

# Sermon Notes:



May 12, 2024

- Song— “Indescribable”
- Welcome & Announcements
- Call to Worship
- Children’s Message
- Prayer Time & Lord’s Prayer
- Offering
- Song—”How Great Is Our God”
- Scripture Lessons — Psalm 1; John 17: 6-19
- Message — Being One in Christ
- Song— “Holding on to You”
- Benediction
- Out to Discipleship and Into the World to Serve



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We send an email newsletter with upcoming events, meeting reminders, birthdays & anniversaries each week. If you would like to be added to our email list, please email Martha Brown ([office@stjamesraleigh.org](mailto:office@stjamesraleigh.org)).



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## Welcome to St. James United Methodist Church!

We are so glad that you have come to worship God today! If you are visiting today, please take a moment to fill out a visitor card (found on the worship table), and return it to the offering basket or one of the greeters.

We have a nursery available for infants through age 4. A greeter will be glad to direct you. Children are always welcome to stay and participate in worship!

Today's Greeters: Tony & Sandra Horton  
 Today's Sound/PowerPoint Operators: Matoka Snuggs / Tucker Thorpe

Next Week's Greeters: Tom, Stephanie, Ross & Blake Wilson  
 Next Week's Sound/PowerPoint Operator: Paulo DeOliveira

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT ST JAMES?

**Communion Servers Orientation & Training moved to Tomorrow Night:** The Worship Team is offering Communion Servers training Monday, May 13, at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. If you have ever considered being a part of this important ministry but weren't sure if there are any special qualifications or had questions about how to serve, or even if you currently are a communion server but would like a refresher course, please attend this session to answer all your questions. Feel free to join us in the sanctuary tomorrow evening if you're interested in serving. If you have any questions about the training, don't hesitate to contact Pastor Dan or Worship Team Chair Linda Davenport.

**Take me out to the ballgame!** Please join the St James UMC Social Committee at the ballpark. We're heading out to Five County Stadium again for a Carolina Mudcats game! Only a few more opportunities before the team moves to Wilson. This year will be a Sunday afternoon. If you'd like to attend, please complete [this form](#) for tickets or reach out to Keith Walkowiak ([ktwalkowiak@gmail.com](mailto:ktwalkowiak@gmail.com)). **The deadline to order tickets at the group rate is Sunday, May 19th.**

WHAT: Carolina Mudcats vs Delmarva Shorebirds

WHEN: Sunday, June 2nd @ 1:00PM

WHERE: Five County Stadium

DETAILS: Ticket: \$7/person (all ages), Parking: \$7/car

**Graduate Information Needed:** St. James will celebrate our graduates from high school, technical school, community college, college or grad school on Sunday, June 2. Graduates are invited to wear their caps and gowns to worship, and we will list names and information in the bulletins and weekly email. So we can prepare, if you would like your graduate to be recognized, please fill in the requested information at <https://tinyurl.com/GradRecogInfo> by Sunday, May 26.

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		<b>Calendar this week:</b>
TODAY, 5/12	9:15AM	Common Thread contemporary worship in Carson Hall
	10AM	Discipleship Hour throughout campus
	11AM	Traditional worship in the Sanctuary
	7PM	NA in Saints Hall
Mon, 5/13	10:30AM	<b>Isaiah Bible Study in Room 12</b>
	5PM	<b>Board of Elections Set-Up in Carson Hall</b>
	6:30PM	GS Troop #4331 in Montague Hall
	7PM	<b>Communion Servers Training in Sanctuary</b>
Tues, 5/14	6:30AM	<b>Run-Off Primary Election in Carson Hall</b>
	9AM	Library Committee in the Library
	12:30PM	Staff Meeting in the Office
	6PM	GS Troop 733 in Montague Hall
	7PM	<b>Isaiah Bible Study in the Library</b>
Wed, 5/15	11:30AM	Coffee & Conversation at Red Bowl Asian Bistro, 6360 Plantation Center Drive, Raleigh
	7PM	Choir Rehearsal in the Sanctuary
Thurs, 5/16	6:15pM	New Hope Strummers in Music Room
	7PM	CT Band Practice in Carson Hall
Fri, 5/17	9PM	Bread Ministry in the Kitchen
Sat, 5/18	10AM	GS Troop 1042 in Montague Hall
	9PM	Bread Ministry in the Kitchen
Sun, 5/19	9:15AM	Common Thread contemporary worship in Carson Hall
	10AM	Discipleship Hour throughout campus
	11AM	Traditional worship in the Sanctuary
	3PM	<b>Finance Committee in Room 12</b>
	4PM	<b>Administrative Council in Carson Hall</b>
	4PM	St. James UMY in Montague Hall

**Mark your calendars for June 9 for Safe Sanctuary Training:** The Safe Sanctuary Committee will host a Lunch and Learn on June 9 in Carson Hall following the 11:00 Worship Service. The training is targeted for all members of the St. James Congregation, and is required training for anyone who works with children, youth, or vulnerable adults. Please RSVP to [office@stjamesraleigh.org](mailto:office@stjamesraleigh.org) if you will be joining us for lunch. A training packet will be available to those who are not able to attend.