

Meet Us



A T S H A N D O N



"Telling people to believe in Jesus is always good, of course, whatever the deficiencies of the way we do it, but such words will mean what they are meant to mean when they are heard within the context of the church's overall royal and priestly vocation to be working for signs of new creation in the wider world, signs that the victory of the cross and the forgiveness of sins are a reality."

--N. T. Wright, *The Day the Revolution Began*

It's Easter at Shandon UMC! Easter is not just a day; on the Christian calendar it's a season of 50 days. In fact, the reality is even bigger: Easter is a way of life, a new creation, a whole new world. In raising Jesus from the dead, God has made Jesus the King of heaven and earth. As the Apostles' Creed puts it, Jesus "sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty." In the ancient world, the right hand was the seat of power and authority (apologies to all left-handed people, but that's the way it was). Thus, Jesus has the place of supreme honor and authority in the universe.

So if Jesus is king, where is his kingdom? And who are the citizens of that kingdom? Jesus' kingdom is wherever people honor and serve him, in other words, wherever Jesus has disciples. As Wright says, in our baptism we are given the "royal and priestly vocation to be working for signs of new creation in the wider world, signs that the victory of the cross and the forgiveness of sins are a reality."

I celebrate the signs of Jesus' victory at Shandon UMC – our generous giving to support the people of Haiti in catastrophic times; our work with MORE Justice to help bring safer policing, less gun violence, and more affordable housing to Columbia; our partnership with local farmers through Seeds of Hope; our ministry with area school children through the Good News Club; etc., etc.

It's Easter at Shandon UMC. May it always be so!

Grace and peace,
Smoke

SUNDAY WORSHIP

APRIL 18, 2021

8:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Traditional Service

Reverend Smoke Kanipe

Scripture: Luke 24:36-48

Sermon: The Resurrection of the Body

APRIL 18, 2021

11:05 a.m. LifeLine Service

Youth Sunday

Reverend James Grubb

Scripture: Matthew 22: 34-40

Sermon: The Greatest Commandment

Altar Flowers:

In loving memory of Kemper Zeigler given by her family

**In loving memory of Mamie F. Coleman and Rachel S. Knox
given by Cathy and Lex Knox**

SHARING GOD'S LOVE

Opportunities to make a difference through giving

HAITI HUNGER FUND CAMPAIGN

The Outreach Committee along with the leadership from the Haitian churches thank you for the generous donation of nearly \$68,000 that we raised during the Haitian Hunger Fund Campaign. I wanted to include how the money was spent so that you can know that it went toward exceptional causes in feeding the people in Haiti:

Purchase of 1200 bags of rice	\$37,800
Purchase of 300 bags of beans	\$15,000
Purchase of 200 cases of cooking oil	\$5,000
Total Transportation costs & Shipping	\$10,000
Total	\$67,800

These products were distributed among all the Methodist Churches of Haiti which resulted in 90,000 meals being served to hungry people that were solely funded by Shandon UMC's generous contributions.

The Outreach Committee cannot thank you enough. The Leadership of Haiti including Bishop Dorsally and David Draeger cannot thank you enough. They have sent many notes of thanks.

Update: Hal Crosswell and UMVIM are in the process of sending an article in the Conference Advocate detailing the continuing need in Haiti. Hal and his team are contacting all the Outreach programs in the conference to ask for support. We know you have given much already, but we continue to need monies for Haiti should you wish to contribute even a small amount – it certainly helps. You may contribute online by writing a check and noting in the memo "Haiti Hunger Fund."

God's rich blessing be upon you,
Rev. Shannon Bullion



HOMELESS NO MORE

We need your help. We're looking for volunteers to help us decorate Homeless No More's new dormitories.

Sunday, May 23, 2021 at 5 pm

Please RSVP to SBULLION@Shandon-UMC.org





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Faith and Fellowship Opportunities for Children

VIRTUAL SCAVENGER HUNT

Join us for a virtual scavenger hunt on Wednesday, April 21 at 7:00 P.M. from the comfort of your own home via Zoom. Enjoy searching for items quickly and a friendly competition. Yes – there will be prizes!



Register here: <https://hipaa.jotform.com/211013546388150>

CHILDREN'S ONE ROOM SUNDAY SCHOOL

Children ages 4-year preschool through 5th grade are invited to join us for our one room Sunday school beginning Sunday, April 11 in Player Hall. This opportunity will be offered weekly during the Sunday school hour, and registration is required each week. Check your email for more details and contact Heather Corley or Susan Curran with any questions. hcorley@shandon-umc.org and scurran@shandon-umc.org.





Faith and Fellowship Opportunities for Youth



YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL

Jr. & Sr. High Sunday school classes continue to meet at 10:00 a.m. Sunday mornings. Many classes are meeting in-person while others are continuing to meet virtually. Contact your Sunday school leader if you are unsure of your meeting details.

SUNDAY NIGHT LIVE

Sunday, April 18 from 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Jr. and Sr. High will meet for a Service Event: Pizza and Painting at Shandon. We will be painting the parking lot lines on the main campus next to Devine Street. Invite your family and friends to join you for a service project to support Shandon. Bring a tailgate chair, your mask and a Bible.

Sunday, April 25 from 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Jr. and Sr. High will meet at the home of Stephanie and Michael Bridgers for food, firepit conversation, and a message. Bring a tailgate chair, your mask and a Bible.

DAY CAMP: IDENTITY

Day Camp is open for students who will have completed 3rd through 12th grades (8th - 12th graders serve as counselors.) Day Camp will take place **Monday, June 21 - Thursday, June 24 from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.** at Heathwood School. The cost is \$100 per camper (no fee for counselors). Space is limited to Shandon UMC members at this time. Register online before April 15: bit.ly/daycamp621

If you have already registered, please don't forget to turn your PEAK Waivers into the church office as soon as possible.





Pathway to Membership

SPRING TREK COURSE COMING SOON

TREK is Shandon UMC's pathway to membership. Our next course is scheduled to begin on May 16. To learn more about TREK and register for the course go to <https://shandontrek.wordpress.com/>. If you still have questions please contact Norma Weldon at nweldon@shandon-umc.org or by calling the church office Mon-Thur at 803-256-8383.

At this time, our plan is to offer TREK primarily in-person with an option to Zoom for those not desiring or able to meet in-person.

If you are already a Shandon member and know of someone interested in joining, please share this information with them or contact Norma Weldon with their names and contact information.

Schedule of classes:

May 16, 4pm-5pm in Wesley Hall

May 23, 4pm-5pm in Wesley Hall

May 26, 6:30pm-7:30pm in Wesley Hall

MEMORIALS

In memory of Margaret Bass
Sallie McCutchen

In memory of Pat Goodwin
Barbara Cobb
Charles & Melanie Wactor
Rami & Kevin McCutchen
Tracy & Art Chacknes

In memory of Gary Daves
Forest Lake Ladies Golf Assn
Sallie McCutchen
Lori & Buster Yandle

In memory of Eugene Hood
Pat & Mackie O'Keefe

In honor of Ministerial Staff
Becky & Mark Layman

In memory of Larry C. Talbert, Sr.
Rami & Kevin McCutchen

In memory of George A. Stone, Sr.
Lori & Buster Yandle



THIS WEEK

AT SHANDON

Sunday, 18 April 2021

8:45 AM	Traditional Worship*, Sanctuary & Live Stream - youtube.com/ShandonUMC
9:45 AM	Children's One Room Sunday School, Player Hall
9:45 AM	Foundations Sunday School Class, Knox 214 Foundation Class
	Genesis Sunday School Class, Knox 204 Genesis Class & Virtual
	The Journey Sunday School, Class B223 - The Journey Classroom
	Wesley Fellowship Sunday School Class, Wesley Hall
	Youth Sunday School (In Person & Virtual), Youth Zone
10:00 AM	Virtual Sunday School (Online), All Ages
11:00 AM	Traditional Worship Service*, Sanctuary
11:05 AM	Life Line Service*, Gym & Live Stream - youtube.com/ShandonUMC
4:00 PM	Cub Scouts - Tiger Den Meeting, C215 First Grade Classroom
4:00 PM	Doorways Disciple I, Via Zoom
4:00 PM	Scouts Meetings, Various Classrooms
5:00 PM	Confirmation Class, Sanctuary
5:00 PM	Youth Sunday Service, Parking Lot Main
5:30 PM	Scout Joint Meeting

Monday, 19 April 2021

11:00 AM	Staff Meeting Via Zoom
1:30 PM	Program Staff meeting Via Zoom
5:30 PM	Dunn/Smith Study Committee Gym
5:30 PM	Stephen Ministry Meeting Knox 201 Growing Disciples
5:30 PM	Wesley Ringers Rehearsal B201-Bell Room
6:00 PM	Monday Men's Gathering Player Hall
6:30 PM	Dunn/Smith Study Committee Game Room- Rm 210 (Youth)
6:30 PM	Heart and Soul rehearsal Gym

Tuesday, 20 April 2021

10:00 AM	Tuesday Prayer Group, Via Zoom
11:00 AM	Tim's Tuesday Take Out*, Parking Lot
5:45 PM	Saine D Group Meeting, 11th Grade Classroom & Virtual
6:00 PM	SPRC Meeting, Wesley Hall
7:00 PM	Tuesday Trivia (Connections)

Wednesday, 21 April 2021

4:00 PM	Church & Society Meeting Via Zoom
5:30 PM	SUMC Book Club Meeting Via Zoom (2)
6:00 PM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal Sanctuary B206 - Music Studio
7:00 PM	Children's Virtual Scavenger Hunt Via Zoom
7:00 PM	Scout Meetings Player Hall

Thursday, 22 April 2021

11:00 AM	Tim's Thursday Take Out*, Parking Lot
5:30 PM	AA Group Meeting, B220 The Joy Class

Friday, 16 April 2021

5:30 PM	AA Group Meeting, B220 - The Joy Class
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**Registration is required.*
Most registrations can be found online at Shandon-UMC.org/register

GIVE ONLINE

Our online giving is easy and secure!

- Online: <https://onrealm.org/shandonumc/-/give/now>
- Text-to-Give: Text 73256 and enter SUMC
- Realm Connect App: Log in to the app, then click "Giving"



TRIPLE T: TUESDAY/THURSDAY TAKEOUT

Tim's Triple T continues this week. Place your order online. Drive through to pickup from 11:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

Tuesday's menu is BBQ Pork, Rice, Green Beans, Slaw, Roll and Dessert

Thursday's menu is Lasagna, Garlic Beans, Romaine Salad, and Dessert

All orders must be placed and paid for online by 7:00 p.m. Monday. Meals are \$7 each. Visit website: bit.ly/sumctriplet

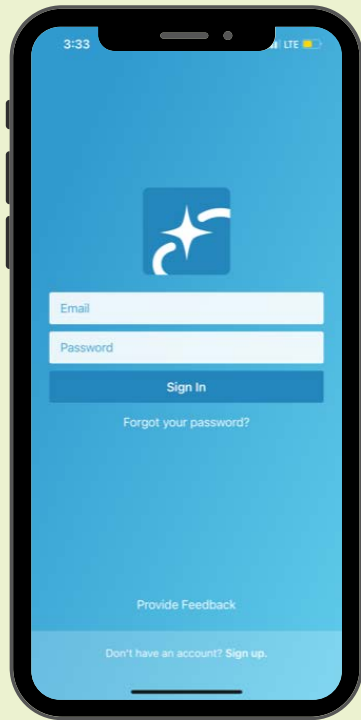


SUMMER SOUL FOOD



Summer is almost here! We are excited to offer Summer Soul Food lessons once again for you this year. Our plan is similar to last year's format. We will upload a series of 6 lessons taught by Retired Reverend Robert Cox. The lessons will be available for you via YouTube any time after the beginning of June. You will be able to access the videos in-person or by zoom. Stay tuned for more details closer to June.

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