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Location: 18700 SW 248th Street Homestead, FL 33031

June 8, 2025

OUR VISION STATEMENT:

We will be Christ's presence in our community, building relationships

OUR BIBLICAL PURPOSE:

"To be a faithful community of devoted servants who will share Christ's love and example."

MUSIC: Felicia Fina; LAY LEADER: Phil Formel

GREETERS: Charles Alderson, Santiago Garcia
LITURGISTS: Jan Burlison, Tom Settle, Yanira Bonilla
USHERS: Charles Alderson, Robert Kelly, Tom Settle,

Jim Rumohr

ACOLYTES: Chloe Junco, Jim Rumohr

Bishop: Rev. Tom Berlin

District Superintendent: Rev. Dr. Simon Osunlana

Pastor: Nelson Bonilla

For emergency pastoral care or needs please contact: if you would like prayer, a visit, to receive the Sacraments of Holy Communion or baptism, information on joining the church or other needs.

Pastor Nelson Bonilla – Phone: 386-631-6193 email: nelson.bonilla@flumc.org

Regular Office Hours – Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9am-1pm or by appointment or the following

members: Santiago Garcia, Administrative Council Chair, 305-608-1184

Redland Community United Methodist Church



June 8, 2025 Pentecost Day

Liturgist: Jan Burlison

WELCOME GUESTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS (BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES)

PRELUDE (acolyte brings light into the gathering place)

Sandy Keffer, Pianist

JOYS AND CONCERNS

(We lift up concerns & thanksgivings)

PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

The Lord's Prayer

*HYMN OF PREPARATION "Surely the Presence of the Lord Is in This Place"

#328(UMH)

Opening Prayer

"Heavenly Father, give us the ability to speak not in languages of hate or greed, complacency or discontent, but in love and peace, mercy and kindness; in generosity and benevolence, in humility and patience, and in truthful words of encouragement. Make us the hands and feet of your invisible Spirit, and like your Spirit, make us invisible, so that the light of Christ Jesus may shine through us. Amen.

HEARING THE WORD

SCRIPTURE READING

ACTS 2:1-21

(N.T)

Leader: The word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

CALL TO WORSHIP:

L: The Holy One calls our sons and our daughters to prophesy.

P: We come, ready to hear the word of God.

L: The Holy One calls our young people to see visions.

P: We come, ready to see new visions.

L: The Holy One calls our elders to dream dreams.

P: We come, ready to dream new dreams.

L: The Spirit of the Holy One is poured upon all flesh.

P: We come, ready to be filled with God's Spirit.

<u>SERMON</u>

HYMN OF INVITATION"

"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

#334UMH

OFFERTORY

Special Music (Offering plate in center aisle)

PIANIST

*OFFERTORY PRAISE:

(Doxology)

#95 (UMH)

*HYMN OF PRAISE

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

#577(UMH)

*HYMN OF SENDING

"God Be With You, Till We Meet Again"
(First Verse)

#672 (UMH)

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada

#883(UMH)

*BENEDICTION

SUNG RESPONSE

"A-men, a-men, a - men."

#898 (UMH)

GREETING ONE ANOTHER:

#557(UMH)

As the body of Christ in the world, let us share his love and peace with one another.

C: (Congregation) "Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above."

*Please stand as you are able Join us in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments following the service!

Please remember the Joys and Concerns in your daily prayer.

"The LORD'S loving kindnesses indeed never cease, For His compassions never fail. They are new every morning; Great is Your faithfulness." Lamentations 3:22-23

JOYS: Our Church Family. The Fruits of the Spirit.

CONCERNS: Lucy's son and his family. Prayers for our country. Prayers for our denomination, local churches, pastors, and leaders. Prayers for all immigrants. Prayers for the people of Gaza. For all missionaries around the word. For People struggling with mental health. All victims and their families of tragic violent shootings. Immigrants seeking asylum. All victims of terrorism and natural disasters. Those in Hospice Care, and those suffering from cancer. Prayers for single moms. All who are grieving the loss of a loved one. For World leaders to make good decisions that lead to peace. Ed & Karen's son Brian. Pray for people experiencing homelessness. Traveling mercies for those traveling. Healing prayers for: Gus' sister Theresa is back in the hospital. Harriet Morris. Chris Field. Santiago Garcia. Continue prayers for Lily, she's at the hospital with a brain infection. Valentina, needing a bone marrow transplant, and Michelle her mom diagnosed with cancer. Felicia's sister. May's brother David. Lucy's brother-in-Law Mike. Jina May. Jim's brother, sister and brother-in-law (Terry Rumohr, Sharon, Mike). Dottie. Jan's mom. Sandi Settle continued healing.

HAPPY PENTECOST SUNDAY



<u>CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS –</u> Sunday, June 8, 2025

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday: 9:00 am -Worship Service

Fellowship Coffee after service

Tuesday: 10:00 am -Prayer and Share in the multi-purpose room.

Friday: 11:00 am - Bible Study

5:00pm- Fellowship Dinner: First Sunday of every month

(BIRTHDAYS, ANNIVERSARIES) HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO ALL BORN IN JUNE!

JUNE ACTIVITIES:

PARKING EVENT: June 21st & 22nd

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE CALENDAR: Hosts are needed for our fellowship coffee on Sundays. Please consider signing up to host Coffee Fellowship Sundays after service. Sign-up list is in the Fellowship Hall.

UPPER ROOM: Daily devotional now available in the Narthex.

Prayers for healing of the World- Join us daily at 12:00pm.

"Tree of Life" – Leaves and other features are available to dedicate or memorialize special individuals in your life. Flyers are available in the narthex.

AC: If you wish to donate to this project, please mark your special donations as "AC offering."

NOTE: Pastor Nelson can be reached at (386) 631-6193

A STATEMENT OF FAITH OF THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA (The United Methodist Hymnal, #883)

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God.

We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

Acts 2:1-21

Filled with the Spirit

- 1 When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place.
- 2 And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting.
- 3 Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them.
- 4 All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.
- 5 Now there were devout Jews from every people under heaven living in Jerusalem.
- 6 And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each.
- 7 Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans?
- 8 And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language?
- 9 Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia.
- 10 Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes,
- 11 Cretans and Arabs--in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power."
- 12 All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?"
- 13 But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine."
- 14 But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Fellow Jews and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say.
- 15 Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning.
- 16 No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel:
- 17 'In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams.
- 18 Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit, and they shall prophesy.
- 19 And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist.
- 20 The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day.
- 21 Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'