

Welcome to

**CHAMBLEE FIRST UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**

JOYFUL
a lenten journey

February 21, 2021

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Order of Worship

Welcome

Rev. Stacey Rushing

Call to Worship

Isaiah 43: 19-21

Mr. Dennis Muzahuzi

LET US WORSHIP GOD, WHO HAS DONE GREAT THINGS.
**WE REJOICE IN OUR GOD, WHO MADE A WAY
THROUGH THE DESERT OF THIS WORLD.**

LET US WORSHIP GOD,
WHO HAS CAUSED STREAMS OF MERCY
TO FLOW IN THE WASTELAND.
**WE ARE THE PEOPLE GOD HAS FORMED THROUGH CHRIST;
WE WORSHIP HIM, AND WE REJOICE!**

LET US WORSHIP GOD IN SPIRIT AND IN TRUTH.
**WE PRAISE GOD FOR THE GRACE THAT HAS SAVED US.
ALLELUIA! WE REJOICE!**

Prelude

Little Fugue in g minor
Mr. Bill Callaway, organist

Bach

Hymn

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

UMH269

1. LORD, WHO THROUGHOUT THESE FORTY DAYS FOR US DID FAST AND PRAY,
TEACH US TO OVERCOME OUR SINS, AND CLOSE BY YOU TO STAY.

4. AND THROUGH THESE DAYS OF PENITENCE, AND THROUGH YOUR PASSION-TIDE,
FOR EVERMORE, IN LIFE AND DEATH, O LORD, WITH US ABIDE.

5. ABIDE WITH US THAT, WHEN THIS LIFE OF SUFFERING IS PAST,
AN EASTER OF UNENDING JOY WE MAY ATTAIN AT LAST!

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer..... **Mr. Muzahuzi**

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

Offertory..... **Eventide**..... **Barbee**
Mr. Allen Barbee and 8th Grade Students from St. Martin's Episcopal School

Scripture Reading..... **Philippians 1:1-11**..... **Miss. Rachel Mikesell**

Sermon..... **Rev. Lee**

Hymn..... **This is My Father's World**..... **UMH 144**

1. THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD, AND TO MY LISTENING EARS ALL NATURE SINGS, AND ROUND ME RINGS
THE MUSIC OF THE SPHERES. THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD: I REST ME IN THE THOUGHT
OF ROCKS AND TREES, OF SKIES AND SEAS; HIS HAND THE WONDERS WROUGHT.

3. THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD. O LET ME NE'ER FORGET THAT THOUGH THE WRONG SEEMS OFT SO STRONG,
GOD IS THE RULER YET. THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD: WHY SHOULD MY HEART BE SAD?
THE LORD IS KING; LET THE HEAVENS RING! GOD REIGNS; LET THE EARTH BE GLAD!

Benediction..... **Rev. Rushing**

Prayer Requests

Our Members:

Barbara Olds at home, determining right meds
Celia Snyder moving to an assisted living facility closer to family in March
Susan Burdick recovering from a fall at St. Joseph's.
Betty Skinner at home, having lung problems
Carl and Sherl Baggett recovering at home from COVID
Sally (Sara) Strickland at Northside
Ann & Neb Shearouse moved to a new facility, 8480 Roswell Rd. Apt 213 Summit 2 Sandy Springs, GA 30350
Hill Latham at home
Jonathan Carter son of Sarah and Josh, recovering at home
Joann Gibson issues with asthma and migraines
Penny Rose treatments

Our Loved Ones:

Caroline Williams, wife of former pastor, Joe (1984-85)
Perriez McIntosh fiancé of Tiffany Brown in ICU at Northside
Shelda Myers Sister-in-law of Marcia Myers
Drew Ridgeway grandson of Robear Stumpe; he is 17
Candace Kortovich at home recovering from hand surgery
Darryl Van Duser father of Brad
Ben Wright brother-in-law of Jean Mims
Melissa Mitchell cousin of Kathryn Rodriguez
Darlene Lauth twin sister of Denise Berry
B.J. Austin sister of Fran Dickey
Chris Brannon son of Kathy Brannon
Loretta Butler Aunt of Dana Jenkins
Jeannine Wright friend of Dana Jenkins
John and Barbara Berry uncle of Denise Berry
Valerie Engler future daughter-in-law of Steve Anderson
Martha Stevens friend of Holly Swing
Judy Johnson sister of Susan Montgomery
Allison Dunten Daughter-in-law of Dale and Sharon Dunten
James Nierodzik Father-in-law of Amy Nierodzik, Tom and Marsha Jones' daughter
Otis Farmer friend of Ross Glover
John and Mary Williams Denise Berry's daughter Sydney's in-laws
Ila Nichols daughter-in-law of Dean Nichols
Betty and Jean Connell sisters of Eleanor Wilson
Leslie Tiller friend of Dawn Powell and teacher at Huntley Hills
Chet Jameson brother of Andy Jameson
Will McDaniel cousin of Andy Jameson
Stephen Padgett friend of Kim Brown
Ren Davis friend of Marvin Brown
Bob Crosby father of Andy Crosby
Sarah Davenport friend of Holly Swing

Congratulations to:

Sarah and Kevin Kirkley on the birth of their daughter, Palmer Louise on February 17.
She weighs 8 lbs. 9oz. and is 20in. long.
Ian and Taylor Reagan on the birth of Molly Clark on January 7.
She weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz. and everyone is doing well.

Sympathy to:

The family of Estelle McClure, mother of Duke Scott, who passed away on 2/14.
The family of Mary Drum, grandmother of Mary Thornton, who passed away on 2/7.
The family of Madeline Irvin, twin sister of Betty Skinner, who passed away on 12/30.

Classes/Group

Adults The Bridge, Faith, Journey and Fellowship classes have taken their Sunday morning gatherings online through Zoom. Classes meet each Sunday at 10:00a. If you would like to connect to an adult class, please contact Pastor Stacey (srushing@chambleeumc.org)

ROMEO+ (Retired Old Men Eating Outside plus) Breakfast Grab your food, beverage and chair and join the breakfast on Feb 12th at 8:00 am under the CMK portico. We meet the 2nd Thursday of every month. For more information, contact Les Hammond.

In person Youth services are back! 6th-12th grade students are invited to attend our Sunday Youth service. Things to know: time – 12:30-2:30, place – outdoor amphitheater (good weather) or kindergarten portico (rainy weather), safety - masks required and socially distanced, food - bring your own lunch, clothes – dress warm and wear closed-toe shoes! We hope you will join us!

If you would like your class's/group's gathering added to this list, please email details to communications@chambleeumc.org.

Events

Youth Game Night | February 21: 6-8pm – All youth are invited for a safe, in-person, night of games and fun. Come meet Dennis if you haven't yet!

2021 Lenten Study – We are all invited to connect with each other during Lent by sharing in a common reading (Because of This I Rejoice by Max O. Vincent) that will also be the focus of our sermons for the season. Sunday school classes will be discussing each week and there will be opportunities for those not currently in a Sunday School class to engage as well – including exciting new online offerings. You can order books through the church by emailing Pastor Stacey. The cost is \$14 and you can pay by check or online at ChambleeUMC.org/give and select "Adult Bible Study Reimb."

Grow Day Camp | June 21–25 – will be at Chamblee UMC this summer and is currently open for registration. Camp will be held at the church June 21–25 and will be a full-day camp for rising 1st through 6th graders. Grow Day Camps puts 90+ years of experience into creating an environment for children to grow deeper roots in their faith, in their ability to work as a team, and in their self-confidence as a loved child of God. If you are interested, visit growdaycamps.org and click Register on the top right.

Grief Support Group – With so many loved ones passing away over the last year and a half and no way to have proper funerals, we wanted to let you know about an opportunity for you to share your grief with others. Dr. Stan Hibbs, a licensed psychologist (and husband of one of our beloved CMK teachers who passed away a few years ago,) leads a Grief Support group every Wednesday evening from 7:00 - 8:15 p.m. currently via Zoom. This is an ecumenical group that is open and free to anyone who would like to join. If you (or anyone you know grieving the loss of a loved one) would like to be a part of this group, please contact Linda King (lking@chambleeumc.org) to get connected with Stan for all the necessary information.

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