Clinton First United Methodist Church
October 18, 2026
Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost (Green)
We Gather in the Name of Jesus Christ

Prelude Praise Team

"The Old Rugged Cross" UMH #504

"When We All Get to Heaven" UMH #701

"Take Time to Be Holy" UMH #395

"Standing on the Promises" UMH #374

"In The Garden" UMH #314

Lighting of the Candles
Welcome and Announcements Pastor Duane Caperton
Opening Prayer

Passing of the Peace "This is the Day" UMH #657

***Opening Hymn:** "To God be the Glory" UMH #98

***Call to Worship**
Pastor: We are chosen children of God, bound together by the Holy Spirit.
People: We belong to God, and through God, we belong to one another.

Pastor: The Spirit empowers us to live as imitators of Christ in love of God, neighbor, self, and all creation.
People: We belong to God, and through God, we learn to love one another.

Pastor: The Spirit inspires us to receive God's Word with joy in a world that rejects the good news.
People: We belong to God, and through God, we live in joy with one another.

Pastor: Come, let us worship in the assurance of God's love that chooses us, empowers us, and inspires us to live as the family of Christ.
All: We come to worship God in the assurance that we belong to God, and through God, we belong to one another. Amen.

Praises and Prayer Concerns
Pastoral Prayer

Offering	"He Touched Me"	UMH #367
Doxology		UMH #95
Lord's Prayer		UMH #271

Scripture

The Message Pastor Duane Caperton

***Closing Hymn:**	"God Will Take Care of You"	UMH #130
***Benediction / Postlude**	"God Will Take Care of You"	UMH #130