Sunny Side United Methodist Church April 28, 2024

Welcome to all of you who are worshiping with us today! (First-time visitors, please fill out the visitor's card in the pew and place in offering plate, so we may know how we can best serve you).

Gathering Music Terry B	
Welcome and Announcements	
Prelude Jon	ina McRae
Choral Call to Worship "Fly Aw	vay Home"
Opening Prayer	
*Hymn: "Love Divine All Loves Excelling"	384
*Affirmation of Faith:	881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.

*Gloria Patri

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.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer	
The Anthem	"When I Sing"
Moments for Mission	Emily and Bob Gilbert
Giving of our Tithes and Offerings	-
Offertory	
*Doxology	
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here	below; praise him above,
ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.	
*Offertory Prayer	
Children's Message	Emily Gilbert
Scripture: 1 John 4: 7-21	
Message: Love is An Action Verb	Rev. JoAn Kinrade
Hymn: "O How I Love Jesus"	170
*Benediction	

*Postlude

*You are invited to stand at this point in the service as you are able. Please turn all cell phones off or on vibrate during the worship service!

This morning, we are blessed to welcome to Sunny Side UMC members of the Peachtree Singers Show Choir, under the direction of Susan McDowell and accompanied by Jonna McRae. Thank you for sharing your gift of music with us!

"Our Mission at Sunny Side is: to help people KNOW Jesus Christ personally, GROW in Christ-like maturity, and GO into the world with the message of Christ."

Serving in Worship

Pianist:	Terry Buffington
Organist:	Jonna McRae
Children's Church:	Bonnie Whalen, Linda Simmons, Robin Sims

Please join us in the Education Building each week: Sunday School for Children and Adults: 10 am on Sundays

<u>Website:</u> <u>www.sunnysidega-umc.org/</u> https://www.facebook.com/sunnysidegaumc

Prayer Requests:

For the Bishops, Delegates, and Volunteers at the General Conference of the UMC, The family of Don Little, Debby Thompson, Pat Cauley, Lois Head, Eddie Cole, Richard O'Neal, Mindy Love, Friends recovering from surgery

Pastoral Care: Rev. JoAn Kinrade (770) 328-6172, joan.kinrade@ngumc.net

<u>New 5-week Bible Study:</u> Join Pastor JoAn for a new Bible Study beginning May 8. Using Margaret Feinberg's new book J<u>ames: What You Do Matters</u>, we will look at the book of James and Jesus' Sermon on the Mount and explore these topics: Responding to Hardship, Responding to God's Word, How You See Others, What You Say, and How You Live. (Everyone, please order your own book- called a Bible Study Guide- and read chapter 1 before May 8).

<u>Churchwide Fish Fry:</u> Our next church fellowship activity will be a Fish Fry on Saturday, May 18. The activity is being sponsored by the Men's Club. Master Fryer Hobby Davenport and his son will handle the cooking. The United Women in Faith will be supplying desserts. We will begin serving dinner at 5:30 and serve until 7pm. Tickets will be required. The tickets are free for church attendees and are being used to get a head count for planning purposes. These tickets can be secured after worship for the next three Sundays.

<u>For your Calendars:</u>	
April 23-May 3	General Conference, Charlotte, NC
Wednesday, May 1	Food Pantry, Volunteers report at 8:15am.
	Bible Study, 5:30 pm (Read Mark 16)
Tuesday, May 7	Trustees Meeting, 5:00pm
	Finance Committee, 6:00pm.
	Administrative Council Meeting, 6:30pm
Wednesday, May 8	New Bible Study Begins, 5:30pm
Tuesday, May 14	Midwest Truck Delivery
Wednesday, May 15	Food Pantry, Volunteers report at 8:15am.
Saturday, May 18	Leg quarters chicken sale, 8am
	Churchwide Fish Fry, 5:30pm

Prayer Chain: If you or someone you know has an immediate prayer need (serious illness, hospitalization, surgery, tests, etc.), please call Sylvia Avery at (770) 227-7924 to activate the prayer chain.

Card Ministry: Please contact Nancy Worthington at (678) 572-4391 with names and addresses of anyone we can send a card to. Cards allow us an opportunity to let people know they are in our thoughts & prayers.

Altar Flowers: To place a floral arrangement in memory or honor of an occasion or loved one, please contact Freddie Davis (706) 476-2345.

Weekly Bulletins: Bulletin information and announcements should be sent to Gay Whitman at gay_whitman@yahoo.com and Janice Kulp at j.mamu.kulp@gmail.com.

Food Pantry: 1st and 3rd Wednesdays @ 9am. All volunteers need to be at church by 8:15am

May 1 & May 15

Sunny Side United Methodist Church Sunny Side, Georgia

Rev. JoAn Kinrade April 28, 2024

Sunny Side United Methodist Church, 5084 Old Atlanta Road, P.O. Box 81, Sunny Side, GA 30284

GIVING REPORT

Annual Budget:	\$144,406
YTD Tithes and Offerings:	\$ 40,759
Monthly Budget Requirement	\$ 12,033
Month to Date Tithes and Offerings - April	\$ 9,781

\$ 144,406.00
\$ 40,759.50
\$ 12,033.90
\$ 9,781.63