

**South Hill United Methodist Church**  
**September 27, 2020**  
**11:00 am**



CHILDREN'S TIME

MESSAGE

*Strike the Rock*

Rev. Brian D. Siegle

**RESPONSE**

PRAYER

(Laura Jaquith Bartlett)

**God of compassion, you alone can show us true healing. We pray today for wholeness of body and soul. Our challenges and obstacles differ from person to person, but each of us is in need of your healing. We offer our burdens and our brokenness to you, knowing that you offer us abundant grace, free and unconditional. Let your love enter our hearts so that we might be renewed, restored, reenergized for joyful service in you name. Amen.**

CONCERNS, CELEBRATIONS, AND TESTIMONIES

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE LORD'S PRAYER

UMH 895

**SENDING FORTH**

\*HYMN

*Trust and Obey*

UMH 467

\*BENEDICTION

\*FOLLOWING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

\*POSTLUDE

*I Love Thy Kingdom Lord*

arr. Noble

\*Those who are able, please stand

## Exodus 17: 1 - 7

The whole Israelite community broke camp and set out from the Sin desert to continue their journey, as the Lord commanded. They set up their camp at Rephidim, but there was no water for the people to drink. 2 The people argued with Moses and said, "Give us water to drink."

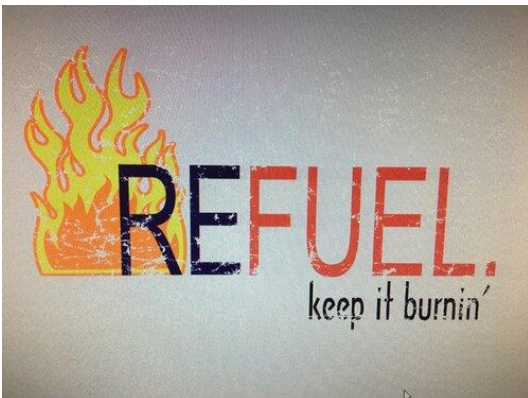
Moses said to them, "Why are you arguing with me? Why are you testing the Lord?"

3 But the people were very thirsty for water there, and they complained to Moses, "Why did you bring us out of Egypt to kill us, our children, and our livestock with thirst?"

4 So Moses cried out to the Lord, "What should I do with this people? They are getting ready to stone me."

5 The Lord said to Moses, "Go on ahead of the people, and take some of Israel's elders with you. Take in your hand the shepherd's rod that you used to strike the Nile River, and go. 6 I'll be standing there in front of you on the rock at Horeb. Hit the rock. Water will come out of it, and the people will be able to drink." Moses did so while Israel's elders watched. 7 He called the place Massah and Meribah, because the Israelites argued with and tested the Lord, asking, "Is the Lord really with us or not?"

## Notes:



### **Camp Refuel Youth Retreat**

October 23-25 More information and how to register can be found here: <https://www.lightthenight.net/refuel>  
Deadline to register is October 11<sup>th</sup>.

## This Week at South Hill UMC

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| <b>Today:</b>     | 8:45 am  | In-person Worship in Chapel   |
|                   | 11:00 am | In-person & Online Worship in Sanctuary   |
|                   | 5:00 pm  | Youth Meeting High School Grades 9 – 12<br>at Angie's House 1060 W. High Street |
| <b>Tuesday:</b>   | 7:30 pm  | Synago  |
| <b>Wednesday:</b> | 8:00 pm  | AA Group  |
| <b>Friday:</b>    | 7:00 pm  | AA Group  |
| <b>Saturday:</b>  | 8 – 3    | Upper Room Sale   |

Next Week's Sermon:

Matthew 21: 33 - 46

*That I May Gain Christ*

## Coming Events:

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| October 4 <sup>th</sup>                     | World Communion Sunday<br>Youth Meeting Middle School Grades at 5:00 pm |
| October 7 <sup>th</sup>                     | Staff Parish Meeting via Zoom 7 pm                                      |
| October 11 <sup>th</sup>                    | Youth Meeting High School Grades 5:00 pm                                |
| October 18 <sup>th</sup>                    | Laity Sunday<br>Youth Meeting Middle School Grades 6 – 8 at 5:00 pm     |
| October 23 <sup>rd</sup> – 25 <sup>th</sup> | Camp Refuel – Youth Retreat   |
| October 25 <sup>th</sup>                    | Youth Meeting High School Grades 5:00 pm                                |
| November 14 <sup>th</sup>                   | Conference Palooza 9:30 am via Zoom                                     |

## Reminder:

We are still limited regarding in-person meetings, but if your group would like to begin meeting again, submit a plan to church for our restart committee to review.

**Please note that social distancing to be defined as 6 feet between individuals as advised by the CDC when in a group setting**

## Notes of Interest



**CONFERENCE PALOOZA (District Conference and Charge Conference) November 14, 9:30 AM by ZOOM.** Every church/charge must have officers (laity) and their pastor in attendance. If not, it is not an official charge conference for you. Please plan now to be in attendance.

**The 2020 Lay Servant Academy** will be held via Zoom on Saturday, November 14, 9 am to 4 pm. Three courses are being offered: I Love to Tell the Story, Older Adult Ministries, and Online Worship. Each course costs \$30. Registration may be found at <https://na.eventscloud.com/lsa>



**September Special Offering - The Bread Box** is a non-profit organization that helps supplement the food needs of those in the South Hill Area. Give as you feel led.

**October Special Offering - World Communion Sunday**  
The World Communion Sunday offering funds graduate racial-ethnic World Communion Scholarships, with at least one-half of the annual amount reserved for ministries beyond the United States. Donations also provide for undergraduate U.S. Ethnic Scholarship and Ethnic In-Service Training programs.



**UMCOR is asking for your help, today.** UMCOR is providing assistance to people impacted by natural disasters of all kinds but the pandemic and related economic conditions have led to a significant decrease in gifts that limits our ability to help those who need it most, when they need it most. Please consider a gift to UMCOR, today.

***When you are watching our livestream services,  
please kindly use the comment section to let us know  
how many are watching with you.***

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### Church Office Hours This Week

Monday –Thursday: 8:30 – 4:00

Office phone: 434-447-4761



*Welcome to a time of praise and worship of the Lord our God!  
Let us fill his house with songs of praise and feast upon his word. We especially  
welcome every visitor today. We are very glad you came!*

This Week's Worship Team

Liturgist: Gary Creamer  
Teller: Amelia Poythress  
Music Director/Organist: Jimmie Crowder, Jr.  
Worship Technicians: Jake & Libbie Calhoun  
Bishop: Sharma D. Lewis  
District Superintendent: Denise P. Bates

**Known Prayer Concerns:            Members**

Deepest sympathy is extended to the family of Robert Gray. Condolences are also extended to the families of Edward Lee "Ed" Clary and Kristen Martin.

**Chase City:** John & Judy Turchetta            **Harmony:** Dan Wilson            **Hundley Center:** Jo Carol Cole  
**Jamestown:** Norene Pritchett            **Pineview:** Ann Nichols            **Spring Arbor:** Helen Boswell  
**Petersburg Home for Ladies:** Marjorie Grammer            **Missionaries:** Guthrie Family & Annie Judd  
**Henrico Doctors' Hospital:** George Pearson

**Home:**

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|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------|
| Shirley Carrillo           | Maxine Crowder     | Evelyn Lambert             |
| Kimberly Carroll           | Jennifer Cox Davis | Jerry & Sarah Reynolds     |
| Rick & Sue Carroll         | Herbert Farrar     | Roger Tanner               |
| Brenda Child               | Ann Gauchat        | Herbert & Deborah Tuck     |
| Paul, Nancy & Peggy Conner | Lynn Haskins       | Martin & Shirley Wetherbee |
| Mary Coulter               | Billy Judd         | Dylan Willis               |

**Family & Friends:**

|                     |                           |                  |
|---------------------|---------------------------|------------------|
| Carmela Clary       | Hope Zincone              | Heather Kemp     |
| Christopher Brack   | New School Year           | Linda Montgomery |
| Tony Kim            | Students/Teachers/Parents | Judi C. Newman   |
| Dewayne Tyndell     | Our Leaders & Our Nation  | Marsha R. Smith  |
| COVID – 19 Pandemic | Transformation at SHUMC   | Old Church UMC   |

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