



*There's a Place for You!*

*Sunday, October 4, 2009*

***WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY***

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***18th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST***  
***Sunday, October 4, 2009***  
10:00 AM  
***World Communion Sunday***

Liturgical Color  
**Green**

**ENTRANCE and PRAISE**

THE GATHERING

Linda Charlton

ANNOUNCEMENTS & WELCOME

GREETING

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

**P: And also with you.**

L: The risen Christ is with us.

**P: Praise the Lord!**

OPENING PRAISE

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”

Hymn #139

OPENING PRAYER

LITANY FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

*Let us ask the Lord to strengthen in all Christian faith in Christ, the Savior of the world.*

**Listen to us, O Lord.**

*Let us ask the Lord to sustain and guide Christians with his gifts along the way to full unity.*

**Listen to us, O Lord.**

*Let us ask the Lord for the gift of unity and peace for the world.*

**Listen to us, O Lord.**

*Let us pray...*

***All: We ask you, O Lord, for the gifts of your Spirit. Enable us to penetrate the depth of the whole truth, and grant that we may share with others the goods you have put at our disposal. Teach us to overcome divisions. Send us your Spirit to lead to full unity, your sons and daughters in full charity, in obedience to your will; through Christ our Lord. Amen.***

GLORIA PATRI UMH #70  
*“Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning,  
is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.”*

CHILDREN’S PRAISE “I’m So Glad, Jesus Lifted Me” Children’s Choir

SOLO “My Father’s Heart” Robin Porter

### PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

HYMN OF PREPARATION “We Meet You, O Christ” Sanctuary Choir

GOSPEL LESSON Mark 1: 16 - 20

SERMON **“When the Tides No Longer Matter”** Rev. Dwayne Craig

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION UMH #12

OFFERTORY “Let Us Break Bread Together” Sanctuary Choir

DOXOLOGY UMH #94  
*“Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below:  
Alleluia, Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power  
uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!”*

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION UMH #13

### SCATTERING INTO THE WORLD

CLOSING HYMN “In Christ There is No East or West” Hymn #548

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION RESPONSE IN SONG  
*Because He lives, I can face tomorrow; because He lives, all fear is gone;  
Because I know He holds the future, And life is worth the living just because He lives.*

POSTLUDE PRAISE Linda Charlton

**Worship Attendance for 9/27/09**

**STEWARDSHIP**

<b>Service 10:00 am</b>	<b>243</b>	2009 Operating Budget	\$665,517
<b>Sunday School - 8:45am</b>	<b>60</b>	2009 Operating Budget YTD	\$499,138
		2009 Contributions to date	\$422,161
<b>Worship Attendance 9/20/09</b>	<b>261</b>	<b>Over/under operating YTD</b>	<b>(\$76,977)</b>
<b><i>“I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord.”</i></b>		2007& 2008 Insurance Carryover (This is an ex - budget item)	44,564

*“Love means to love that which is unlovable, or it is no virtue at all;  
Forgiving means to pardon that which is unpardonable, or it is no virtue at all -  
And to hope means hoping when things are hopeless, or it is no virtue at all.”*

G.K. Chesterton

**SERMON NOTES**

***“When the Tides No Longer Matter”***

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**OUR MISSION**

*Tuskawilla UMC is committed to providing a place to **BELONG**; to a community of faith,  
a place to **GROW** in that faith and a place to **SERVE** the faith.*

**OUR VISION**

*A place to **BELONG**, **GROW** and **SERVE**. There's a place for **YOU!***

*Visit our website at [www.tumcfl.org](http://www.tumcfl.org) for  
news & info about TUMC*

## WELCOME TO OUR VISITORS

*We are glad that you chose to visit with us today at TUMC. Please take a moment to complete the card you will receive from an usher and place it in the offering plate so that we may have a record of your visit here today. Please do not hesitate to contact us at 407-699-8155 or at [office@tumcfl.org](mailto:office@tumcfl.org). Blessings!*

## MEETING REMINDERS

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|----------------------------|--|
| Tuesday, Oct 6:            | - 6:30 pm: Caring/Visitation Committee Meeting                   |
| Wednesday, Oct 7:          | - 6:30 pm: Disciple III Bible Study begins - <i>Mindy Moretz</i> |
| Saturday, Oct 10:          | - 9:00 am: Pumpkins are delivered/Pumpkin Patch opens            |
| Fri. Oct 16 & Sat. Oct 17: | - Lay Speaking Training - EC District - 1st UMC Pine Hills       |
| Saturday, Oct 17:          | - 9:00 am: Community Outreach project                            |
| Saturday, Oct 24:          | - Great Pumpkin Saturday   |

## WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY

### Purpose

□ —World Communion Sunday calls the Church to be the catholic inclusive church. □ (Par. 263.3, *The Book of Discipline* 2008) □ Gifts provide college scholarships for racial- and ethnic-minority students in the United States and for international students.

### History

In 1940 the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America established World-wide Communion Sunday — originally a Presbyterian observance — as a global, interdenominational event. Prompted by the impact of World War II, the Methodist Church received an offering on this Sunday for the Fellowship of Suffering and Service. It aided the work of the Methodist Committee on Overseas Relief (now the United Methodist Committee on Relief), the Commission on Chaplains and the Commission on Camp Activities. In 1971, The United Methodist Church changed the name of the observance to World Communion Sunday and redistributed the offering to support the Crusade Scholarship Program (begun in 1944), the Ethnic Minority Scholarship Program and the Division of Chaplains and Related Ministries. In 1980, Chaplains and Related Ministries was moved to World Service funding, but the World Communion Sunday offering continued to assist racial- and ethnic-minority persons pursuing various avenues of ministry. The 2008 General Conference changed the name of Crusade Scholars to World Communion Scholars.

**Your generous contributions support:** □ World Communion Scholarships, related to the General Board of Global Ministries — 50 percent of the offering. These are for international and U.S. (racial- and ethnic-minority) graduate students. At least half of the annual amount goes to ministries beyond the United States. □ Ethnic Scholarship Program, affiliated with the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry (GBHEM) — 35 percent of offering. This benefits undergraduate students.

## **PLEASE SHARE YOUR THOUGHTS!**

As I have always indicated, I am interested in what you think about the Ministry here at TUMC. When we moved to one service we also started serving Communion by Intinction. How do you feel about this process? How has it served you? What do you like about it and what don't you like? Please give me a call to discuss this area of worship or call the church office and set up a time to meet with me to share your comments, suggestions and your questions. I want to hear from you!

Walking with Jesus,

*Rev. Craig*

## **GENERAL NEWS**

**Donut Sales** – The youth group has sponsored the morning donuts for many years at Tuskawilla, as a fundraiser for outreach and missions, but due to decreased sales which are causing the ministry to lose money, we have had to make a painful decision to stop selling donuts on Sunday mornings. **Today, October 4, will be our last week for donut sales.**

**Pumpkin Unloading** – there will be a nursery available for those with small children who want to help unload pumpkins on October 10 at 9 am.

## **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

Operation Christmas Child (OCC), a project of Samaritan's Purse, brings joy and hope to children in desperate situations worldwide through gift-filled shoe boxes and the Good News of God's love. The TUMC Missions Team has adopted this worthwhile effort as the October Mission of the Month.

## **50+ INVITATION**

You are invited to join the 50+ for an afternoon of enjoyment on Sunday, October 18 as you take in the 2pm performance of "EVITA". This will be at the Wayne Densch Performing Arts Center in Sanford. Tickets are priced at \$18 and you may get these from Debbie Spitzer. For more information please contact Debbie by Wednesday, October 14 at 407-970-9917.



## **ALTAR FLOWERS**

*The flowers on the altar today are given by Bonnie Williams & Anne Turnbaugh in memory of Chester Turnbaugh and, by Renee Lambert and family in memory of her sister-in-law, Vicki Ash.*

## YOUTH NEWS

“**I Love My Parents**” will meet tomorrow from 5:00-6:30 p.m. in the youth room.

**AMPLIFY Youth Bowling** will be held in lieu of youth group today from 3-5 p.m. at Aloma Bowling Center. The cost is \$5.00 for 2 games and shoe rental. Please bring exact change! Adult leaders will be present, but please find your own transportation to and from the lanes. This is a great time to invite your friends! If finances are a problem, contact Nikki at [nlamott@hotmail.com](mailto:nlamott@hotmail.com).

**Heavenly Expressions** will meet today in the Fellowship Hall from 1-2:30 p.m. due to our bowling event.

**The Pumpkin Truck** will be here next Saturday, October 10, at 9:00 a.m. All youth and their families are invited to help! Lunch will be provided afterward.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

**ARISE Junior Youth Group** for third – fifth graders began **Wednesday, from 5:30-7:30 p.m.** You didn't miss it, did you? If so, come this Wednesday! If you would like your child to be involved, or for more information, contact Theresa Morris at [TMOR-RIS008@cfl.rr.com](mailto:TMOR-RIS008@cfl.rr.com).

**Children's Sunday School** got off to a great start last Sunday at 8:45 a.m. Two classes are being offered – **kindergarten – 2<sup>nd</sup> grades**, meeting in room 14, and **3<sup>rd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grades** meeting in room 16/18. Don't miss out on the fun!

**The Children's Moment** will be brought back to worship on Sunday, October 11. The Children's Ministries Council has decided to change our format from Kid's Church to adult-supervised children's games, crafts and activities in the fellowship hall following the children's moment in “big” church. Contact Cheryl Whetzel at [cheryl@whetzelphotos.com](mailto:cheryl@whetzelphotos.com) to assist in the activities.

A “**Big Sister Shower**” will be celebrated for Katie Holloran by the Children's Chorus on Wednesday, October 7. Bring your gift and a shower snack for the party!

“**The Pirates Who Don't Do Anything**” **Pirate Party** for all children and their friends will be held on Friday, October 30, at 6:45 p.m. With the humor of Larry and Bob from the VeggieTales, this party is guaranteed fun for children and adults of all ages. Come dressed as a pirate (or your favorite non-evil costume), watch a movie, enjoy snacks, and gather-up candy and goodies!

## CHURCH CALENDAR October 4 - October 10, 2009

### Sunday, Oct 4

8:45 am Sunday School\*  
10:00 am Worship Service  
1:00 pm *Heavenly Expressions Rehearsal*  
2:30 pm *NO Halo Praise Band Rehearsal*  
4:00 pm *Youth Group at Aloma Bowling Center*

### Monday, Oct 5

5:00 pm *NO "I Love My Parents" Girls Group.*  
7:00 pm *Middle School Bible Study*  
7:00 pm Fit 4 Life Holy Yoga/Praying Pilates

### Tuesday, Oct 6

9:30 am Mary Martha Group  
6:30 pm Caring Ministry Meeting

### Wednesday, Oct 7

5:30 pm Halo Youth Praise Band Rehearsal  
5:30 pm *Arise/Mini Youth Group - Room 16/18*  
6:00 pm Children's Choir

### Wednesday, Oct 7 cont'd

6:30 pm Disciple I Bible Study  
7:00 pm Men's Ensemble  
7:30 pm *High School Bible Study*

### Thursday, Oct 8

6:00 pm Drama Ministry  
6:30 pm NAMI Support Group Meeting  
7:00 pm College & Career Bible Study  
7:15 pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

### Friday, Oct 9

9:00 am Women's Bible Study

### Saturday, Oct 10

8:00 am Prayer Group  
8:30 am Fit 4 Life - Cardio & Weights  
**9:00 am PUMPKINS ARIVE - Unloading in Patch**  
7:00 pm Contemporary Praise Band Rehearsal

**Key: FH - Fellowship Hall**

**\* Nursery**

**Italics denotes Youth Group**

### SERVING THE LORD TODAY AT TUMC

**Acolyte:** *Emilee Moore*

**Communion Servers:**

*Desiree Dannecker, John Dannecker, Laura Hatton, Connie Sloane,  
Warren Sloane, Lena Titus,*

**Greeters:** *Lori Detwiler, Ann Detwiler, Sheryl Love, Jeff Russell, Judy Vicario,  
Pat Martin, Ray Martin*

**Ushers:** *Richard Lane, Tom Love, John Pitts, John Summey, Rex Straw,*

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