

STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEK OF AUGUST 15 & AUGUST 22

August 15		August 22		CAP	
Operating	8,868.00	Operating	4,571.50	4 Large Bags	
Designated Funds	240.00	Designate Funds	1,186.00	Help4Kids	
Capital Campaign	1,095.00	Capital Campaign	556.00	Vienna Sausages	6
				Juice Boxes	40
				School Supplies	3 boxes

We've been busy this summer in worship, VBS, summer camps, mission and more. Supporting our summer ministries and mission is only a click away. We know many of you have been busy too with travel and visits spent with family and friends. Your consistent support is vital to our church and mission. We invite you to give using our easy and safe online giving system where you can make one-time gifts or set up recurring giving.

- Give online at: <https://onrealm.org/fumconway/give/operatingfund>,
- Text **Firstconway to 73256**
- Leave your gift in the offering plate in the Narthex or mail your offering to the church, 1001 Fifth Avenue, Conway, SC 29526.

Dear FUMC Family, **Thank you** so much for the beautiful flowers delivered to us. We are so appreciative of the love shown by our congregational family. It is such a blessing to be a part of such a wonderful church!

Love, Mark and Debby Brooks

Kyle, Josh and Church Family, What a wonderful surprise yesterday when John delivered that beautiful bouquet of flowers to our home. We are "on the mend" from our 2 surgeries last week and the flowers really helped. Thank you all so much for your kindness, caring and prayers. We love the church family.

Very sincerely, Polly and Ed Sauer

Dear Pastor Kyle and Church Family, I'm writing to thank you and express how grateful I am to have been chosen as a recipient of the FUMC General Scholarship. With the increases in tuition this semester, this scholarship will help me further my education in the nursing program at Horry-Georgetown Technical College. I am so grateful that you chose me as a recipient of this scholarship and thank you for giving me the chance to help people in the future.

Thank you again, Madison E. Mishoe

Dear Church Family, Thank you so much for the beautiful flowers. Such a nice surprise and very encouraging and thoughtful. Thank you to Kyle, I miss him. I miss all of you and hope to be able to see you all again soon.

Love, Joann Ray

First View

The Golf Tournament was a great success. We would like to thank Matt Daly for organizing and leading the tournament along with our Missions Team. We had 14 teams and more than 20 hole sponsors! Congratulations to the following persons:



1st Place – Matt & Matthew Daly, Kevin, Jackson, & Grady Hagen

2nd Place – Joe Hunter Hyman, Tyler Thomas, Neal Hendrick & Paul Lawson

3rd Place – Jerry Inasley, Kevin Weizmann, Jim Krobath, Rich Railing

Closest to hole winners: William Hardwick, Hunter Hucks, Bob Spertzel, Dan Stevens.

Our proceeds for Children & Youth Ministries and Missions will be shared next week once we have finalized totals.

First United Methodist Church Updated COVID-19 Guidelines

Throughout the past year, our highest priority has been to ensure the health, safety, and well-being of our people, with particular concern for the most vulnerable. We believe it is also our collective responsibility as Christians to be good neighbors in our community. Each of us share responsibility for the safety and security of the congregation. With updated guidance from the office of Jonathan Holston, resident Bishop of the South Carolina Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, the Church Council of First United Methodist Church offers the following COVID-19 guidelines and protocols.

- Masks are not required inside the buildings or for worship but are strongly encouraged especially those who have not been vaccinated or are at risk.
- We will continue to offer two Sunday morning worship services for the present time at 8:15 and 10:30.
- As we welcome all persons to in-person worship, the 10:30 am service will continue to be available via live-stream weekly on our Facebook and YouTube channels as well as our website.
- Hymnals will be available in the Narthex for those who would prefer to use them. The lyrics to hymns, liturgy, and scripture will continue to be offered in the worship leaflet.
- We will continue to practice social distancing in the sanctuary with every other pew. As your pew may become filled, we simply ask you to be respectful of the persons sitting with you towards distancing. Ushers may open pews as needed.
- Please stay home if you feel sick.



CAP (Churches Assisting People) needs: Peanut Butter, Jelly, Rice, Cereal, Fruit Cups, Canned Vegetables, Canned Soups, Canned Tuna, Shelf-Stable Milk. Please leave your donations in the designated container in the Mission Corner (Commons) or the drop off container at the 5th avenue entrance of the FLC.

Help4Kids needs: Vienna Sausage, P-nut Butter or Cheese Crackers, Juice Boxes. Please leave your donations in the Mission Corner (Commons) or the drop off container at the 5th Ave entrance of the FLC.



Prayer Concerns: Pam Frye, DaSilva Family, Jay Casdorff, Rich Reimschuessel, Cherry Thompson, Bob and Suzanne Owens, Bob Miller, Donald Smoak, Margaret Jordan, George & Jan Kyzer, Joann Wiegand, Bobby Stilley, Julia Land, Virginia Hardwick, Sylvia Avant, Rebecca Howell, Eugenia Benton, Ruth Thomas, Ted Boyd.



Birthdays This Week

August 29: Kimberley Wright, Adrienne Jennings

August 30: Jill Watts, Judy Hartwright

August 31: Thomas Hickman, Aurora Thompson

September 1: Norma Kirby, Brian Kyzer, Christi Johnson, Sheila Randall

September 2: Betty James, Samuel Hickman

September 4: JoAnn Wiegand, Peggy Chestnut

2021-2022 FUMC Preschool

Space is Limited! Preschool Registration Handbook may be found on the Church's Website www.fumcconway.org, the Church Office, and the Narthex.



If you have questions, please contact Josh.Tietje@fumcconway.org or (828) 476-0113.



**Pumpkins Are Coming
Saturday, September 25th**

**9:00 a.m. / Courtyard
Helping Hands Are Needed!**



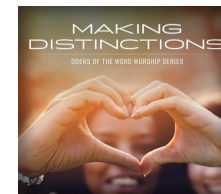
Fall Activities

Registration is open for our **Wonderful Wednesday** elementary after school program. Forms are available in the Commons and Narthex. Please return forms to the church office or via email to josh.tietje@fumcconway.org.

Please contact Josh Tietje with any questions.

Wonderful Wednesday Schedule September 8, 2021

3:00 p.m. Snack and Hang-Out Time / Fellowship Hall
3:30 p.m. Wonderful Wednesday Activities / Education Wing
3:45 p.m. Youth Hangout / 7-12th Grades / FLC 103
4:00 p.m. Confirmation Class / Family Life Center Room 104
4:45 p.m. Chime Choir Rehearsal / 2nd Floor Commons
5:30 p.m. Wednesday Evening Meal / Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. Carillon Choir Rehearsal / Handbell Room 205
6:15 p.m. Adult Bible Study / Room 216
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room 105
8:00 p.m. Quintet Rehearsal / Choir Room 105



Adult Bible Study
Begins September 8th
Room 216
6:15 p.m.
Doers of the Word

Wonderful Wednesday Meal / September 8

Fried Chicken, Salad Bar, String Beans, Mac & Cheese and Potato Salad.
Serving begins at 5:30 p.m. \$5 per person or \$15 per family
Children 3 and under eat free



Please scan the QR Code to **register for the first Wednesday Meal**
or Call the Church Office. 843-488-4251

Cherub Choir Rehearsal Meets Thursdays

Begins Thursday, Sept. 9 @ 4:30 p.m. / Choir Room 105 / Grades K-2

Wesley Treble Rehearsal Meets Thursdays

Begins Thursday, Sept. 9 @ 5:00 p.m. / Choir Room 105 / Grades 3-5



**Friday Youth Breakfast (6th -12th grade) resumes
September 10 @ 7:00 a.m. in the Family Life Center**

New Children/Youth Sunday School Classes begin August 26 at 9:30 a.m.

Preschool Class / Room 117
Kindergarten -2nd Grade Class / Room 119
Grades 3-5 Class / Room 121
6th-12th Grades Youth Group / FLC Room 104

Handbells

2nd and 4th Sundays
Rehearsals Begin **September 12**

Voices in Bronze (4th Grade and up)
4:30 - 5:30 p.m. / Room 205

Asbury Ringers (Beginner Bells)
5:30 - 6:30 p.m. / Room 205
Grades 2nd and 3rd