Hartsville First United Methodist Church

Ministers – All God's People. (1 Peter 2:9)

Pianist/Organist/Choral Leader – Seth Thurman Pastor David Lay

September 14, 2025

Welcome to Hartsville First United Methodist Church. We are pleased you chose to join us this morning. We encourage guests to fill out a visitor card and place it in the offering plate.

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASSING OF THE PEACE (Let us offer one another signs of peace and welcome)

L: May the peace of Christ be with you!

People: And also with you!

CALL TO WORSHIP (see insert)

OPENING PRAYER (see insert)

*HYMN OF PRAISE For the Healing of the Nations No. 428

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's Creed No. 881

Reader- Alannah Butler

CHILDREN'S TIME Kathy Atwood

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH / "The Lord's Prayer" No. 895

*HYMN OF PREPARATION My Hope Is Built No. 368

WORSHIP WITH OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

As the offering is brought forward, please join us by standing and singing the Doxology from page 95 in the hymnal.

*SCRIPTURE Psalm 14

Pastor: "*This is the Word of God for the people of God."*

Congregation: ***"Thanks be to God!"***

SERMON I Will Call Upon the Lord: Our Hope is in the Lord

RESPONSE TO THE WORD

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP PASTOR DAVID

*HYMN OF INVITATION Amazing Grace No. 378

SENDING FORTH

BENEDICTION*

Let us go forth in faith into the mission field God has given us to serve with Jesus Christ our Lord.

***Please stand if it is comfortable for you to do so.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Altar Flowers – The flowers on the altar today are given to the Glory of God by Jackie and Betty Gross and in honor of Maxton Hawkins' 12th Birthday.

The Family Ministries Committee will meet today, Sunday, September 14th, at **5 PM**. All committee members, please make an effort to be present. All parents of our children and youth are encouraged to attend, as well as any other interested in helping plan activities.

The United Methodist Women will meet on Monday, September 15, at 6 pm. All women of the church are welcome to attend.

Bible Study at Goose Creek Coffee on Tuesday at 6 PM.

Choir Practice is on Wednesday at 6 pm.

Handbell practice will be on Thursday at 7 PM.

Council Meeting and Meal will be after worship on September 21st.

BBQ/Auction will be held on November 1st. Auction Items due October 1st

Please fill out prayer request cards for the Prayer Team and drop them in the box in the Narthex.

Scriptures for Sundays in September: September 21st Psalm 79:1-9; September 28th Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16.

Pastor David is in the Church Office Mornings from around 9 am to 12 pm Monday-Thursday. If you need to meet with him another time, please contact him and he will gladly do so. His day of Sabbath is on Fridays, and he would appreciate it being respected. Only contact if it is an emergency.

In Service at Our Church-September 2025

	Today	Next Week
Ushers:	The Rieger Family	The Rieger Family
Prayer Team	John Oliver	Natalie Knudsen
Acolytes	Alannah & Rhett Butler	
Reader:	Alannah Butler	
Kids message:	Kathy Atwood	

Our Prayer List

Please let the Pastor know in writing if you have additions or updates for our Prayer List.

Chasity Nowlen, Alice White, Jeff Wyatt, Maxton Hawkins, Rosemary Denham, Eli Pedigo, Helen & Don Voss, David Parker, Amanda Garey, Tom Harris, Ashley Warwick, Levi Owen, Eddie Taylor, Wendy Finn, Evelyn O'Neill, Bill and Vivian Arnold, Norene Byrd, Tina Hiett.

Stewardship as of September 07, 2025	August	September	2025
Tithes/Offerings, Operating Budget	$12375	$2651	$79119
Designated for Building Fund	$425	$50	$825
Designated for Mission of the Month	$2792	$70	$3557
Worship Attendance for 09/07/25: 53 Sunday School 11			

September 2025

Ministry of the Month — **Help Center**

Pantry Donation Needed — **Canned Meats**

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