

# First Sunday after Christmas

**10:00 AM**

**December 28, 2025**

The liturgical color of white represents the hope of Christ's return and the Lord's justice

## Call to Worship

Announcements & Opening Prayer

+Gathering Hymn                      *Good Christian Friends Rejoice*                      #224 (UMH)

**Psalm Reading**                      Psalm 148                      #148 (UMH)

+Affirmation of Faith                      *Apostles' Creed*                      #881 (UMH)

Gloria Patri

## Children's Lesson

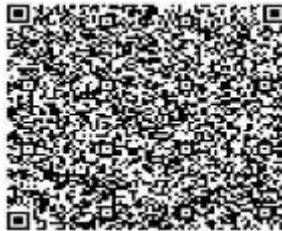
Scripture Lesson                      Isaiah 63:7-9                      pg. 652 (OT)

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

The Lord's Prayer                      #895 (UMH)

## Receiving & Blessing of God's Tithe & Offerings

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## +Doxology

Epistle Lesson                      Hebrews 2:10-18                      pg. 205 (NT)

## Choir Anthem

Gospel Lesson                      Matthew 2:13-23                      pg. 1 (NT)

Sermon Message                      *Rachel Weeping for her Children*                      Rev. John Kronz

+Closing Hymn                      *Hark the Herald Angels Sing*                      #240 (UMH)

Benediction

### Giving

Month	Deposit	Debit	Difference
November	\$14,646.39	\$20,196.50	-\$5,550.11
Year Total	\$218,975.51	\$221,758.19	\$2,782.68

The Columbarium is fully funded

The final apportionment payment of \$4,185 had been made bringing the total paid up to \$21,985

**Greeters/Ushers:** Jolly Volunteers

**Children's Sermon:** Stephanie Cook

**Prayer Requests Shiloh UMC:** The United Methodist Church; our country; Tim Mimms; Wayne Augustine; Duane Rast; Lanette Black; Joe Bines; Sonya Lindy; Katy Smith; Jenny Rost; Susan Compton; Mirium McCoy; Alex Steele; Delores Rucker; Laura Padgett; Nathon Harmon; Roger Long; Janet Leondon; Willy and Mily Mendoza; Sharon Taylor; Marie Messinger; Rebecca Leaphart; Rhonda Rwoley; Beverly Leaphart; Melanie Whiteman; Linda & Ray Guess; Jason Green; Kacey Adams; Ken Colton; William Wheaton; Robert Rogers; Angela Smith; Doris Reynolds; Mary Smith; Cody Taylor; Beck Sheally; Patty Justlong; Henry Jacobs; Angela Brown; Jim Sanders; Debbie Williams; Chris Bickley; Tom Hamp; Virginia Higgenbottom; Lisa Butler; Henry Jacobs; Ralph Boshbury; Margeret Anne; Kay Harsey; Becky Addy; Norma Zwart; Charles Sedberry; Sage Hughes; Paula McDaniel; Tina McDaniel; Janice Hunter; Heidi Bullock; Ebony Bowers; Connie Hawkins; Dave Shreiber; Buddy Leaphart; Marion Norris; Ed West; Johnny Bailey; Bill South; Laura Vasquez; administrators; teachers; students; parents; pastors; our leaders.

### **SHILOH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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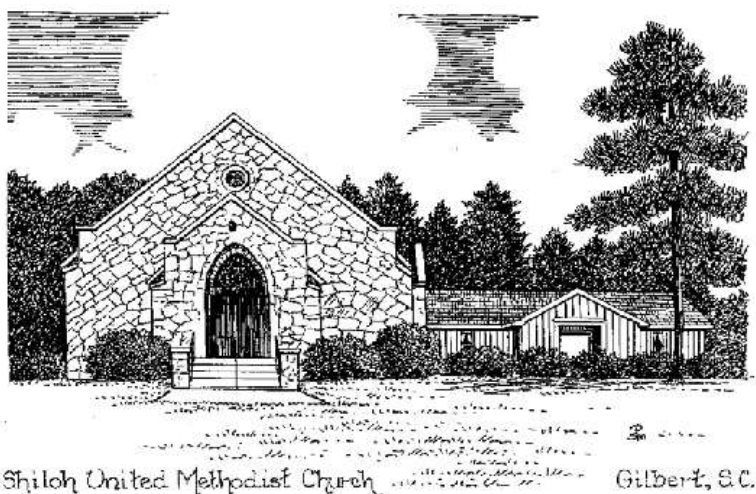
**Stephanie Cook-Smith**

## **Announcements**

- Seeking dried goods, canned goods, and non-perishable items for our blessing box
- New Year Prayer Walk – January 6 at Columbia UMC, meeting at 3pm
- Wednesday Bible Study on hiatus until Jan. 7
- Lunch & Learn January 8<sup>th</sup>
- Scan below for our new Churchtrac App



# Shiloh United Methodist Church



## Mission Statement:

*Love God, Love Others, Reach Out*