

Jacksons Grove United Methodist Church of Landrum

6TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

9:30 AM

JULY 16, 2017

PRELUDE

Ms. Susan Davis, Pianist

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Mike Bowers, Pastor

INVOCATION

Rev. Bowers

GATHERING HYMN

The Church in the Wildwood

Cokesbury # 121

HYMN

Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise

UM Hymnal # 103

THE APOSTLES' CREED

Traditional version

**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.

** Universal*

RESPONSIVE READING

from Psalm 25

UM Hymnal # 756

MORNING PRAYERS:

Rev. Bowers

Silent Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN AND YOUTH

OFFERTORY AND DOXOLOGY

The Ushers and Congregation

HYMN

Surely the Presence

UM Hymnal # 328

SCRIPTURE LESSONS

Genesis 25:19-34 (p20)

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Romans 8:1-11 (p147)

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GOSPEL READING

Matthew 13:1-9, 18-23 (p13)

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SERMON

Against All Odds

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PARTING HYMN

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Cokesbury # 122

BENEDICTION

Rev. Bowers

POSTLUDE

Ms. Davis

A cordial welcome is extended to all who visit with us today! It is a delight to be able to worship with you! Come back soon and often. If we can help you in any way, please let us know.

The flowers on the altar today are dedicated to the Glory of God and provided by Steve and Jo Quatannens in celebration of their grand-nephew, Mason Nazionale's birthday.

***Got an idea? Need a suggestion? Want to get involved? Just want to talk?
Facing a challenge? The person below is eager to listen!***

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DO ALL THE GOOD YOU CAN,
BY ALL THE MEANS YOU CAN,
IN ALL THE WAYS YOU CAN,
IN ALL THE PLACES YOU CAN,
AT ALL THE TIMES YOU CAN,
TO ALL THE PEOPLE YOU CAN,
AS LONG AS EVER YOU CAN.

~ JOHN WESLEY