Prayer and Care List

Please pray for those who are homebound, sick and grieving: *At home*: Liz & Vann Johnson, Aubrey Roane, Anne Eastes,

Harriet Heath

Churchland House: Ed Heath
Lake Prince Woods: Sarah Brown
Mayfair House: Mary Alice Thomasson

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Calendar

August 5 7pm Southside Band Rehearsal 10am Leadership Board Meeting 5pm Wednesday Night Dinner August 8 4:45pm Girl Scout Meeting



August 3, 2025

8th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 a.m.

J. Akmond

ENTRANCE

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude Trumpet Tune

*Call to Worship

God says, "Everyone who thirsts, come to the waters. *Come, you who have no money. Come, buy and eat!"*We have come to feast on the living bread, that we might minister to the world's hungers.

We have come to drink from the waters of life, that we might minister to the world's thirst.

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be filled. Let us worship God, the Source of every blessing.

Hymn To God be the Glory Hymnal #98

Prayer of Confession

God of us all, if we carry the name Christian, we are signs of your presence. Yet we confess that we sometimes hurt people through our pride, rather than showing the way to healing waters of your Spirit. When we are discouraged ourselves, we

are unable to be signs of joy or hope or good news. Forgive us, and give us grace to be earthly reminders of your love. Amen.

Scripture Lesson Hebrews 13:1-2, Galatians 3:25-29

Offertory

Anthem I Will Sing New Songs of Gladness A. Dvorak

Miles Pifer, choral scholar soloist

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Sermon Love Your Neighbor, Love Your Community-Hospitality

Morning Prayers

SING Make Me a Servant 2176
Make me a servant, humble and meek,
Lord let me lift up those who are weak.
And may the prayer of my heart always be.
Make me a servant, make me a servant
Make me a servant today.

Prayer Silence

The Lord's Prayer

SING

*Hymn Come Share the Lord TFWS#2269

Service of Holy Communion

*Hymn Blest Be the Tie that Binds Hymnal #557

Benediction

*Postlude Fanfare and Processional D. Wagner

Congregational Offering- July 27, 2025

Received: \$3,440.00

Miscellaneous Income	\$100.00
Use of Bldg & Facilities	\$400.00
TOTAL GIVING FOR 7/27/2025	

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today's Vol. and Health & Safety Team Assignments:

Vol.1, S. Tarkenton check-in; Vol. 2, J. Epperson (R1) greeter at Chapel entry door; Vol. 3, B. Richardson (R2) greeter at Dinwiddie Street door/Acolyte; Vol. 4, R. Epperson (R3), Addnl. H&S Resp.

Wednesday Night Dinners: 5p.m; Setup: 4:30 p.m.

Leadership Board Meeting – Wednesday, August 6, 10am – 12pm.

Sunday, August 10th- Reminder that worship will be at Court Street Baptist Church.

Attic Sale – Saturday, August 16th, 9-2pm in the Fellowship Hall. We are now accepting items you wish to donate.

^{*}Please stand if you are able.