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June 6, 2024

Remembering D Day Today – 80th Anniversary

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

Sunday morning

06/09/2024

Pastor J. R. Virgin

Week 3 of the 6 week series

Will present the sermon

"New Self"

8:45 a.m. (Sanctuary) and 11:00 a.m. (Berly)

For information about Sunday Worship Service go to the website page

https://spumethodist.org/sunday-worship-services/.

Each Service will be live streamed via the church's YouTube channel.

The link to our YouTube channel is:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCZ_rB7ivyTHSFnKYMKLTbg

You can only see the livestream from YouTube.

The recorded services will be available on our Sermons webpage

http://spumethodist.org/sermons/ **following each Service as well as on**

YouTube. They will be shared with the church Facebook friends later.

Sermon Text: **Ephesians 4:17-24 (NIV)**

17 So I tell you this, and insist on it in the Lord: that you must no longer live as the Gentiles do, in the futility of their thinking. 18 They are darkened in their understanding and separated from the life of God because of the ignorance that is in them due to the hardening of their hearts. 19 Having lost all sensitivity, they have given themselves over to sensuality so as to indulge in every kind of impurity, and they are full of greed.

20 That, however, is not the way of life you learned 21 when you heard about Christ and were taught in him in accordance with the truth that is in Jesus. 22 You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; 23 to be made new in the attitude of your minds; 24 and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

Message From Your Pastor

Week two of the Behold! I Am Doing a New Thing sermon series brings us to the book of Isaiah and the proclamation that God is doing a new thing. Jesus, the Christ, is the new thing God is doing in the world. Jesus, the Christ, is the way. It is important for us as Christians today as well. Too often we allow the past to hold us back from the new things that God has in store for us. We allow our mistakes, our failures, our sins, our pain, our suffering to define who we are. We allow things that those have told us in the past to hold us back from the future God has planned. We allow perceived failures of past ministries to keep the church from moving forward in faith. As Christians, we must remind ourselves that God is not bound by these things. God is capable of doing new things, God is capable of doing all things. God is capable of making all things certain faithful. So, let us now dwell on the past, rather let us focus on a future that God holds in His hands. A future of promise and blessings, as He continues to do new things.

The Beat of Ni Ia , God Is With Us!

Pastor J.R.

New Members Class

The make-up date is **Sunday, June 23 at 12:30pm** in The Youth Building. If this doesn't work for you, please contact Pastor J.R. to schedule a time that does.

Weekly Bible Reading:
June 9-Psalm 68 13-21; 1 Kings 19-20; Ephesians 1:1-14
June 10-Psalm 68:22-34; 1 Kings 21-22; Ephesians 1:15-23
June 11-Psalm 69:1-15; 2 Kings 1-2; Ephesians 2
June 12-Psalm 71:1-13; 2 Kings 4-5; Ephesians 3:1-20
June 13-Psalm 71:14-24; 2 Kings 6-8; Ephesians 3
June 14-Psalm 72:1-11; 2 Kings 9-11; Ephesians 4:1-16
June 15—Psalm 72:12-20; 2 Kings 12-14; Ephesians 4:17-32

Our Faithfulness Sunday June 2, 2024
8:45 Service: 134 (on line viewers as of 6AM) 87; 11:00 Service 87; (on line viewers as of 06/4/24) 146; Sunday School 59

The Sunday School Classes will meet June 9, 2024, at 10:00 a.m.
NOTE: The Friendship Class is meeting now in the Youth Building. (Close to the Administration Building.)

Our Little Garden Nursery
Our Little Garden Nursery at the early service will be open upon request. Please notify one of the ushers.

We are excited to nurture your little one's faith with God's love. If you would like to volunteer helping in the Nursery, please let Pam Carson know.

Transitioning to our new church
The Webpage and church emails were updated. To access the website use www.spumethodist.org For the church emails you need to remember that spumethodist.org is the new domain.
Example - Alice is now reachable at Office@spumethodist.org

LIVE STREAMING AVAILABLE
Remember that live streaming of our services are available on YouTube especially during inclement weather.

Church Transition Ceremony and Covered Dish Dinner

Please join us for the Church Transition Dinner on June 30 at 5:30 pm. There will be a ceremony at 5:00 pm in the Sanctuary followed by the dinner in Berly hall. Please let us the sign up sheet in the bulletin board in the Berly hall collection plate. You may also contact the church office by phone or email at office@spumethodist.org **by June 21, 2024.**

There are also sign up sheets in the Narthex and Berly hall to let us know what covered dish you will bring.

Charge Conference

We will be having a Charge Conference on Sunday, June 9 at 12:30pm in Berly Hall. This is a time of reflection on the church's ministry adjustments which may be needed for our July 1 transition to the Global Methodist Church. All members of St. Paul's Waccamaw have a vote in this meeting.

Counseling: on Tuesdays & Thursdays from 10am-1pm. Counselor is available for counseling sessions. If you would like to meet with our counselor, this is a great opportunity to speak with an accredited professional free of charge. Please contact Pam Fisher at 843-833-3980 with any questions or to schedule an appointment.

Thank you,
Pastor

Church Flower Calendar for 2024
You can email the office or call the office to start signing up for the Church Flower Calendar for 2024. This is a good way to honor someone, celebrate an anniversary, birthday, etc. on Sunday mornings.

Communion Sundays

A REMINDER:
Every Communion Sunday, usually the first Sunday of every month, you may have noticed little red boxes on the altar table. These boxes are faithfully prepared by Shirley Hutcherson to be used by the volunteers who take communion to our shut-ins. Pastor JR blesses them when he blesses all the communion elements. Pastor JR also blesses the boxes when he blesses the food of anyone who would like to be a part of the Home Communion Ministry. This has been a welcomed outreach ministry of St. Paul's Waccamaw for many through the years.

LWW
Please join us for a "Flip Down Memory Lane" and lunch on TUESDAY, JUNE 11, at 12 noon. Our program will feature pictures of St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Women taken over the last 35 years! (And YES, you are probably in one of those pictures!)

The Board will be serving a picnic lunch, including pork bar-b-cue, Coleslaw, baked beans, dessert and beverages.

Everyone is asked to bring a children's book to donate to Miss Ruby's Kids in memory of Shirley Mayhew.

Book suggestions are available on the Miss Ruby's Kids website and Amazon book list: https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/22N2NFTWCDA1

For planning purposes **please make a reservation for lunch by emailing the office: office@spumaqueen.com or calling Alice at 843-237-2294 by THURSDAY, JUNE 6, 2024. Come and be part of this wonderful group of women. We hope to see you there!**

Upcoming Red Cross Blood Drive and Quilters Raffle!
Mark your calendars for the upcoming Red Cross Blood Drive! ... Also, Quilters Wanted: volunteers wanted ... we are forming a St. Paul's Quilt Tournament Committee ... details to come... Thanks, Bill Alexander 803-448-7481

SAVE THE DATE – FILL FESTIVAL
Planning for the Fall Festival is underway. It will be September 28, 2024, from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. There will be Entertainment and a Silent Auction in the Youth Building from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Holdings, dining, and a Bake Sale will be in Berly Hall. There will also be information about our wonderful church, fun activities for the children, craft vendors, the Coast Guard, a Firetruck, AA & Paws, Daily Dogs, and a Boat Show.

Please plan to attend and bring friends. If you would like to help with any part of the festival, please contact Susan Raffle, Volunteer Coordinator.

More information to come.

Bible Studies:
The Men's Bible Study meets every Thursday at 9:30 a.m. in the Discovery Classroom.
Ephesians Bible Study will **meet Thursday at 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. in the Youth Building.**

Committee Meetings & Work of the Church:
Charge Conference, Sunday, June 9, 2024, 12:30 p.m., **Berly Hall.**
LWW, Tuesday, June 11, 2024, 12:00 noon, **Berly Hall.**
Mission Committee Meeting, Monday, June 24, 2024, 5:30 p.m., Jury Classroom.
Church Council Meeting, Tuesday, June 25, 2024, 5:00 p.m., **Berly Hall**
Church Transition Ceremony, Sunday, June 30, 2024, 5:00 p.m., covered dish following in Berly Hall

Cleanup Chair Practice
Cleanup Chair meets Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. *(No chair practice June 5th)*

Weight Watchers
Weight Watchers meet have in Berly Hall every Tuesday at 9:30 a.m. Well checks are 30 minutes prior. **(Only one Weighing now.)**

Students in the Word
Students in the Word meet from 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., Mon. – Thursday and Friday in the Youth Building. (Will not meet June & July)

Teach My Parents
Teach My Parents meet 3:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. Monday – Thursday in the Youth Building (Will not meet June & July)

AA
AA meets Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 7:00 p.m. in the Jury Classroom.
District 18 AA, every 3rd Wednesday of the month, 7:00 p.m. in the Jury Classroom.

Please let me know if need to remove, change, or add to the following Prayer, Birthday or Anniversary list. Also, if you have a meeting coming up or an event or event article that needs to go in the newsletter, please email me at the Church Office: office@spumaqueen.com

Thank you, Alice

Prayer Concerns/Church Family & Friends

Susan Walters

Josie Shelhorse

Marion Parsons

Eva Baxter

Chris Hogan

Mark Lange

Linda Chavous

Nancy Hall

Patty Tounis

Rev. Bobby Phillips

Yvonne Moran

Annette Cox

Stephen Johnston (son of Ron & Ruth Johnston)

Sue Hawkins (a friend of JD & Sandi Whitmire)

The Family of Pine Ki (Bettie Price's mother passed away.)

Rosanna Gary (daughter of Nancy Wilson)

The Family of Tommy Austin (Brother-in-law & sister of Henry & Betty Jules)

The Family of Leslie Weatherford. (Florence, SC)

Tracy (a friend of Leslie Ham)

Marine Hack (a friend of Henry & Betty Jules)

Sophia Gordon (a friend of Patty Tounis)

Wayne Grainger (Fran Keller's dad)

Robert "Bobby" Hayes (James & Leslie Ham's cousin)

Garvin Gilley

Rev. Milton McGuirt

Serenity Sunpatch (delivers our flowers on Sunday)

Johanna Morrison

David Carmier (a close friend of James & Leslie Ham)

Tina Kolb (a close friend of James & Leslie Ham)

Renee (Jan Kalabrese's younger sister)

Diana (a friend of John & Nancy Hall)

Eva (a friend of Jerre & Mark Lange, missing)

Dan (Alice a friend of JD Whitmire)

Pat Dodds (friend of Frank Slater)

Carolyn Bryant

George Leyendecker's sister

Sarah Wilson (Jan Kalabrese's friend)

Rev. Milton McGuirt

Sue Pence

Chris and Jorge Barbon (friends with JD and Sandi Whitmire)

Kerry Leonard (friend of Keith Black)

Mike Black (Keith Black's mother)

Annette Cox's (Brother, Chuck)

Judy Ellis

June Birthdays

Betty Mae McGuirt 06/04

Doug Bess 06/05

Mark Brooker 06/05

Roger Phillips 06/05

Jerre Lange 06/06

Richard Gerstner 06/11

Kayling Wells 06/17

Jim Kay 06/22

Robert Wells 06/24

Cynthia Gerstner 06/24

Kyle Pieper 06/25

Susan Lewis 06/27

Peggy Watson 06/27

Donna Schmidt 06/28

Marshall Trulock 06/28

Charles Calabrese 06/30

Jan Fleischer 06/30

June Anniversaries

Teresa & Vic Bucciarelliman. 06/07

Helen & Richard Black 06/08

Claire & George Leyendecker 06/13

Jim & Susan Stuckey 06/14

Mike & Lisa Collins 06/16

David & Jennie Mellin 06/18

Frank & Amylou Arnes 06/27

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