Church Theme: The Church That Jesus Built Is Many Members, But Only One Body.

Scripture Reference: 1 Corinthians 12:12 & St. Matthew 16:18

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CHURCH AIM: "LORD MAKE US ONE" St. John 17:11

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#### Order of Worship

Sunday Church School	9:00 a.m.–10:45 a.m.
Processional	Choir
Devotion	Deacons
Selection	Choir
Responsive Reading	Minister
Altar Prayer	
Selection	
Benevolent Offering	
Fellowship Time	
Announcements	
Pastoral Period	
Selection	Choir
Tithes and Offering	Deacons
Courtesies	
Hymn of the Church	Congregation
Morning Sermon	Pastor Charles J. Stewart
Invitation to Discipleship	
Benediction"Let the Church Say	

## Special Announcements and Upcoming Events for the Month of August 2025

# ~Highlight~ Baptism & Communion Sunday

August 3<sup>rd</sup> - Baptism & Communion

August 9<sup>th</sup> - Pastor's 15<sup>th</sup> Year Appreciation &

Retirement Celebration @ 1:00 P.M. At the

Berkeley Country Club

August 10<sup>th</sup> - Youth Ushers Penny Drive

August 10<sup>th</sup> - Mid- Year Business Meeting

immediately following morning service

August 17<sup>th</sup> - Pastor's 15<sup>th</sup> Year Anniversary

#### From the Pastor's Desk

- . Auxiliary Presidents should train other officers.
- Auxiliaries should review the Church Doctrine once a month.
- . No gum chewing or cell phone use in the sanctuary.
- Any auxiliary planning an outside event under the name of St. Luke MBC should inform Pastor Stewart one month prior to the event. Your proposal must be in writing.

#### **Upcoming August Events**

September 7<sup>th</sup> - Baptism & Communion September 14<sup>th</sup> – Youth Usher Penny Drive **September** 

#### **Securing the Church**

July - Rev. Michael Mercadal August – Dec. Doug Jones September – Dec. Ronald Johnson

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Happy Birthday to all August Members!

# Prayer Makes a Difference. Pray Without Ceasing. 1 Thessalonians 5:17



#### **Prayer List**

Pastor Charles J. Stewart & Family Mother's Board
Mother Otheree Green
Mother Gloria Nealey
Mother Elizabeth Walker
Mother Ruthie Patterson
Mother Sylvia Brackens
Mother Ruby Rapp
Mother Mary Wade
Mother Martha Bell
Mother Lessie Rout
Mother Barbara Lewis
Mother Lillie Tate
Mother Maxine Finley

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#### RESPONSIVE READING August 3, 2025 Matthew 26:20-30

Leader: (20) Now when the even was come, he sat down with the twelve.

**Congregation: (21)** And as they did eat, he said, Verily I say unto you, that one of you shall betray me.

**Leader: (22)** And they were exceeding sorrowful, and began every one of them to say unto him, Lord, is it I?

**Congregation: (23)** And he answered and said, He that dippeth his hand with me in the dish, the same shall betray me.

**Leader: (24)** The Son of man goeth as it is written of him: but woe unto that man by whom the Son of man is betrayed! it had been good for that man if he had not been born.

**Congregation: (25)** Then Judas, which betrayed him, answered and said, Master, is it !? He said unto him, Thou hast said.

**Leader: (26)** And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, and blessed it, and brake it, and gave it to the disciples, and said, Take, eat; this is my body.

**Congregation: (27)** And he took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, Drink ye all of it;

**Leader: (28)** For this is my blood of the new testament, which is shed for many for the remission of sins.

**Congregation: (29)** But I say unto you, I will not drink henceforth of this fruit of the vine, until that day when I drink it new with you in my Father's kingdom.

**All: (30)** And when they had sung an hymn, they went out into the mount of Olives.

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#### Responsive Reading August 10, 2025 1 John 4:1-11

**Leader: (1)** Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world.

**Congregation: (2)** Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God:

**Leader: (3)** And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.

**Congregation: (4)** Ye are of God, little children, and have overcome them: because greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world.

**Leader: (5)** They are of the world: therefore speak they of the world, and the world heareth them.

**Congregation:** (6) We are of God: he that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. Hereby know we the spirit of truth, and the spirit of error.

**Leader: (7)** Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God.

**Congregation: (8)** He that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love.

**Leader: (9)** In this was manifested the love of God toward us, because that God sent his only begotten Son into the world, that we might live through him.

**Congregation:** (10) Herein is love, not that we loved God, but that he loved us, and sent his Son to be the propitiation for our sins.

All: (11) Beloved, if God so loved us, we ought also to love one another.

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#### RESPONSIVE READING August 17, 2025 Ephesians 6:1-9

Leader: (1) Children, obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right.

**Congregation: (2)** Honour thy father and mother; which is the first commandment with promise;

**Leader: (3)** That it may be well with thee, and thou mayest live long on the earth.

**Congregation: (4)** And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord.

**Leader: (5)** Servants, be obedient to them that are your masters according to the flesh, with fear and trembling, in singleness of your heart, as unto Christ;

**Congregation: (6)** Not with eyeservice, as menpleasers; but as the servants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart;

**Leader: (7)** With good will doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men:

**Congregation: (8)** Knowing that whatsoever good thing any man doeth, the same shall he receive of the Lord, whether he be bond or free.

**Leader: (9)** And, ye masters, do the same things unto them, forbearing threatening: knowing that your Master also is in heaven; neither is there respect of persons with him.

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#### **RESPONSIVE READING**

August 24, 2025 Proverbs 8:1-14

**Leader: (1)** Doth not wisdom cry? and understanding put forth her voice?

**Congregation: (2)** She standeth in the top of high places, by the way in the places of the paths.

**Leader: (3)** She crieth at the gates, at the entry of the city, at the coming in at the doors.

**Congregation:** (4) Unto you, O men, I call; and my voice is to the sons of man.

**Leader: (5)** O ye simple, understand wisdom: and, ye fools, be ye of an understanding heart.

**Congregation: (6)** Hear; for I will speak of excellent things; and the opening of my lips shall be right things.

**Leader: (7)** For my mouth shall speak truth; and wickedness is an abomination to my lips.

**Congregation: (8)** All the words of my mouth are in righteousness; there is nothing froward or perverse in them.

**Leader: (9)** They are all plain to him that understandeth, and right to them that find knowledge.

**Congregation: (10)** Receive my instruction, and not silver; and knowledge rather than choice gold.

**Leader: (11)** For wisdom is better than rubies; and all the things that may be desired are not to be compared to it.

**Congregation: (12)** I wisdom dwell with prudence, and find out knowledge of witty inventions.

**Leader: (13)** The fear of the LORD is to hate evil: pride, and arrogancy, and the evil way, and the froward mouth, do I hate.

All: (14) Counsel is mine, and sound wisdom: I am understanding; I have strength.

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# RESPONSIVE READING August 31, 2025 Revelation 21:1-8

**Leader:** (1) And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea.

**Congregation:** (2) And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

**Leader:** (3) And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God.

**Congregation:** (4) And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.

**Leader:** (5) And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And he said unto me, Write: for these words are true and faithful.

Congregation: (6) And he said unto me, It is done. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.

**Leader:** (7) He that overcometh shall inherit all things; and I will be his God, and he shall be my son.

All: (8) But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death.

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