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Prayer Concerns: Jill Nelson, Savannah Seremet, Margaret Jordan, Sylvia Thompson, Jimmy Hammond, Randy Bell, Freda Jones, Frank Watts, Robert Lewis, Glenda Sweet, Dave Grimes, Phillip Thompson, Bob Miller, Val Dunham, George & Jan Kyzer, Joann Wiegand, Woodie Woodward, Bobby Stilley, Julia Land, Virginia Buck, Sue Dusenbury, Janet Von Deck, Frances Reaman, Virginia Hardwick, Sylvia Avant, Rebecca Howell, Eugenia Benton, Billy Joe Calhoun, Ruth Thomas, Ted Boyd.



Julia Land will celebrate her **90th birthday on December 21st** and her family is asking for birthday cards or notes to be sent to her on or before December 16th.
To: 509 10th Ave. Conway, SC 29526
Shhh! It's a surprise!

Birthdays This Week

December 6: Sandra James
December 8: Griffin Yenicek, Tucker Gore
December 9: Eugenia Benton, Michael Barnhill, Linda Carty
December 10: Neal Hendrick
December 11: Sue Howle, John Case



Christian sympathy is given to the family and many friends of Louise C. Goodwin who passed away on Friday, November 27 at her home. Please remember her family in your prayers.



This year we will be preparing a **Children's Virtual Christmas Play**. All children 5th grade and under are invited to participate. There are NO lines to memorize or speak.

Simply meet at the **Family Life Center on Sunday, December 6 at 4:30**. We will have costumes ready. Lee Hickman will record. We will plan to be finished between 5:00 and 5:15.



Congratulations to Ali Thompson and Ian Prosser, who were united in marriage on Saturday, December 5th.

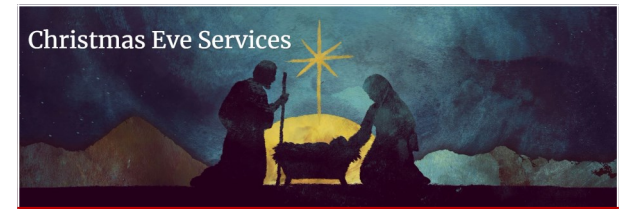
Ali is the daughter of Phil and Pat Thompson.

Fruit Baskets / Poinsettia/Poinsettia Child / Help4Kids order forms are inserted in your bulletin. Please take a moment to fill out the forms and leave them, with payment, in the Offering Plates found in the Narthex or mail them to:
1001 5th Avenue, Conway 29526

Poinsettia Child Online giving:
Text FirstConway ChristmasChild to 73256

Poinsettia Online Giving:
Text FirstConway Poinsettia to 73256

Help4Kids Sponsor a Child:
Text FirstConway Help4kids to 73256



Christmas Eve at First United Methodist Church

Family Service with Holy Communion
Sanctuary at 2:00 p.m.

Traditional Candlelight Service with Holy Communion
Sanctuary at 5:00 p.m.

Holy Communion with Candlelight
Courtyard at 9:00 p.m.

Traditional Candlelight Service with Holy Communion
Sanctuary at 11:00 p.m.

Registration is required. Visit www.fumcconway.org

UMYF and BRIDGE
Resumes Sunday, December 6 at 5:30 p.m.

We welcome our Middle and High School students to join us weekly for UMYF & Bridge at the FLC. We would kindly remind all attendees to please wear a mask while in the building together. 4th and 5th grade students are welcome to join us for BRIDGE at the same time. Dinner provided outdoors. We ask that each student bring a donation to help pay for their food as it is required that any foodservice be catered.

- **December 6:** Packing Backpacks for Haiti / FLC 5:30 p.m.
- **December 13:** Special Outreach / Poinsettia with Cookies FLC 3:30 p.m.
More Information coming soon!



UMYF Christmas Party & Gift Exchange
Sunday, December 20 @ 5:00 p.m.
Family Life Center

The Bridge Christmas Party & Gift Exchange
Sunday, December 20 @ 5:00 p.m.
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STEWARDSHIP FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 29

Operating Fund	6,401.00	Attendance (in-person)	115
Designated Giving	386.00	Help4Kids Items	2
Capital Campaign	745.00	Bags of Clothes	3
		CAP	10

As the generous people of FUMC, we ask that you continue your giving via online <https://onrealm.org/fumcconway/give/operatingfund>, Text **Firstconway to 73256** or by mailing your offering to the church, 1001 Fifth Avenue, Conway, SC 29526. Our Promises to God are a vital part of continuing the mission and ministry that supports the community, staff leadership and the total ministry of FUMC. **Your continued financial support is critical** in helping the church continue to be the church, especially in times like this.

Each gift makes a difference. We are grateful for every gift you share and blessed by every gift you have given. Thank you for your support of the ministries of First UMC. May God bless and keep you. Walk in love as Christ loved us and gave himself for us as an offering and a sacrifice to God.

Serving This Sunday, December 6

Acolytes and Crucifer: Ross Fallaw, Griffin Yenicek

Health Team: Allison Daly (team captain) Matt Daly, Meredith Canady, Ashlee Case, David or Ginger Jordan

Sound and Video Technicians: Lee Hickman, Amy Hickman

Ushers: Kelly Cooper, Charles Myers, Ernie Turnes, Tyler Thomas

Serving Next Sunday, December 13

Acolytes and Crucifer: Jacob Johnson, Charley Levy

Health Team: Melinda Hyman (team captain) Helen Schreiber, Bill Schreiber, Danny Clonts, Dawne Clonts, Katherine Brooks, Rich May

Sound and Video Technicians: Lee Hickman, Amy Hickman

Ushers: Kelly Cooper, Charles Myers, Ernie Turnes, Tyler Thomas

Needed! More Health Team Volunteers! Health teams consist of 4-6 persons. Areas to clean are two bathrooms (narthex & by choir), each section of pews, entrance door handles/hard surfaces. It is suggested to have at least one team per Sunday. Jan Gawith is organizing volunteers. If you would like to participate, please contact Jan: 843-347-9274



An **Angel Tree** has been placed in the Narthex with gift requests from the Waccamaw Youth Center and Help4Kids in. Please choose an angel from the tree and **return the wrapped gifts by December 20**. Angels will be available with the needs of the Center as well as individual boys. *Gifts for the Waccamaw Youth Center do not need to be wrapped.

Muffins with McJingle the Elf

Saturday, December 12

9:30 a.m. in the Courtyard

The Conway Parade is at 10:00 a.m.

We welcome you to join us in the FUMC Courtyard for muffins, hot cocoa and Mr. McJingle the Elf before the Conway Christmas Parade. Additionally, Mr. McJingle will have a direct postal service to the North Pole to deliver letters to Santa. Bring your letter or we will provide stationary and pencils. **We hope to see you there!**

Thank you so very much for the vase of flowers delivered to me. It was such a nice reminder how endearing my church family is and how very thoughtful it was just before my surgery. They will continue to warm my heart and fill me with blessings.
With love, Lois Sayre

Thanks to you and your dedicated staff and many volunteers for keeping in touch with all of us. *Love and thanks, Birdie and Jerry Insley*

Thank you to Mike and Libby Saville, Kathleen McCracken, Howard and Jo Ann Smith and families for the new Advent Candelabra Stand given in loving memory of Ruth Bethea Smith.



The new **2021 Flower Calendar** is posted in the Narthex. Please take a moment to reserve dates that are important to you. Altar Flowers are not a budgeted item, they are gifts to the worship service by those who graciously sign up.

First View



SECOND SUNDAY
OF
Advent

Christmas Project 2020

Let us celebrate the joy of living and giving this season by remembering and reclaiming the missional meaning of Jesus' birth! Our gifts this year will be used to help support the children of Horry County through Help4Kids and Waccamaw Youth Center.

Each year, your gifts help provide food for Christmas dinners for the families of Help4Kids.

Monetary gifts must be received by December 20!

Please mark your monetary gifts "Christmas Project." You may also give online at www.fumcconway.org or **text to Firstconway Christmaschild to 73256**



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