

### Our Mission

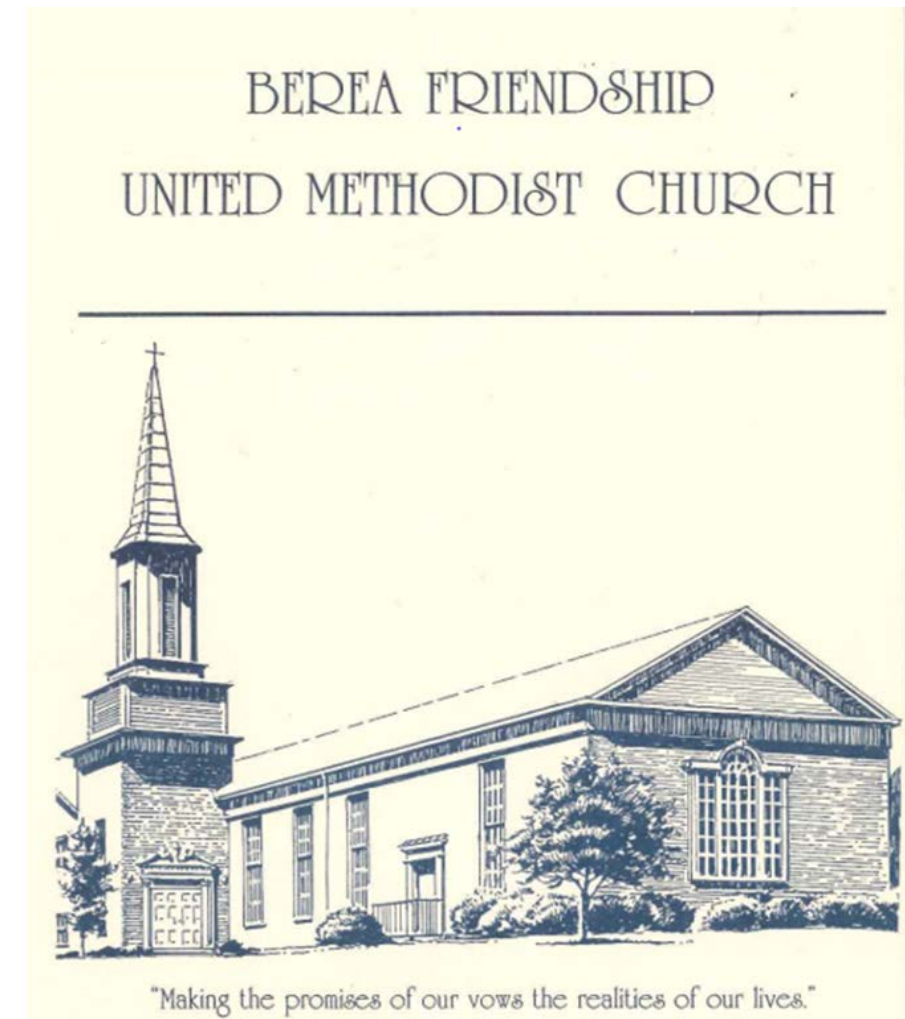
Berea Friendship United Methodist Church is called  
To share the good news of Jesus and to serve others in His name.

### Our Vision

At Berea Friendship United Methodist Church  
Our vision is to strengthen and encourage our faith journey with others to  
Build meaningful relationships and make disciples of Jesus Christ.

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**Attendance for May 15<sup>th</sup> :**      Worship –44



***May 22 , 2022***

Welcome to Berea Friendship United Methodist Church!		
THE PRELUDE	Morning Tribute	Lyndell Leatherman
LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES		
GREETING AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		
TRINITY CHIMES		
CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP	To God Be The Glory	
*HYMN –No.577	God Of Grace And God Of Glory	
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH -		
Let us therefore “grow up” in our faith, Leaving behind the basics and going on to the mature practice of thinking more like Christ. We shouldn’t just keep talking about overcoming sin and death, And instead we should turn to living more like Christ. And we shouldn’t waste time arguing about how to baptize, Or the laying of hands, Or discussing who is going to heaven and who is not, Or who is to be judged and who is not, and instead, We should keep our hearts and minds and hands about the business of allowing Christ to live through us everyday. Amen.		
CHILDREN’S MOMENT <i>(ages 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed at this time for Children’s Church.)</i>		
PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION:		
Look! God is making a home among us! <b>God, we welcome your justice and salvation within us and between us.</b> The Son of God is making our lives the home of God’s love and light. <b>Jesus Christ, we welcome your love and light within us and between us.</b> The Spirit of God is making our hearts and lives a home for God. <b>Holy Spirit, we welcome your peace and guidance within us and between us.</b> Let us worship the triune God! We welcome God home!		
CHORAL ANTHEM	Renew Me	Carolyn Hamlin
SCRIPTURE READING:	John 14:24-29	Pastor

<sup>24</sup> Whoever does not love me does not keep my words, and the word that you hear is not mine but is from the Father who sent me.  
<sup>25</sup> “I have said these things to you while I am still with you.  
<sup>26</sup> But the Advocate,<sup>[a]</sup> the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in my name, will teach you everything and remind you of all that I have said to you.  
<sup>27</sup> Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled, and do not let them be afraid.  
<sup>28</sup> You heard me say to you, ‘I am going away, and I am coming to you.’ If you loved me, you would rejoice that I am going to the Father, because the Father is greater than I.  
<sup>29</sup> And now I have told you this before it occurs, so that when it does occur you may believe.

SERMON	“When Anyone Loves Jesus”	Pastor Davon Harrelson
SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION, PETITION, THANKSGIVING		
PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER		
OFFERTORY	Offertorium	Gordon Young
*DOXOLOGY – No. 95		
*HYMN – No.431	Let There Be Peace On Earth	
*EXTINGUISHING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES		
*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING		
*CHORAL BENEDICTION	Go Now in Peace (The congregation is invited to sing) Go now in peace, go now in peace, May the love of God surround you everywhere, Everywhere you may go.	Natalie Sleeth
*POSTLUDE	Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart	Arthur H. Messier

\*<sup>a</sup>Please stand

**Prayer List:** Noah Belsito, Elaine Campbell, Shannon Effah, Ted Mann  
Family, Nancy McCants, Gloria Moore, Henry Philpot, Sam Ravan, & Daryl  
Wilkerson.

### **Announcements:**

#### **Continued Prayer For Our Shut Ins.**

Dr. Eugene Bondurant, Elaine Campbell, Sue Coggins, Blanche Creswell, Shirley Dickson, Millie Dunn, Libby Gilliam, Carolyn Hunter, Gloria Moore, Alex and Janet Stone, Barbara Thackston.

**Administrative Council:** meet on Wednesday, May 25, 2022 at 7:30 pm in the Social Hall.

#### **BIBLE STUDY TODAY: 1:00 pm in the Huckaby Classroom.**

We will be watching Episode 8 of Season 1 of The Chosen. Each episode is approximately 50 minutes. We will watch an Episode and follow with discussion. You can also watch these Series from home by linking to:

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**CDC Graduation: May 26<sup>th</sup>**. Outreach Ministries has purchased Bibles for CDC Graduates. The Bibles will be placed in the Narthex for you to write a special note to each Graduate!

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**Men's Group:** meet Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 am in the Social Hall.

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