

Serving This Sunday August 15

Altar Guild: June Brown, Dawne Clonts, Cindy Harper

Counting Committee: (Sunday) Debbie Jenkins, William Goldfinch
(Monday): Ernie and Peggy Turnes

Sound Technician: Delan Stevens and Charles Hucks

Ushers: Duc Watts, Head Usher, Billy Joe Calhoun, Jack Driggers, Chris Johnson, Jimmy Hammond, Craig Hyman, Jimmy Jones, Blake Martin, George Martin, Dick Sayre, Phillip Thompson, Ernie Turnes.

Nursery Volunteers: Jan Gawith, Mary McKeller Purvis, Christi Edwards, Thomas Hickman, Ann Morgan Fallaw

Acolyte/Crucifer: Julia Brooks, Dylan Jenkins

Children's Church: Jill Watts

Evening Service (Hut): Dr. Val Dunham

Serving Next Sunday August 22

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Nursery Volunteers: Allison Daly, Jenna Norris, Jill Watts, Katelyn Stegall, Ali Thompson

Acolyte/Crucifer: Thomas Hickman, Emily Steiner

Children's Church: Nancy and Mary McKellar Purvis

Evening Service (Hut): Edith Hucks

Known Congregational Concerns

Hospitals:

Assisted Living Facilities:

Emeritus: Ruth Anderson, **Sumter:** Ruth Land; **Laurinburg, NC:**

Carolyn Cox, **Conway Manor:** Edith Lewis; Betty Floyd;

Agape Senior Living: Gladys Alexander

At Home: Adrienne Jennings, Vivian Mae Clardy, Marie Newman, Heyward Key, Charlie Fry Jr., Carmen Smith, Gail Fanshaw, Diane Rodwell, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Paul Gladson, Tommy Jordan, Dale James, Dena McGinn, Irene Calhoun, Gene Grace Holbert, Gene Parker, Wallace Singleton, Ruth Thomas.

This Week at First Church

Sunday, August 15

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

10:00 a.m. The Hut Bible Study / Broadcast 100.9 FM

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship / Sanctuary

6:00 p.m. Evening Service / The Hut

Tuesday, August 17

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting / Parlor

12:00 p.m. **Bulletin Deadline**

7:00 p.m. UMW Executive Meeting / FLC

Wednesday, August 18

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Dinner / FLC

6:00 p.m. Anderson Prayer Group / FLC

6:30 p.m. Trip through the Holy Land Presentation / FLC

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal / The Hut

7:00 p.m. Lady in Waiting Bible Study / FLC

Thursday, August 19

Newsletter Deadline

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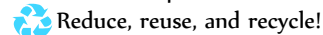
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You may leave your bulletin in the pew and our ushers will recycle it.



CAP Food Needs for August

All non-perishable items are needed,

Inventory is very low



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Ever read the entire New Testament?

Ever read the entire New Testament? Now is a good time to do it! Our Year Through The Bible has reached the New Testament. The readings will be shorter; there are fewer genealogies, no intricate laws and wonderful stories about Jesus.

If you've not done so well in the Old Testament, I promise you'll find the New Testament much easier to read! Why not make a commitment to yourself to finish strong in our Year Through The Bible. I promise you'll be blessed.

BUT I must warn you, while the reading is easier it is still spiritually challenging! Jesus asks a lot and gives a lot in return. As we begin, here is a word of hope and promise from Jesus, "Come to me, all you that are weary and are carrying heavy burdens and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me; for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light." (Matthew 11:28-30)

I hope you'll join me in this portion of our YTTB! And remember, God loves you; and so do I!

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In the Life of Our Church

Christian Sympathy

Christian sympathy is extended to the family of William T. Goldfinch. Mr. Goldfinch passed away on July 29.

Christian sympathy is extended to Ginny Hendrick and her family on the death of her sister, Frances Marian Powell Hardwick, who passed away on August 5.

Thank you

Sallie Goldfinch did a wonderful job on her Biblical portrayal of Lydia, dealer of purple. Thank you!

Val and Betty Dunham would like to thank their friends who honored their wedding anniversary with altar flowers on Sunday, August 1.

August Outreach Project: Hygiene Items for Christmas Child

Please bring donations of: Toothbrushes in original packaging, Toothpaste, Washcloths, Combs, Hairbrush, Mild Soap (in zip-lock bag), no liquids, no lotions, no aerosol cans or breakable items. Drop off at the FLC or at the entry of the Fellowship Hall/Sanctuary (blue containers). See Toby White for more information.

Youth! Last Night of Freedom!

Sunday, August 22 dinner at Ichiro's Japanese Steak House! Plan to leave the FLC at 5:30 p.m. and bring a friend with you. Please bring \$15 to cover costs. Parents, students should be back by 8:00 p.m. Good times! Don't miss it!

United Methodist Women

UMW Executive Meeting, Tuesday, August 17 at 7:00p.m. in the FLC.

Year Through the Bible

August 15	Matthew 13-14
August 16	Matthew 15-16
August 17	Matthew 17-18
August 18	Matthew 19-20
August 19	Matthew 21
August 20	Matthew 22-23
August 21	Matthew 24

Cherub and Wesley Treble Choirs' Registration

Choristers may register for children's choirs in their Sunday School classes today and August 22. The Cherub Choir is for children ages 4 and 5 and the Wesley Treble Choir is for children in grades 1-5. Rehearsals begin on Sunday, August 29 at 4:30 P.M. in the Hut during renovation.

Renovation Update

In an effort to help everyone stay informed regarding renovation activities, please make note of the following:

- We are now worshiping in the Fellowship Hall and we plan to remain there through the end of this year
- Dangerous construction areas will be marked for your safety. Please stay in designated areas
- Classrooms have been relocated
- The back parking lot is closed
- Be sensitive to the parking needs of those who have issues related to mobility (especially older members and families with infants)
- Expect the unexpected – Be flexible and we will adapt as needed to make adjustments

Last week:

- There is a link on the church's home page to a photo album of the renovation progress.
- Interior walls are being removed.
- Sanctuary tile removal is complete.
- Asbestos removal is ongoing.

Watch this space for more updates.

Birthdays This Week

August 15: Steve Kyzer
August 16: Blake Martin
August 17: Jenny Williams, Brian Hardee
August 18: Alison Hammond
August 20: Mark Brooks, Jay McCutcheon
August 21: Betty Huggins, Marty Kyzer, Jeanne White, Katie Grace Key

Wednesday Night Study

August 18

A Trip through the Holy Land

Presented by Bert Owen

6:30 - 7:30 in the Jr. High Room / FLC

Dinner served from 5:30 - 6:15 in the Family Life Center (no reservation needed)

This week's menu:

*Pork Loin, Potatoes, Steamed Broccoli, Salad, Bread and Dessert.
\$5/person or \$15/family*

Attendance

Sunday School	150
Morning Worship	223
Evening Service	23

Stewardship Report

Operating	13,853.12
Music Scholarship	10.00
Chancel Choir Fund	170.00
Good Samaritan	20.00
Missionary Fund	20.00
Music Discretionary	319.96
Daniels Missionary Fund	100.00
FUMC Building Fund	3,802.00
Total	18,295.08

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