Help4Kids Snack Paks Collection

Ramen Noodles, Pop Tarts, Juice Boxes

CAP Food Items needed this week

Pasta and Sauce

The Missions Committee is initiating a short-term (February & March) food collection for the Help 4 Kids "Snack Pak" **Project**. The items for this project will be: Ramen Noodles, Pop Tarts, and individual size juice boxes/pouches.

This Week's Collection:

| Ramen Noodles | 79 |
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| Juices | 132 |
| Vienna Sausages | 40 |
| Pop Tarts | 3 |





Young at Heart Lunch and a Movie, "Friendly Persuasion", on Monday, February 18 at Noon in Heart the Senior Room of the FLC. Soup and dessert will be senior adults provided. Please bring your own sandwich. Cost: \$2.00 per person.

Young at Heart Senior Adult Ministry is planning a trip to the King's Theatre at the Palace in Myrtle Beach on Tuesday, March 5, to see "Hot Jersey Nights". Songs of the "Four Seasons!" Tickets will be \$21.00 each and **reservations** need to be made by February 26. We will leave the church at 11:30 a.m. and stop at IHOP for lunch. The show is at 2:00 p.m. Please contact Edith Hucks (397-8459) or the church office.

Art Show in the Commons

The artwork from FUMC's children is on display in the Commons. Drawings, photography, and pottery are just a few of the mediums the children used. Please be sure to take a moment to enjoy their talents during February.

The **2013 Flower Calendar** is posted in the Narthex. Altar Flowers are not a budgeted item they are gifts to the church by families who sign up. Flowers for February 24 are especially needed.

Serving Next Sunday, February 24

Altar Guild

Churchill Jenkins, Bobby Stilley, Margaret Thompson, Woodie Woodward

Crucifer and Acolytes

Ann Morgan Fallaw, Collin Hucks, Samuel Hickman

Counting Committee

(Sunday) Ike Locklair / Blake Martin (Monday) Maxine Dunn / Margaret Thompson

Trustee Duty

Jack Driggers / George Martin

Sound Technician

Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks / Thomas Hickman

Ushers

Phillip Thompson (Chairman), Duc Watts (Co-Chairman) Billy Joe Calhoun, Jack Driggers, Chris Johnson, James Hammond, Craig Hyman, Jimmy Jones, Blake Martin, George Martin, Dick Sayre, Ernie Turnes.

Nursery Volunteers

Allison Dudley, Julia Brooks, Erin Todd

Children's Church

Jim and Christi Edwards

First Lenten Luncheon Thursday, February 21

Host: Trinity United Methodist **Speaker:** Rev. Rhett Talbert

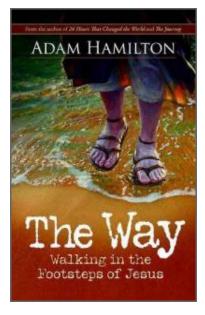
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Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:30-3:30 and Friday 8:30-12:30

James Graham, Sexton

First View



Way Lenten Bible Study begins Wednesday, February 20 in the Second Floor Commons at 6:30 p.m. Join us as we retrace the footsteps of Jesus from his baptism to the temptations, to the heart of his ministry, including the people he loved, the enemies he made, the parables he taught, and the road that he traveled. Books are available at \$12 each, please see Kyle.



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Paint By Number

Do you remember the old paint by number sets you did as a child? Every space marked by a "1" you painted green; "2" you painted red and so on until a beautiful image emerged. Every February, United Methodist Churches are asked to paint by numbers. Our year-end statistical reporting is not the favorite activity of church staffs but through this process – a picture of God at work in and through the church begins to emerge. Here are a few highlights:

- ◆ God blessed us with growth in 2012 increasing our membership by 25 persons to 880 at year end.
- ◆ Twelve persons made professions of faith as followers of Jesus Christ.
- ◆ More than 50 children and youth actively participate in the life of our fellowship.
- Our average worship attendance was 236 with a 13% increase over 2011.
- ◆ We support over 25 ministries for mercy, justice, and outreach like CAP (Churches Assisting People), The Shepherd's Table, Help4Kids, Operation Christmas Child just to name a few. These ministries serve a conservative estimate of 16,091 people!
- We supported our United Methodist missionaries, crisis relief through UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) and other UM ministries through the \$30,014 apportionment we gave to this support.
- Additionally we supported both United Methodist as well as local missions through your generosity of \$15,935.

I celebrate that these are just a few examples that begin to reveal the beautiful picture of how God is at work among us here at First Church. I praise God from whom these blessings have flowed and await with eager expectation how God will use us even more in 2013. Reverend Kyle



There will be a **Church Council Meeting** on Monday, February 25 at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC.

Ladies Bible Study: Beth Moore's "Beloved Disciple"

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon in the Family Life Center. Books are \$15 / 11 week course. Contact Edith Hucks for more details. Still time to join!



Birthdays This Week

February 19: Linda Locklair February 20: Hunter Jenkins February 21: Lois Sayre February 22: David Cecil February 23: Jack McCutchen February 24: Betty Woodward

Prayer Concerns

Hospitals: GSH: Frankie Hart **Assisted Living Facilities**

Kingston: Ruth Coy; Emeritus: Bobbie Davis; Conway Manor: Edith Lewis, Colfax, NC: Carolyn Cox; Cornelius, NC: Helen Wakefield; Mt. Prospect, IL: Faye Perrault

At Home: Bob Rice, Karlene Rudolph, Sadie Rae and Genair Hutchinson, Jane Gore, Gwen Mishoe, Mildred Jones, Diane Rodwell, Wallace Singleton, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Ruth Thomas.



Epworth by the Sea St. Simon's Island, GA

March 8-10

See Rev. Kyle For All The Fun Details!



Wonderful Wednesday Children's programs are in full swing! All elementary age children are invited to participate in this "wonderful" after-school ministry. If you would like your child to take part or for more information, please contact Tim Whitten.

Wednesday Evening Meal/ Fundraiser

The **Sonshine Sunday School Class** is hosting the meal! Chicken Bog, Green Beans, Rolls and Dessert \$5/pp or \$15/per family \$5 To-Go Plates

UMYF meets **Sundays** at **5:30** in the FLC Bring a friend!



Children's Council Meeting

The Children's Council will meet on Sunday, February 24 at 4:00 p.m. in the FLC.

Salkehatchie June 15- June 22 Fort Mill, SC

Salkehatchie application forms are now available. The deadline is April 1. See Tim Whitten for more details!

