

The people of

# Hinton Avenue

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Seek Christ, Serve Christ, Share Christ  
in Belmont and Beyond

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November 22, 2020 - 11:00 am  
**Christ the King Sunday**

*The Season after Pentecost begins the day after Pentecost and ends the day before the First Sunday of Advent. It is also called "Ordinary" time, not in the sense of "business as usual" but rather because the Sundays are numbered as in "ordinals." It may include twenty-three to twenty-eight Sundays depending on the date of Easter, but the first Sunday is always Trinity Sunday, and the last Sunday is always Christ the King Sunday, a celebration of the eternal reign of Christ.*

## Call to Worship

The Lord God is our shepherd.

**We are the people of God's pasture, the sheep of God's hand.**

God will seek the lost, feed the hungry, and strengthen the weak.

**But the proud and power-hungry will be fed with justice.**

## Hymn

O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing (1, 2, 3, & 7)

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## Opening Prayer

**God of majesty, you love us with an everlasting love and show us the way to justice and peace. In Jesus Christ you have reconciled the whole world to you and claimed us as your own, that we may live as his body on earth and, with all the saints, enter into your glory on the last day. Amen.**

## First Reading

Psalms 100

## Second Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24

## Sermon

*Shepherd of the Saints*

## \*Hymn

The King of Love My Shepherd Is

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## Prayers of the People

### 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. 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, the power and the glory, for ever. Amen**

## Invitation To The Offering

## PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING/DEDICATION

### Offertory

Total Praise

Chancel Choir, Elizabeth Scribner, Director, 2020

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

## \*Hymn

Rejoice the Lord is King

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## \*Dismissal with Blessing

**Praying for One Another  
November 22, 2020**

At Home

Betty Paine  
Alice Heimberg  
Donald Allen  
Bob & Mary Lambert  
William "Bill" Giannini (husband of Alice)  
Tom Goodman  
Lorraine Williams  
Sonny Mawyer  
Lovell & Edith Coleman  
Lieu Lewis  
Kathy Miller  
John Holmes

At Heritage Inn

Dot Collier

At Rosewood Village

Charlotte Blincoe

Joanne Burruss  
Frances Walton  
John Burke  
Harvey & Mabel Brown  
Charles & Ruth Bankard  
Neil McLaughlin  
Kathy Brown  
Debbie Stollings  
Vicki Shiflett  
John Wilkinson  
Barbara Ruddy

At The Laurels

W.E. Pittman  
Barbara Bradshaw

**We prayerfully ask that you sustain your generosity so that Hinton Avenue can continue to be a blessing to others.**

You may want to consider making your offerings to the church through a **periodic automatic draft from your bank account**, as many members have already done. This relieves you of writing and mailing a check (banks will mail it free of charge for you) and assures the church of your ongoing support, even on those times when you cannot be with us in Sunday worship. You may also give via **PayPal** by using the "donate" buttons at [www.hintonavenueumc.org](http://www.hintonavenueumc.org) or on our FaceBook page.

**Thanksgiving Offering for the 2020 Charlottesville UMC District virtual food drive, "Foodies for Christ," and PACEM.**

We are once again partnering with Belmont Baptist Church to host the PACEM Women's Shelter. This year, PACEM staff will be staying in place of volunteers. We are asked to donate \$120, which will fund pre-packaged meals that will be delivered to shelter guests. We are also joining the District's virtual food drive in support of Blue Ridge Area Food Bank, which orders pallets and truck loads of food at one time, from sources all over the eastern seaboard. For every \$1 provided directly to the Blue Ridge Area Food Bank. They will provide 4 meals; \$5 provides 20 meals. The District goal is \$4000. Please make your checks payable to Hinton Avenue UMC marked "Thanksgiving Offering."

**Advent Services** – Even though we stay at home, our expectation is eager as ever. Prepare for the Coming Messiah with our Zoom Services for Advent and Christmas.

**Nov. 29 – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent**

**Dec. 6 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

**Dec. 13 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

**Dec. 20 – 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent**

**Dec. 24<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Eve**

**Hanging of the Greens**

**The Clean-Up Crew**

**Lessons & Carols**

**Christmas Cantata**

**At-Home Communion, 6pm**

**Advent Bible Study – Tuesdays at 7 pm starting Dec. 1st.** Sent: Delivering the Gift of Hope at Christmas by Jorge Acevedo, Justin LaRosa, Jacob Armstrong, Rachel Billups, Lanecia Rouse (Available from Cokesbury.com and Amazon.com - \$9.99)

*As you sent me into the world, so I have sent them . . .* —John 17:18

God sent Christ into the world as our Savior. That's what Christmas is all about. In turn, Christ sends us into the world. But do we really understand how, where, and why we are sent? This five-week, churchwide Advent study challenges us through story, art, and Bible study to discover what it means to be Christ's hands, feet, head, and heart.

Join Zoom Meeting <https://bit.ly/3nMnKqy>

or dial **1 (646)876-9923** and enter Meeting ID: **837 7789 7735** # then Passcode: **935874**

**Yard Signs** inviting folks to join us online for worship and study are available for those willing to put them out. Signs read **"Home for the Christmas? Join us online [www.hintonavenueumc.org](http://www.hintonavenueumc.org)"** with a festive holly theme. Call, text, or email Robert to request yours today!

**Charge Conference documents**, including next year's budget and list of officers, is available on the church website.

## **It is important that we remain gathered in spirit Join us by computer, mobile device, or telephone.**

### **Virtual Choir Wednesdays 6:30 – 8 pm**

To join the Zoom meeting, visit <https://bit.ly/3bRQRTE>  
or dial **1 (646)876-9923** and enter Meeting ID: **494 767 0409 #**  
**Password: 862611**

### **Sunday School Sundays 9:45-10:30 am**

To join the Zoom meeting, visit <https://bit.ly/341reOZ>  
or dial **1 (646)876-9923** and enter Meeting ID: **883 7890 0974 #**  
**Password: 388015**

### **You can join us for Worship on Sundays at 11 am**

To join the Zoom meeting, visit <https://bit.ly/2JAKOGW>  
or dial **1 (646)876-9923** and enter Meeting ID: **142 714 820 #**  
**Password: 436770**

Or view on Facebook Live: [www.facebook.com/hintonaveumc/live](http://www.facebook.com/hintonaveumc/live)

#### **Joining a meeting by phone only**

- 1. Dial 1 (646)876-9923.**
- You will be prompted to **enter the meeting ID** - the nine (9) digit ID provided to you by the host, **followed by #**.
- If the meeting has not already started and join before host is not enabled, you will be prompted to enter the host key to start the meeting, or to **press #** to wait if you are participant.
- You will be prompted to enter your unique participant ID. **Press # to skip.**

#### **Phone controls for participants**

The following commands can be entered via DTMF tones using your phone's dial pad while in a Zoom meeting:

- \*6 - Toggle mute/unmute
- \*9 - Raise hand