

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, Pat Spear

Churchland House: Ed Heath

Lake Prince Woods: Sarah Brown, Milt Brown

Mayfair House: Mary Alice Thomasson

Clergy and Staff

Pastor	Rev. Dr. H. Celeste Heath
Liturgist	Rev. Ellen Comstock
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Calendar

October 21	7pm Southside Band Rehearsal
October 22	5pm Wednesday Night Dinner
October 23	12:30pm Violin Lessons 6pm Handbell Rehearsal 7:15pm Choir Rehearsal
October 24	6pm Girl Scout Meeting

Monumental

United Methodist Church

October 19, 2025

19th Sunday after Pentecost

11:00 a.m.

ENTRANCE

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude *Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us* *S. Eithun*
Monumental Ringers

Introit *I Will Enter His Gates* *L. Brethorst*

***Call to Worship** *Psalm 25:1-11*

Hymn *Called as Partners in Christ's Service* *(See Insert)*

Opening Prayer

Dear God, for the day you have given us, with all its possibilities, we thank you. For your gifts of life and love, of labor and rest, we praise your holy name. Forgive us that too often we are unappreciative while your goodness surrounds us; that we feel alone when there are many who love us; that we despair when your strength is near at hand. Tear down the walls that isolate us, make strong the ties that bind us, and help us to walk together with joy in all your ways; through the grace of Jesus Christ and the power of your Spirit. Amen.

Scripture Lesson *Romans 12:1-2, Luke 12:16-21*

Offertory

Anthem *He Will Hold Me Fast* *Getty/Fetke*

Doxology *page 94*

***Hymn** *Seek Ye First* *Hymnal #405*

Sermon *The World's Oldest Financial Planner*
Tom Long, Jocelyn Sulka, Susan Jung

Morning Prayers

SING

Give thanks with a grateful heart, Give thanks to the Holy One,
Give thanks because he's given Jesus Christ, his son, Give
thanks.

Prayer

Silence

The Lord's Prayer

SING

***Hymn** *I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me* *TFWS #2153*

Benediction

***Postlude** *Improvisation on We've a Story to Tell to the Nations*
C. Titko

***Please stand if you are able.**

Congregational Offering- October 12, 2025

Received: \$2776.00

Use of Bldg & Facilities (Parking).....	\$1020.00
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TOTAL GIVING FOR 10/12/2025.....\$3,79600

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Vol.1, W. Roane (R2) check-in; Vol. 2, D. Roane (R1) greeter at Chapel entry door; Vol. 3, R. Scott, 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.

Please check the **Caring Ministry** white board to see who may need a call, card or visit. Reach out to a church member to let them know you care.

NoonDay Concert- Monday, October 27th at 12 noon featuring the Norcom High School Choral Ensemble. A \$5.00 lunch to follow in the Fellowship Hall.

We welcome **Friends of the Groom** to our worship today. We will be blessed by the nationally know Christian Theater Company. Be sure to return this afternoon at 4pm for a program they will present. Bring a friend!

Invite your friends to worship with us online. The service is on our website and on YouTube.