



Contemporary Service

Ruth 1: 1 - 18 (RSV) Revised Standard Version

In the days when the judges ruled there was a famine in the land, and a certain man of Bethlehem in Judah went to sojourn in the country of Moab, he and his wife and his two sons. 2 The name of the man was Elim'elech and the name of his wife Na'omi, and the names of his two sons were Mahlon and Chil'ion; they were Eph'rathites from Bethlehem in Judah. They went into the country of Moab and remained there. 3 But Elim'elech, the husband of Na'omi, died, and she was left with her two sons. 4 These took Moabite wives; the name of the one was Orpah and the name of the other Ruth. They lived there about ten years; 5 and both Mahlon and Chil'ion died, so that the woman was bereft of her two sons and her husband.

6 Then she started with her daughters-in-law to return from the country of Moab, for she had heard in the country of Moab that the LORD had visited his people and given them food. 7 So she set out from the place where she was, with her two daughters-in-law, and they went on the way to return to the land of Judah. 8 But Na'omi said to her two daughters-in-law, "Go, return each of you to her mother's house. May the LORD deal kindly with you, as you have dealt with the dead and with me. 9 The LORD grant that you may find a home, each of you in the house of her husband!" Then she kissed them, and they lifted up their voices and wept. 10 And they said to her, "No, we will return with you to your people." 11 But Na'omi said, "Turn back, my daughters, why will you go with me? Have I yet sons in my womb that they may become your husbands? 12 Turn back, my daughters, go your way, for I am too old to have a husband. If I should say I have hope, even if I should have a husband this night and should bear sons, 13 would you therefore wait till they were grown? Would you therefore refrain from marrying? No, my daughters, for it is exceedingly bitter to me for your sake that the hand of the LORD has gone forth against me." 14 Then they lifted up their voices and wept again; and Orpah kissed her mother-in-law, but Ruth clung to her.

15 And she said, "See, your sister-in-law has gone back to her people and to her gods; return after your sister-in-law." 16 But Ruth said, "Entreat me not to leave you or to return from following you; for where you go I will go, and where you lodge I will lodge; your people shall be my people, and your God my God; 17 where you die I will die, and there will I be buried. May the LORD do so to me and more also if even death parts me from you." 18 And when Na'omi saw that she was determined to go with her, she said no more.

Rev. W. Russell Freeman, Sr.

Pastor

Rev. Emily Kirby
Associate Pastor

9:30 AM CONTEMPORARY SERVICE

OPENING SONGS "Testify to Love" The River Band
"Untitled Hymn"

PRAYER Rev. Emily Kirby

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONG "Good God" The River Band

SCRIPTURE Ruth 1: 1 - 18 Rev. Emily Kirby

SERMON Leadership Lessons: "Crowded Table" Rev. Emily Kirby

OFFERTORY PRAYER OFFERING "Brother" The River Band

PRAYER Rev. Emily Kirby
LORD'S PRAYER

SONG "Hold Us Together" The River Band

BENEDICTION

The River Band: John Bove, Eric Freeman, Bart Griffin, Erik Stair, Jordan Stair, Barry Sullivan, *Kelly Campman, leader*

Sound System: Andy Harman

Pro Presenter: Jan Weiss & Pat Angelini

In Person Worship Guidelines/Rules (Revision)

The Health and Wellness team in the church has begun 3 foot social distancing in both the Sanctuary & Life Center. You will not be required to wear a face mask but you will be asked about vaccination(s). We are not asking for proof or paperwork. We will take your word.

***DHEC** will be doing Covid testing again in the church parking lot on Wednesday, June 30 from 10:00 – 2:00 pm. All are welcome to come by for testing.*

Drive Thru Prayer

Wednesday, June 30 - 11 AM to 1 PM
at Circle in Front of Life Center

Cereal & Powdered Milk Sunday is next week, July 4. Please bring your donations of cereal, powdered milk or other items to the church at this time for North Strand Helping Hand. Other items can be canned meats, pasta, and peanut butter. These donations will be picked up on Monday and taken to NSHH for low income families in the area. Thank you!

New Members Sunday will be held at LRUMC on July 11 at all services. If you are interested in joining the church you can pick up a membership form at the information table in the narthex or Life Center and complete the form. You can drop off during the week at the church office.

Church Council will meet on Monday, July 19 at 7:00 pm in Room 120.

Kelly & The River Band Album Release Party!
Saturday, June 26 at 5 to 7 PM in the Life Center
All are invited.

River Kids Family Ministry and Friends!!
Summer Kick off Pool Party
Sunday, June 27 from 12:30-2:30 PM at Life Quest

Join us and invite your family and friends to come to the Life Quest outdoor pool (4390 Spa Dr, Little River, SC 29566) for a great summer kick-off party! Let's celebrate the excitement of summer together! Open to all family and friends of River Kids ministry!

North Strand Helping Hand is in need of a driver for our Windy Hill pick up on Tuesdays. Please, if anyone can help us it will be greatly appreciated. NSHH is always looking for volunteers giving 2 hours of your time in an AM Shift or PM Shift. Call us if you can help 843.399.0826 or e-mail us at agency@hhns.org. Blessings with thanks. Lorraine

THIS WEEK AT LRUMC

Sunday, June 27

- 8:30 Traditional Service in Person
- 9:00 Little River Kids Ministry - Streaming on Facebook & in Person
- 9:00 Alpha Youth, Rm 120
- 9:30 Contemporary Service in Person
- 10:30 Pairs & Spares Bible Study via Zoom

Monday, June 28

- 10:00 Dignity Ministry, Life Center
- 11:00 Bible Study, Rev. Emily Kirby

Tuesday, June 29

- 6:30 River Praise Band Practice

Wednesday, June 30

- 10:00 Overeaters Anonymous, Rm 120
- 10:00 – 2:00 DHEC Drive Thru Covid Testing, Parking Lot
- 11:00 – 1:00 Drive Thru Payer, Life Center circle drive
- 6:30 Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Thursday, July 1

- 10:00 Dignity Ministry

Friday, July 2

- 5:00 Shepherd's Table Dinner, Food Pick up only

Our Presence on June 20, 2021

In Person Worship Returning from Covid-19 Church Closing.

8:30 AM 75
9:30 AM 103
11:00 AM 91
Worship Total: **269**

OUR PRAYERS

Charlie Angelini, Wayne Baker, Carol Bailey, James Barbato, Hilda Barnes, Joyce Ann Bolig, Bette Bosworth, Wayne & Jo Booth, Bruce Boulineau, Margaret Brainard, Ray Brick, JoAnne Carrison, Charles Cathcart, Rick Clayton, Bonnie Clore, Ron Colyer, Ann & Ed Compton, George Clark, Kathy Devine, Teresa & Bud Cox, Fred Crum, Crystal Damron, Pat Deen, Carroll Edwards, Phil & Susan Erickson, Leon Fithian, Steve Garner, Caroline Hester, Larry Johnston, Bonnie & Jake Kanoy, Julia Kenney, Hap LaBonge, Bill & Linda Lesler, Bill Lesnick, Lorraine Martin, Judy Mattson, Jeannette McFee, Frankie Melvin, Don & Joyce Miller, Estelle Minicozzi, Mike Mitchell, Jerry Neuss, Frank Palaia, Family of Alan Paynter, Gary Perkins, Priscilla Rivera, Calvin Saunders, Lucille Schultz, Kathy Shipman, Pearle Thompson, Jerry & Barbara Titshaw, Diana Troutt, Gail Tuttle, Jim Weeks, Robert Witt, Bonnie Woods

*** Medical Support personnel, First Responders and ALL Essential Workers that are protecting and serving us during this time of need.*

***All military especially those in harm's way.*