

At First United Methodist Church, we are each alive in Christ, united in nurturing fellowship, reaching out to share God's boundless love.

November 11, 2018

11:00 a.m.

25th Sunday after Pentecost Veteran's Day

Please silence your phone as we prepare our hearts for worship.

₱ We invite you to stand as you are able

Opening Voluntary

My Faith Looks Up To Thee

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Chiming of the Hour

Welcome and Passing of the Peace

- **₱ Presentation of Colors**
- **Pledge of Allegiance**
- **♥ Hymn of Praise No. 696**

America the Beautiful

Ward

♣ Affirmation of Faith No. 881

The Apostle's Creed

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I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Glori Patri No. 71

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Concerns of the Congregation

Pastoral Prayer

Anthem

Just A Closer Walk

arr. Lojeski

Chancel Choir

I am weak but thou art strong. Jesus keep me from all wrong. I'll be satisfied as long as I walk, let me walk, close to thee.

Through this world of toil and snares, if I falter, Lord, who cares?

Who with me my burden shares? None but Thee, Dear Lord, none but Thee. Just a closer walk with Thee, Jesus, grant my humble plea!

Daily walking close to Thee, Let it be, Dear Lord, let it be.

When the journey here is o'er, time for me will be no more. Guide me to Thy distant shore. To Thy shore, oh Dear Lord, to Thy shore.

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We Worship with our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

Larson

| ♥ Doxology Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here below. Praise him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen. | | |
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| We Worship with the Children (Kid Kits in the bright green bags, provided for K-5th graders, are located at the back of the sanctuary. Following We Worship with the Children, K-3rd graders are invited to attend Children's Worship on the ground floor Children's Ministry areajust follow the Worship Leader.) | | |
| | 7:1-10 (NT Pg. 65) Dr. Roger Weisner | |
| † Hymn of Response No. 452 (vs 1,2) My Faith Looks Up to Thee | Mason | |
| ⊕ Benediction and Blessing | | |
| † Retiring of the Colors | | |
| ♥ Postlude Rise Up, O Men of God | Walter | |
| † Chiming of the Trinity | | |
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| Today's Greeters: Peggy & West Lamoureaux Adrian Neal | | |
| Chief Ushers: Richard Foust, Jimmy Everhart Captain: Max Lanning Co-Captain: Olen Easter, Jr. Larry Beck, Bob Burchette, Jim Highsmith, Jim Myers, Jimmy Shoaf, Efird Wilson and Dean Yemm. Security: West Lamoureaux Sermon Notes: | | |
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Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God, in remembrance and in honor of all who have served by the Altar Guild. Thank you, Veterans.

Sympathy

Sympathy of the ministers and the members of the congregation is extended to Kathy (Earl) Hester and family upon the death of her mother, Katherine Matthews O'Briant of Roxboro, NC on November 3, 2018.

Announcements

Remember to visit our website <u>www.fumclex.org</u> to stay connected with our church calendar, ministries, activities and events.

Please note that the 8:30a Early Worship Service will gather in the sanctuary today. You are invited to the breakfast fundraiser in the fellowship hall either before or after the service.

Boy Scouts Crew 200 Breakfast *Fundraiser • EVERYONE IS INVITED!



Veteran's Day - Sunday, November 11, 2018 8:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m. in the First UMC Fellowship Hall

Menu: eggs, bacon, sausage, grits, gravy, biscuits, toast & pancakes • *Donations received at the door and greatly appreciated. Proceeds will help with expenses for Winterfest in Gatlinburg in February, 2019.

Crew 200 will honor our veterans by serving them breakfast at no charge.

Poinsettia Sale begins Sunday, November 11

Sponsored by United Methodist Women Group 12

Proceeds will benefit local missions • Order forms available in Sunday bulletins, from UMW Group 12 members, and the church office. **Price:** \$10 each **Poinsettia Color:** Red or White in 6" pots **Foil Wrap:** Green or Gold

ALL orders must be Pre-ordered & Pre-paid • Order deadline

November 30 • Poinsettias will be available for pick up Friday, December 7

Parents' Day Out Saturday, November 17 (9a-5p)

Let us watch the kids for awhile...

Toddlers through 5th **grade** • There is no charge for this day – it is a gift to you from the church!

The doors will open at 9:00 am. A light breakfast/snack will be provided upon arrival, as well as lunch and an afternoon snack.

Children should be picked up from the church no later than 5:00 pm.

Registration forms are located online (www.fumclex.org) and at the Volunteer's Desk. While advance reservations are not required, contacting the church office by phone or email (336-248-2886 or **dhuskins@firstumclex.org**) by Friday morning, November 16, would be appreciated.



<u>Sunday, November 18</u> During the 11:00a worship service, the Chancel Choirs of First UMC and First Lutheran will join together in an anthem with violins to celebrate Thanksgiving.

Thanksgiving Evening Worship with Communion followed by a Pie Fellowship Sunday, November 18 (7:00p)

Join us for an evening worship service with communion in the sanctuary. Immediately following the service, we gather together in the fellowship hall for a time of fellowship over pie (cake, dessert, etc.) with coffee and drinks provided. Bring enough pie (cake, dessert, etc.) for your family and plenty to share.



PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO ADD OR REMOVE A NAME FROM THE PRAYER LIST.

Prayer Requests

Mary Louise Wilkerson

Kathy Baragona Dot Cook Sue Corn

June Craver

Linda Fisher

John & Judy Hench Earl Hester

Joyce Inabinett

Susan Terry Jones Adrian Neal

Ramona Phelps

Jim Ragan Iohn Scarff

Dare Wilson

Shut-Ins

Miheepa Jones

Dot Kinsey Caroline McCree

Caroline McCree Evelyn Sink

Piedmont Crossing

Health Care

Margaret McCrary Carver Barbara Proctor

Margaret Ragan Nancy Wilkinson

Residents

Jo Doris Beck Herman & Naoma Crabtree

Richard & Camille Lawrence

Madeline Palmer Jim Ragan

Bethany Woods (Albemarle)

Alvin Pope

Brookdale

Opal Bloome

Hilda Brower

Betty Darr
Brookstone

Albert Gobble

Genesis House (Salisbury)

Julee Smith

Rolling Green Village

(Greenville, SC) Peggy Trollinger

Spring Arbor (Albemarle)

Bonnie Cates

Wood Haven (Albemarle)

Louise Pope

Extended Family & Friends

Rodney Perdue

Paula Brooks Mark Mulligan

Linda Barbee Larry Starnes

Bonnie Cook

Clay Jensen, his parents & siblings Beth Wood Hogan

Jan Greer

Mary Lou LeGette
Pat & Gary Leonard

Debbie Bowman

Clayton Hepler

Rusty Edwards

Lynn Younts Norma S. Trotter

Jimmy McDermott

Rev. Jamie Armstrong Rev. Elizabeth Graves

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Shannon & Steve Ford Sherry & Roger Smith

Rae Leonard

Sandy Balser

Craig Thompson

Lynn Mack & family

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Jennifer Bagby

Katrina Hunt

Bailey Christensen

Tami Robinson

Kelli Jones

Tom Sigmon

Spencer Davis

Faye Graham

Gracie Joy Hedrick

Kendall Conner

David Ogle

Tempie Almstead

Kristin Harris Claire Dowling

Cameron & Pete Dunlap

Linda & Tom Dunlap Carol & Steve Harris

Carol & Steve Harris
Peggy Sisk

Anna Smathers Pat Wilson

Jack Smith Gene Oldham Nakajah Vaughan

Brenda Hipp Jane King

Breanna Wilson Ethan Reavis

Jason & Stacy Heitman

Jenny Rains Iimmy Davis

Bentley Leonard John Bruce Davis

Eric Leonard

Robert, Doris, & Keith Hunt Martha Daniel

Debra Ann Leonard Betty Jean Whitaker Len & Dottie Harris

Jack & Susan Phillips Jordan Beswick

Regina Chrest Bruce Thornton

Serving in the Armed Forces

SGT John Hall Capt. Jarrad Thorley SMS Jason Brownworth SGT Alan Ingram

Our Stewardship for God's Work

This stewardship report is given so you may follow our financial progress throughout the year. Each Sunday, please review and thoughtfully pray over this report.

Everyone is a part of God's stewardship.

Report for Sunday, November 4, 2018:

Early Worship: 32 Morning Worship: 161 Total: 193

Weekly Offerings: \$8,937.87 Weekly Needed: \$10,632.90

Total Received to Date: \$427,215.35

Needed to Date: \$467,847.60

Online Giving For mobile device users, the QR (Quick Response) code will take you to a secure mobile site for Online Giving from your smartphone or tablet. **On your first visit**, you will need to create a profile.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, November 11

Veteran's Day

8:00a—10:00a Boy Scouts Crew 200 Breakfast Fundraiser, Fellowship Hall

8:30 a.m. Early Worship, **Sanctuary**

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary

4:00 p.m. Children's Christmas Program Practice, Fellowship Hall

5:00 p.m. Teens of Life Youth Ministry

5:00 p.m. Trustees, Parlor 5:30 p.m. Endowment, Parlor

Monday, November 12

6:00 p.m. Evangelism, Conference Room

7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts & Venturers, Youth/Scout House

Tuesday, November 13

11:30 a.m. FUMC Book Club, Village Grill

7:00 p.m. United Methodist Women Group 12, Fellowship Hall

7:00 p.m. Theology Pub, Sophie's Cork & Ale

Wednesday, November 14

7:45 a.m. Prayer Breakfast, Cagney's 6:00 p.m. Chancel Bells, Bell Room

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Thursday, November 15

7:45 a.m. Men's Devotion & Fellowship, Biscuit King on S. Main Street

6:00 p.m. Vision Team, Conference Room

6:30 p.m. Faithseekers, Home of Toni Burchette

<u>Friday, November 16</u>

Saturday, November 17

9:00a-5:00p Parents' Day Out, Fellowship Hall

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Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Drop-Off Dates & Times

| Monday, November 12 | 9a-6p |
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| Tuesday, November 13 | 10a-4p |
| Wednesday, November 14 | 10a-4p |
| Thursday, November 15 | 10a-4p |
| Friday, November 16 | 10a-4p |
| Saturday, November 17 | 11a-1p |
| Sunday, November 18 | 12p-4p |
| Monday, November 19 | 10a-2p |



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Sermon

The Community of a Solider

Luke 7:1-10 (NT Pg. 65)

Dr. Roger Weisner

† Hymn of Response No. 452 (vs 1,2)

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Mason

→ Benediction and Blessing

₱ Postlude

Rise Up, O Men of God

Walter

† Chiming of the Trinity