

REHOBOTH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 6, 2011

Twenty-first Sunday After Pentecost

All Saints' Day

Liturgical Color, White

Doug Benton, Pastor

Congregation, Ministers

THE GREETING AND THE WELCOME AND CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH

THE MEMORY OF REHOBOTH

Billy Crawford

THE CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*THE PRELUDE

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

"Rejoice in the Lord"

*THE INVOCATION

Holy Spirit, come and descend upon our hearts as silently as a dove descending.

As brightly as a flame burns at night, Holy Spirit, come to kindle new love in us.

As comforting as the presence of a friend, Holy Spirit, come to abide in us. Amen.

THE RECOGNITION OF THE SAINTS

Wanda Bennett, Madonna Grahn, Thelma Smith

*THE HYMN OF ADORATION *"For All the Saints"*

No. 711

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed

No. 881

THE WIGGLE TIME AT THE ALTAR

Diane Horn

*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION *"Open Our Eyes, Lord"*

FWS No. S2086

*THE ACT OF PRAISE Psalm 34

No. 769

THE MORNING PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER

THE CHORAL RESPONSE

THE OFFERING

THE PRESENTATION OF HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY

No. 94

THE ANTHEM

*THE SCRIPTURE LESSON Hebrews 12:1-3

N.T. 212

THE SERMON *"Saints Alive"*

Rev. Faye Stephens

THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*THE HYMN OF DEDICATION *"Marching to Zion"*

No. 733

You are urged to come forward to pray at the altar rail during the Hymn of Dedication. Please raise your hand if you have a special need, and the pastor or assistant will come to consult or pray with you.

*THE BENEDICTION

*Please stand.

**We promise to uphold Rehoboth Church with our prayers, our presence,
our gifts, and our service.**

OUR PRAYERS:

Prayer Concerns:	Pat Crawford	Agnes Smith
	Mary Warren	Ken Waldron
	Shay Brown	Doris Fulmer
	Moto Howe	Bob & Nancy Smith
	Grace Slater	Hank Koch
	Earle Kirkley	Tina Thompson
	Sylvia Andrews	Tom & Addie Mae Jones
	Judi Rose	Susan Neeley
	Barbara Herndon	Skipper Merrill
	Beverly Clark	Sam & Ida Rhyner
	Bowen Stewart	Don & Doris Martin
	Kelly Benjamin	Pat Hollingsworth
	Carol Skvasik	Bobby Moore
	Roseanne Dickerson	Leo & Peggy Dryer
	Sonny Johnson	Faye Neeley
	Janene Enevoldsen	Nona Jacobs
	Barbara Hussey	Eli Mendoza
	Mina Harsey	Charmaine Hutchins
	Betty Jo Hayes	

OUR PRESENCE:	October 30	Sunday School	39
		Worship Service	109

OUR GIFTS:

Budgeted amount received last week	\$ 3,946.58
Budgeted amount received year to date	\$138,978.89
Budgeted needs weekly	\$ 4,139.90
Budgeted needs year to date	\$181,526.81
Difference	\$(29,540.17)

THANK YOU TO: Kelli Windham & her crew of volunteers for the terrific auction on Friday night and Judi Rose & her crew of volunteers for the terrific yard sale on Saturday

**Rehoboth United Methodist Church is a diverse fellowship of believers
demonstrating the love of God to all through Jesus Christ,
empowered by the Holy Spirit.**

CALENDAR

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship
Children's Church
12:15 p.m. Children's Choir
12:15 p.m. All Saints Covered Dish Lunch

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 7

6:00 p.m. Adult Handbells
6:30 p.m. UMM
6:30 p.m. UMW

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

6:45 a.m. Prayer Breakfast at Lizard's Thicket (in front of Target)
10:30 a.m. Christine Sutton/Edna Brown Prayer Group
6:00 p.m. Trustees
6:00 p.m. DJJ

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

6:30 p.m. Adult Choir

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 10

6:00 p.m. Thankful Thursday

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

8:30 a.m. RUMC to Washington St. soup kitchen

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

9:30 a.m. Produce Giveaway

For the beauty of the service, the altar flowers are dedicated to the glory of God.
and in memory of all the Saints of Rehoboth and
all the saints in the Martin, Swindler, and Jones families.
Given with love by Tom, Addie Mae, Tommy, & Tiffany Jones.

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Music Director/Organist: Toni Hollingsworth **Greeter:** Dianne Clark
Trustee Lock-up: Mary Jane Moore **Lay Reader:** 11/06 Dave Petty; 11/13 Paul Elliott
Communion Assistant: Dave Petty
Nursery Worker: 11/06 Marge O'Donnell; 11/13 Tiffany Jones
Ushers: Ed Burch, Paul Elliott, Brian O'Donnell, Dan O'Donnell

WELCOME VISITORS: We are delighted to have you with us in worship today. We hope your visit with us will be spiritually enriching. **Please fill out the pew registration pad.** A nursery is provided for children 3 and under. Please sign the form located in the narthex before worship if you would like your children to go to the nursery located in the Education Building. Children must be picked up and signed out from the nursery after morning worship. If you would like for your children to attend our children's church in the parlor after wiggle time, please sign the form located in the narthex before worship. Children must be picked up and signed out from the parlor after morning worship. The restrooms are in the Education Building and our ushers can direct you.

NEW CHOIR MEMBERS: We are so happy to have some new "young blood" in the choir. The music ministry of Rehoboth would like to welcome Victoria Crawford and Cory Morgan to the adult choir. They are both very active in the music/arts programs in their schools. Their talents will make a wonderful contribution to our music ministry. Please let them know how much their participation means to our worship experience.

ACCOLYTE & CRUCIFER: Courtney Johnson will be the acolyte and McKenzie Reed (Rehoboth's first crucifer) will be the crucifer today. The cross that the crucifer carries was donated by George and Edna Brown.

THANKSGIVING CAKE SALE: Order forms will be available at or after the auction. Delivery will be Wednesday, November 23. Watch for more details!

YOU'RE INVITED TO St. James UMC bazaar on Saturday, November 12, from 7 a.m. - 1 p.m. St. James is located at 3390 Pine Belt Rd., Columbia, SC 29204.

PLEASE JOIN US at the Community Thanksgiving Service on Sunday, November 20, at 6 p.m. The service will be held at Tree of Life Synagogue, Trenholm Rd., Columbia.

POINSETTIA order forms are available in the narthex.

2011 CHARGE CONFERENCE booklets are available in the credenza outside the church office. They include "The State of the Church" report, the slate of officers for the coming year, the 2012 church budget, and the 2012 apportionments.

THIS WEEK'S BIRTHDAYS:

06 Patsy Neal

08 Jessica Barnes

08 Jane Massey

07 LaRee Manning

08 Genie Carns

11 Gabrielle Mason

07 Christa Wall

08 James Corn

11 Jennifer Jeffcoat

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THANKFUL THURSDAY

(replaces Wonderful Wednesday)

**Tickets: \$6/person
\$18/immediate family**

**Menu: Pork roast, macaroni & cheese,
vegetables, rolls, dessert & beverage.**

**We had over 100 attend our first gathering.
Let's do it again! Invite a friend or neighbor!
If you don't get tickets but want to come,
contact L.W. Smith or Mary Jane Moore.**

Next Thankful Thursday: November 17

All net proceeds go to help pay apportionments.

100th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION CHOIR

In celebration of our 100th Anniversary on Sunday, December 11, the music department will be presenting lots of special music during the service. We are asking all current and former choir members participate in this special choir. Our goal is to have about 25-40 members. We will be singing some great pieces - 4 previously performed choir favorites as well as one new special piece. The day will include choirs, organ, piano, violin, and handbells.

PIECES TO BE PERFORMED

“How Great Thou Art”
“It Is Well With My Soul”
“This Little Light of Mine”
“A Song Unending”
“To God Be the Glory”

We are asking that everyone try to attend AT LEAST 3 of the 5 rehearsals with the Saturday, December 10, rehearsal being one of them. This will be our “dress rehearsal”. If you live in town, please try to make all of the rehearsals.

REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

Wed., Nov. 16	Men 6-6:30	All 6:30-7:15
Wed., Nov. 30	Men 6-6:30	All 6:30-7:15
Sun., Dec. 4	Men 2-2:30	All 2:30-3:30
Wed., Dec. 7	All 6-7	
Sat., Dec. 10	All 11-12:30	

the
WINTER ROSE

by Joseph M. Martin
with Narration by Pamela Martin



**The Combined Choirs of
Rehoboth UMC & Windsor UMC
will be presenting**

THE WINTER ROSE

**Saturday December 17, 2011
at 5:30 pm
Cantata will be held at Windsor United Methodist Church
9500 Windsor Lake Boulevard**