

# THE CONNECTION

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**CAMP PEE DEE RETREAT CENTER, OPEN SWIM:** During the months of June and July on Sundays from 1-4pm, Camp Pee Dee is offering open swim time for all ages. The cost is by donation to pay for lifeguards. Please consult the poster in the church lobby for more details!

**FACEBOOK FAN?:** First UMC is looking to update our FACEBOOK page on a more regular basis! If you would like to post something on the FUMC Facebook page to share with our faith community, please submit your post to Angie at [fumcangiesmith@gmail.com](mailto:fumcangiesmith@gmail.com).

**ICE CREAM AND COOKIE SOCIAL COMING SOON:** THIS AFTERNOON at 6:00pm the Christian Education Team will be hosting an ice cream and cookie social. Please come and fellowship with us and share in the entertainment.

**MISSING:** The green liners for the short flower vases are missing. If you have taken these home inadvertently, please bring them back and place them in the Sacristy. Thanks. Worship Team.

**MEMORIAL GIFTS:** If you would like to give an "in memory" gift to FUMC, you may designate it to any area listed below: Contingency Fund, Endowment Fund, Memorial Fund, Music Fund, Adult Exercise Class, Salkehatchie, Summer Service, Bus Fund, Youth Ministries, Children's Ministries, Building Upkeep Fund, Parsonage Upkeep Fund, Grounds Upkeep Fund, Pastor's Discretionary Fund, and named Scholarships. Call the church office for more information.

**GOOD NEIGHBOR:** The Men's Class at FUMC is offering a helping hand. Do you need any help to change a light bulb, clean the gutters, rake the yard, wash the car, or go to the store? Whatever your need, give us a chance to be a good neighbor to you. We're not professionals and we'll not bill you for services, but we are handy at doing many things. Our intent is not to take any work away from our local businesses and service professionals, but to simply offer a helping hand. This service is available to all FUMC members, and anyone you know who is in need of help. You may contact Roger Wolfe at 843-537-7496.

**TUESDAY WALKIE TALKIES:** We have started back every Tuesday at 8am with our Walkie Talkie walking group! We meet at the House on the Hill at Cheraw State Park, and walk for approximately an hour over the hills and through the woods! Restrooms are available along the route. You are invited to bring your own water bottle. Please talk to Pastor Kim for details.

**ON-SITE EXERCISE CLASS:** Please join our Senior Exercise Class every Tuesday at 11am in the Fellowship Hall. Standing exercises and chair exercises are both offered. Stretch bands and light weights are provided. Call the church office for more information.

**PICKLEBALL LEAGUE!** Please join us every TUESDAY at 7:30pm at the Cheraw Tennis Courts as "church ladies" from the Cheraw Community practice and play Pickleball. Please note the change of time due to the summer heat. Talk to Pastor Kim for details.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP:** Please join us every Wednesday at 10:30am for this fellowship and sharing opportunity. All who have experienced a journey through grief and/or are currently traveling a grief path are encouraged to attend. Talk to Pastor Kim for more information.

**THURSDAY WALKIE TALKIES!** We have started back every Thursday at 8am with our Walkie Talkie walking group! We meet at Arrowhead Park on State Road in Cheraw. We talk and walk around the circular track for approximately an hour. Restrooms are available at the Park. You are invited to bring your own water bottle. Please talk to Pastor Kim for details.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** We are gathering once again every Thursday afternoon at 2pm in the Harris Sunday School room. Please join us for this study/discussion group led by Pastor Kim. No homework required!

## **HAPPY JUNE BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

June 4 M&M Stephen Board (Jayne Burr)  
June 6 M&M John VanDeman, M&M Sammy Quick  
June 7 M&M Jerry Therrell  
June 8 M&M Scott Eddins  
June 9 M&M James Tweed  
June 12 M&M Scott Tomberlin  
June 14 M&M David Dixon  
June 17 M&M Shelton Rumph  
June 18 M&M Robert Calhoun  
June 20 M&M Jeffery Johnson  
June 25 M&M John Wagnon, M&M Dallas Keefe  
June 26 M&M Jerry Tucker  
June 27 M&M Mickey Sullivan

### **BIRTHDAYS**

June 2 Brooke Watkins Freeman  
June 3 Julia Jones  
June 5 Martha Bentley, Jerry Therrell  
June 7 Patty Fisher  
June 10 Susan Baker, John Wagnon  
June 14 Sarah Lee  
June 15 Julia Watson  
June 16 Susan Eschenfelder, Kelly Dusa  
June 20 Diana Starling  
June 21 Lesley Houser  
June 23 John VanDeman, III  
June 24 Homer Stanton  
June 25 Zachary Mills  
June 26 Clay Barbour, Harrison Goodwin,  
Paige Lockey Sartor  
June 27 Sheri Stubbs  
June 28 Amy Goodwin  
June 29 Lydia Lee  
June 30 Hunter Lee