

## Serving Next Sunday, October 14

**Altar Guild:** Janet Martin, Jean Steen, Jill Watts

**Counting Committee:** (Sunday) Jan Bitting, George Martin  
(Monday) Maxine Dunn, Margaret Thompson

**Trustee Duty:** Jim Edwards

**Sound Technician:** Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks

**Ushers:** Jim Ward (Chairman), Charles Timbes (Co-Chairman)  
Bob Butler, Philip Davis, Andy Hendrick, Spivey Hood, Jeff  
Mishoe, Doug Roof, Benjamin Smith, John Steen, Randy Wood.

**Nursery Volunteers:** Courtney Hardee, Sallie Goldfinch,  
Michael Brooks

**Children's Church:** Sherry Seremet

## Prayer Concerns

### Assisted Living Facilities

**Agape Senior Living:** Gladys Alexander; **Waccamaw Rehab:**  
Paul Grimm; **Kingston:** Ruth Coy; **Conway Manor:** Bobbie  
Davis, Edith Lewis, **Laurinburg, NC:** Carolyn Cox; **Cornelius,  
NC:** Helen Wakefield; **Mt. Prospect, IL:** Faye Perrault,  
**Redfield, NY:** Bob Rice

**At Home:** Suzanne Owens, Lee Hickman, Karlene Rudolph,  
Sadie Rae and Genair Hutchinson, Betty Jo Huggins, Jane Gore,  
Gwen Mishoe, Mildred Jones, Diane Rodwell, Wallace Singleton,  
Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun,  
Gene Grace Holbert, Ruth Thomas.

## Accessories Needed

### For Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Some examples: Hair Clips, ball caps, scarves, flash lights with  
extra batteries, socks, T-shirts or cash donations.  
Please do not include war-related items, breakable items, lotions,  
liquids or food items.

**First UMC is Now Collecting  
Gently Used Coats and Shoes**

**Help4Kids Snack Paks Collection  
Vienna Sausage**

**CAP FOOD ITEMS NEEDED THIS WEEK  
Cereals or Soups**

This week's **Wonderful Wednesday Evening Meal menu:**  
Homemade Chicken Pot Pie, Rolls, Salad Bar and Dessert! \$5 per  
person, \$15 per family. Leftovers: \$5 per To-Go plate.



**The United Methodist Women** wish to invite all the ladies  
of First UMC to the UMW General Meeting on Tuesday,  
October 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the FLC.

The **UMW Executive Meeting** will meet at 6:00 p.m. in  
the FLC on Tuesday, October 9.

## Ladies Bible Study

**James: Mercy Triumphs by Beth Moore**

**Wednesdays beginning October 10**

6:30-8:30 p.m. in the FLC / Senior Room

or

**Thursdays beginning October 11**

10:00 a.m. to Noon in the FLC / Senior Room

**Please contact Edith Hucks to order books. 843-397-8459**



### FUMC Staff

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



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

# First View



Join us on **Today at 3:00 p.m.** for our annual **Blessing of the  
Animals** in the Courtyard. Animals of all kinds are welcome  
whether they are furry or scaly, on a leash or in a bowl, feathered  
or wooly, in pairs or alone! Children are also invited to bring a  
favorite stuffed toy if they would like. Cookies and Lemonade  
will be served following the service.

The Cherub and Wesley Treble Choir and the Wesley Ringers will  
participate in the Service for Blessing of the Animals. Choristers  
and ringers should meet in the choir room at 2:30 this afternoon.

### Birthdays This Week

**October 7:** Robin Hardwick, Ashley Ward

**October 8:** Glenda Harper, Lauren Baxter

**October 9:** Spivey Hood

**October 10:** Lella Faye Sanders, Bobby Rabon

**October 11:** Danny Clonts, Lee Hickman

**October 12:** Amy Lovell Jenkins, Cherry Thompkins,

Will Bitting, Mary Ashley Martin

**October 13:** Joann Ray

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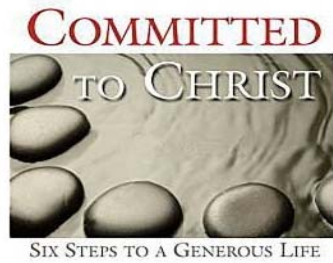
**Art Show in the Commons:** The art work of Sue Dusenbury is being displayed in the church commons through October. The show is exquisite hand-sewn quilts made by Sue for various occasions in her life.

Sue Dusenbury is a member of FUMC and sings in the Chancel Choir. She has a passion for all things quilt including quilt history, techniques and sharing her God given ability and love for the craft with others. Ms. Dusenbury has been making personalized quilts for the young people who live at Waccamaw Youth Center since 2006 and has made over 50 quilts.

Art Shows in the Commons are sponsored by the Music Committee of the Church and feature art work by members of the church. The show is free and open to the public during the week during regular office hours.



The Grand Strand Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, a national organization, will sponsor a Festival of Hymn Harmonizations on **Tuesday, October 16 at 7:00 P.M.** at First Presbyterian Church of Myrtle Beach, 1300 North Kings Highway. Everyone is invited to join church organists from Conway, Myrtle Beach, North Myrtle Beach, Surfside, Pawley's Island, Georgetown, and Garden City to sing your favorite hymns to different harmonizations some of which have been composed by area organists. The program is free and a reception follows at the church. [agograndstrand.org](http://agograndstrand.org).



For six Sundays beginning **October 14**, our entire church family is invited to enter a season of decision and commitment toward the goal of becoming fully devoted disciples of Jesus Christ. The theme will be *Committed to Christ: Six Steps to a Generous Life*. Throughout these weeks we will be asked to make or renew our commitment to Christ. There will be opportunities for you to join in this through daily devotions, Sunday school, and worship. Daily devotional books will be available in the Commons Area beginning October 7.

**New Members Sunday!** First UMC will receive new members on Sunday, October 14! If you would like more information regarding membership at First UMC, please contact Rev. Kyle or call the church office at 488-4251.



**Evening service in the Hut:** The Sunday evening service is an informal service of music, Word and prayer. Musical selections are taken from the *Cokesbury Hymnal*. The evening message is presented by various clergy and lay speakers. There is a time of sharing prayer needs and concerns with opportunity for unhurried prayer. The evening service in the Hut resumes on **Sunday, October 14 at 6:00 p.m.**

**Confirmation 2012-2013:** This year Reverend Kyle is offering a year-long Confirmation class beginning with 6<sup>th</sup> graders. The class will meet during the Sunday school hour starting at 9:45 a.m. in Room 205. The Confirmation Journey begins today. The program will include weekly meetings, service projects, retreats, and a Confirmation Bash in May. Any who have already been confirmed, but would like to take part in the fun, are invited to join. Please see Rev. Kyle for more information.

**Singing in the Commons:** This Sunday morning all children's Sunday School classes are invited to the second floor commons area at 9:40 a.m. for a time of singing (songs familiar and unfamiliar) before Sunday School. Don't miss the fun with your classmates!



### Attention Youth!

UMYF (Grades 6-12) meets today at 5:30 p.m. in the FLC. Don't forget to bring some friends with you!



All Elementary Age Children (K5 – 5<sup>th</sup> graders) are invited to join Wonderful Wednesdays afterschool weekly children's ministry program. This will be a time of fun, learning, fellowship, and music leading up to the Wednesday night supper. Need more information? Please call the church office at 488-4251 or email Tim Whitten at [tim.whitten@fumconway.org](mailto:tim.whitten@fumconway.org).



**What: Trunk or Treat**  
**When: October 28 ~ 5:00-dark**  
**Where: FLC Parking Lot**

The FLC parking lot will be transformed into a lot of decorated car trunks on Sunday, October 28 at 5:00. Bring the family and enjoy an evening of **trunk-or-treating**. There will be food and prizes for the best decorated trunks. If you are interested in helping, please see Tim Whitten.