College Scholarships

Members of the First United Methodist Church, Conway, have for years valued education of its young people and have supported them with their prayers and with scholarships for college and university-level education. The Scholarship Committee announces the following scholarships for



FUMC church members for the academic year 2013-2014:

General Scholarship \$1000/semester

Students who choose to major/minor in Liberal Arts or professional subjects.

Ministerial Scholarship \$1000/semester

Students who choose to major/minor in programs leading to a career in ministry, missionary work, church related education.

Music Scholarship \$1000/semester

Students who elect a music-related major/minor for a career in music-oriented positions

Application forms are available in the church office. **Deadline** for submittal of the application to the church office is May 1, 2013

Covered Dish Salad Luncheon

The weather is warming, spring's bounty is popping up, our fare is lightening! The Nurture Committee wishes to invite you to join us in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, May 5th immediately following the Great



Day of Singing worship for a covered dish salad **luncheon**. Bring your favorite salad and dessert to share – jello or congealed, leafy green or pasta, chicken, ham, or shrimp! Come and share in our fellowship!

The 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 are especially needed in May and June. Please take a moment and sign up.



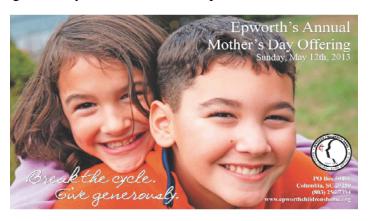
Birthdays This Week

April 28: Lib Wellons, Sarah Parker April 29: Ron Kirby, Bob Butler, JoAnna Fallaw May 1: Sue Sunday, Andrew Roof, Dylan Roof,

Anna Kate Nelson

May 4: Addison Hardwick **May 5:** Emily Thompkins

The John McCutcheon Sunday School Class will have its Spring Fellowship on Friday, May 3 at 5:30 p.m. at Dilly Beans Restaurant which is located at 219 Laurel Street (half-way between 2nd and 3rd streets). The menu has something for everyone and reasonable prices.



Prayer Concerns

Assisted Living Facilities

Med Star: Wallace Singleton, Emeritus: Bobbie Davis; Conway Manor: Edith Lewis; Kingston: Ruth Coy; Colfax, NC: Carolyn Cox; Cornelius, NC: Helen Wakefield; Mt. Prospect, IL: Faye Perrault At Home: Marie Newman (granddaughter's), Pat Breeze, Julia Land, Betty James, Bob Rice, Bobbie Tyler, Karlene Rudolph, Sadie Rae and Genair Hutchinson, Jane Gore, Gwen Mishoe, Mildred Jones, Diana Rodwell, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Ruth Thomas.

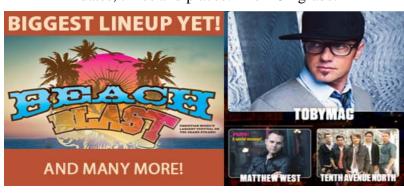


You may leave your bulletin in the pew and the ushers will gather them for recycle. Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

Attention Parents, do you have a child that is graduating from High School or College? Please contact the church office with your child's graduation information. Office@fumcconway.org or 488-4251

Opcoming Summer Activities!

- **Vacation Bible School**
- **Liturgical Arts Week**
- Music Garden
- Wonderful Wednesday Summer Addition Service Projects, Field Trips, Play Days! Come every Wednesday or just one Wednesday a month...Just come! Each week will have a fun and exciting event designed to provide a fellowship experience for each child. Watch for dates, times and places! PreK-5th grade.



Beach Blast on May 18! Let's Go to The Beach!

While we are there let's go see Toby Mac, Tenth Avenue North, Building 429 and more! Tickets are \$25. Youth/6th-12th grades! See Tim for details!



VBS 2013 July 8-12 Lots of places to Serve!





Dear Ladies of FUMC: Thank you so much for the lovely and delicious meal you prepared for our family before my dad's service. It was so nice to be able to come together as a family for nourishment and fellowship before we said goodbye to



Daddy. My parents considered FUMC to be their home and I appreciate the love and friendship you gave them and the rest of our family. God bless you all. Love Whitney Carter, Bud Hale's daughter.



I am so thankful to be a part of such a loving and caring church. You all have been such a comfort to me and my family in so many different ways. You are truly God's angels. Louise Goodwin

Help4Kids Snack Paks Collection Vienna Sausage

CAP Food Items needed this week Any Food Items

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Collecting Hygiene Items **Some examples:** Tooth brushes, toothpaste, combs, hairbrushes. Please note: any shoebox items will be accepted and appreciated. The focus for Mid-April to Mid-May is on hygiene items.



FUMC is scheduled to cook (2:15) and serve (4:15) on Tuesday, May 21 at the Shepherd's Table. If you would like to participate, please contact Freda Jones.



Special thanks from the Missions Committee for donations to the Lenten Offering. Also, thanks to all those who gave blood during the FUMC Red Cross Blood Drive.



Serving Next Sunday, May 5

Altar Guild

Jeannie Dusenbury, Libby Jones, Betty Woodward

Crucifer and Acolytes

Erin Todd, Caroline Todd, Lila Myers

Counting Committee

(Sunday) Delan Stevens, Debbie Jenkins (Monday) Maxine Dunn / Margaret Thompson

Trustee Duty

Ernie Turnes

Sound Technician

Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks / Thomas Hickman

Ushers

Mike Thomas (Chairman), Carl Purvis (Co-Chairman) Bill Foxworth, Bill Howle, Steve Lookadoo, Tom Overby, Justin Roof, Mike Saville, Bob Sherry, Toby White

Nursery Volunteers

Amanda Yenicek, Ben Yenicek, Collin Hucks

Children's Church

Amanda Roof



The Women-less Beauty Pageant is WOMAN-LESS planned for Sunday, May 19 at Beauty Pageant 6:00 p.m.! Still needing contestants! The pageant will include formal attire,

talent and interview segments. Please contact William Goldfinch or Jan Bitting with questions and registration.

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James Graham, Sexton

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

First View

Great Day of Singing

On Sunday, May 5, First United Methodist Church will observe A Great Day of Singing at 11:00 a.m. worship. The Chancel Choir will lead the congregation in great hymns of the faith. In addition, a covered dish salad luncheon will be in the Fellowship Hall immediately following the service.

A Great Day of Singing was begun in the 20th century as an annual Sunday worship service set aside for the celebration of music and congregational singing. Though less used today than it once was, it remains an annual event in some churches. It was sometimes combined with fellowship and a meal and was called All-Day-Singing-and-Supper-on-the-Grounds, often with the singing and eating taking place outdoors or near a river.

Methodists have always been a singing people. The world has never seen a greater hymn writer than Charles Wesley, nor a more important and influential hymnal editor than John Wesley. This service seeks to revive interest in the Great Day of Singing, and it does so within a context that celebrates the great heritage and tradition of Methodist song. All of the hymns selected were composed by Methodist writers or have a strong historical Methodist connection. The order of service is also thoroughly United Methodist, taken directly from "An Order of Sunday Worship Using the Basic Pattern," pages 3-5 in The United Methodist Hymnal. Plan to join us for a Great Day of Singing!



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