

Lakeside Worship  
Sponsored by  
Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church



June 22, 2025  
Second Sunday after Pentecost  
Pastor Rev. Dr. David Leininger

**Interdenominational, Interracial, Interfaith  
Lakeside Worship**  
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**PRELUDE**

**“How Deep the Father’s Love For Us”**

**Carol Ghent**

**WORDS OF WELCOME**

**Mica Jones**

**\*SUMMER THEME SONG**

**“Thy Word”**

Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path  
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path  
When I feel afraid and I think I've lost my way  
Still you're there right beside me  
Nothing will I fear, as long as you are near  
Please be near me to the end  
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path  
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

L. As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for you, O God.

**P. Our souls thirst for God, for the living God.**

L. Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

**P. Hope in God, for we shall again praise the Lord, our help and our God.**

**GATHERING HYMN**

**“My Jesus, I Love Thee”**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION** (In Unison)

God of gospel freedom, we find it difficult to imagine that we could indeed be your children through faith. We cannot believe that we could belong to Christ and be heirs of the promise made to Abraham and his offspring. Help our unbelief; rekindle our imagination. Tame our rebellion. Bring us back to ourselves and to you.

## **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

In Christ Jesus, we are all children of God through faith; we are no longer subject to a disciplinarian. We are heirs according to the promise and made free in Christ Jesus. Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

**In Jesus Christ, we are made ready to love and serve. Alleluia. Amen.**

## **SPECIAL MUSIC**

**Mica Jones**

## **A MOMENT WITH THE YOUNG DISCIPLES**

### **PASTORAL PRAYER AND 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

## **OFFERING**

**"How Great Is Our God with Praise to the Lord, The Almighty"**

**Carol Ghent**

## **HYMN**

**"As the Deer"**

## **Scripture Lesson – Mark 4:1-20**

4 Again Jesus began to teach by the lake. The crowd that gathered around him was so large that he got into a boat and sat in it out on the lake, while all the people were along the shore at the water's edge. 2 He taught them many things by parables, and in his teaching said: 3 "Listen! A farmer went out to sow his seed. 4 As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path, and the birds came and ate it up. 5 Some fell on rocky places, where it did not have much soil. It sprang up quickly, because the soil was shallow. 6 But when the sun came up, the plants were scorched, and they withered because they had no root. 7 Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up and choked the plants, so that they did not bear grain. 8 Still other seed fell on good soil. It came up, grew and produced a crop, some multiplying thirty, some sixty, some a hundred times."

9 Then Jesus said, "Whoever has ears to hear, let them hear."

10 When he was alone, the Twelve and the others around him asked him about the parables.  
11 He told them, “The secret of the kingdom of God has been given to you. But to those on the outside everything is said in parables 12 so that,

“they may be ever seeing but never perceiving,  
and ever hearing but never understanding;  
otherwise they might turn and be forgiven!”

13 Then Jesus said to them, “Don’t you understand this parable? How then will you understand any parable? 14 The farmer sows the word. 15 Some people are like seed along the path, where the word is sown. As soon as they hear it, Satan comes and takes away the word that was sown in them. 16 Others, like seed sown on rocky places, hear the word and at once receive it with joy. 17 But since they have no root, they last only a short time. When trouble or persecution comes because of the word, they quickly fall away. 18 Still others, like seed sown among thorns, hear the word; 19 but the worries of this life, the deceitfulness of wealth and the desires for other things come in and choke the word, making it unfruitful. 20 Others, like seed sown on good soil, hear the word, accept it, and produce a crop—some thirty, some sixty, some a hundred times what was sown.”

**SERMON:**

**“THE SOWER”**

**Pastor Rev Dr. David Leininger**

**CLOSING HYMN**

**“His Name Is Wonderful”**

**BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE**

**“Revelation Song”**

**Carol Ghent**

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**Christian Community Ministries’ pantry needs: Baked beans, pork-n-beans, Rice, canned greens (collards, turnip, mixed). Bring items to Lakeside Service.**

**Shut-ins:**

Merilyn Roll-2465 Harbor View Rd.-Camden-SC 29020

**Ken Maree**  
**Veteran Village**  
**1200 E National Cemetery Rd.**  
**Room 4218**  
**Florence, SC 29506**

**The Bible Study Girls begin their next study “Mocha on the Mount” on Monday, July 7 at 6pm.**  
Books aren’t necessary but if you wish to purchase one go to Amazon: Sandra Glahn, Mocha on the Mount (Coffee Cup Bible Studies)

**UPPER Room for May, June and July, August are located on the table at the back as well as These Days.**



Wanda Ghent	2
Terry Hoffman	6
Dorothy Fairchild	9
Micki McLeod	17

## Last Week's Attendance & Giving

**Attendance                70**

**Offering:**

**General                                \$5925.00**

**Lakeside Ministry                \$ 569.00**

**Total YTD**

**General                                \$101,740.00**

**Lakeside Ministry                \$    1,074.00**

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### **Mission Spotlight** **Helping Hearts Senior Services, Inc.**

**Founded in 2018 and established to provide a menu of services to meet the needs of elderly citizens living in the Liberty Hill/Beaver Creek Community and surrounding areas of Kershaw County, S.C.. Services located at 3238 John G. Richards Road in Liberty Hill and through a partnership with United Way of Kershaw County, they operate a Food Pantry and Community Garden.**

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## **Prayers For Our People**

*Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer. (Romans 12:12)*

**Andrew Adams** (Mica Jones)

**Marquerite Adams**

**Vickie Baker** (Karen)

**Ed Baxley** (Sylvia Hudson)

**Kirk & Linn Bennett's son**

**Rachel Blackmon** (Lisa Knight)

**Amy Burns** (Sylvia Hudson)

**Ed Bunch**

**Pat Bunch** (Jeanette Robinson)

**Christi Chambers** (Donna "Sunshine" Smith)

**Carole Cooke**

**Bill and Mary Crain** (Rebecca Fairchild)

**Terry Davis** (Ben Cheatham brother-in-law)

**Faye Dexter**

**Stephen Fairchild** (Dorothy Fairchild's son)

**Kathi Fletcher** (cousin of Sylvia Hudson)

**Trish & Jerry Flynn**

**John Foster**

**Lisa Funderburke** (Margie Pokorney)

**Philip Gaulin** (Marilyn Roll)

**Carol Ghent**

**Elaine Gosnell** (Diane Porter's sister)

**Shane Granger** (Tommy & Sandy's son)

**Gloria Hamilton** (sister-in-law of Jenny)

**Billy Harris** (needs kidney transplant)

**Christopher Head** (Carol Ghent)

**Rodney Hegler** (John Thompson)

**Melissa Frost Henson** (Elaine Maree)

**Jenna Horton**

**Curtis Hurst**

**Claudia & Roger Johnson** (Carol Ghent)

**Mica Jones**

**Darlene Knauer**

**Clydia Knight**

**Tonya Lancaster**

**Jill Locklair** (knee surgery)

**Pastor David**

**Nancy Macdonald**

**Cheryl McAbee**

**Ken & Elaine Maree**

**Scott Meadows** (Lynne Bennett)

**Melody** (Robin's sister)

**Dolly Miller** (Ben Cheatham)

**Mike Morgan** (Wanda's brother)

**Claire Oliver**

**Audrey & John Osipow** (Karen)

**John Paul**

**Daryl & Melinda Rabon**

**Brent Rainforth** (Stan's nephew, cancer)

**Vivian Ray** (Robert & Diana Murphy)

**Louise Reece** (Gale Jent's mother)

**Bill Rhodes**

**Wren & Bruce Ridgeway** (Lisa Knight)

**Sharon**

**Nancy Small**

**Gerald Stone** (Micki McLeod's dad)

**TALYN** (Abi's friend)

**Derrell Thomas**

**Shelby Thomas** (Terry Hoffman)

**Richard Vanooyen** (Jim & Sylvia Hudson)

**Shirley Varro** (Jeanette & Pat)

**Vivian Vinson** (Karen Bailey)

**Four friends of Joan Ward**

**Pam Warnock** (Donna Hunter's sister)

**Elizabeth Parfitt Webb** (Elaine Maree)

**Two year old boy** (Sandy Granger)

**Five friends of Sandy Granger**

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### Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church Mission Statement:

To connect with God, to connect with others, and to connect others with God.

### Liberty Hill Presbyterian Church Vision Statement:

To be an inclusive church that surrounds people with

Love, Hope, Prayer, and Compassion..

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