



# ALLENDALE

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## WELCOME

**Allendale United Methodist Church** is a Reconciling Congregation. We affirm the sacred worth of all people and strive to practice Christ's example of unconditional love without exclusion. All are welcome to participate fully in the life and ministries of this congregation. Whatever your race, ethnicity, economic situation, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, background or belief, age or condition of ableness, whether single or partnered, you are God's beloved and are welcome here. God calls us to acts of love, grace, and advocacy to promote healing and reconciliation. We are building a new Allendale: a place without barriers, a sanctuary for all.

**Office Hours: Mon - Thu, 9 AM to 3 PM**

We are honored that you chose to worship with us today! To learn more about the life of the church, if you have a special need, or you wish to visit with the pastor, please contact Beth in the office at 727.527.6694, office@allendaleumc.org.

**Gender Pronouns:** Asking and correctly using someone's correct pronoun is one of the most basic ways to show your respect for their gender identity. When someone is referred to with the wrong pronoun, it can do harm.

**Childcare/Nursery:** Located in the courtyard, the first room to the right as you leave the sanctuary building. Children are welcomed and encouraged to stay in worship, even if they are noisy! The nursery is available beginning at 10 AM for children younger than kindergarten

**Children's activity sheets** and fidget bags are available in the narthex.

**Changing table** is available in the Nursery.

**Unisex/family restrooms** are accessible from the narthex, to the left as you exit the sanctuary.

**The balcony** is open for those wishing to have more social distancing.

**Holy Communion** is typically celebrated on the first Sunday of the month.

**Masks** are required while on campus at Allendale to protect the most vulnerable.

**Zoom** links for Allendale's virtual events can be found at [www.allendaleumc.org/online](http://www.allendaleumc.org/online)

# UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jun 19-24 Music & Worship Arts Week at Lake Junaluska, NC  
*Learn more at [www.musicartsweek.org](http://www.musicartsweek.org)*
- Sat Jun 25 St Pete. Pride Parade
- Sun Jul 10 New Member Sunday (Sanctuary) 10:30 AM  
*Sign-up at [allendaleumc.org/join](http://allendaleumc.org/join)*
- Jul 11-16 Summer Camp at Warren Willis Camp (Fruitland Park)  
Learn more at [www.wwumccc.org/programs/classic-camps](http://www.wwumccc.org/programs/classic-camps)
- Aug 1-5 Wild Wonder - Vacation Bible School  
Learn more at [www.allendaleumc.org/vbs](http://www.allendaleumc.org/vbs)

## WORSHIP NOTES

### LITURGIST:

#### ANDREW JOHN HOLLAND

(they/them & he/him) grew up in St. Petersburg, right around the corner from Allendale UMC. A third generation local, their grandmother and parents still live in the city, and their younger sister, Franci, lives in Melbourne, Australia. Andrew graduated from Shorecrest, and initially went to the Savannah College of Art & Design for video game development. Though he dropped out in 2017, he is planning to return to college for a degree in Community Advocacy and Social Policy in the fall of 2023. Andrew currently lives on the south side with their friend and roommate, Landin, and very opinionated cat, Kiki.

### TODAY'S WORSHIP BAND:

piano/vocals - Kristellys Estanga

guitar/vocals - Jazmine Mateus

vocals - Michelle Taylor

Contact [tru@allendaleumc.org](mailto:tru@allendaleumc.org)

to join our band or choir

### WANT TO JOIN ALLENDALE?:

The next opportunity:

**Sun Jul 10 at 10:30 AM**

Sign-up at: [www.allendaleumc.org/join](http://www.allendaleumc.org/join)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PRIDE 2022 T-SHIRTS:** Our 2022 PRIDE T-shirts are here! We have sizes ranging from XS-4XL. T-shirts cost \$25 each or you can buy a reduced-price shirt for \$10.

*Order your shirt here:*

[www.allendaleumc.org/shirt](http://www.allendaleumc.org/shirt)

**PRIDE 2022 PARADE:** Every year, Allendale marches in the Pride Parade together in solidarity with signs of love and affirmation for the LGBTQ community in the St. Pete area and beyond. This year's pride parade is Jun 25 time TBD. *Sign up to march with us:* [www.allendaleumc.org/pride](http://www.allendaleumc.org/pride)

**PRIDE in PINELLAS PARK:** Allendale UMC will have a booth set up at the Pinellas Park Pride event on Sat Jun 18. *Contact Greg Davidson: [gregdavid01@gmail.com](mailto:gregdavid01@gmail.com) if you would like to help setup or run the booth.*



# STEWARDSHIP

## PRAYERS

**Ruth Spangler:** recovering from a fall  
**Greta Williamson:** Gene's heart recovery (brother)  
**Greta Williamson:** Cindy's chemotherapy (friend)  
**Matt Blaine:** kidney stone treatments  
**Tom Simpson:** recovering from fractured femur  
**MaryEllen Simpson:** loss of Kitty McQuillen (sister)  
**Donna Baxla:** lung cancer treatments  
**Lorin Baxla:** loss of Rita Shonkwiler (sister)  
**Marla Radigan:** knee replacement recovery  
**Keith Glasscock:** Mary's health concerns (mother)  
**Kate Pravera:** sister's breast cancer recurrence  
**Betsy Drouin:** loss of Peter Drouin (father)  
**Kenaya Edghill:** father's cancer treatments  
**Mark Frederick:** Jenny's surgery recovery  
**Colleen Crawford:** loss of George (father)

## BIRTHDAYS

Erin Giblin	Jun 12
David Franks	Jun 14
Beth Jones	Jun 16
Don Windle	Jun 25
Lisa Paquet	Jun 28
Hillary Van Dyke	Jun 30
Angie Williams	Jun 30

*Birthdays missing? Please contact the office*

## PRESENCE

Previous Sunday: 62 in-person, 156 online  
*Livestream: [www.allendaleumc.org/online](http://www.allendaleumc.org/online)*

## GIFTS

**Give online:** [www.allendaleumc.org/give](http://www.allendaleumc.org/give)  
**Text-to-give:** Text amount to 727-312-0808  
**Amazon Smile:** Allendale United Methodist

## SETTING UP AUTOMATIC ONLINE GIVING:

Signing up is easy. Our goal for 2022 is to have every pledged giver signed up. Thank you so much for your investment in our collective work of liberation. Contact Beth to set up online giving or go to our website [www.allendaleumc.org/give](http://www.allendaleumc.org/give).

*Give Online*



## WITNESS



It was around the year 415 and St. Augustine was walking along the beach on a bright, sunny day. He was frustrated, having taken a break from working on what's become known as one of his greatest doctrinal contributions to the Church, "On the Trinity." The subject matter had left him bleary-eyed – in need of fresh air.

A boy on the beach was clearly up to something, running back-and-forth between the sea and a tiny hole in the ground.

"My son, what are you doing there?"

The boy held up the pink shell, "I'm trying to fit that great big ocean into this tiny hole."

"My child, you could never fit this great ocean into that tiny hole!"

The child didn't flinch, "And you could never possibly understand the Holy Trinity." Then in a flash, the boy disappeared.

St. Augustine wrote "on The Trinity" for over 30 years without ever finishing it. Or did he? Perhaps leaving this treatise on such a remarkable mystery unfinished was the best ending of all.

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

*Let us know you are here by going to [www.allendaleumc.org/here](http://www.allendaleumc.org/here)*

PRELUDE ..... Allendale Band

*What the World Needs Now* |David|

WELCOME ..... Rev. Andy Oliver

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SONG ..... Allendale Band

*Holy, Holy, Holy, Love Now Ascending* |Burkio|

CALL TO WORSHIP & PRAYER ..... Andrew John Holland

TIME WITH CHILDREN ..... Rev. Andy Oliver

OFFERING ..... Congregation

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OFFERTORY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION ..... Allendale Choir

*This Is Me* |Pasek and Paul|

SONG ..... Allendale Choir

*True Colors* |Lauper|

SCRIPTURE ..... Andrew John Holland

*John 16:12-15*

SERMON ..... Rev. Andy Oliver

SONG ..... Allendale Band

*I Choose Love* |Miller|

CONNECTING WITH THE COMMUNITY ..... Theresa Frost

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS ..... Congregation

BENEDICTION ..... Andrew John Holland

POSTLUDE ..... Allendale Choir

*Seasons of Love* |Larson|



### **JOHN 16:12-15**

What Good News it is that the Holy One and Source of all the universe is pleased by us, Their creation! They do not consider us with disgust or, perhaps worse, They are not indifferently inconsiderate of us. Wisdom personified in Proverbs rejoices that God delights in humanity! For the Great I Am to have poured Her love onto us, we must be pretty important! Humans must be worthy of love, care, and protection. Our glorious inheritance from our All-Loving Parent serves as our affirmation. Blessed be!

*Image from Unsplash  
Liturgy that Matters by Enfleshed*

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Maria Davidson | Nursery Coordinator

Kaitlyn Grainger, Madison Redington, &

Adrienne Mitenius | Nursery Attendants

All in the Congregation | Ministers of the Gospel

Dr. Kate Pravera | Theologian in Residence

Rev. David Franks | Clergy in Residence

## **THIS WEEK**

*For a listing of virtual meetings, go to:  
[www.allendaleumc.org/online](http://www.allendaleumc.org/online).*

### **Sun, Jun 12**

10:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)

5 PM AA Crystal Meth Anon (Tubman)

5:30 PM Youth (Wesley, Kitchen & Youth Room)

### **Mon, Jun 13**

7:30 PM AA Common Solutions (Bill W.)

8 PM AA Go After Sobriety (Rustin & Tubman)

### **Tue, Jun 14**

10 AM Women's Sharing & Praying (Zoom)

7 PM Depression & BiPolar Support (CC)

### **Wed, Jun 15**

6 PM Scripture Class (Zoom)

7 PM Women's Bible Study (Zoom)

8 PM AA Go After Sobriety (Rustin)

### **Thu, Jun 16**

7 PM AA Home Group (Bill W.)

8 PM AA Go After Your Sobriety (Rustin)

### **Fri, Jun 17**

7:30 PM AA Common Solutions (Bill W.)

8 PM AA Go After Your Sobriety (Rustin)

### **Sat, Jun 18**

9:30 AM AA Women's Reflection (Bill W.)

### **Sun, Jun 19**

10:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)

5 PM AA Crystal Meth Anon (Tubman)

5:30 PM Youth (Wesley, Kitchen & Youth Room)