

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND GREETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Mike Luster
Carolyn Norris

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

“God Is Here Today” 2049

God is here today; as certain as the air I breathe, as certain as the morning sun that rises, as certain when I sing you’ll hear my song.

OPENING PRAYER

***A TIME TO SING**

“How Great Thou Art” 77

Verse 1

O Lord my God! when I in awesome wonder consider all the worlds thy hands have made. I see the stars; I hear the rolling thunder, thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Refrain:

Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; how great thou art, how great thou art! Then sings my soul, my Savior God, to thee; How great thou art, How great thou art!

Verse 4

When Christ shall come, with shout of acclamation and take me home, what joy shall fill my heart. Then I shall bow, in humble adoration, and then proclaim: "My God, how great thou art!"

Refrain

“He Touched Me” 367

Verse 1

Shackled by a heavy burden, neath a load of guilt and shame, then the hand of Jesus touched me, and now I am no longer the same.

Refrain:

He touched me, O he touched me, and O the joy that floods my soul! Something happened and now I know, he touched me and made me whole.

Verse 2

Since I met this blessed Savior, since he cleansed and made me whole, I will never cease to praise him; I’ll shout it while eternity rolls.

Refrain

“The Apostles’ Creed” 881

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***DOXOLOGY**

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

JOYS, CONCERNS AND CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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. Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

ANTHEM “The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power”

***SCRIPTURE READING James 1:17-27**

MOMENT OF REFLECTION

**SERMON “Reflecting, Directing, Perfecting”
Rev. Brian Coplin**

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT**

“Trust and Obey” 467

Verse 1

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way! While we do his good will, he abides with us still and with all who will trust and obey.

Refrain:

Trust and obey, for there’s no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

Verse 2

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil he doth richly repay; not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey,

Refrain

Verse 4

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet, or we’ll walk by his side in the way; what he says we will do, where he sends we will go; never fear, only trust and obey.

Refrain

BENEDICTION “Trust and Obey” 467

Refrain:

Trust and obey, for there’s no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

POSTLUDE

PRAYER CONCERNS

If you have a prayer request, please share it during our Joys & Concerns or fill out a prayer request card and place it in the Offering plate. If you have a request during the week: please contact the church office 256-3632.

In the evenings or on weekends call our Pastor, Rev. Brian Coplin He may be reached on his cell phone:318-614-5050 or send an e-mail: rev.coplin@gmail.com Please note we will remove names at the end of the month, you will need to call the office to put a name back on the list.

Donna Ammons
Family of Andrew Biggs (friend of Mike & Brenda Hii)

Sandra Bishop (Diann Migliore's mom)
Family of June Booker
I.D. & Betty Bostian
Carrie Broussard
Cindy Wright Calhoon
(Patsy McCormick's sister)
Beverley Carlson (Chris Nolen's sister)
Our New pastor and family
Brian, Monica, Jack & Anna Claire Coplin
Evelyn Dees (Billie Lou Luster's aunt)
Bonnie Duck
Charles Enterkin
Jason Fluitt (Vicki Simpson's son-in-law)
Ken & Mary Ellen Freeman
Seth Freeman

Family of Virginia Fremaux
Tanina Fusiler (John Migliore's sister)
Carolyn Gates
Susan Giblin
John & Betsy Godfrey
Ron Graves
John Hoagland
Grace Kelsey
Becky Lafitte
Ashley Lee
Shirley Lee

Patsy McCormick
Corporal Aaron McGrew
(Virginia & Eugene's grandson)
George & Bonnie Fox Miles
Elizabeth Mitchell
Dena Sue Moore
Louise Moore
John Norris
Garland Peterson
Daniel & Cheryl Procell
Bart Rumsey
Janice Rike
Nancy Spiller
Kevin Troquille
Lloyd Waters (Laurie Gentry's cousin)

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, August 29

8:30 a.m. - Coffee Time - FLC
9:00 a.m. - Sunday School
10:00 a.m. - Worship in Sanctuary
11:10 a. m. - Outside Worship
10:00 p.m. - Education Meeting

Tuesday, August 31

12:00 p.m. - Lion's Club

Wednesday, September 1

5:30 -Youth & Children
6:00 p.m. - Practice for Skit
7:00 p.m. - Choir Practice

Thursday, September 2

9:30 a.m. - UMW



Nursery care is provided for children 5 years and younger at the bottom of the front stairway. There is also a "cry room" at the back of the sanctuary. Please be aware that, for safety' sake, all external doors are locked after the worship service has begun. So, if you need to leave and re-enter the building, please do so through the double glass doors in the Narthex where the ushers can assist you.

August Nursery Volunteers

August 1 - Elizabeth Pickett
August 8 - Carolyn Dove
August 15- Vicki Isgitt
August 22 - Mary Ellen Freeman
August 29 - Cathy Troquille

WAYS TO GIVE

Give your tithes & offerings during worship services.

You may send by mail to FUMC P.O. Box 1210 Many, La. 71449

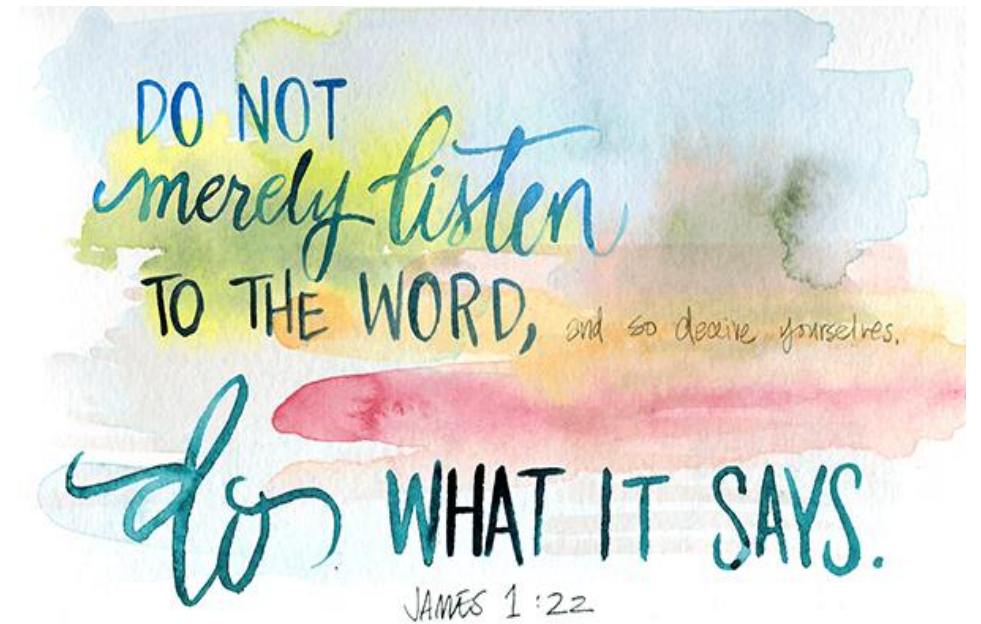
We now have the option to give through **TEXT TO GIVE**

Text #22525 then put in code FUMCM

You may also go to the church website fumc-many.com

Please call the church office for more information 318-256-3632

Taking donations for food pantry.



First United Methodist Church

Many, Louisiana

FOURTEENTH Sunday

after Pentecost

August 29, 2021

Pastor:	Rev. Brian Coplin
Minister Emeritus:	Rev. Ray Spiller
Choir Director:	Carole Troha
Accompanist:	Patsy McCormick
Organist:	Gail Thomas

Website: fumc-many.com

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Our Mission
To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world