

Announcements

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.

Offertory "O How Blessed Are Ye" Johannes Brahms

Offertory Anthem "Prayer of St. Richard of Chichester" M. Archer

Thanks be to thee, our Lord Jesus Christ,
for all the benefits which thou has giv'n us,
for all the pains and insults which thou hast borne for us,
which thou hast borne for us.

O most merciful Redeemer,
Friend and Brother, Friend and Brother,
may we know thee more clearly,
love thee more dearly,
and follow thee more nearly, more nearly. Amen

* **Presentation of Tithes and Offerings** Doxology No. 95

Children's Moment "Help4Kids" Mr. Mac

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

* **Hymn 294** "Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed" *Martyrdom*

Scripture John 19:18-22, 25-27

This is the word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon "Staying Near the Cross" Rev. Mac Kinnett

* **Hymn 301** "Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross" *Near The Cross*

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** "Psalm XIX" Bernedetto Marcello

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in memory of
Sonny Stillely
with love by Bobby, Frank, Margo and Holly

Evening Service in the Hut
Testimony Meeting

Crossing the Jordan

"Crossing the Jordan" meets at 9:45 a.m. in the second floor Commons area.

Next week: Sonshine Class vs. Journey Seekers!

Wednesday Evening at FUMC

Wednesday evening meal at 5:30 in the FLC. **The menu will be:** Stewed beef with rice and gravy, butter beans, rolls, salad bar and dessert. \$5/pp or \$15/family. At 6:15 p.m. the Mickey Efird Bible study, the book of Acts, will be held in the Jr. High room.

Lenten Luncheons

The last Lenten Luncheon will be on Thursday, March 29 at Noon. Trinity United Methodist Church will be hosting and Rev. Rhett Talbot will be the speaker.

Spring Cleaning!

The United Methodist Women will be having its annual yard sale on Saturday, May 5. Doing any spring cleaning? Please keep the UMW Yard Sale in mind as you sort through your closets and storage areas. The UMW will be receiving all donations at the FLC on May 3 and May 4!

VBS Donations

VBS will need **lots** of empty paper towel rolls. Please leave your donations with the Outreach Collections, first floor Commons Area.

CAP Food Needs This Week: Cereals and Soups.

Stewardship and Attendance

Operating Fund	5,995.25
Good Samaritan	30.00
Missionary Fund	20.00
Lent Offering	25.00
Lily	45.00
Lily Child	165.00
Building Fund	4,580.00
Total	10,860.25
Sunday School	139
Morning Worship	205
Piano Concert	156
Evening Service	15
Lenten Organ Meditation	37
Wednesday Night	56

CAP Food Items Collected	46
CAP Cash Donations	\$5

Help4Kids "Snack-Pak" Project Our Goal: 2200 cans

Beanie-Weenies	380
Vienna Sausage	2058
Total	2438

Birthdays this Week

March 25
Anne Marie Martin, Chad Steinfield
March 26
Mildred Jones
March 27
Fran Rickenbaker
March 28
Rebecca Howell, Sylvia Avant, Elaine Weidman, James Hammond
March 29
Michael Brooks
March 30
Frankie Hardwick

March 31
Ella Baxter

April 1
Emmelyn Hood

Serving This Sunday, March 25

Altar Guild: Wilmarie Boatwright, Callie Timbes and Peggy Turnes

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

Trustee Duty: Jim Edwards

Sound Technician: Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks

Ushers: Mark Brooks (Head Usher), Jim Edwards, Chad Hardwick, Tommy Harper, Billy Jones, Bennie Land, Britt Stiltner, Brad Todd, Jon Hayes, Alex Todd

Nursery Volunteers: Jill Nelson, Candace Baxter, Erin Todd

Children's Church: Amy Hickman

UMYF and Children's Program: Neal Hendrick

UMYF Meal: Andy Hendrick

Serving Next Sunday, April 1

Altar Guild: Debbie Johnson, Christi Edwards, Libby Saville

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

Trustee Duty: Susie Goldfinch, Churchill Jenkins

Sound Technician: Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks

Ushers: Charles Timbes (Head Usher), Bob Butler, Philip Davis, Andy Hendrick, Spivey Hood, Jeff Mishoe, Doug Roof, Benjamin Smith, John Steen, Jim Ward

Nursery Volunteers: Jill Watts, Courtney Hardee, Chelsa Fenner

Children's Church: Sherry Seremet

UMYF and Children's Program: Neal Hendrick

UMYF Meal: TBA

This Week at FUMC

Sunday, March 25

9:30 a.m.	Clips in the Commons / Upstairs
9:45 a.m.	Coffee in the Commons / Downstairs
9:45 a.m.	Crossing the Jordan / Upstairs Commons
10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
10:00 a.m.	The Hut Bible Class / Broadcast 100.9 FM
11:00 a.m.	Morning Worship / Sanctuary
4:30p.m.	Cherub and Wesley Treble Choirs / Choir Room
4:30 p.m.	Youth Orchestra / Sanctuary
5:30 p.m.	UMYF and Children's Program / FLC
6:00 p.m.	Evening Service / The Hut

Monday, March 26

1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting

Thursday, March 29

8:30 a.m. Faith Adventure with Mac to Charleston

Wednesday, March 28

12:00 p.m.	Lenten Organ Meditation
5:00 p.m.	Flute Choir Rehearsal
5:30 p.m.	Evening Fellowship Meal
6:15 p.m.	Bible Study
7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Prayer Concerns

Hospital: GSH: Bonita Smoak

Assisted Living Facilities: Kingston: Ruth Anderson; **Conway Manor:** Edith Lewis, Bobbie Davis; **Agape Senior Living:** Gladys Alexander, **Laurinburg, NC:** Carolyn Cox; **Cornelius, NC:** Helen Wakefield; **Zephyrhills, FL:** Faye Perrault

At Home:

Ann Myers, Jane Gore, Ken Senn, Libby McCutcheon, Charles Dusenbury, George Kyzer, Gwen Mishoe, Mildred Jones, Diane Rodwell, Wallace Singleton, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Gene Grace Holbert, Ruth Thomas.



Lenten Organ Meditation

Wednesday, March 28
Noon in the Sanctuary

Easter Egg Hunt

Easter Sunday
Immediately following Worship
in the Courtyard
All children up to 3rd Grade



4th Grade and up will
be hiding the eggs!

Music for the Passion of Our Lord

Hymns, anthems, and scripture with
Chancel Choir, soloists, and members of
the Long Bay Youth Symphony
on Sunday, April 1 at 11:00 a.m.



Flowers for the Cross

Please remember to bring flowers on
Easter Sunday to place on the Cross in
the Courtyard.



Clips in the Commons

(Upstairs)
9:30 - 9:45 a.m.

Wednesday Evenings at FUMC

Dinner at 5:30

Bible Study at 6:15

Two 20 min. video segments
coupled with an insightful
handout.



Dr. Mickey Efird,
The Book of Acts



Coffee in the Commons

9:45 a.m.

(Downstairs)



Wonderful time of
fellowship prior to Sunday
School. Make a new friend
or visit with old friends!



Faith Adventures with Mac!

Thursday, March 29

Bethel United Methodist Church
Charleston, SC

Fun-filled-Spirit-filled day trip for adults to tour
Bethel UMC! Please call the church office with
your reservation!

For Men, Women and Youth ages 16 and up!

FUMC Softball Team is gearing up!
If you are interested in participating,
please contact William Nelson @
843-421-0607.



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March 25, 2012
Fifth Sunday in Lent

Call to Worship

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

Invocation

Voluntary

"The Lord's My Shepherd"
Carillon Choir

Anna Laura Page

* Chiming of the Trinity

* Hymn 310

"He Lives"

Ackley

* 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

Mission Minute

Brad Todd

Call to Prayer

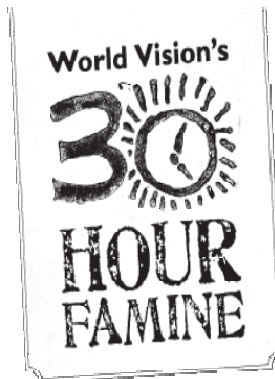
"Pie Jesu" (Blessed Jesus)
Carillon Choir

A. L. Weberr

Wesley's Covenant Prayer

from John Wesley's Covenant Service, 1780

*I am no longer my own, but thine.
Put me to what thou wilt, rank me with whom thou wilt.
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.
Let me be employed by thee or laid aside for thee,
exalted for thee or brought low for thee.
Let me be full, let me be empty.
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and heartily yield all things to thy pleasure and disposal.
And now, O glorious and blessed God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it.
And the covenant which I have made on earth,
let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.*



It's that time again! On March 30-31 our church's
youth will again experience World Vision's 30 hour
famine! We will begin the famine individually at
12:00pm on Friday, March 30 and then meet at the
church's FLC at 7:30 for a night and day of fun,
games, community service and learning about the
suffering of the world's starving children. We will
conclude at the FLC at 6:00 pm on Saturday night
with a meal and fellowship! We'll see you there!



Attention all YOUTH (7th-12th Grades)
The Spring Retreat will be Friday, May 25 - Monday, May 28 at the
Sea Watch Resort! A deposit of \$50 is needed to secure your spot
on this stellar weekend! If you turned in a deposit for the winter
retreat it can be used for the Spring Retreat deposit. \$150 covers
your food, travel and the condos. Bring some extra cash for
souvenirs and junk food! See Neal for all the info!



VBS 2012: Operation Overboard
June 24-28
6:00~8:00 p.m.

FUMC Staff

The Reverend Paul M. Kinnett, Pastor
Billy Fallaw, MM, Dir. of Music & Organist
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