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5th Sunday of Easter

May 14, 2017 • 11:00 a.m.

Contemporary Worship

Welcome to Spanish Fort United Methodist Church!

We pray that the Holy Spirit moves through you as it moves through this service of worship.

Welcome and Greeting

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Music

Pastoral Prayer/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 Time

Following Children's Time, the children ages 3 years (by September 1, 2015) through 2nd grade will be dismissed to the lower level Fellowship Hall, next to the Sanctuary, in MC106. Parents may pick up their children, after the worship service, in MC106.

Offertory and Prayer

*Scripture

Proverbs 31:10-31~ Pew Bible Old Testament, Page 576

Message

"Pictures of a Virtuous Mother"

Rev. Bill Price

Closing

Feel free to sit or stand as we sing songs of praise to our Lord. If you need to step out of the service with your child, the Mother's Room is available in the Sanctuary foyer. Please register your attendance in the gray binder. If you need assistance during the service, please let one of the ushers know.

Serving today in Contemporary worship:

Rev. Bill Price, Senior Pastor
Rev. Rebecca Rutherford, Associate Minister
Andy Cloninger, Contemporary Worship Leader
Beth Allen, Director of Family Ministries
Jennifer Robertson, Children's Director

Missionaries we support who are serving the Lord to the ends of the earth:

John and Lisa Hamilton;
OMS International in Montevideo, Uruguay
Rob and Amy Ellis;
New Tribes Missions in Tanzania, Africa
Ronnie and Nanny Calvert;
Compassion International in Quito, Ecuador
Monica Maxwell; IMB Connecting in Southern India

Congregation Notes:

Our condolences to the family of beloved SFUMC member, Maxine Harris, who passed away on April 29, 2017.

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Our condolences to Art Perez and family on the death of his wife, Zoanne Perez, on May 2, 2017.

Weekly Bible Readings

Meet the challenge to read your entire Bible in one year by spending twelve and a half minutes each day. You can start any time. This week's suggested readings: Sunday, 1 Corinthians 7-8; Monday, Genesis 44-47; Tuesday, 1 Samuel 6-10; Wednesday, Psalms 33-35; Thursday, Job 23-24; Friday, Isaiah 62-66; Saturday, Mark 3-4.

This Week...

SUNDAY, May 14

8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary)
9:45 a.m. Fellowship Coffee (Fellowship Hall, Main Campus)
10:00 a.m. Discipleship Hour (Both Campuses)
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service (Sanctuary)
6:00 p.m. Spanish Fort High School Baccalaureate (Sanctuary)

MONDAY, May 15

10:00 a.m. Monday Morning Bible Study (Parlor, Main Campus)
2:00 p.m. Bill's Bible Study (PD101, West Campus)
6:00 p.m. Remedy Youth Bible Study (West Campus)

TUESDAY, May 16

9:00-11:30 a.m. Prodissee Pantry Open (9315 Spanish Fort Blvd.)
Noon Lunch Bunch Women's Bible Study (PD105, West Campus)

WEDNESDAY, May 17

5:30 a.m. Men's Group (Fellowship Hall)
9:00 a.m. Wednesday Bible Study (PD101, West Campus)
3:30 p.m. Bread of Life *ChristCare* Group (PD101, West Campus)
6:00 p.m. Disciple III Bible Study (PD101, West Campus)
6:00 p.m. School of Prayer Bible Study (PD102, West Campus)
6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Practice (MB100, Main Campus)

THURSDAY, May 18

11:00 a.m. Westminster Bible Study (Westminster Village)
1:00 p.m. Thirsty Thursday Bible Study (Parlor, Main Campus)
7:00 p.m. TLC *ChristCare* Group (Parlor, Main Campus)

Upcoming Events...

May 21, Missions Meeting
May 22, Church Council
May 28, One Worship Service at 10:00 a.m.
May 29, Church Office Closed in Observance of Memorial Day
June 4-7 Annual Conference
June 10, United Methodist Men's Breakfast
June 10-17 Costa Rica Mission Trip 1
June 11, Volunteer Meeting and Set-up for VBS
June 11, Remedy Youth Good-bye Dinner for Josh Howard
June 12-16 Vacation Bible School

Online Giving is Available...

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If you have a QR scanning app on your cell phone, simply scan the code to the right for easy access to our online giving option.



Worship. Study. Serve.



FAMILY MATTERS... We begin our series on the Christian home called, "Family Matters" today. It will run through Father's Day. We look forward to you joining us for this special series.

BACCALAUREATE... Spanish Fort High School will hold its Baccalaureate service in our Sanctuary **TONIGHT** at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend.

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE... On Sunday, **May 28**, we will hold one worship service at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary. There will be no Sunday School, afternoon, or evening activities. The church office will be closed Monday, May 29, in observance of Memorial Day. It will reopen on Tuesday, May 30, at 8:00 a.m.

GOOD-BYE TO JOSH HOWARD... Sunday, **June 11**, all Remedy Youth are invited to a special evening to say good-bye to Youth Director, Josh Howard, as he prepares to move to North Alabama. Join us at 6:00 p.m. in the Youth area.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL... Children ages 4 (by September 1, 2017) - completed 5th grade mark your calendars and join us for Vacation Bible School on **June 12-16!** For a link to register go to www.spanishfortumc.org and click on CALENDAR/EVENTS.

SUMMER CAMPS... Revive Camp for 8th-12th grades is **June 19-24**. Stop by the church office to pick up registration forms. A \$50 deposit and registration are due by **May 21**.

-Drench Summer Camp at Blue Lake for 6th-8th grades is **July 17-22**.

-Blast Elementary Camp at Blue Lake for completed 3rd-5th grades is **July 17-22**. Go to www.spanishfortumc.org for more information and to register for these Blue Lake camps.

CATAPULT SUMMER FUN... Catapult Youth completed grades 6th-8th are invited to join us for a day at Waterville on Wednesday, **June 28**. Pick up a registration form and a youth activities consent form in the church office. The cost is \$40.00 and includes admittance, transportation on the church bus, and lunch. Money and forms are due no later than **June 21** to hold your spot!

JOIN US AT THE SPLASH PAD... Children (ages preschool-completed 5th grade) and families are invited to get together at the Spanish Fort Town Center Splash Pad on Thursday, **June 22**, at 10:00 a.m. Children must be accompanied by an adult, and you will need to provide snacks and drinks for your family.

YOUTH WEEK... Calling all youth grades completed 6th-12th. Join us for a great week of mission, fellowship, and worship! We will gather for a different mission and fellowship event each day of the week, **July 10-14**. Mark your calendars!