ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 21, 2026

9:30 & 11:00 A.M.

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

The bells ring three times to represent the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

WELCOME Rev. Nancy Harper

ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Nancy Harper

MEET & GREET Rev. Nancy Harper

PRELUDE *God of Grace and God of Glory* arr. Paul Manz

CALL TO WORSHIP (SUNG) Daniel deShazo

Leader: When you seek me, you shall find me if you search with all your heart. When you seek me, you shall find me if you search with all your heart.

People: When you seek me, you shall find me if you search with all your heart. When you seek me, you shall find me if you search with all your heart.

† **HYMN NO. 400** *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* NETTLETON

† **AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Apostles' Creed (9:30) Rev. Reid Turner (11:00) Rev. Seth Moon

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 rose 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. Amen.

† **GLORIA PATRI** GREATOREX

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.

Children's Church (11:00 only): Children ages 3 years old – 1st grade are invited at this time to go with our Children's Ministry leader to Room 160. Please make sure your children are wearing their name tags.

PASTORAL PRAYER (9:30) Rev. Reid Turner (11:00) Rev. Seth Moon

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.

HYMN NO. 397 *I Need Thee Every Hour* NEED

(Please Remain Seated)

I need thee every hour, most gracious Lord;
no tender voice like thine can peace afford.

Refrain:
I need thee, O I need thee; every hour I need thee; O bless me now, my Savior, I come to thee.

I need thee every hour, most Holy One; O make me thine indeed, thou blessed Son.
Refrain

OFFERTORY PRAYER Rev. Nancy Harper

OFFERTORY *When in Our Music God is Glorified* arr. Mark Hayes

(Please sing as led)

When in our music God is glorified, and adoration leaves no room for pride,
it is as though the whole creation cried: Alleluia!

(vs. 2,3,4: Choir only)

Let every instrument be tuned for praise! Let all rejoice who have a voice to raise,
And may God give us faith to sing always: Alleluia!

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

† **DOXOLOGY** LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

SERMON Rules to Live By: Honoring Our Fathers Rev. Nancy Harper
Scripture : OT -Exodus 20:1-5, 12 (PB 82)
NT- John 15 :9-12 (PB134)

† **HYMN NO. 144** *This is My Father's World* TERRA BEATA

† **INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP**

† **BENEDICTION** Rev. Nancy Harper

† **CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE**

This is my Father's world: why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King; let the heavens ring!
God reigns; let the earth be glad!

† **POSTLUDE** *"Toccata on 'Amazing Grace'"* arr. Chris Pardini

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† Congregation stands, **Bold** congregation read aloud, ***Bold Italic*** congregation sings.

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Musicians
Daniel deShazo, Director of Music and Worship Arts
Kathy Wallace, Piano
Walt Rogers, Organ
Sanctuary Choir

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ALTAR FLOWERS

In Memory of my husband, Michael Raymo by Muriel Raymo.

The two rosebuds on the altar are in celebration of the birth of Karen Ray's twin grandsons.

DONUT SPONSORS

Today's Lickin' Good Donuts are sponsored by the Crosspoint Class

SYMPATHY

Condolences to Carolyn Lott on the death of her brother,
Dan Lott

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

For all upcoming events please visit our website: riverchaseumc.org

Riverchase Men's Breakfast - June 21 The Riverchase Men will have their monthly breakfast from 8:45-9:25 AM in the Riverchase Room. The cost is $5. All men are invited. Please let us know you are coming by registering on the website or by calling the church office at 205-987-4030.

Last Sunday Service in June- June 28th - Please note that on Sunday, June 28, there will be one Traditional Worship Service only, held at 9:30 AM. The 11:00 Traditional Service will not be held that day. However, you are warmly invited to attend our 11:00 AM Modern Worship Service.

Sewing Pop Up – July 18th – Riverchase Women, Needle and Thread and Stitched together are teaming up to hand-sew Christmas stockings for newborns at UAB St. Vincent's. Kits and instructions are provided. All skill levels are welcome. Please visit the website to register.

Summer Music Camp - August 3-6 REGISTRATION OPEN This year's camp will be "Musical Theater" themed. Camp is for rising 5K-6th graders. Please visit the website to register!

Sunday Morning Information Desk Volunteers. We are in need for volunteers to cover the Narthex and Welcome Center desks. Times needed are 9-9:30 and 10:30-11. Just smile and greet people who might have questions and give gift bags to visitors. Contact Sally Dumais for more information.

Riverchase Children's Ministry Sunday Volunteers for 2025/2026 Program Year. We are looking for volunteers who want to be a part of the NOW and FUTURE of our church! Please contact Kristi Rodgers for more information.

RSM - Summer Activities – REGISTRATION OPEN
Youth students check out our News page to see all our Summer Activities and register today!

Hearing Devices are available near the Ushers table in the Narthex

For a current list of all prayer concerns visit our website: www.riverchaseumc.org

WELCOME

We're so glad that you've chosen Riverchase UMC today where our mission is to Share the Joy of Christ. If you'd like to know more about Riverchase UMC, we invite you to visit our website at Riverchaseumc.org or email Cathy Sarris at CathyS@riverchaseumc.org. If you'd prefer to talk to someone then feel free to call the church office at 205-987-4030.

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NURSERY

Beginning with our youngest friends, at 6 weeks old, and ending with 2-year olds, we begin laying the foundations of faith with song, dance, bubbles, laughter, and love! Our nursery workers are happy to provide a safe, loving, and secure nursery for your child from 9:30 AM - 12:15 PM.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Each Sunday at 9:30AM, children (3K to 5th grade) explore the Bible through interactive lessons, stories, crafts, games, and hands-on learning in Riverchase's Sunday School classes for children. These engaging lessons assist parents in providing a foundation of faith.
Parents must check children in and out of classrooms. Look for our Children's Ministry Assistants on Sunday morning to help you find your child's classroom.

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

9:20-9:30 AM - Drop off in Sunday School Classroom
9:35 AM - All classes gather in the Children's Worship Center for Large Group
10:00 AM - All classes return to their classrooms for Small Group
10:30 AM - Pick up in Sunday School Classroom

WAYS TO GIVE

Automatic Bank Draft:
Set up a monthly recurring ACH gift with the church office or use services provided by your bank for automated giving.

Online Giving:
Use our website riverchaseumc.org/give to set up a one-time or recurring payment from your bank account, credit card or debit card.

Cash or Check:
You may place your cash or check in the offering plates as they are passed or mail to the church office.

Engage | PayPal | Venmo

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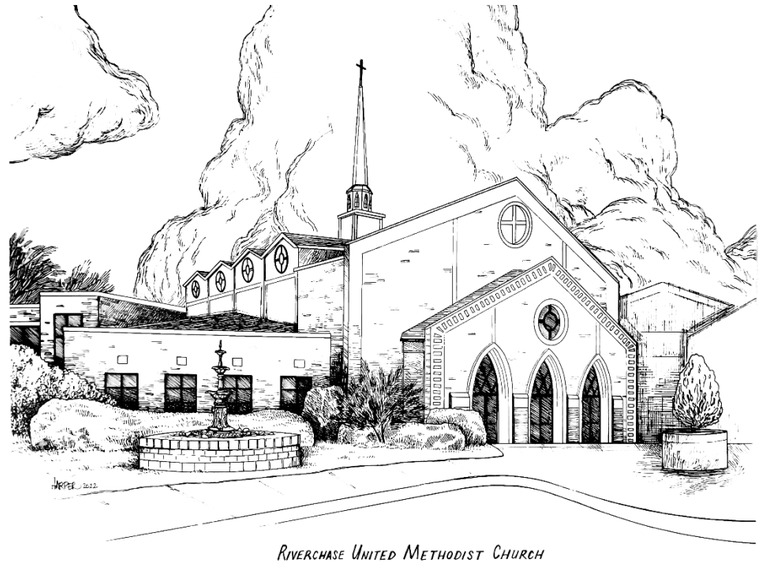

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