

*Welcome...*



*Worship. Study. Serve.*

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# Second Sunday after Pentecost

Vacation Bible School Month

June 3, 2018 • 8:45 a.m.

Traditional Worship Service

Welcome to Spanish Fort United Methodist Church!

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

## Prelude

**“Great Is Thy Faithfulness” ~ Dickens**

*Wanda Cooper, Organ*

## Welcome

### \*Greeting

**Spirit of the Living God**

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me. Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me. Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

## Bringing in the Light of Christ

### \*Hymn

**“Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us” ~ No. 381**

## Holy Baptism

*Nora Madeline Root, daughter of Braeden and Ashley Root*

## Commissioning of Costa Rica Mission Teams

## 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.

### \*Affirmation of Faith

**The Apostles’ Creed ~ No. 881**

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.

### \*Glory Be to the Father

**(Gloria Patri) ~ No. 70**

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

## Offertory Prayer

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**“Remember His Love”**  
*Sanctuary Choir*

## \*Dedication

**“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow” ~ No. 95**

## \*Scripture

**Luke 15:1-24 ~ Pew Bible New Testament, Page 67**

## Message

**“VBS: When You’re Lonely...Jesus Rescues!”**  
*Rev. Bill Price*

## Service of Holy Communion

**No. 12**

We will be serving traditional style communion. *Please allow the ushers to direct you.* We will begin with the back pews first and move forward. Individual cups of juice and gluten free bread will be served. Gifts left at the altar will be designated for the pastor’s discretionary fund.

## \*Hymn

**“Rescue the Perishing” ~ No. 591**

## \*Benediction

## Postlude

**“How Firm a Foundation” ~ Wagner**  
*Wanda Cooper, Organ*

*The rose on the altar is placed in honor of Mason Andrew Hobgood, born to Blair and Jenny Hobgood, on May 23, 2018.*

*Congratulations and best wishes to Steven Evans and Paige Normand  
who were united in marriage yesterday, June 2, 2018.*

\*Please stand as you are able.

## Sermon Notes:

There is no Children’s Church today in order for children to participate in Holy Communion with their family.

- 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 binder distributed by the ushers during the announcements.
  - If you need assistance during the service, please let one of the ushers know.

## Scripture for the Week

"In your book were written all the days that were formed for me, when none of them as yet existed. How weighty to me are your thoughts, O God! How vast is the sum of them! I try to count them—they are more than the sand; I come to the end—I am still with you." Psalm 139:16-18 (UM850)

### *This Week...*

#### SUNDAY, June 3

8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship (Sanctuary, Main Campus)  
9:45 a.m. Coffee Fellowship (Fellowship Hall, MC101, Main Campus)  
10:00 a.m. Discipleship Hour (Both Campuses)  
11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship (Sanctuary, Main Campus)  
Annual Conference begins (Frazier UMC, Montgomery, AL)

#### TUESDAY, June 5

9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Prodissee Pantry Open (9315 Spanish Fort Blvd.)  
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Vacation Bible School Workday (West Campus)  
Agape Hands return from Puppet Tour  
Annual Conference (Frazier UMC, Montgomery, AL)

#### WEDNESDAY, June 6

5:30 a.m. Men's Group (Fellowship Hall, Main Campus)  
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Vacation Bible School Workday (West Campus)  
3:30 p.m. Bread of Life ChristCare Group (WD101, West Campus)  
6:00 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (MB100, Main Campus)  
Annual Conference ends

#### THURSDAY, June 7

9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Vacation Bible School Workday (West Campus)  
1:00 p.m. Thirsty Thursday Bible Study (MC100, Main Campus)  
7:00 p.m. TLC ChristCare Group (MC100, Main Campus)

#### SATURDAY, June 9

8:00 a.m. United Methodist Men Breakfast (Fellowship Hall, MC101 Main Campus)  
Costa Rica Team I departs for Mission Trip

#### Upcoming Events

06/10 - Vacation Bible School Volunteer Orientation Meeting;  
3:30 p.m. (Sanctuary, Main Campus)  
06/10 - Remedy Youth Dinner; 5:30 p.m. (WC112, West Campus)  
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06/11 - 6/15 Vacation Bible School; 8:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.  
(West Campus)  
06/14 - Evangelism Team Meeting; 5:30 p.m. (WD102, West Campus)  
06/16 - 06/23 Costa Rica Second Team Trip  
06/17 - Vacation Bible School Celebration Sunday  
06/18 - 06/23 Revive 2018 (Blue Lake)  
06/18 - Sanctuary Renovation Begins  
**06/24 - Worship Services Begin on the West Campus**

#### UPDATE FROM FINANCE AS OF MAY 29, 2018 ...

Contributors: 149  
Monies received/pledged: \$119,481

**SANCTUARY  
Renovation Project**



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#### 2018 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IS READY FOR YOU!...

We are Shipwrecked! 2018 Volunteer registration is officially open! 150+ volunteers are needed to serve during the week of Vacation Bible School, **June 11-15**. Register your participation for Vacation Bible School online at [www.spanishfortumc.org](http://www.spanishfortumc.org). For more information or any questions, please contact Jennifer Robertson at [jrobertson@spanishfortumc.org](mailto:jrobertson@spanishfortumc.org).

#### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION ...

This is a mandatory meeting for all Vacation Bible School Volunteers. Volunteers will receive important information regarding the week ahead, as well as any materials needed for the week. We will meet in the Sanctuary, Sunday, **June 10th** at 3:30 p.m.

#### BLAST SUMMER CAMP...

Open to children completing grades 3rd - 5th. Camp will be at Blue Lake **July 23-28**. To register and get more information visit <https://www.bluelakecamp.com/elementary-camps.html>

#### SIGN-UP FOR SUMMER CAMP...

All Youth completing the 6th-8th grade may register for Drench Camp at Blue Lake, **July 23-28**. Cost is \$365.

Summer Revive at Blue Lake, **June 18-23** is open to all Youth completing the 7th-12th grades. Cost is \$365.

For more information and to register on-line, please visit our webpage at [www.spanishfortumc.org](http://www.spanishfortumc.org) or contact Zack or Paige in the church office, 251-626-1334.

#### UNIFORM CLOSET...

The Uniform Closet will be closed during May, June and July. Please help us replenish the Uniform Closet for the Fall. We are in need of CLEAN uniforms in GOOD condition, including sweatshirts, gym clothes, shirts, jackets, sweaters and back packs. Donations may be dropped off at the church office Monday - Thursday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Volunteers are also needed to help prepare and sort items prior to the Fall Uniform Open House. Please contact Jeff Comer at [jb.comer@gmail.com](mailto:jb.comer@gmail.com) to volunteer or if you have any questions.

#### WESLEY HERITAGE 2018 TOUR...

Rev. Rebecca Rutherford will be hosting a Wesley Heritage Tour to England this November. For more information, please visit: [http://www.eo.travelwithus.com/files/uploads/HE18\\_54437\\_Rutherford.pdf](http://www.eo.travelwithus.com/files/uploads/HE18_54437_Rutherford.pdf) or email Rev. Rebecca at [Rebecca@spanishfortumc.org](mailto:Rebecca@spanishfortumc.org). Registration and deposit due by July 23, 2018.

#### LAST WEEK'S ATTENDANCE ...

One Service: 361