

Serving This Sunday, September 18

Altar Guild: Sue Dusenbury, Adrienne Jennings, Lois Sayre
Counting Committee: (Sunday) George Martin, Bill Foxworth
(Monday): Karlene Rudolph, Margaret Thompson
Sound Technician: Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks
Ushers: Brad Todd (Head Usher), Mark Brooks, Jim Edwards,
Chad Hardwick, Tommy Harper, Garvin Huggins, Bennie Land,
Britt Stiltner, Jon Hayes, Alex Todd.
Nursery Volunteers: Sallie Goldfinch, Allison Dudley,
Chelsa Fenner, Mattie Hucks, Madison Mishoe
UMYF Meal: Mark and Debby Brooks
Sunday Night Children's Program: Amy Hickman, Kathy Hucks
Children's Church: Lynn Hammond
Evening Service (Hut): No evening service tonight

Serving Next Sunday, September 25

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(Monday): Karlene Rudolph, Margaret Thompson
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Ushers: Brad Todd (Head Usher), Mark Brooks, Jim Edwards,
Chad Hardwick, Tommy Harper, Garvin Huggins, Bennie Land,
Britt Stiltner, Jon Hayes, Alex Todd.
Nursery Volunteers: Jessica Hardee, Brian Hardee, Jon Hayes,
Emily Todd, Adrianna Schlaefer
MYF Meal: Spivey and Ashley Hood
Sunday Night Children's Program: Britt and Nancy Stiltner
Children's Church: Brian and Jessica Hardee
Evening Service (Hut): Dr. Val Dunham

Known Congregational Concerns

Hospitals:

Assisted Living Facilities:

Kingston: Ruth Anderson; **Conway Manor:** Edith Lewis;
Agape Senior Living: Gwen Mishoe, Gladys Alexander, Clara
Conlogue; **Laurinburg, NC:** Carolyn Cox; **Cornelius, NC:**
Helen Wakefield

At Home: Faye Perrault, Jane Gore, Mildred Jones, Charles
Dusenbury, Catherine Causey, Billy and Sylvia Avant, Diane
Rodwell, Wallace Singleton, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart,
Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Gene Grace Holbert, Ruth
Thomas.

This Week at First Church

Sunday, September 18

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
3:30 p.m. Organ Recital / Sanctuary
4:00 p.m. Choir Festival -Evensong / Sanctuary
5:30 p.m. Children's Program / FLC
5:30 p.m. UMYF / FLC

Monday, September 19

1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting / 2nd Floor Gathering Area
7:00 p.m. Church Council Meeting / FLC

Tuesday, September 20

10:00 a.m. Ladies Bible Study / FLC
12:00 p.m. Bulletin Deadline
7:00 p.m. Lay Leadership Committee / FLC

Wednesday, September 21

5:30 p.m. Wednesday Evening Meal / FLC
6:00 p.m. Carillon Choir Rehearsal / Handbell Room
6:15 p.m. Revelation Bible Study / FLC-Senior Room
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room

Thursday, September 22

3:00 p.m. Grief Support Group / FLC Senior Room

Friday, September 23

2:15 p.m. Cooking at the Shepherd's Table / TST

FUMC Staff

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



Reduce, reuse, and recycle!



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Talking Points from Revelation

Revelation is good news to those who choose to be on God's side! So far, that has been made abundantly clear in our reading. Even when there is reproach, it urges repentance and restoration. The reading this week, focusing on God, lays a foundation for the "scary" stuff to follow. So, let's hear and feel that foundation; for it brings hope and confidence as we experience the continuing revelation to John.

What does God look like?

In the chapters that follow we will read bizarre descriptions of evil. The descriptions are truly nightmarish! We know what evil looks like? But, what does God look like? We may wonder, but perhaps that is not a good question to ask... throughout the Old Testament we encounter faithful servants of God who have a profound understanding that mere human beings are not worthy to see God. Indeed so unworthy are we, that to behold God's glory - even in the form of an angel - may result in death. (i.e. You may recall Moses seeing God's backside in Exodus 33:17-23, and Gideon's experience in Judges 6:22-24.) God's glory is beheld only on special occasions and under special circumstances.

In Revelation 4, we are dazzled by God's glory. Unlike evil which can be seen and described, the glory of God exceeds even our best descriptions and the vision finally focuses on God's surroundings. As you read the marvelous description you might ponder and wonder at the ways God's glory is made manifest in our everyday world. And that's something worth sharing!



Sunday Night Children's Program

We will be kicking off our new Sunday Night Children's Programs **today at 5:30 in the Family Life Center!** The new Sunday program for children 3rd-6th grades will include supper, music, missions, Bible lessons, recreation and more!! We hope that your child will join us as we kick off this exciting new school year with a wide variety of education and fun for our kids!

Wednesday Evening at FUMC

Dinner: 5:30p.m. at the FLC

Menu: Beef stew, rice, butter beans, rolls, salad bar and dessert.

Handbell Choir 6:00 p.m. Handbell Room	Bible Study 6:15 p.m. Seven Seals Revelation 6-8 FLC	Chancel Choir 7:00 p.m. Choir Room
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High School Youth Bible Study

Monday, September 26
7:00 p.m. in Room 217

In our high school bible study we will be focusing our conversations around William Young's, *The Shack*. We will enjoy reading Young's story, and clarifying some of the issues that he brings up in his best-seller. I hope that you'll join us!

Ladies Bible Study

Beth Moore's "Esther"

Tuesday mornings from 10:00 a.m. – noon
in the FLC Senior Room.

Still time to join!

Cooking at the Shepherd's Table

FUMC is scheduled to cook at the Shepherd's Table
Friday, September 23

Those participating, please be at the location by 2:15 p.m.



Touring Our Lady Star of the Sea Catholic Church-NMB

Thursday, September 29

Leaving the FLC at 8:30 a.m.

Breakfast together at 9:00 a.m.

Tour the church at 10:30 a.m.

Call the church office to sign up.

September Outreach Project

Begin collecting **Gently Used Coats and Shoes** for Help4Kids.

Also, **Small Toys** for the Shoebox ministry.

Deadline for **Hygiene Items** for Shoeboxes is today. Please leave donations in the designated containers in the Narthex.

Outreach flyers are also available in the Narthex.

Cash donations will be accepted.

CAP Food Needs for September

Cereal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Pasta and Spaghetti Sauce

Announcements

Welcome

We welcome Joy Jordan to our worship service this morning. Ms. Jordan is soloist with the North Myrtle Beach Community Band, Bert Owen, Music Director/Conductor. She, along with the band, will perform at Oktoberfest on Saturday, October 8 from 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. in our courtyard. The UMW will provide food for the event as a fundraiser for mission projects. The free concert is open to the public. Bring family and friends and lawn chairs for a fun day of food and big band music.

Organ Recital

Today at 3:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary, Billy Fallaw will present an Organ Recital prior to Evensong at 4:00 p.m.

Evensong

The Grand Strand Chapter of American Guild of Organists will present a *Choir Festival for Young Voices* today at 4:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Everyone is invited to attend this free event!

Church Council Meeting

The Church Council will meet on Monday, September 19 at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC.

Lay Leadership Committee

The Lay Leadership Committee will meet on Tuesday, September 20 at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC.

Happy Birthday!

September 19: Justin Roof

September 20: Jim Ward, Catherine Senn, Katie Dudley

September 21: Amy Hickman

September 24: George Martin, Gayle Fanshaw

September 25: Lynda Kinnett, Elizabeth Collins, Benjamin Smith

Attendance

Sunday School	144
Morning Worship	203
Evening Hut Service	19
Wednesday Evening at FUMC	57

Stewardship Report

Operating	8,874.63
BBCS	500.00
Epworth	230.00
Music Discretionary	100.00
Red Bird Mission	100.00
Sub Total	9,804.63
Building Fund	2,800.00
Total	12,604.63

Budget Needs to Date:	327,601.46
Budget Receipts to Date:	297,792.22
Budget Deficit:	74,809.24