

UPCOMING EVENTS AT FUMC

Sunday, June 9, 2013

8:30am United Methodist Men's Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)
9:10am Adult Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)
10:00am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service (Roy L. Smith Humanitarian Award Presentation)
5:00pm United Methodist Youth Fellowship (UMYF) (Youth Hut)
7:00pm Praise Singers Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)

Monday, June 10, 2013

6:00pm Boy Scout Meeting (Scout Hut)

Tuesday, June 11, 2013

7:00pm Praise Band Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)

Wednesday, June 12, 2013

*Sunday, June 16 Bulletin Deadline by noon.
Bus Reserved (F.I.S.H)*

Thursday, June 13, 2013

Items for Pre-School Yard Sale will be accepted (Fellowship Hall)

Friday, June 14, 2013

Items for Pre-School Yard Sale will be accepted (Fellowship Hall)

Saturday, June 15, 2013

7-11:30am Pre-School Yard Sale (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, June 16, 2013

8:45am Genesis (Fellowship Hall)
10:00am Sunday School
11:00am Worship Service
7:00pm Praise Singers Rehearsal (Fellowship Hall)

HIGHLIGHTS OF UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

June 16 Father's Day

Genesis at 8:45. Traditional Worship at 11:00 to include the baptism of Carley Jean Watson.
Salkehatchie Missioners to be commissioned and sent forth at both services.

June 23 The final Sunday for Paul and Kay Wood.

June 30 The first Sunday for Rev. Kurt McPherson and his family.

FUMC STAFF

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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.



*June 9, 2013
3rd Sunday after Pentecost*

Prelude

Greeting and Announcements *Please sign the attendance pad and pass it to everyone on the pew.*

Presentation of the Roy Smith Humanitarian Award

Ritual of Friendship

Call to Worship

*** Hymn No. 573 in the Hymnal**

"O Zion, Haste"

Tidings

Unison Prayer

Greg Sanderson, Lay Reader

Your promises are immense, O God. You have pledged yourself in solemn covenant to sustain us and provide for us. Grant that, like Abraham and Sarah, we may put all of our trust in you. We aspire to life journeys marked daily by faith and hope. And help us to live with a calm assurance that despite the world's adversities and set-backs, you will carry us forward to that home which is unseen but eternal. In Christ we pray. Amen.

Silent Prayer

Mini Sermon

Rev. Paul Wood

Anthem

Old Testament Lesson

Genesis 12: 1 — 9

Lay Reader

***Affirmation No. 881 in the Hymnal The Apostles' Creed**

Lay Reader

***Gloria Patri — Page No. 70 in the Hymnal "Glory Be to the Father"**

Meineke

Epistle Lesson

Hebrews 11: 1 — 3, 8 — 16

Rev. Wood

Sermon

"On our Pilgrim Journey"

Rev. Wood

Pastoral Prayer

*Hymn No. 2206 in *The Faith We Sing* “Without Seeing You” We Believe

Presentation of Tithes and Other Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology No. 95 in the Hymnal “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” Old 100th

*Prayer of Thanksgiving and The Lord’s Prayer

* Hymn No. 672 in the Hymnal “God Be with you till We Meet Again” God Be With You

*Dismissal

*Postlude

***Indicates where you should stand if you are able.**

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God from the flower fund.

WELCOME VISITORS — We welcome our visitors! Please fill out the attendance sheet information. If you wish to join the church by Affirmation of Faith or Transfer of Membership, please notify the pastor at 843-537-3635.

OUR PRAYER LIST — our President, all who defend our nation, Brady & Sue Nichols (Pam Humphries’ parents), Bailey Turner (9-yr-old from Ruby with cancer), John Moore, Shirley Walton, Dick Griggs, Sue McManus, Narcie McClendon Jeter (Recovering from brain surgery), Kay Wood, Lynn Tweed, Ginny Clark (Jon’s grandmother), James Thurman (Angie’s daddy), Sarah Jefferies Calhoun, Mary Blanche Laney, Faye Watson (Bonnie Cundiff’s sister), Marion Anderson (Robert Calhoun’s friend). **NOTE: Names are left on the prayer list for two weeks; after two weeks, they are removed unless the church office is notified.**

ADDITIONAL GRADUATE — We would like to congratulate Samantha Baker. Samantha graduated from Cheraw High School and was not on the list last week.

COVERED DISH TO HONOR PAUL AND KAY WOOD — The Men’s Bible Class will host a covered dish luncheon at noon on Sunday, June 23, in honor of Paul and Kay Wood. The meat and drink will be provided; bring your favorite dish. We hope that everyone will attend so that we can show our appreciation to Paul and Kay for their five years of ministry to our church.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL — VBS will be held Sunday, June 23 through Thursday, June 27 from 6:00—8:00pm. A meal will be served at 6:00pm with activities beginning at 6:30pm. VBS will be for ages 3 years through 6th grade. This year’s theme is: Everywhere Fun Fair.

F.I.S.H (Fun In Summer Heat) ACTIVITIES — F.I.S.H activities will include the following: June 12, bowling; July 10, State Park; July 24, Movie time; August 14, Swim party. Times will be announced at a later date.

YARD SALE — The Pre-School will have a yard sale fundraiser on Saturday, June 15 from 7:00am—11:30am in the fellowship hall. If you have items you would like to donate, please bring them to the fellowship hall on Thursday or Friday, June 13 or June 14.

VOLUNTEER TO HELP IN THE OFFICE — If you would like to be added to the list of volunteers for the office, to answer the phone and sit in the office when Angie is out for appointments or vacation days, please call the church office (537-7002) and let her know.

CUSTODIAL WORK — Kevin Chapman is no longer the church’s custodian. We wish him the best in all of his endeavors. In the not-too-distant-future the Staff-Parish Relations Committee will announce a job opening for a part-time custodian. In the meantime, Ms. Linda Moore is working fifteen hours per week to keep the building neat and clean. Linda is also a staff member of the First Methodist Pre-School and Daycare.

TORNADOES SPECIAL OFFERING — The United Methodist Committee On Relief (UMCOR) is the humanitarian relief and development arm of the United Methodist Church. Its mission is this: “Compelled by Christ to be a voice of conscience on behalf of the people called Methodist, UMCOR works globally to alleviate human suffering and advance hope and healing.” To assist UMCOR as it responds to the recent deadly tornadoes, we are encouraged to make an online donation to “US Disaster Response, Advance #901670,” to call 1-800-554-8583; or to designated part of our offering to “US Disaster.”

GENESIS — Our Contemporary worship service is held on the third Sunday of each month. Mark your calendar for Genesis at 8:45am next Sunday, in the fellowship hall.

APPRECIATION TO OUR PASTOR — The Staff-Parish Relations Committee is giving the congregation an opportunity to express their appreciation to Paul and Kay through a love offering. If you would like to participate, please drop your contribution in the offering plate (mark “Love Offering”) or by the church office anytime between now and June 16. This is a way to express our love and gratitude to the Woods for their ministry to our church.

SERVING TODAY

Greeter: Norma Cobb

Lobby Door Greeters: Jerry Turner, C.C. Quick

Altar Guild: Jean McLean

Nursery: Caroline Berry and Christy Ruffner

Flowers Next Sunday: Syble Sanderson

Next Week’s Lay Reader: Shannon Johnson

Counters: Jim Crawford, Sammy Quick, Donald Baker

Alternate Counters: John Straughn, Zenda Rushing

Worship Service Attendance Last Week — 143; (Graduate Recognition Sunday)

Worship Attendance in 2012 for the same Sunday — 197

Head Usher: Heath Ruffner

Hostess: Henrietta Kollitz

Acolyte: Austin Sanderson

Cross Bearer: Mason Tomberlin

McArn Item: Canned meats