

## Help4Kids Snack Paks Collection

Vienna Sausage & Beanie Weenies

### CAP Food Items needed this week

Cereals, Jelly, and Mac & Cheese

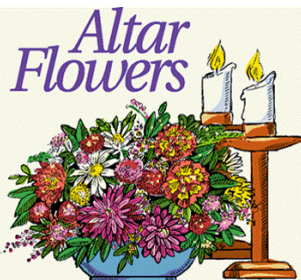
Food stamp recipients are facing a 20% reduction in funds. As a result, CAP patrons will be in need now more than ever. Please be mindful of the extra hardship of those in the Conway community when you make your weekly purchases.

## Doing some online shopping?

What if you could buy the things you need online and give to your church at the same time? At no cost to you or your church? CHA-CHING!



You're going, "NO WAY!" But this isn't a too-good-to-be-true type of thing. This is **UMCmarket**, a shopping portal that pays a commission of 1-9 percent to your church with zero effort on your church's part and no increased costs to you. Please visit **UMCmarket.org** and begin your Christmas online shopping!



The **2014 Flower Calendar** is posted in the Narthex. Please take a minute and sign up for dates that are meaningful to you. Altar Flowers are not a budgeted item. They are gifts to the church from those who sign up. Flowers for January are especially needed.

## Art Show in the Commons

The **Art Show in the Commons** in December is photography of **Anna Saville Levy**. The art shows are sponsored by the music ministry of FUMC to showcase talented visual artists within our church. Anyone wishing to show original artwork may call the church office to be put on the schedule.



## Last Advent Luncheon

**Monday, December 23**

**Host:** Trinity UMC

**Speaker:** Rev. Rhett Talbert



**Happy Birthday Jesus Party** during Sunday School this morning. All children's classes are invited to meet in the fellowship hall during the Sunday School time. If you want to bring a gift, please bring a nonperishable food item for CAP.

**Thank you** to all that contributed to the Missions Christmas Project this year! We surpassed our goal of \$3000 and have donated 252 chickens and 750 pounds of rice to Help4Kids. Over \$1000 will be donated for some electrical work and other things for the Waccamaw Youth Center.

Thanks for all your donations this year for Missions Projects.

### Serving Next Sunday, December 29

#### Altar Guild

Amy Lovell Jenkins, Libby McCutcheon, Sylvia Richardson

Lillian Sherry, Betty Smith

#### Acolytes and Crucifer

Erin Todd, Caroline Todd, Samuel Hickman

#### Counting Committee

(Sunday) George Martin, William Goldfinch

(Monday) Maxine Dunn and Margaret Thompson

#### Trustee Duty

Kelly Cooper

#### Sound Technician

Lee Hickman / Charles Hucks / Thomas Hickman

#### Ushers

Jimmy Hammond (Chairman), Hunter Jenkins (Co-Chairman)

Randy Bell, Kelly Cooper, Garvin Huggins, Morgan Martin,

Charles Myers, Bert Owen, Lavon Singleton, Ernie Turnes

#### Children's Church

Libby Saville

## Offering Envelopes



The **2014 Offering Envelopes** are ready for pickup. They will be available every Sunday morning throughout December in the Commons Area. If you have not had them before this year, please check with Nancy Stiltner -- extras are available.

**Sign up today and receive a gift from FUMC! If you have not had the opportunity to return your Commitment Card for 2014, Danny Clonts, FUMC's Accountant, will be available today and next Sunday to assist you with **Electronic Offering**. He will have the form needed for you to use this effective tool of **automatic drafts/tithe** from an account you specify. Please see Danny in the first floor Commons or by appointment M-F at the Church Office.**

**New Programmable Thermostats** have been installed throughout the church to help us to be more energy efficient.

- Thermostats have been programmed according to each classroom's usage.
- It's not necessary to turn thermostats off when leaving the room.

The **January/February Upper Room Devotionals** are now available and are located in the Narthex and Resource Rack. outside the Church Office. Small/\$1 or Large/\$1.25.

## Wonderful Wednesday

All programs will resume on January 8

### 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:** Lella Faye Sanders, Jane Gore, Wallace Singleton, Bobbie Tyler, Gwen Mishoe, Diana Rodwell, Tootsie Atkins, Frankie Hart, Tommy Jordan, Irene Calhoun, Ruth Thomas.



### Steeple Prints

Looking for a very special and unique gift? Mary Catherine Cecil has offered prints of her drawing of FUMC's steeple with proceeds going towards the building fund. Please visit the Commons to see what layouts are available, then place your order. Suggested donations range from \$10 to \$40 dollars.

## Communications

In an effort to establish a good location for FUMC Church Literature, a customized resource rack is located in front of the Church Office.

Special thanks to **Spivey Hood** for the resource rack and for having the Education Wing Entrances off the courtyard repaired and painted.

The **Church Office** will be open until Noon on Monday, December 23 and will be closed December 24-27.

Rev. Kyle, Nancy, Jonas and Sara are visiting with family December 26 thru January 1. He will return on January 2. Should you need him, please contact him on his cell at 803-804-2208.

Tim, Julie, Mason and Molly are visiting with family December 26 through January 1. Tim will be back in the office on January 2. Should you need him, please contact him on his cell: 251-269-8179



For those who placed a poinsettia in the Sanctuary this Christmas, we invite you to take them with you following the Christmas Eve Service.

### Birthdays This Week



**December 23:** Frank Stilley, Kelly Cooper, Katherine Smith

**December 24:** Scottowe Fox

**December 26:** Wanda Kleine

**December 28:** Teresa Bell, Kimberly Dannelly

**December 29:** Joan Booth, Melinda Hyman



### Follow That Star

Join the fun as we welcome the celebration of the Epiphany on **Sunday, January 5 at 5:00 pm** in the Family Life Center. We will begin with a covered dish meal followed by storytelling and activities. All children will be invited to join in a scavenger hunt with the Wise Men in search of the Holy Family. Let us continue the celebration of the twelve days of Christmas as we move towards the Twelfth night of Christmas. Let us mark the Epiphany with food, fellowship, fun, and worship!

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# First View



## Christmas Eve Candlelight Communion Service 5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary