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## February 9, 2025

## Embodying Jesus' All-Encompassing Hospitality

\*Please stand as you are able

#### 11:00 a.m.

## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

*Children's bulletins are available at each door for children to take upon entering the sanctuary and use during worship. Activity bags will be available during the Children's Moment. Please leave the bags in the pews after the service.* 

## GATHERING

## TOLLING OF THE HOUR

*The prelude marks a time of preparation for worship. Please be considerate of those who seek to use this time for prayer and reflection through the gift of music.* 

PRELUDE

"Retrospection"

Florence Price

INTROIT

"Lead Me, Lord"

Samuel Sebastian Wesley

Lead me, Lord, lead me in Thy righteousness, Make Thy way plain before my face. For it is Thou, Lord, Thou Lord only, That makes me dwell in safety.

*Lead me, Lord, lead me in true holiness, Teach me to love and trust in Thee. Thou art our God, the God of our salvation, All nations shall praise Thy Holy Name!* 

GREETING (responsive)

The Lord be with you.

## And also with you.

Let us take a moment of silence to center ourselves on God.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive)

God we are here;

**Quiet our bodies**, and open our hearts and minds. Bring us together as a community

Let us love each other as You love us.

Help us to know Your heart.

Help us to know and feel Your love. Amen.

## \*PRAYER OF THE DAY

\*HYMN NO. 403

"Open Now Thy Gates of Beauty" (words and music on next page)

UNSER HERRSCHER

#### INVITATION TO CONFESSION

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

O God, You who are truly merciful, forgive the world for its cruelty. Forgive us for being complicit in sin that hurts You, Your creation, other people, and ourselves. Help us to amend our ways. Write Your will upon our hearts and form our dreams with Your love, that we might become more faithful disciples of Jesus.

A brief silence for individual confession is kept.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (responsive)

Titus 3:5

In Jesus Christ God rescued us,

## Not because of any good works that we have done,

But according to God's mercy.

People of God, rejoice!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

#### Amen.

## \*GLORIA PATRI



## \*THE PEACE (responsive)

Since God has forgiven us in Christ, we also ought to forgive one another. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

## And also with you.

Please greet those around you with words and signs of God's reconciling peace.



## CHILDREN'S MOMENT

The children of the church gather at the baptismal font

#### CELEBRATION OF COMMUNITY

Please sign and pass the Friendship Registers

#### THE WORD

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

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GOSPEL LESSON The Gospel of the Lo <b>Praise to You, O (</b>		N.T. pg. 54
SERMON	"Going Fishing" Silent meditation on sermon	Rev. Amy Lehr Camp
*HYMN NO. 757	"Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples (words and music follow next page)	" KINGSFOLD

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (*unison*) Brief Statement of Faith, *Excerpt* (PCUSA) In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. We trust in Jesus Christ, fully human, fully God. Jesus proclaimed the reign of God: preaching good news to the poor and release to the captives, teaching by word and deed and blessing the children, healing the sick and binding up the brokenhearted, eating with outcasts, forgiving sinners, and calling all to repent and believe the gospel. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

#### THE LORD'S PRAYER (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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; 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

## Please use this time to reflect on how we might offer ourselves, and our resources, to God

Four ways to give: Please drop a check in the offering plate as you exit the sanctuary, mail a check to the church office, click the GIVE NOW button on our website, or text STAMPC to 73256

## OFFERTORY ANTHEM "In the Year that King Uzziah Died"

#### David McKinley Williams

In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw also the Lord sitting upon a throne, high and lifted up, and His train filled the temple. Above it stood the seraphim: each one had six wings, with twain He covered His face, with twain He covered his feet, and with twain He did fly. And one cried unto another, and said, Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts: the whole earth is full of His glory. And the posts of the door moved at the voice of Him that cried, and the house was filled with smoke. Then said I, Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts. Then flew one of the seraphim, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar: And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin is purged. Also I heard the voice of the Lord, saying, Whom shall I send, and who will go for us? Then said I, Here am I; send me.

\*DOXOLOGY

#### OLD HUNDREDTH

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.

(some substitute "God" for "Him")





\*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING (*responsive*) Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

## It is right to give our thanks and praise.

We praise You, God, for You are the Ruler of the world. We rejoice that Jesus has triumphed over all the powers of this world. We celebrate His victory in His life, death, resurrection, and ascension. By Your Spirit, claim our complete loyalty, and establish Christ's rule in our church and in every heart.

Amen.

## SENDING

*HYMN NO. 700	"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"	I'M GONNA LIVE
	(words and music on next page)	

\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*CHORAL RESPONSE

Danish Amen

## \*POSTLUDE

"Allegro Maestoso et vivace" from Sonata for Organ, Op. 65, no. 2 Felix Mendelssohn

\*Please stand as you are able

## Children's Worship Activity Bags: Please leave activity bags in the pews at the conclusion of the service

The Congregational meeting will take place following this service in the sanctuary.

## MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Called by Jesus Christ to love God, neighbor, and self by the power of the Holy Spirit

VISION STATEMENT Embodying Jesus' all-encompassing hospitality



## WORSHIP LEADERS

**Rev. Amy Lehr Camp, Parish Associate:** Greeting, Call to Worship, Prayer of the Day, Celebration of Community, Prayer for Illumination, Sermon, Charge and Benediction

**Rev. Dr. Hunter Camp, Pastor and Head of Staff:** Invitation to Confession, Prayer of Confession, Assurance of Pardon, The Peace, Gospel Lesson, Affirmation of Faith, Prayers of People, The Lord's Prayer, Offering, Prayer of Thanksgiving

## Matt Daniel, Director of Music and Organist

Children's Moment: Adam Broos

Lector: Jim Bullock

## MPC SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES February 9, 2025 9:30 – 10:30 a.m.

## Children's Sunday School: "The Prodigal Son"

- Preschool: Room 204 with Lindsey Nix
- K 1st: Room 209 with Beth Upchurch and Kimberly Budd
- 2nd 4th: Room 224 with Judy Robb and Keith Pyles

## Youth Sunday School:

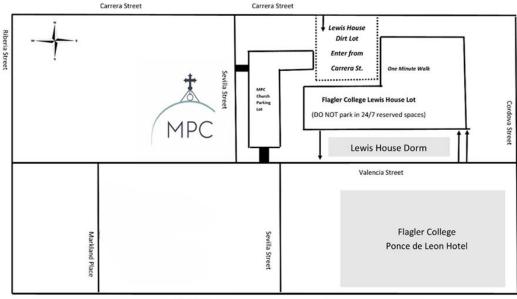
- 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>: Room 207, "The Prodigal Son"
- 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>: Youth Loft, "What Did Jesus Do Part 2"
- 9th 12th: No Sunday School

## Adult Sunday School:

- The Friendship Class (Dr. Proctor's Class): "Do You Understand the Bible?", Chapel History Room
- APEX Young(ish) Adults: "The Curious Love Language of Ted Lasso" with Molly Phelps, Lewis Hall
- Spiritual Formation: "The Curious Love Language of Ted Lasso" with Molly Phelps, Lewis Hall
- New Perspectives: "The Curious Love Language of Ted Lasso" with Molly Phelps, Lewis Hall
- Christian Meditation: "Meditation and Contemplative Prayer", Room 215 and via Zoom (hybrid format). Contact Marc Craddock for any questions at <u>marccraddock@mac.com</u>. Join Zoom Meeting: <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/371289063?pwd=NHdCdFU2THRUbVh4ZFpWTGsyR</u> <u>WV5UT09</u>; Meeting ID: 371 289 063; Passcode: 083593

## MPC SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE PARKING:

In addition to the MPC lot and street parking, you may park in the Flagler College Lewis House dorm parking lots. The Lewis lots are accessed via the Valencia Street and Carrera Street entrances. These lots are only available to Memorial on Sunday mornings. At times, Flagler is charging for public parking. Please let the attendant know you are attending Sunday Services at Memorial and they will not charge you.



King Street

#### MISSION & MINISTRY ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK 2-9-25

**The flowers in the chancel this morning** are given by Mary Alice and Paul Sapp to the glory of God and in loving memory of Ellen Bernadette Smith and Cecilia Simone Smith.

**Happy Birthday** to our members and friends celebrating birthdays this week, February 9 - 15: Nishanthi Andrews, Ellen Avery-Smith, Chip Brooks, George Bushong, Jessica Duncan, Scott Goedert, Claudia Hull, Amie Larizza, Jan Litchfield, Maggie Miller, Dan Pierce, Liisa Rowland, Stephanie Showalter, Griffin Smith, Maggie Starkey, Marsha Walkowicz, Mary Jean Watkins, Zoë Zeljko

**Annual Congregational Meeting:** The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held today following the 11:00 a.m. service. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

**No Lunch Today:** In light of the fact that there is a Congregational Meeting today after the 11:00 a.m. service, we will only offer Breakfast Cafe, no lunch.

**The Curious Love Language of Ted Lasso:** Join us today, 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. in Lewis Hall. Special Guest Molly Phelps will be leading us in a workshop. Utilizing Dr. Marshall Rosenburg's principles of Nonviolent Communication (NVC), participants in this seminar will learn the skills of empathetic listening and responding through the practice of the "Observations, Feelings, Needs and Requests" NVC model. Using clips from the award-winning television show, Ted Lasso, participants will learn how to practice the NVC art and love language of "Be Curious, Not Judgmental." Participants will also utilize their own communication challenges to reframe past conflicts using a NVC model grounded in empathy and connection. Dr. Marshall Rosenburg, the late founder of the Nonviolent

Communication method, successfully utilized NVC strategies in war torn places around the world, transforming the communities of Northern Ireland and Rwanda.

**FEAST Wednesday Night Dinner and Program:** Come to the church for dinner at 5:15 p.m. and programs (Children's Choir, Youth Lounge in the Loft, and Adult Program) at 6:00 p.m. It's a great opportunity to get to know your church family with a shared meal. The Nursery is available as well.

#### This Wednesday, February 12, 2025:

- Dinner at 5:15 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. "Marry Me Chicken." Cost is \$7.00/Adult and \$4.00/Child. Children's Meal: Chick-fil-A with side, sweet treat & bread.
- **Grab 'N Go Meals:** If you would like a Grab 'N Go meal, please text your order to Chef Cheryl at 240-285-3731 by 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday to pre-order. Pay at the front door of Lewis Hall.
- Program at 6:00 p.m., 2 options:
  - **"Jonah & the Whale, Chapter 2"**, Rev. Dr. Hunter Camp, Pastor and Head of Staff, Chapel
  - "Doing Life with Your Adult Children, Parenting Book Study", Pastor Amy and Terri Bailey, Room 218

**Grief Share:** Grief Share starts again on Thursday February 13 from 10:30 - 12:30 in LH parlor. We meet weekly for the next 13 weeks on Thursday mornings. Please join us.

**Meet One of Our Elders:** Susan Connor was raised as a member of Amherst Presbyterian Church in Amherst, VA. She began attending services at MPC shortly after moving to St. Augustine in 2005 and finding a spot for her then 4-year-old son Griffin at PDS, and officially joined the church in 2007. With a professional background in fundraising, she has served on the Stewardship Ministry team since 2009, and as chair since 2019. In addition to Stewardship, Susan has also served on Christian Education, where she directed VBS and taught Sunday School for many years. She also previously served as part of Outreach, coordinating Dining with Dignity, and on the Nominating Committee. Susan works at Flagler College as Director of Development & Foundation Relations, and is the proud mother of two



adult children--Bridget (20) and Griffin (23). She lives in St. Augustine Beach with her husband, Brendan and their pug, Reggie.

**Now on Sale MPC Cookbooks:** All delicious recipes, all contributed by current and past parishioners. These cookbooks can be purchased for just \$15. They will be on sale every Sunday during Café and Wednesday FEAST. Get yours today, Bon Appetit!

**Need Prayer?** Prayer Request Cards are in the pews. Feel free to fill one out and place in the offering plate as you leave Sunday services, or you can email <u>amycamp@memorialpcusa.org</u> for private prayer or <u>krissings@yahoo.com</u> for MPC's public prayer chain.

**Stephen Ministry:** Life is filled with many challenges. If you would like help in turning some of your challenges into opportunities of growth and faith, a Stephen Minister is ready to help you. Having someone to care, to listen, and to share God's love can help you to get through. For more information on receiving care please contact one of the Stephen Ministry Leaders: Kelly Fox - <u>kellymfox90@gmail.com</u>; Mike Nimitz - <u>mikenimitz-mpc@outlook.com</u>; Amy Camp <u>-</u> <u>amycamp@memorialpcusa.org</u>

**Garden Committee Volunteers:** As we approach the Spring season the Garden Committee is seeking new members. The Committee places flowers in the urns in the garden and alternates the watering duties, trims and keeps gardens clean and twice a year does general clean up. We keep an eye on the gardens and grounds to report any problems identified. If you are interested in keeping the campus looking attractive for our members and many visitors please contact Susan West, <u>susancarrolwest@gmail.com</u> or 540-840-1333.

**Al-Anon at MPC:** Tuesdays 10:00 a.m. and Saturdays 9:30 a.m. in Room 205. You will find love, understanding, and a lot of hope from the Al-Anon family groups, where we share our experience, strength and hope. This helps us focus on ourselves and our recovery from the effects of the disease of alcoholism. It's a safe place, the right place to be. Your anonymity is protected at all times.

We are a Matthew 25 Congregation: For more information about what that means for MPC, contact Barbara Alford, Chairperson of our Session's Peacemaking Committee, <u>babs50@gmail.com</u> or Tom Eyerly, Matthew 25 Point Person: <u>tom@eyerly.org</u>. Visit this website for more information: <u>https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/matthew-25/</u>.

ARE YOU STRUGGLING? You are not alone. Call the church office 904-829-6451 and make an appointment with one of our pastors.

**Church Officers:** Are you curious about our Elders, Deacons, and Trustees---who they are and the capacities in which they serve? If so, please check out the page on our church website called "Church Officers." It can be found under the "About" tab at <u>memorialpcusa.org</u>. We're thankful for all of our leaders who have been called to serve as church officers!

**Who is my Deacon?** If you are a member of MPC and do not know who your deacon is (and would like to know who your deacon is), please contact Priscilla Durkin, Parish Associate at <u>pdurkin@memorialpcusa.org</u> or 910 894-3216.

#### Please Remember in Prayer or Correspondence:

Bayview: Bill and Verna Bacon; The Haven at Regency Point, Rainbow City, AL: Eileen Coleman; Moultrie Creek: Barbara Michael; Riverside Cottages: Carolyn Smith; Wellington Place of Brentwood, Brentwood, TN: Sue Holder

> **Recovering at Home:** Vickie Gard, Betsy Haynes, Bob Mullen

#### Our Military Personnel Serving Overseas and at Home:

Private 1<sup>st</sup> Class, Jackson Arthur Sharpe, serving at Ft. Hood, TX; Air National Guardsman Medic, John David Sessums, serving on the Medical Team with the National Guard; Sgt. Max Worthington deployed to Washington DC with his FL National Guard Unit

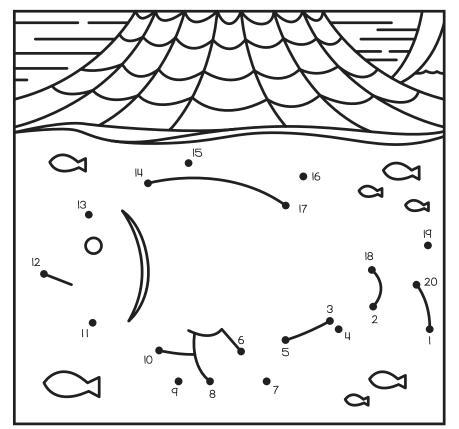


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		CHURCH CALENDAR
Sun. 2-9-25	8:30 and 11:00 8:30 am 9:30 am 9:30 am 11:00 am 11:45 am 12:00 pm 5:00 pm 5:30 pm	Souper Bowl of Caring Worship Service (Children's Choir Sings) Sunday School (Dr. Proctor's Class starts at 9:40) Flagler Youth Ministry Forum Special Speaker – Lewis Hall Worship Service (also Live-Streamed on Facebook Live and the church website) Annual Meeting of the Congregation – Sanctuary Peacemaking Committee – Room 205 Youth Group – LH & Youth Loft Seekers Group Study – Zoom
Mon. 2-10-25	10:00 am 11:00 am 3:30 – 8:00 pm 4:00 pm 4:45 pm 7:00 pm 7:00 pm	Garden Club – LH Mary Circle/PW Meeting – LH Parlor Sacred Music Academy – Rooms 204, 205, 207, 215, 218, Nursery, Choir Room Outreach Committee Meeting – Zoom & LH Parlor Trustees Meeting – Zoom Homeless Coalition Dining with Dignity – 62 Chapin Street Admin/Finance – Zoom Youth Committee - Zoom
Tues. 2-11-25	10:00 am 5:30 – 9:00 pm	Al-Anon Meeting – Room 205 SACC Rehearsal - LH
Wed. 2-12-25	10:00 am 2:30 pm 4:00 pm 4:00 pm 5:15 – 7:00 pm 6:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Gentle Easy Outdoor Yoga Stephen Ministers Training – Room 205 Handbell Choir – Room 211 Ukirk – College – LH FEAST Dinner (LH) and Program (Chapel or Room 218) Confirmation Class – Room 205 Children's Choir Rehearsals – Rooms 224 and 215 Adult Choir Rehearsal – Choir Room
Thurs. 2-13-25	8:30 am 10:30 am 6:30 pm	Sew and Sow – LH Upper Landing Grief Share – LH Parlor Laurel Circle, email Kris Kelly for address (krissings@yahoo.com)
Fri. 2-14-25	11:00 – 3:30 3:15 pm	HS Mission Trip – Youth with Bus Sanctuary Open for Tours Home Again St. Johns Dining with Dignity – 285 S Holmes Blvd
Sat. 2-15-25	9:00 am 9:30 am	HS Mission Trip – Youth with Bus Beginners Al-Anon – Room 205 Al-Anon – Room 205

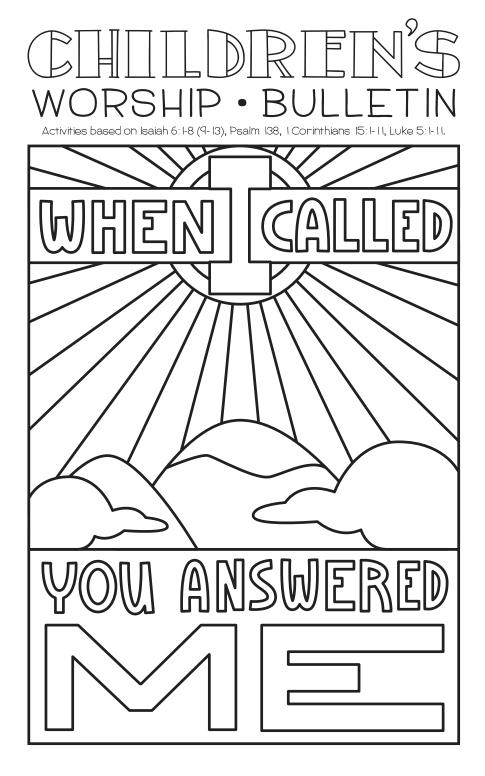
## CONNECThe

In Luke 5, the disciples have been fishing all night but haven't caught any fish. Jesus tells them to try again, dropping their nets on the other side of the boat. When they do, their nets become overflowing with fish! **Connect the dots to finish the scene**!





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# (WORD) SEARCH

Try to find the words from Psalm 138 in the word search below. Words may go diagonal, up OR down and forward OR backward.

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When Isaiah sees God sitting on God's throne, what does God ask Isaiah? And what does Isaiah answer?

GOD:

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LIWLOGRFOSU?
ISAIAH:
RHEETMA' DESN EM
DODLE AREA Draw a picture of someone you want to pray for.