

# THE SANCTUARY

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost • October 27, 2024 • 8:45 AM & 11 AM

**GATHERING** Sellers

**CENTERING** "Seek the Lord"

*The congregation is encouraged to join in singing.*

"Seek the Lord while He may be found. Call upon Him while He is near.

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Words adapted from Isaiah 55:6-7 by John Carter, music by John Carter  
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\* **CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

\* **GREETING** Malambri

Leader: Truly the eye of the Lord is on those who fear him,

**People: on those who hope in his steadfast love, to deliver their soul from death.**

Leader: Our soul waits for the Lord; he is our help and shield.

**People: Our heart is glad in him because we trust in his holy name.**

Leader: Let your steadfast love, O Lord, be upon us,

**People: even as we hope in you.**

\* **HYMN** "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" No. 662

\* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (8:45AM) Forrest  
"The Apostles' Creed" No. 881

(11AM)

"Our Confirmands' Creed" Ellie Jo Freeman

**We believe in the Father, the Creator of heaven and earth, and his Son who died for our sins and loves us unconditionally. He is the Light of our lives and the leader of our testimonies. Amen.**

\* **GLORIA PATRI** "Glory Be to the Father" No. 71

\* **WELCOME AND PASSING OF THE PEACE**

**RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBER** (8:45am) Pg. 38  
Beverly Buffkin

**COLLECT**

**O creator and mighty God, you have promised strength for the weak, rest for the laborers, light for the way, grace for the trials, help from above, unfailing sympathy, undying love. O creator and mighty God, help us to continue in your promise for Jesus' sake. Amen.**

**GOSPEL LESSON** (8:45AM) Mark 1:9-15

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**CHORAL MEDITATION** "If You Trust in God" Feltke, Feltke

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

\* **HYMN** "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies" No. 173

**OLD TESTAMENT LESSON** Lamentations 3:19-24

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON** "I Will Hope" Malambri

**SERVICE OF CONFIRMATION** (11AM) No. 33

McCauley Miller Allen

Bennett Hampton Burroughs

Celesta Allen Conklin

Katerena Tanyalynn Vitalyovna Daminov

William Rhett DesChamps

Ellison Jo Freeman

Remington Cash Harris

William Chase Johnson

Mary Hope Elizabeth Magann

Charles Watson Marple

Abigail Anne Miller

Thomas Joseph O'Brien IV

Jackson Griffith Sandefur

Emaline Marie Williamson

**OFFERTORY** "10,000 Reasons" Redman, Myrin/arr. Labenske

\* **DOXOLOGY** "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" No. 94

\* **PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**Great is your faithfulness, O God our Father, morning by morning new mercies we see. All we have needed, your hand has provided. And, so, remembering with thanksgiving your goodness to us, we trust you will continue to provide. Wanting to be an obedient and faithful part of your good work, we will continue to give. Confident that you will continue to work all things for good, we will continue to hope through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

\* **HYMN** "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" No. 140

\* **BENEDICTION**

\* **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE AND RECESSIONAL**

*Please remain in place and join in singing.*

"Lift High the Cross"

**Lift high the cross,**

**the love of Christ proclaim till all the world adore his sacred name.**

Words by George William Kitchin and Michael Robert Newbolt, music by Sydney Hugo Nicholson  
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\* **POSTLUDE** "Morning Has Broken" BUNESSAN

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**\*Rise in body or spirit.**

# THE HARBOR

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**WELCOME** Stevens Poirrel

**OPENING PRAYER**

\* **SONG** "Who You Say I Am!"

\* **PASSING OF THE PEACE**

\* **SONG** "Speak to the Mountains"

\* **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**  
"The Apostles' Creed"

**CELEBRATION OF GIFTS**

**SONG** "I Am Not Alone"

**SCRIPTURE** Jeremiah 33:14-16

**MESSAGE** "The days are coming...WHEN" Stevens Poirrel

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER**

\* **SONG** "One Thing Remains"

\* **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

\* **BENEDICTION**

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**\*Rise in body or spirit.**

**- Sermon Notes -**

## BELIN MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*A Stephen Ministry Church*

Clergy: Will Malambri, J.T. Brown, Sandra Stevens Poirrel

Ministers: Belin Congregation Minister Emeritus: Harold Lewis

Pastoral Cabinet: Mark Ale, Mike Alexander, Keith Clarke, Becky Forrest,  
Sam Hale, Wayne Sayre, Connie Stinson

# Announcements

■ **Deepest sympathy** is extended to Colleen Henderson Lewis, family and friends on the death of her husband, Edward Wayne Lewis (Surfside Beach, SC).

■ **United Methodist Men's** meeting is tomorrow, Monday, October 28, at 6:30 PM. The guest speaker is Bruce Mallick from the Family Justice Center of Georgetown and Horry Counties. To RSVP, contact Gordon Myers ([gordonmyers.belinummpresident@gmail.com](mailto:gordonmyers.belinummpresident@gmail.com); 843.344.4256).

■ **Belin Memorial UMC** will be conducting a meeting with Walt Ackerman, Director of Administrative Services for Georgetown County, on Local Options Sales Tax and Capital Project Sales Tax this Tuesday, October, 29, at 1 PM in the Family Life Center. Learn more about the meeting at [gtcounty.org/lost](http://gtcounty.org/lost).

■ **Belin Family Fishing Day** is this Saturday, November 2, at the Surfside Pier from 9 AM-12 NOON. Contact Mary Mallick, Director of Adult Ministries ([marym@belinumc.org](mailto:marym@belinumc.org); 843.357.5185) for information.

■ All **Operation Christmas Child** shoe boxes must be returned by Sunday, November 10. Did you know you can build a shoe box online? Visit [samaritanspurse.org](http://samaritanspurse.org) to build a box online and see other ways to support Operation Christmas Child.

■ Everyone is invited to join Belin Church Council members for our **Annual Charge Conference** meeting on Tuesday, November 12, at 7 PM in the sanctuary. District Superintendent Steve Brown will preside as we celebrate the ministries of the past year and prepare for the ministries of the year to come. While all are invited, only members of Charge Conference may have voice and vote. This meeting will be available via livestream on our home page at [belinumc.org](http://belinumc.org).

■ **Belin Memorial UMC** is partnering with Socastee UMC on a collection drive for new and gently used coats to send to Western North Carolina storm relief. Blankets, comforters and sleeping bags will also be accepted. Collection boxes are located in the Family Life Center and the church office until Sunday, November 17. Contact Sherri Henderson, Director of Missions & Outreach ([sherrih@belinumc.org](mailto:sherrih@belinumc.org)).

## Dates to Remember

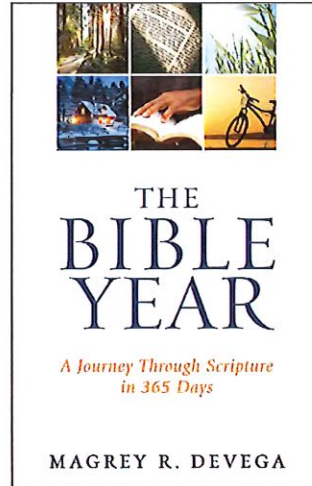
- **October 27**, MS 5 PM, HS 6PM: Belin Youth Group (FLC)
- **October 29**, 7 AM: Youth Prayer Breakfast (off-site)
- **October 29**, 1 PM: Local Option Sales Tax Session (FLC)
- **October 29**, 6 PM: The Bible Year Zoom Discussion
- **October 30**, 7:45 AM: Man 2 Man (FLC)
- **October 30**, 8:45 AM: Rollie Hana Breakfast (FLC)
- **October 30**, 5:30 PM: Dinner for Eight (FLC)
- **November 2**, 9 AM: Belin Family Fishing Day (Surfside Pier)

# In Worship Together

**Our Mission:** To make disciples of Jesus Christ.

**Our Vision:** To be a place for you to discover love, find purpose, and make a difference.

**Our Journey:** To connect, grow, and serve.



## Daily Study Guide for The Bible Year:

### Readings for week of October 28, 2024

Monday, October 28 - Ezekiel 1:1 to 5:17  
Tuesday, October 29 - Ezekiel 6:1 to 11:25  
Wednesday, October 30 - Ezekiel 12:1 to 16:63  
Thursday, October 31 - Ezekiel 17:1 to 21:32  
Friday, November 1 - Ezekiel 22:1 to 26:21  
Saturday, November 2 - Ezekiel 27:1 to 32:32  
Sunday, November 3 - Ezekiel 33:1 to 37:28

### Ways to grow together in The Bible Year:

- Tuesday, October 29  
ZOOM at 6 PM
- Wednesday, October 30  
Dinner for Eight at 5:30 PM  
(register on "NOW" button at [belinumc.org](http://belinumc.org))

**IN MEMORIAM**  
Edward Wayne Lewis  
October 18, 2024



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