OUR PRAYER LIST — Our President, all who defend our nation, Sue Nichols (Pam Humphries' mother), Bobby Sellers (Angie Smith's uncle), Raul Wetternek, Sis Funderburk, Jane Mayhew, Jim Ross (Jane Mayhew's nephew), Jeff Treadaway (Angie Smith's friend), Gina Reid Merriman (Renie Seels' niece), Chris Thrailkill, David Freeman (Brooke Freeman's Father-in-law), Jayne Burr Board, Mattie Thomas (Norma Cobb's sister), Lynda Coleman (Jenny Outen's friend), Margaret Blue Stewart (Thomas McKinnon's sister), Ray McManus, James Thurman (Angie Smith's daddy), Clyde Goodwin, Dee Dee and Terry Crocker, John Coffy (Lyle Coffy's son), Raliegh Coleman (Paul Miles' Stepfather), Lib Eddins (Scott Eddins' mother). NOTE: Names are left on the prayer list for two weeks; after two weeks, they are removed unless the church office is notified.

UPCOMING EVENTS AT FUMC

Sunday, July 15, 2018 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service

Thursday, July 19, 2018 6:00pm Cub Scouts August Newsletter Deadline

Monday, July 16, 2018 6:00pm Boy Scout Meeting (Scout Hut) Sunday, July 22, 2018 10:00am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service

Tuesday, July 17, 2018
5:30pm Weight Watchers Meeting (Fellowship Hall)

NEW ADDRESS: Mrs. Martha Bentley has moved. If you would like to send her a note, her new address is 12800 Spruce Tree Way, Room 208, Raleigh, NC 27614.

THANK YOU: A special thank you to Margaret, Roger and Cheryl for all your help with the fellowship last Sunday. Sara

ITEMS NEEDED FOR FOOD PANTRY: Crackers, Pop Tarts, spaghetti noodles, jelly, salt/pepper, cereal, peanut butter, macaroni and cheese, pudding, nuts, canned spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, canned meats, rice, and dried fruit.

FLOWER CALENDAR: There are quite a few Sundays open during the summer for flowers. We realize that buying flowers can be expensive, so another option for you is to use spring garden flowers or greenery to make an arrangement. If you would like to do so, please sign up on the flower calendar in the lobby by the fellowship hall.

SENIOR ADULT EXERCISE CLASS: Will begin Tuesday, August 7 at 11:00am. Call Sara for more information 843-910-7987 or 843-537-7002.

PASTOR'S EMAIL ADDRESS: Rev. Kim Eanes email address will be cherawpastor@gmail.com. If you have a need to email her, please use this email address.

FUMC STAFF

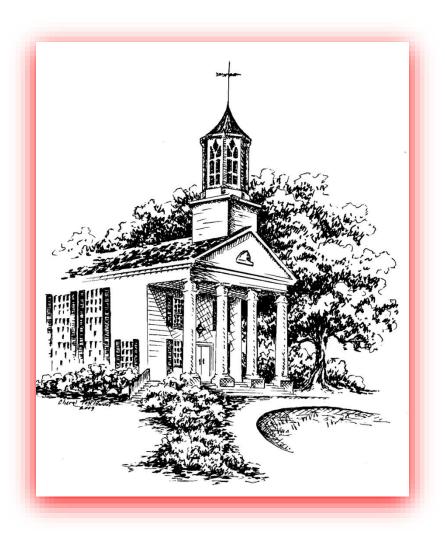
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CELEBRATION OF NEW YOUTH BUILDING









BILLY GRAHAM LIBRARY TRIP





SERVING TODAY

Greeters: M&M Doug Carabo

Lobby Door Greeter: Jim Crawford, Rhett Butler **Nursery:** Caroline Quick & Nancy Wagnon Next Week's Lay Reader: Ray Crouse

Flowers Next Sunday: OPEN

Worship Attendance, July 8 - 141; Sunday School Attendance, July 8 - 71

Received to Date: \$226,096.24; **Expenses to Date:** \$230,588.87

Head Usher: Roger Wolfe **Acolyte:** Peyton Taylor **Cross Bearer:** Hunter Lee

Hostess: Gailya Wilson

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**Please take a moment and silence your cellphone for the duration of the worship service. This is a sacred time when God communes with his people.

Prelude Welcome to every visitor. Please sign the attendance pad and pass it to everyone on the pew, putting the sheet in the offering plate.

*Call to Worship

*Greeting

Gathering Prayer (in unison):

God our encourager, God of compassion, merciful God, holy and blessed, disturb us, we pray. Rescue us from our sleep. Lift us into the consciousness of your presence. Change us. Move us. Mold us for the better so that, at the sound of your voice and the calling of our names, we will never be the same. May our worship of you do this and so much more, in the name of Jesus. Amen.

*Hymn No. 348 "Softly and Tenderly Jesus is Calling" **THOMPSON**

*Responsive Psalter Reading No. 857 Psalm 145:8-21 Jenny Keefe, Lay Reader

Life Lessons for Young Learners

Morning Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

Gathering God's Tithes and Our Offerings

*Offertory

*Doxology No. 95 "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

SPIRIT SONG *Hymn No. 347 "Spirit Song"

OLD 100TH

*Scripture Luke 15:1-32

*Affirmation of Faith No. 881 The Apostles' Creed, Traditional Version Lay Reader

*Gloria Patri

Rev. L. Kim Eanes Sermon "Unlocked and Open"

PORT JERVIS *Hymn No. 558 "We Are the Church"

*Benediction

*Postlude

*Please stand if able.

The flowers are placed in the sanctuary today to the glory of God and in memory of Flo Outen's birthday from Ellison and family.