

Offertory "Let the Bright Seraphim" G. F. Handel

Offertory Anthem "Create in Me a Clean Heart O God" Carl Mueller

* Presentation of Tithes and Offerings Doxology No. 95

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Children's Moment

Children ages three through fourth-grade may go to Children's Church in room 123. Nurseries provide for infants through 3 years in rooms 118 & 120.

* Hymn 431 "Let There Be Peace on Earth" World Peace

Scripture

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God

People: *Thanks be to God.*

Sermon Coach David Bennett

* Hymn 251 "Go, Tell It on the Mountain" Go Tell It

You are invited to the altar during the singing of this hymn. Kneel...commune with God...return to your pew when ready.

* Benediction and Choral Response

* Chiming of the Trinity

* Voluntary "Festive Trumpet Tune" David German

The altar flowers are given to glorify God and in loving memory of Keith's birthday on December 27. Always by, Jan Gawith and Family.

The rosebud on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Spencer Harrison Drew born on December 4 in Atlanta to proud parents Stephen and Ashley And Great grandparents, Charlie and Virginia Hardwick.

The rosebud on the altar is in celebration of the birth of Liam Brian Lookadoo born on December 20 to proud parents Brian and Amanda and grandparents Steve and Ramona Lookadoo.

Welcome

We welcome Coach David Bennett as our guest speaker today. Coach Bennett is well known in our community as a solid, outspoken Christian. He is an inspiration to many, young and old alike. FUMC is blessed that the Coach is here to share his thoughts with us this morning.

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers are greatly needed in January. Please take a moment to sign up.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Ashley and Stephen Drew on the birth of their new baby, Spencer Harrison, born on December 4.

Congratulations to Amanda and Brian Lookadoo on the birth of their new baby, Liam Brian, born on December 20.

Special Thanks

I would like to thank Betty Woodward and all of the wonderful ladies who have helped us during the years with the Bereavement Meals. We could not accomplish this comforting service for our church members and their families without each and everyone. God bless and again, thank you. Jan Gawith

Faith Adventure: January 26

Spirit-filled day trip for adults to tour the Greek Orthodox Church in Florence, SC. Please call the church office for more information and to make reservations. Always a wonderful time of fellowship and insight.

Stewardship and Attendance

Operating	31,594.90	Children's Christmas Eve	51
BBCS	100.00	Christmas Eve Service	300
Good Samaritan	25.00	Christmas Day Service	140
Youth Discretionary	50.00		
Sub Total	31,651.90		
Building Fund	882.00		
Total	32,651.90		
Budget Receipts to date	443,473.76		
Budget Needs to Date	533,819.99		
Budget Deficit	-90,346.23		

Birthdays this week:

January 1: George Kyzer, Carolyn Cox,

January 6: Mary Ann Land

January 7: Betty Smith, Jean Steen

January 8: Deborah Stanley

Serving Next Sunday, January 8

Altar Guild: Charlotte Ives, Janet Roche, Janet Von Deck

Counting Committee: (Monday): Maxine Dunn, Margaret Thompson

Sound Technician: Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks

Ushers: Richard Jordan (Head Usher), Kevin Cox, Eric Fox, Lee Hickman, Bo Ives, Sammy Johnson, Ken Senn, Tidy Singleton, Bill Taylor, Phil Thompson, Frank Watts, Chris Wright

Nursery Volunteers: Allison Dudley, Katie Hinson, Caroline Todd

Children's Church: Susan and Brad Todd

Prayer Concerns

Hospital: GSH: Bobbie Davis

At Home:

Charles Dusenbury, Julia Land, George Kyzer, Gwen Mishoe, Jane Gore, Mildred Jones, Sylvia Avant, Diane Rodwell, Wallace Singleton, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Gene Grace Holbert, Ruth Thomas.

Music At First

Children and Youth

Sunday Afternoon

Rehearsals

Cherub Choir

4:30 p.m.

Wesley Treble Choir

4:30 p.m.

Youth Orchestra

4:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evening

Rehearsals

Children's Recorder Consort

TBA

Carillon Handbell Choir

6:00 p.m.

Chancel Choir

7:00 p.m.

FUMC's Raleigh Ringers Concert

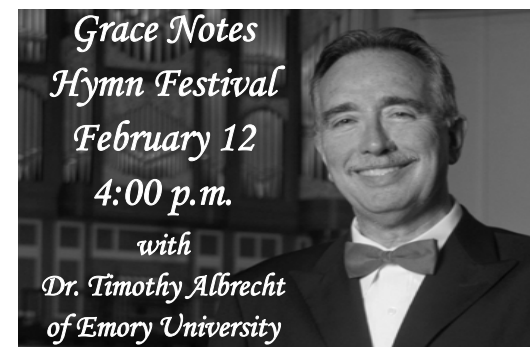
Airs on channel 4 as part of HTC's

"Christmas Card to the Community"

Tonight at 8:00 p.m.

and

Throughout Christmas Day



Spring Concerts 2012

Lenten Organ Meditations

Wednesdays at Noon

February 29

March 7

March 14

March 21

March 28

Two Pianos/Eight Hands Concert

March 18 at 4:00 p.m.

Coastal Carolina University

Spring Choral Concert

April 23 Time: TBD

Music for the Passion of Our Lord

April 1

11:00 a.m.

with

Chancel Choir,
Soloists

and

Members of the
Long Bay Symphony





Sunday, January 15
 Skating at Dreamland!
 Fun fellowship for all ages!
 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Winter Retreat

Asbury Hills
 February 17-20!

Asbury Hills is a camp and retreat center of the SC United Methodist Conference situated on 2000 acres nestled in the northwest corner of South Carolina in the Blue Ridge mountains. The camp's mission is to serve all people for Christian birth, growth and renewal.



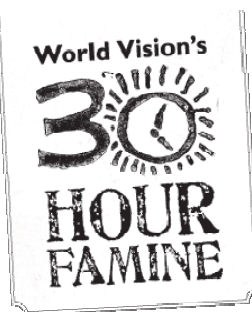
St. Patty's Skating Fellowship
 Fun for All Ages!

Sunday, March 11
 Dreamland Skating Rink



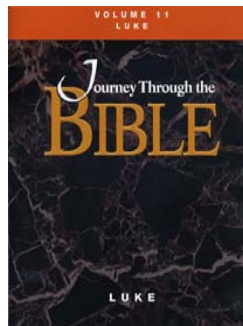
March 30-31

Our youth group is doing World Vision's 30 Hour Famine. We don't think it's right that thousands of kids are dying from hunger every day. So we're doing something about it.



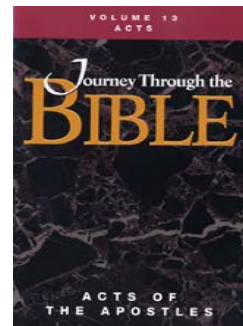
Youth Spring Retreat
 May 25-28
 @ Caravelle Resort
 Myrtle Beach

June 24-29



Sunday School 2012!

Journey Through the Bible
 Luke
 (Starting in March)
 Journey Through the Bible
 Acts



Faith Adventures!

Spirit-filled day trips for adults.



January 26
 Transfiguration of
 Our Savior Greek
 Orthodox Church
 Florence, SC

February 23
 St. James Episcopal Church
 Wilmington, NC

March 29
 Bethel UMC
 Charleston, SC



April 26
 Mepkin Abbey
 Moncks Corner, SC

Celebration of Music in Worship

During the month of February 2012, we will enjoy, explore and experience a wide variety of music in Worship.

February 5
 The Wesley's
 February 12
 Our British Cousins
 February 19
 The American Experience
 February 26
 African Influences

Wednesday Evenings At FUMC

Resumes on January 11!

Wednesday Evening Meal
 5:30 p.m.

Wonderful time of church family fellowship and marvelous home-cooked meals.

Wednesday Evening
 Bible Study
 6:15 p.m.

Mickey Efir's Study of Luke and Acts. The studies will coincide with the Sunday school studies. The Wednesday evening classes are led by Reverend Mac Kinnett.

Lent 2012



One of the most innovative teaching pastors in the country, Adam Hamilton unpacks Jesus' last days on earth and how they turn upside down the conventional ideas about good and evil, justice and history, life and death. Filmed on location in the Holy Land, it portrays the Last Supper to Christ's victory over the grave.



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January 1, 2011
 New Year's Day

Call to Worship

The Lord be with you.
 And also with you.
 Let us pray.

Invocation

Voluntary "In Dulci Jubilo" J. S. Bach

* Chiming of the Trinity

* Hymn 254 "We Three Kings" Kings of Orient

* Affirmation of Faith "The Apostles' Creed" No. 881

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
 And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;
 who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
 born of the Virgin Mary,
 suffered under Pontius Pilate,
 was crucified, dead and buried,
 the third day he rose from the dead;
 he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of
 God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the
 quick and the dead.
 I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
 the communion of saints,
 the forgiveness of sins,
 the resurrection of the body,
 and the life everlasting. Amen*

Welcome and Announcements

Morning Prayers

Silent Prayers

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.