

September 29, 2024

11:00 a.m.

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Entrance

Gathering *(As we gather to worship please greet those persons sitting around you.)*

Prelude *(Please use this time to prepare yourself for worship.)*

Abide with Me - arr. V. Johnson

I Worship You, Almighty God - arr. R.E. Schram

Jubilant Fanfare - K. McChesney

(The Handbell Choir)

Chiming of the Hour

Greetings and Welcome *(During this time please pass the pew notebooks.)*

Time of Centering Handbell Choir

O Love That Will Not Let Me Go - arr. L. Larson

Lighting of the Altar Candles

*Invocation

*Opening Hymn No. 2001

We Sing to You, O God

Proclamation

Old Testament Lesson Genesis 50:15-26

Special Music

He Is Exalted (No. 2070)

Honor and Praises (No. 2018)

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Gospel Lesson Matthew 2:7-15

Special Music

They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love (No. 2223)

Bind Us Together (No. 2226)

Response

Joys and Thanksgivings/Prayer Concerns

Silent Prayers/Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer *(please pray in unison)*

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.

Offering of Our Gifts

Offertory Chris Dodson, organ

Meditation - J. Barr

*Doxology *(sung in unison)*

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

praise him, all creatures here below;

praise him above, ye heavenly host;

praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

Sending Forth

Special Music

The Lily of the Valley (No. 2062)

I'll Fly Away (No. 2282)

*Closing Hymn

Christ Beside Me

No. 2166

*Pastoral Benediction

*Postlude

A Mighty Fortress - arr. P. Rodriguez

*please rise in body or in spirit

If you are looking for a church home in the Raleigh area we would love for you to become part of our church family here at Pleasant Grove. Please contact the church office for more information about church membership.

Today's worship service is being broadcast live on the internet and recorded for later viewing.

Weekly Prayer List

Concerns: Joan Cummings; Audrey Harrington; Brenda Cantu; Mike Crean; Heather Jerman; Dian Banker; John Cady; Robbie Stewart; Sandy & Jason Castleberry; Jim & Judy Neese; Cindy Hardy's mom; Purabi Dey's mom; Bill Krieski's mom; Heather Wilson's dad; Nikki Williams's mom; Kirk Pedersen's mom; Sandy Jennekens's mom; Mary Holroyd's daughter, Claire; Glen Bulloss's brother; Vickie McGee's brother, Jim; John McGlaughlin's brother, Jim; Purabi Dey's sister-in-law, Sumitra; Michele Baitsholts's brother, Anthony; Brenda Cantu's sister, Lillian; Jane & Dale Stokes's sister-in-law, Doris; Connie Dimitroff's uncle; Betty Pierce's niece, Donna; Jeff & Kristin Hoffmann's niece, Angie; Niki Speri's aunt; Virginia Benner's uncle, Chuck; Lucinda Sullivan's cousin, Martha; Elaine Guarnieri's cousin; Susan Paxton's cousin, Lori; Ellen Rogers's cousin, Wayne; Britt & Leah Milner's neighbor; Parker Knapp's friend, Katie.

This Week's Calendar

Today:

4:00 p.m. Children's Choir

4:30 p.m. Middle School & High School Youth Groups

4:30 p.m. Hand Bell Choir

Monday:

4:30 p.m. Great Minds

7:00 p.m. Bible Study

Tuesday:

5:30 p.m. Band Rehearsal

6:00 p.m. Congregational Care Committee

7:00 p.m. Board of Trustees

Wednesday:

10:00 a.m. Donuts & Devotions

6:00 p.m. Sewing Ministry

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday:

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

11:00 a.m. Sewing Ministry

11:15 a.m. Greek Class

Friday:

10:30 a.m. Friday Folders

Saturday:

9:00 a.m. Cantata Rehearsal

Weekly Announcements

Family Mission Nights at PGUMC are great for the entire family!

From 5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. dinner is served and children are involved in a special community outreach project. October's mission will benefit Habitat for Humanity! To register for the event on October 7, or to help out with cutting cardboard beforehand, please contact Ashley Yohman at ashley.yohman@pgumc.org.

The PGUMC Daytime Book Club will be reading *The Five Languages of Love* by Gary Chapman in October.

The group will meet on Wednesday, October 16, at 11:15 a.m. in the Hyder House to discuss the book and how we relate to others. Please join us for a lively discussion. Questions? Please contact Kathleen Mackie at akmackie1972@gmail.com.

Each year the North Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church hosts Pilgrimage, a life-changing weekend filled with amazing artists, thought-provoking speakers, and inspiring youth leadership – all for our youth!

Pleasant Grove invites any interested 7th-12th graders to attend! Pilgrimage is November 8-10 in Rocky Mount, NC. Registration is \$70 and can be done by e-mailing Ashley Yohman at ashley.yohman@pgumc.org by October 15.

Mark your calendars! Our next Blood Drive is scheduled for Tuesday, October 15, from 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Hyder House. If you'd like to sign up to donate blood, please see Karin Kasan in the Welcome Center before or after the 11:00 a.m. worship service today.

Want to provide flowers for the Sanctuary in memory/honor of a loved one or to celebrate a special event?

Sign up on the flower calendar located on the bulletin board outside the office area door. Once you've signed up, an email will be sent to you the week before your chosen Sunday with instructions for providing flowers. If you have questions, please contact Julie Lebria at julie.lebria@pgumc.org or call the church office.

Our online church directory provides contact information for members of our church family.

Please visit the directory via the "connect" tab on the church's website and make sure that your address and contact information are correct. You may also upload a current photo of you and your family. Thanks for helping us keep our directory up to date - it's a great way to stay connected!

Did you know?

Girl Scout Troop #921 worked with our Board of Trustees to install a "Free Little Pantry" in front of the Hyder House. The Free Little Pantry is part of a grassroots organization to address hunger on a local level and provides a resource for the community. If you would like to donate items for the pantry, a collection bin is located in the Education Building foyer (Fellowship Hall entrance). Items needed include dry cereal, canned soups, oatmeal packets, pasta, peanut butter, and rice.



Financials

(July 2024 - June 2025)

Giving Received Last Week: \$10,714.75
Giving Received YTD: \$160,188.00

Giving Needed Each Week: \$13,181.38
Giving Needed YTD: \$158,176.56

Church Ministry Team

Rev. Jay Minnick: Minister
jay.minnick@pgumc.org

Chris Dodson: Director of Worship Arts
chris.dodson@pgumc.org

Isaac Pyatt: Director of Contemporary Worship Arts
isaac.pyatt@pgumc.org

Ashley Yohman: Director of Children & Youth Ministries
ashley.yohman@pgumc.org

Deborah Horton: Volunteer Coordinator
deborah.horton@pgumc.org

Jill Boliek: Accompanist
jill.boliek@pgumc.org

William Holley: Media Specialist
william.holley@pgumc.org

Julie Lebria: Church Office Administrator
julie.lebria@pgumc.org

Warren Williams: Custodian
warren.williams@pgumc.org



Give to PGUMC Here!

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church

4415 Pleasant Grove Church Road
Office: 919-787-7763
Email: office@pgumc.org
www.pgumc.org



**WE EXIST TO BE THE
BODY OF CHRIST**

19th Sunday After Pentecost
September 29, 2024