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July 7, 2024 10:00 AM Combined Service As a family of faith, we come to rest in Jesus' presence, sing God's praises and be strengthened by the Holy Spirit, our Counselor. Welcome!

# Prelude

Call to Worship				
Leader: Jesus calls us to believe the good news of salvation.				
People: His grace is sufficient for us.				
Leader: Let us enter into God's new realm rejoicing,				
People: not in our own strength, but in the power of the Holy Spirit.				
ALL: Let us worship God.				
Welcome	Stephanie Wilson			
Order for the Celebration of an Appointment Insert				
Hymn – "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" UMH 384				

Sharing the Peace of Christ

### Prayer Time and Lord's Prayer

(Please use the prayer cards in the pews to share your prayer concerns. You may place prayer cards in the prayer box near the altar rail.)

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.

Offering	
Doxology	<i>UMH</i> 95
Scripture Reading – Psalm 48	NRSV pew Bible, p. 490 (OT)
Anthem	Sanctuary Choir
Gospel Reading – Mark 6: 1-13	NRSV pew Bible, pp. 38 (NT)
Message – Getting to Know You	Pastor Amanda Bunce
Holy Communion	<i>UMH</i> p.8

# Hymn – "Now Thank We All Our God"

#### UMH 102

### Blessing & Sending Out to Serve in the World

The flowers in worship today are given to the glory of God by the St. James congregation in honor of Rev. Amanda Bunce. Welcome to the St. James family, Pastor Amanda!

> Today's Greeters: Robert & Donna Mohn Today's Sound System Operator: Mike Lamar

Next Week's CT Greeters: Amy Biggers & Peggy Biggers Next Week's CT Sound/PowerPoint Operator: Matoka Snuggs

Next Week's SW Greeters: Anne Canady & Judy Lassiter Next Week's SW Operator: Matoka Snuggs

We have a nursery available for infants through age 4. An usher will be glad to direct you. We always welcome children of all ages to join us in worship.

If you are visiting us today, welcome! Please take a moment to fill out a visitor card, found in the pew holders, and return it to the offering plate or one of the ushers/greeters. Thank you for worshipping with us at St. James today!



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).

Scan this code to give your offering online!



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	Calendar this week:
TODAY, 7/7	Welcome, Pastor Amanda!
	Combined Worship, 10AM in the Sanctuary
	SJ Youth, 4PM in Montague Hall
Tues, 7/9	Library Committee, 9AM in the Library
	Staff Meeting, 12:30PM in the Office
Wed, 7/10	Choir Rehearsal, 7PM in the Sanctuary
Thurs, 7/11	New Hope Strummers, 6:15PM in the Music Room
	CT Band Practice, 7PM in Carson Hall
Fri, 7/12	Bread Ministry, 9PM in the Kitchen
Sat, 7/13	Bread Ministry, 9PM in the Kitchen
Sun, 7/14	Youth ASP Team leaves at 8AM
	Common Thread contemporary worship, 9:15AM in Carson Hall
	Discipleship Hour, 10AM throughout campus
	Sanctuary traditional worship, 11AM in the Sanctuary
	Board of Trustees, 4PM in Room 12

# What to know this week...

**From Children's Ministries:** The K-5 Sunday School class will take a break for the summer and not meet in July and August. We will start back in September with children attending their new age-level class (preschool, K-5 or Youth.)

Also, we need a teaching partner for one of our K-5 Sunday School teaching teams. If you are interested in joining a teaching team, please contact Heather Johnson at <u>heather@exit9b.com</u>. Teaching teams usually teach 2 months out of the year (ex. September & May). Thank you!

**Life Line Screening** will return to St. James on Thursday, July 18! Life Line Screening is the nation's leading provider of preventive health screenings, and they offer a package of four screenings to identify risks for stroke, heart condition, and other chronic conditions. Screenings are non-invasive and take 60-90 minutes to complete. Register by calling 1-888-653-6450 or by visiting <u>https://LLSA.social/HC</u> online.