

Sunday, March 18, 2012

- 8:30am Genesis (Fellowship Hall)
- 10:00am Sunday School
- 11:00am Worship Service
- 3:00pm Confirmation Class (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)
- 4:00pm UMYF Ministry Arts (Youth Hut)
- 5:00pm UMYF (Youth Hut)
- 5:30pm Staff Parish Relations Committee Meeting (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)
- 7:00pm Praise Singers Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Monday, March 19, 2012

- 11:00am Caring Callers
- 2-7:00pm Red Cross Blood Drive (Fellowship Hall)
- 6:00pm Boy Scout Meeting (Scout Hut)
- 6:00pm Pre-School Board Meeting (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)

Tuesday, March 20, 2012

- 10:00am Adult Bible Study (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)
- 3:00pm ROOTS Student Ministry (Fiesta Topitia's)
- 7:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, March 21, 2012

- 5:30 pm Wednesday at the First Activities (see details inside bulletin)
- Bulletin Deadline*

Friday, March 23, 2012

- Bus Reserved
- April 1 Newsletter Deadline*

Sunday, March 25, 2012

- 10:00am Sunday School
- 11:00am Worship Service
- 3:00pm Confirmation Class (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)
- 4:00pm UMYF Ministry Arts (Youth Hut)
- 5:00pm UMYF (*Guest Speaker Chris Pochipa*) (Youth Hut)
- 7:00pm Church Council Meeting (Kinsey Mulloy Classroom)
- 7:00pm Praise Singers Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)

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The Mission of the First United Methodist Church is to win and nurture souls for Jesus Christ by sharing and living the message of salvation.

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There's Something About Mary



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Luke 8: 1 — 3

John 20: 11 — 18

WELCOME — Welcome to Genesis! Genesis is being held once a month. Our next Genesis service will be held April 15 at 8:30 in the fellowship hall. Invite a friend to join you!

OUR PRAYER LIST Our President, Our Troops, Bob Lockey, Susan Jones (Ruth Ann Jones' Daughter-in-Law), John Moore, Maria Herring (Grandmother of child in FUMC Pre-School), Kim Briley (Family friend of Jeff & Shannon Johnson).

NOTE: Names are left on the prayer list for two weeks; after two weeks, they are removed unless the church office is notified.

COURAGEOUS — St. David's Episcopal Church is offering the community a showing of the film "Courageous." It is sponsored by the Christian Formation Department of the South Carolina Diocese of the Episcopal Church. This opportunity is a service to the people, especially law enforcement, of the Cheraw community. All are invited to attend. The film will be shown this afternoon at 6:00pm at St. David's Episcopal Church. It is not recommended for younger teenagers without an adult.

EASTER EGG HUNT — This year's Easter Egg Hunt is on Saturday, April 7 starting at 3:00pm. This is a community event for children ages Pre-K to 5th grade. If you enjoy ministering to the children in our community, we would love your help. We need donations of juice boxes, candy, small toys and party favors. We need your donations by Sunday, April 1. For more information contact Brandon Buchanan or Nancy Wagnon.

I AM—DESIGNED TOUR — Chris Pochiba, lead campaigner for Visual Word Media, is coming to First UMC Sunday, March 25 for UMYF at 5:00pm. This event is open to anyone who would love to experience teaching about creativity, pain, suffering, and hope.

BBQ TIME AGAIN — Helpers, helpers, we need helpers ... if you have not signed up or been contacted to help with the spring BBQ, please call the church office at 537-7002. Thanks, Sammy Quick

HOLY WEEK WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES — Community Holy Week Service (First Presbyterian Church), Sunday, April 1 at 6:00pm; Maundy Thursday and a Service of Tenebrae, Thursday, April 5 at 7:00pm; Good Friday, Friday, April 6, the sanctuary will be open all day beginning at 9:00am.; Easter Sunrise, Sunday, April 8 at 6:30am.

UMYF MINISTRY ARTS — On Sunday's at 4:00pm our students gather to cultivate their arts for ministry in their church, community, and conference. If you have a passion for teaching arts, your help is needed. If you are interested in helping our students learn photography, painting, and music, please contact Brandon Buchanan at brandon@fumccheraw.net or on his cell phone at 863-528-8124.

LENTEN LUNCHESES — The Cheraw Ministerial Alliance is sponsoring Lenten Lunches at the First Baptist Church of Cheraw each Wednesday until March 28. Each event begins at noon with a soup and sandwich lunch. A Cheraw area pastor will bring a devotion, and the event will conclude by 1:00 p.m. Bringing the devotion this Wednesday, March 21, the speaker will be Johnny McClendon, pastor of Fisher Hill Community Baptist Church. On Wednesday, March 28, the speaker will be Kyle Henderson of First Presbyterian Church, Cheraw.

WEDNESDAY AT THE FIRST (WATF) — The meal begins at 5:30, is cooked by Carolyn Gary, and costs only \$7.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children under 12 years old (Maximum \$21.00 for a household). Sign up on the worship attendance sheet, or ask that your name be added to the list of "regulars."

**Menu for March 21 — Corned beef, cabbage, potatoes, Irish soda bread, dessert and tea.

**The youth meet in the youth hut at 6:00pm. (doors open at 5:00pm).

**Children's Bible Study — 6:15pm.

**Handbells — 6:30pm (3rd—5th Grade).

**Arts and Crafts with Janice Moore — 6:30pm (K — 2nd grade); 7:00pm (3rd — 5th grade).

**Children's Choir — 7:00pm.

**An adult study — 6:30pm—7:25pm.

UPCOMING WEDNESDAY AT THE FIRST PROGRAMS — March 21, The Letter to the Romans (Rev. Paul Wood); March 28, The Letter to the Romans (Rev. Paul Wood); April 4, Spring break