

Special Thank You to those who participated in the Shoebox Ministry! We had 44 volunteers at the “Eat, Pack and Wrap” fellowship last Sunday. Fun was had by all! The volunteers prepared 127 shoeboxes to be donated to Operation Christmas Child! There’s still time to participate! Please bring your filled and wrapped shoeboxes to the Narthex by Sunday, November 10. Thank you again for making this project such a great success.

Help4Kids Snack Paks Collection
Vienna Sausage & Beanie Weenies

CAP Food Items needed this week
Pasta and Sauce

Now Collecting Gently Used Coats and Shoes!!



Food Drive

A Friendly Competition!
Through November 30



Who’s your favorite?
USC or Clemson?

Be sure your team wins the food drive by bringing in canned foods to fill the designated team-decorated boxes in the **Narthex & Commons!**



Score Board

Clemson: 6 USC: 0



Food stamp recipients will be facing a 20% reduction in funds. For example, a senior citizen receiving \$50 in food benefits will be receiving \$35. As a result CAP patrons will be in need now more than ever. Please be mindful of the extra need of those in the Conway community when you make your weekly purchases.

Support our church for **FREE** while shopping online! Just sign up to the church’s new fund-raising program www.UMCmarket.org which has been approved by the UMC Global Ministries. A percentage of your shopping will be donated to our church. Go to **UMCmarket** and become a member!

Stewardship Moment

“Don’t just believe in God... Believe God! He will supply us.” (Shiny Gods, 2013) As 2013 begins to wind down, over the next couple of months, we would like to say “thank you” for your faithfulness in giving towards the ministries of FUMC. Your gifts allow ministries of maintenance, mission, and fellowship to occur as we go about serving God’s Kingdom here. If you are current in your giving, thank you. If vacations, meetings, and life has taken you near and far, we hope you will consider using these next weeks as a time to step forward in bringing your giving current. As God has blessed each of us in innumerable ways, may we all seek to use each opportunity we have to share our blessings and give back to God. Every gift allows us to be the hands and feet of Christ. To complete the year fulfilling all our ministry obligations and commitments, we have a goal of \$127,850 by December 31, 2013. Let us rise to our calling by being responsible for our part in God’s Kingdom.

Looking for a way to connect with and serve God’s people? Want to get involved being the hands and feet of Jesus? Have a gift you can share?

Join us in the Commons Area on Sunday, **November 10** after church for an informational session on a variety of mission opportunities for the whole congregation—from right here in Conway to far across the globe. Whether you’re just nosey or you’re ready to pack a bag, come join Rev. Kyle and Tim to find out more information.



Prayer Concerns

Assisted Living Facilities: 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: Jane Gore, Wallace Singleton, Bobbie Tyler, Sadie Rae and Genair Hutchinson, Gwen Mishoe, Diana Rodwell, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Ruth Thomas.

Christian sympathy is given to Nancy Randle on the death of her aunt, Mary Helen Crew, who passed away on Monday, October 14 in Durham, NC.

Christian sympathy is given to Chris Johnson on the death of his mother, Laura Garren Johnson, who passed away on Friday, October 18.

Serving Next Sunday, November 3

Altar Guild: Ashley Hood, Mary Ellen Scarborough, Margaret Ann Vaught

Acolytes and Crucifer: Samuel Hickman, John Kelly Thompkins
Evan Von Herrmann

Liturgist: Tim Whitten

Counting Committee: (Sunday) George Martin,
William Goldfinch

(Monday) Maxine Dunn and Margaret Thompson

Trustee Duty: Jim Edwards

Sound Technician: Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks /
Thomas Hickman

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

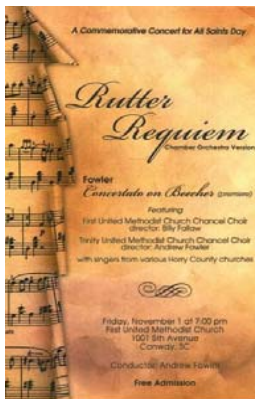
Children’s Church: Jan Gawith

Monday mornings at 10:30 a.m. in the FLC Senior Room: “Coffee Talk, Come Fill Your Cup!” Great time of discussion and study! See Tim Whitten for more information!

Altar flowers are needed. Please take a moment and sign up for a Sunday. Altar flowers are not a budgeted item. They are gifts to the church by those who sign up.



All Elementary Age Children (K5 – 5th graders) are invited to Wonderful Wednesday afternoons after school. This is a time of fun, learning, fellowship, and music leading up to our Wednesday night supper. **If you would like your child to be picked up from school, please contact Tim Whitten.**



The **Chancel Choir of FUMC** will join with the Choir of Trinity UMC, Conway to present John Rutter's *Requiem* on All Saints' Day, **November 1 at 7:00 p.m.** at FUMC in the Sanctuary.

All Saints Sunday

On Sunday, November 3 we will observe with celebration All Saints Sunday during morning worship. During the service the names of those FUMC member's who have passed away this past year and entered into the Church Triumphant will be read aloud as a bell is tolled and a candle is lit in their memory.

We wish to give you the opportunity to light a candle in memory of a loved one you have lost this year or in the past. Votive candles will be placed along the Chancel Rail for you to come and light prior to the beginning of worship through the playing of the Opening Voluntary. We encourage you to light a candle as we remember the many saints in our lives.

Wonderful Wednesday This Week's Menu

The Journey Seekers Class is Cooking!
Listen for the menu to be announced from the Pulpit on Sunday Morning

Art Show in the Commons

The Art Show in the Commons during October will be hand-made quilts crafted by **Sue Dusenbury, Jo Anna Fallaw, Mary Ellen Scarborough, Lella Faye Sanders and Jan Kyzer.** The show is sponsored by the music ministry at FUMC to showcase creations by visual artists within our church. Anyone interested in showing original art work may contact the church office to be put on the calendar.



Birthdays This Week

October 30: William Hardwick

Stewardship & Attendance

Operating	4, 634.56	Sunday School	132
Good Samaritan	25.00	Morning Worship	147
Help4Kids	30.00	Eat, Pack & Wrap	44
Shoebox Project	460.00	Monday Bible Study	8
CAP	30.00	Wonderful Wednesday	82
Red Bird Mission	40.00		
Building Fund	1,117.00	Help4Kids Items	67
Total	6,331.56	CAP Items	17

Advent Bible Study

Beginning, **Wednesday November 6 at 6:30**, join us for a 5 week journey "Walking the Road to Bethlehem" as we prepare for the upcoming Christmas season. The study/discussion will take place in the John McCutcheon classroom on the lower level of the Education Wing. Please see Rev. Kyle for more details.

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



First View

Help us fill the FLC parking lot with **lots of decorated trunks! It's not too late to join in!** Trunk or Treat is a fun fellowship for all ages and an outreach for the church and community! **Bags of candy donations** are in demand! Contact Tim Whitten for more info!



FUMC's Homecoming

Join us **Sunday, November 10, 2012** for the celebration of FUMC's Homecoming beginning with a special morning worship at 11:00 in the sanctuary followed by a covered dish meal on the grounds. Let us make this a great day of celebration in the life of FUMC! Be sure to invite family and friends especially those who have roots in FUMC, to come home on this day. If you would like to help with the planning, please contact Freda Jones at 340-4788.



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