

THE CAT'S MEOW



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**Heyward Street United Methodist Church
2501 Heyward Street, Columbia, SC
2:30-5:00 pm Sunday, October 2, 2022**

Doug Graham will lead this Sunday

Our season got off to a great start in September with a nice crowd despite several other music and theater events scheduled at the same time! Thanks to several renewing members and one new member. Those who made it were treated to quite a show with three stellar clarinets. Hope to see more of our new friend Ron Hockett from Charlotte going forward, and the visit from Pete Neighbor was also welcome.

While our guest clarinets were welcome, we cannot neglect our resident wizard of the wooden horn, Doug Graham, who will be calling the tunes in October.

In the meantime there's a lot of great jazz happening in Columbia. Dick Goodwin's band will be playing the ColaJazz Fest at Hampton-Preston Mansion on the 25th of September, but I'm sure he'll be rested and ready for our show the following weekend. The first weekend of October will be heaven for jazz fans with our show on Sunday the 2nd at 2:30, and the Sun Ra Arkestra Saturday night at the Jam Room Music Festival on Main street. Sun Ra might be on the opposite end of the jazz spectrum from our traditional jazz, but as Duke Ellington said, "There's simply two kinds of music, good music and the other kind

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