



Sharon United Methodist Church

Jeanne Murray, Certified Lay Minister

Sunday, June 9, 2024 – 11:00 AM

Bringing in the Light of Christ		Marshall Cherry
Words of Welcome and Announcements		Jeanne Murray
Opening Prayer		
Prelude		Anita Cotton
*Call to Worship		Mager Kirk
Leader: As we gather this morning to worship,		
People: <i>May we speak truth,</i>		
Leader: So that our words may give grace to those who hear.		
People: <i>May we pray in faith,</i>		
Leader: So that our words may give grace to those who hear.		
People: <i>May we sing with joy,</i>		
Leader: So that our words may give grace to those who hear.		
People: <i>May we listen with open minds and receptive hearts,</i>		
Leader: So that Your words may give grace to us who hear.		
*Hymn of Praise	“Worthy of Worship”	CH 153
Scripture Reading	Philippians 2:1-11	Mager Kirk
Children’s Message		
Sharing our Celebrations and Concerns		Sylvia Kirk
Pastoral Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer		
Anthem	“Be Still, My Soul”	Choir
Sharing our Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory		
*Doxology		
<i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him, all creatures here below.</i>		
<i>Praise Him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.</i>		
*Prayer of Thanksgiving		
*Hymn	“I Love to Tell the Story”	CH 444
Scripture Lesson	Acts 2:42-47; Acts 4:32-37	
Sermon	“God’s Family”	
*Closing Hymn	“They’ll Know We Are Christians”	CH 429
*Taking the Light of Christ into the World		
*Benediction		
*Sending Forth	“God Be with You”	On Screen/CH 232
*Postlude		Anita Cotton

(*) Please stand as you are able

CALENDAR OF EVENTS AND CELEBRATIONS

Sun. June 9	UMW Penny and a Prayer begins 9:45 am – Christian Journey Class 10:00 am – Bryan Morris Class 11:00 am – Worship (Jeanne Murray)
Tues. June 11	9:45 am – Currituck County Sheriff's Office K-9 Training (at SUMC)
Wed. June 12	11:30 am – Currituck Christian Women's Club (American Legion - Coinjock) Happy Anniversary to Jason & Diane Forbes
June 13-15	Annual Conference (Greenville, NC)
Thurs. June 13	7:30 am – Seekers Bible Study (Facilitated by Jeanne Murray) 6:00 pm – Choir Practice Happy Birthday to Mandy Williams
Fri. June 14	Happy Birthday to Iris Meekins Happy Anniversary to James & Elaine Guard
Sun. June 16	Father's Day UMW Penny and a Prayer continues 9:45 am – Christian Journey Class 10:00 am – Bryan Morris Class 11:00 am – Worship (Jeanne Murray)

WORSHIP TEAMS

JUNE 9

Acolyte: Marshall Cherry
Greeters: Jan Eanes & AB Donski
Worship Leader: Mager Kirk
Ushers: Patricia Leary & Bobbie Piper
Flowers: OPEN
Counters: Jan Eanes & Julie Cherry
Trustee: Marshall Cherry

JUNE 16

Acolyte: Jan Edgar
Greeters: Patricia Leary & Bobbie Piper
Worship Leader: Ken Elliott
Ushers: Sylvia Kirk & Deb Chambers
Flowers: OPEN
Counters: Jeanne Murray & Barbara Gadkowski
Trustee: Marshall Cherry

UPCOMING EVENTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **UMW "Penny and a Prayer" June 9 – July 14** – A Penny and a Prayer is an avenue of mission giving that is to put prayer back in our giving. The UMW invites everyone to take a container this Sunday (containers will be placed on the altar rail) or use a container of your choice and drop pennies or spare change in each time you pray, especially praying for our work as United Methodists in missions. All monies collected are sent directly to our District UMW to support missions. We will be doing our Penny and a Prayer from Sunday, June 9th through Sunday, July 14th and ask that you **return your filled container to the church no later than Sunday, July 14, 2024**. If you have any questions or to get a container please contact Cathy Forbes at 252-202-1952. Thank you for your support of United Methodist Women (UMW).
- **Currituck County Sheriff's Office K-9 Training, Tuesday, June 11, 9:45 am** – The Currituck County Sheriff's K-9 Unit has requested the use of our church facilities for K-9 training. A motion was made and approved at the last Church Council meeting to allow the use of our church facilities. They will use the Fellowship Hall, Learning Center and outside grounds. They have requested to use our facilities once a month for approximately an hour. The dates and times will vary, but each event will be included on our SUMC Google Calendar. Do not be concerned if you see several cars from the sheriff's department in our church yard once a month, they are just there for training purposes. Thank you for your support of the Currituck County Sheriff's K-9 Unit and allowing them to train on our church property.
- **Pastoral Care** – If you need pastoral care, please contact Jeanne Murray at 252-423-0851.
- **Recorded Worship Services** – Each week the recorded Worship Service is posted to our YouTube Channel. If you missed a service or would like to watch past services, you can visit our YouTube Channel at www.youtube.com/@sharonumcpoplarbranchnc9028.

FINANCES OF THE CHURCH

2024 Monthly Budget	Received Last Month (May)	Received Last Sunday
\$6,088.42	\$5,618.00	\$1,665.00