

Unity Presbyterian Church

Sunday, July 9, 2017
5th Sunday after Pentecost

Worship - Lighting of the Candles (quiet please)

Call to Worship – (From Psalm 51)

L. Create in me a clean heart, O God.

P. And put a new and right spirit within me.

L. Do not cast me away from your presence.

P. And do not take your holy spirit from me.

L. Restore to me the joy of your salvation.

P. And sustain in me a willing spirit.

All. O Lord, open my lips and my mouth will declare your praise.

Hymn: SH # 202

“Love Lifted Me”

Prayer of Confession (In Unison) O Lord, my God, you created the heavens and the earth, and create them still. New things come into being every second, but we confess that we are sometimes overwhelmed by all that is new to us. We crave familiarity, Lord. We like certainty. Or if we want a new adventure it is just for the sake of having and adventure, rather than for your sake. Forgive us Father. Teach us to hear your voice to us in those things that are new to us, and those that are familiar, for you are the Alpha and the Omega, Lord of all. (Continue in silent prayer). Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing the Peace

Our Life Together

**Those who are able may stand.*

Children’s Time

Congregational Anthem PH,

#525 “Here I am, Lord”

Hearing God’s Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Romans 7:15-25a

Sermon: “The I’s Have It.” Rev. Marguerite Serrine

Responding in Faith

*Hymn of Adoration- SH# 103

“Christ Arose”

*Apostles’ Creed

*Gloria Patri

Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

*The Doxology

*Hymn of Commitment- SH# 195

“Amazing Grace”

Charge and Benediction

*Choral Postlude

Our Life Together

Sunday School - 9:45 am & Worship - 11:00 am

A nursery is provided for infants through pre-k in the Fellowship Hall.

Offering last Sunday: \$1348.

Nursery today: Denay Haire

Next Sunday: Sylvia Smith

Church cleaning: Annette Williford & Tracey Gregory

Elder on Call for July: Rebecca O’Dell (910-890-2559)

Yard Maintenance July: Michael & Stacy Smith & Doug T.

Questions during the sermon? Text Marguerite at

(919) 796-3240 and she’ll try to answer during the sermon.

We greet you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! If you are a first-time visitor this morning, we are excited that you have come to worship with us! We hope that you have encountered the truth, love, and hope found in worshipping the triune God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. We would love to hear more about your journey to us. Please sign the visitor’s book in the vestibule and welcome!

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