

Broad Street United Methodist Church

July 13, 2025

5th Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome to the Broad Street United Methodist Church.

We are happy you are here today.

The order of worship is found in this bulletin.

*Indicates congregation stands, if able.

HYMN SING

Marsha Danser/Judy Schetler

GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Temaris

*CALL TO WORSHIP (read responsively)

Pastor Temaris

Children of God, are you listening? Have you noticed? God has planted seeds of hope among us.

We have heard of this hope!

Are you listening? Have you noticed? God nurtures hope among us, helping us bear the fruit of faithfulness in this world.

We seek this hope as we learn to live in faith.

Are you listening? Have you noticed? The hope of God's good news forms you to love one another with the love of Christ.

We cling to this hope as we grow in love of God, self, neighbor, and all creation.

Children of God, come! Come, let us worship God who graciously offers us the gift of hope.

Come, let us worship God who empowers us to put our hope into faithful and loving actions!

Written by Dr. Lisa Hancock, Discipleship Ministries, January 2025

*HYMN

We'll Understand It Better By and By (v. 1, 3, 4)

UMH 525

OPENING PRAYER (pray together)

Linda McCardell

Holy God, we come together to worship, a people who would like to think that we love you with all our hearts and souls, with all our might, but there are so many other things in our lives that clamor for our attention that we often relegate you to Sundays and times when we want you to rescue us.

We get bogged down in the daily routine. We forget who we are. We forget who you are. We forget what the church is supposed to be.

So here we are, gathered before you today, with our human foibles and our short attention spans, asking that you would make yourself known to us, that you would help us to recognize the presence of the Holy, that you would continue to challenge us, inspire us, and make us into the people you want us to be. Amen.

Adapted from Katie Cook, in Sacred Seasons, Pentecost/Ordinary Time 2000. Posted on Simple Living

WE LISTEN FOR THE WORD OF GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (pray responsively)

Leanna Danser

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word is proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today.

Amen.<https://www.caldwellpresby.org/>

*PSALTER READING

Psalm 82

UMH 804

Leanna Danser

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Colossians 1:1-14

Linda McCardell

MESSAGE

Rooting and Reaching: Living a Gospel-Centered Life

Pastor Temaris

HYMN

The Summons

TFWS 2130

WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS TO GOD

PRAYERS of the PEOPLE (pray responsively)

Linda McCardell

O Lord, hear our prayers:

Prayers for hope for those who feel hopeless

Prayers for healing for those who need healing

Prayers for jobs for those who are jobless

Prayers for community for those who feel lonely

Prayers for peace for those whose lives are filled with conflict.

Prayers for understanding for those seeking to be understood.

Prayers for comfort for those who grieve.

Prayers for food for those who hunger.

Prayers for shelter for those who are homeless.

Prayers for clean water for those whose waters are contaminated

Prayers for rain for those who live in drought.

Prayers for a time of drying for those who are facing too much rain.

Prayers for freedom for those who live under dictatorships.

Prayers for wisdom for our leaders.

Prayers for spiritual growth and health for our churches.

Prayers for your Kingdom to reign here on earth.**Amen.**

— written by Rev Abi, and posted on RevGalBlogPals blog.

Now let us pray for those dear to our hearts. We pray for _____

Lord, in your mercy,

hear our prayer. Amen.

WE OFFER OUR GIFTS TO GOD

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Pastor Temaris

OFFERTORY HYMN

There's A Spirit in the Air (v. 1, 2)

UMH 192

*DOXOLOGY

UMH 95

*OFFERTORY PRAYER

Pastor Temaris

WE SCATTER TO SERVE CHRIST IN THE WORLD

*HYMN

Lord Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing

UMH 671

*WORDS OF BLESSING

Pastor Temaris

CLOSING CHORUS

May You Run and Not Be Weary

TFWS 2281

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Please remember our families and friends in prayer

Evelyn Kraft, Carolyn Shinn, Bobbie Kroh, Bryon Wright, Travis Montone,
Zachary Montone, Dana Painter, Sue Graves, Jim Graves, Donna Walsh, Tootsie Wooters,
Linda Slater Meyer, Terry Ansel, Tony Hoffman, Linda Hoffman, Robert LaPaugh

Requests for inclusion on the prayer list, removal from the list, or to have a name
remain on the list longer than two weeks can be emailed to:

office@broadstumc.org or placed in the offering plate.

Please continue to pray for those on the prayer list in previous weeks.

**The bulletin today is dedicated in loving memory of Bob Danser
...loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, cousin, friend.
Bob's birthday was July 12.**

Reminder - Next week will be our monthly Noisy Coin collection to
support the Sunday School programs here at Broad Street UMC.