

McCormick Methodist Church

July 20, 2025

10:00 AM

Sixth Sunday After Pentecost

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude for Sunday

Peggy Thomas

*Praise Time

Soul On Fire

Screen

Opening Prayer

Liturgist

Leader: Lord Jesus, bind us to you and to our brothers and sisters with love. May our hearts not be turned away from you and your Word. May our souls not be deceived nor our talents or minds enticed by allurements or error, so that we may never distance ourselves from your love. May we learn this morning to love our neighbor as ourselves with strength, wisdom and gentleness. With your help, you who are blessed throughout all ages. Let us pray together.

All: God of holy hospitality, you make the world your neighborhood. Opening yourself to all, you care for those in special need, of body, mind or soul. As those who long to re-create your beloved community, we discover many neighbors, far and near, many in great need. Today we remember neighbors near and far, those around the corner and those around the world. We lift up those in our community and those around the world who are injured or sick, who long for your healing ... whose disagreements bring discord ... whose differences keep them from seeing their common humanity ... For all of our neighbors, Lord, in your mercy, hear our prayer. Jesus our Host, you tell us that the door is open to anyone who knocks. Help us to live as neighbors with all those who eat with us, and with all those who long to eat. Teach us also to create new community with those who eat in other houses, around other tables. Unite us with brothers and sisters everywhere, as neighbors of yours,

The 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Anthem

"Open My Eyes"

Kerri Bowser

The Gospel Lesson

Luke 10: 25-37

Liturgist

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

People: Thanks Be to God

The Message

"Indifference From the Devil"

Rev. Ledwell

***Hymn of Dedication**

"Rescue the Perishing"

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Tithes and Offerings

***Sending Forth**

God's faithfulness, kindness and mercy are unfailing and without end. May that faithfulness, kindness and mercy spill out from our lives to each person that we encounter this week. May lives be changed as the gospel is lived out of our words and actions. Go now, full of kindness and mercy for others. Amen.

***Postlude**

*Please stand if able

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The flowers on the altar are given to the Glory of God
And in Loving Memory of her mother, Julia Campbell, on her birthday
By Linda and Jessica Kidd