength to understand and eyes to see. Teach us to walk the soft earth as relatives to all that live. Help us, for without you we are nothing. Amen.

*ACT OF PRAISE United Methodist Hymnal Psalm 52:1-9

FIRST LESSON –pg. 538, 853 Psalm 15 Lay Servant

CHILDREN’S MOMENT (*ages 3-5th grade are dismissed at this time for Children’s Church.*) Terri McCloud

*SECOND LESSON pg. 1028, 1613 Luke 10:38-42 Lay Servant

CHORAL ANTHEM **Breathe on Me, Breath of God** Lani Smith

SERMON “Choosing the Best Part” Reverend James Patterson

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

PRAYER

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - 881

OFFERTORY **Turn Your eyes Upon Jesus** Helen Lemmel

*DOXOLOGY – No. 95

*HYMN – No. 347 **Spirit Song**

*EXTINGUISHING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

* DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION **Go Now in Peace** Natalie Sleeth

(The congregation is invited to sing)

Go now in peace, go now in peace,
May the love of God surround you everywhere,
Everywhere you may go.

*POSTLUDE **Recessional on Lauda Anima** Donald Hustad

Please join us for our 3rd Sunday Covered Dish Lunch today in the fellowship hall

OUR PRAYER COVENANT: (1) Direction in which God is leading this church. (2) The people God will send us. (3) The new and existent ministry that will be the cornerstone of Berea Friendship UMC.

PASTOR’S OFFICE HOURS: Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (Wednesday’s are the pastor’s community outreach day. If you need an appointment call the office.

PRAYER LIST. Mildred Bray, Mary Childs, Troy Clements, Ann Donaldson, Donna Helms, Carolyn Hunter, Pastor Enrique Gordon, Jane-Hunt Grady, Jackie Lumsden, Joe Philpot, Margie Philpot, Mildred Pollard, Myrna Turner, Glenn Wells, Allen Zorn.

Choir. If you would like to join the choir we would love to have you! We practice every Wednesday Night at 7:00 p.m.

Spanish Worship. The Spanish Worship hour is at 1:00 every Sunday afternoon.

5th Sunday Breakfast. Join us on Sunday, July 31st at 8:30 a.m. in the fellowship hall for breakfast.

