



WRIGHTSVILLE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 2018

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THE SEAGULL

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Giving Thanks

November always makes me think of Thanksgiving. Even though Thanksgiving is celebrated just one day out of the month, the holiday and the month seem to go hand in hand. I love Thanksgiving. Know why? Because I love to eat. Thanksgiving isn't about unwrapping presents, looking for Easter eggs, or going to watch fireworks. It is about FOOD!

What are the absolute-must-have's at your Thanksgiving feast? Our family tradition starts with turkey. Gotta have mashed potatoes and gravy, too. I make the green bean casserole. (I know, I'm such the cook.) There are usually rolls and different vegetables. I don't care what they are. Seems like butter beans are usually on the table. And sweet potato casserole. (Clearly, I don't do most of the cooking.) And, there has to be pecan pie. Pumpkin pie is also delicious; but I haven't had Thanksgiving if I haven't had pecan pie. Just the way my grandmother used to make it.

I married into a family that serves fried shrimp at Thanksgiving. I thought that was the weirdest thing ever as someone who grew up in the Piedmont. But, I have come to look forward to it in the years that we celebrate Thanksgiving with my wife's family. (We alternate every other year.) Also, I recently read that shellfish was part of the menu at the first Thanksgiving in Massachusetts when the Pilgrims and the Wampanoag tribe gathered to give thanks together for the first time, so obviously, my in-law's choice isn't weird at all. It is actually in keeping with the tradition.

But the most important part of the tradition is in the name of the holiday itself. "Thanksgiving" literally means to give thanks to God. In my family we give thanks before the meal; but I've never actually experienced the tradition of going around the table and saying what we're all thankful for. Maybe this year it'll be different. I think it is the storm. It was bad. But I also know it could have been so much worse. Maybe it is experiencing my oldest daughter being away at school. I was really nervous. But, now I'm feeling much more relaxed as she successfully navigates that transition. Maybe it is knowing that my family, including my parents who live three and a half hours away, continues to enjoy good health. Or, maybe it is my church. A church that continues to amaze me with its constant generosity and service, its desire to care for those in need, its commitment to love God through worship, study, and prayer, and its individual members that make me smile because they are smart, and faithful, and honest, and dedicated, and are willing to be vulnerable, and have a sense of humor, and are gracious and forgiving, even to their senior pastor.

I give thanks for all y'all. Hope you enjoy Thanksgiving this year. If you don't have plans for Thanksgiving you are invited to come to the church fellowship hall at 12:30 on Thanksgiving Day for the Second Annual Luther Millard Thanksgiving Feast. There will be a full meal for anyone who wants to come. Just RSVP on the bulletin board outside the church offices so we will know how many people to prepare for.

Thanks! And may the peace of Christ be with you always.

Pastor Doug

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Office Hours

Mon-Thurs 8-4

Fri 8-12

Security System at Wrightsville UMC



You may have noticed that all of the doors (except the front door) stay locked during weekdays and are only open on Sunday mornings. Though we know this can be quite an inconvenience, the trustees have made this decision in order to keep the preschool children and the employees safe.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please feel free to call the church office at 256-4471.

New Member Class

Our next new member class will take place on Saturday, January 12 from 9:00-12:00 in the Fellowship Hall

Those attending will then join the church on Sunday, January 27.

Reservations are not necessary but if you know you are coming, please call the church office at 256-4471.



Wrightsville United Methodist Women are selling the *Attractions Dining & Coupon Books* for 2019 in the Fellowship Hall between worship services on Sunday or in the church office during the week.

The books are \$25 with the fundraising proceeds staying with the UMW to benefit their mission projects. The cost of the book pays for itself in savings!

Thank you for your support of your United Methodist Women.

United Methodist Women's Circle Meetings

Koinonia Circle will meet Thursday, 11/08 at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Please contact Ann Hill at 350-2729 for more information.

Ruth Circle will meet Monday, 11/12 at 10 am in the Parlor. Contact Marie Cooke, 620-4241, for more information.

Lydia Circle will meet Monday, 11/12 at 7:00 pm at the Eastport Clubhouse. Please contact Kay Morgan for more information at 256-4970.

Circle of Hope will meet on Tuesday, 11/13 at 12:00 noon in room 203. Please call Jeannie DeGaetano at 617-7268 for more information.

Seniors Talking and Remembering the Seasons

Join Us for STARS!

If you consider yourself a senior, sign up for the STARS luncheon on Tuesday, November 6, at 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The sign-up sheet is located on the deep roots bulletin board in the hallway. If you have any questions, please email Donna at donna@wrightsvilleumc.org.

See you at STARS!!!!

Community Thanksgiving Service



We hope you can join us along with the other Wrightsville Beach churches for a Community Thanksgiving Service on Sunday evening, November 18, at 5:00 p.m. at Little Chapel on the Boardwalk church located at 2 W. Fayetteville Street in Wrightsville Beach.

Don't Forget to turn your Clocks Back!



Saturday, November 3




A new series at Sundays at Six



November 4 - 11 - 18 - 25



START YOUR OVENS!

Pick your favorite holiday cookie recipe and bake enough to share because it's time for our

ANNUAL COOKIE WALK!

We are actively recruiting bakers, so please sign up to donate cookies, candies, or holiday treats so we can have an even bigger event this year!

Saturday, December 8, 2018 9:00 am until 12:00 noon (or until we are sold out!)



The Second Annual Luther Millard Memorial Thanksgiving Feast

If you don't have plans for Thanksgiving Day please join us for a Thanksgiving Feast to be served at 12:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Please RSVP by Sunday, November 18, if you plan to attend. There will be a sign-up sheet on the deep roots bulletin board in the hallway or you can call the church office at 256-4471 to make your reservations.

Stephen Ministry by Beth Perry

Well, we've come through Hurricane Florence with many of us still dealing with the aftermath. The anxiety can be overwhelming at times. If you would like an oasis to unload that anxiety, a Stephen Minister may be able to help you. Call on us to talk with you about your fears and help you cope.

We're available for other reasons also: dealing with chronic illness, caregivers of those with dementia, financial crisis, problems with drugs or alcohol, depression - the list goes on and on.

Call Janis Norris at 509-9608, Martha Brenner at 319-7808 or Beth Perry at 231-2369.

On a happier note, we have two lovely ladies, Phyllis Shanklin and Babs Sutton, taking training to become Stephen Ministers. Please keep them in your prayers and if you know either of them, wish them well as they prepare to serve this church.



Save the Date! Women's Retreat 2019!

The Bee Attitudes!

Focus on the honey and the positive!

Renewing your Mind, Body, Spirit and Emotions.

Be a Bee!

Save the Date!
Wrightsville UMC's
Women's Retreat
Saturday, February 23, 2019
8:30 am-2:00 pm



Adult Sunday School Opportunities

Some of our classes are beginning new studies this month. Are you interested? Want to talk or ask questions about any of our Sunday school classes? Contact me and let me help you get started!

donna@wrightsvilleumc.org

or call ..256-4471

Registration opens on November 1.



Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me. --MATTHEW 25:40

bountiful fruit

The Wrightsville United Methodist Church Outreach Committee supports and nurtures individuals and organizations who are in need in our community, nation and world.

We also seek to provide members of our congregation opportunities to define their own ministry in service of Christ.

Cookbooks will make a wonderful Christmas Gift!



2018 UNITED METHODIST WOMEN COOKBOOKS ARE HERE!

Remember family traditions that take you back to your childhood; that "fresh-from-the-oven" scent when you walked in the door, or the anticipation of going to an event knowing that an array of delicious food would be served? Cooking has always brought family and friends together. Wrightsville United Methodist Women, church members, their families and friends have collected **600** of their VERY BEST tried and true recipes that have been served over the years to make times together so memorable. We hope that these recipes will help you to create your own special memories going forward.

\$20*

STOCK UP FOR HOLIDAY GIFT GIVING

Cash or checks made payable to "WUMW"

Proceeds from the sale of these cookbooks will be in line with the mission of the United Methodist Women in helping the lives of women and children. Monies will be disbursed to local charities which benefit women and children, such as Domestic Violence Shelter, Coastal Horizons Center, Nourish NC, Hometown Hires, etc.

* **DON'T DELAY.** Cookbooks will be for sale on select Sundays, at certain church events, and in the office during business hours while supplies last.



whoa, pilgrim.

we're lookin' for a little help feedin' the hungry during the holidays.

Street Turkeys of Wilmington is a project designed to re-stock the shelves of **The Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina at Wilmington**. Our Food Bank provides food and supplies for more than 90 area food pantries, shelters, soup kitchens and group homes.

During the holidays, the food bank's inventory is greatly depleted, making it extremely challenging to provide adequate amounts of food and supplies for local agencies and groups. If you would like to help support our local Food Bank, please drop off one or more of the items listed below.

7:00 am - 7:00 pm

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2018

THE LANDING, 530 CAUSEWAY DRIVE, WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH

Donations may also be made, 11:30 am - 6:30 pm, at these area Harris Teeter locations: Lumina Commons, 1940 Eastwood Rd ■ Mayfaire Community Center, 6805 Parker Farm Rd Hanover Center, 3501 Oleander Dr ■ Oak Landing Shopping Center, 8260 Market St

Monetary contributions are always welcome: just \$1.00 can provide 5 meals (Please make checks payable to The Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina.)

If you are unable to attend, you can visit Virtual Food Drive on-line [BY CLICKING HERE](#).

ALL DONATIONS ARE TAX DEDUCTIBLE.

In the four counties served by the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina at Wilmington 72,070 individuals live in food-insecure households - 19,830 are children; 6,294 seniors live in poverty.

To learn more about the need in our area and about the Food Bank of Central and Eastern North Carolina at Wilmington, [PLEASE CLICK HERE](#).

- frozen turkeys and hams
- canned stews, soups, tuna, ravioli
- peanut butter
- cereal, rice, pasta, dried beans
- canned fruits and vegetables
- infant formula, diapers and wipes

NO GLASS PLEASE!

For a more extensive list, [PLEASE CLICK HERE](#).



wilmington
a food drive to feed the hungry during the holidays

This food drive is sponsored by the Men's Bible Study Group and the Outreach Committee at Wrightsville United Methodist Church.



Methodist Home for Children "Angel Tree"

Thank you for supporting Methodist Home for Children's Annual Angel Tree Ministry this holiday season! This year there is so much need. Methodist Home for Children is serving more children and families than ever before. Beginning soon you will be able to select a MHC Angel from the tree in the Narthex and begin shopping for your Angel's wishes. Please make plans to deliver your new, unwrapped gifts back to the church by Sunday, December 2.

If you have any questions or need additional information about the MHC Angel Tree, please do not hesitate to call the church office at 256-4471.





Mission of Hope Update by Dale Smith

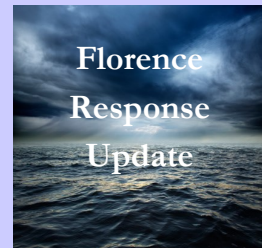
The update presentation previously scheduled for September 16 has been rescheduled for Sunday, November 11, at 4:30 in the Fellowship Hall here at Wrightsville UMC. Come out for a light supper and some good news happening in Rotifunk.



We are Sent Out in Mission by Pastor Hope

Each time we celebrate Holy Communion we are sent forth in mission and ministry, having been filled with God's grace through the Bread and the Cup. There are many ways we can go out to serve, and one of those ways is to take Communion to others in our church family who are unable to attend the worship service.

On Communion Sunday, Nov. 11, we will send out some teams of church members trained especially to do just this ministry. If you would like to be part of such a team please let us know. Our first training took place in October but we will have additional training times as well. All instructions and Communion kits will be provided.



Thank you for your generosity. We have taken in over \$76,000 in offerings for local hurricane relief! We have also adopted two local mobile home communities to deliver food and supplies to help them get back on their feet.

To learn more about how to pray, give, and serve, visit:

<http://www.wrightvilleumc.org/hurricane-response/>

From the Finance Office by Carla Whitlow & Melissa Wagenseller

Thank you for your continued support of the ministries of Wrightsville United Methodist Church. 2018 Charitable Tax Contribution Statements are being mailed now. This statement includes all Charitable Contributions made January 1 through September 30, 2018. Please review this report immediately. If you have any questions or corrections, please call Carla Whitlow or Melissa Wagenseller at 910-256-4471. 2018 Year End Contribution Statements will be mailed in January for the period January 1 through December 31, 2018. Blessings!

WRIGHTSVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 2019 PLEDGE CARD

*With a grateful heart for God's boundless generosity and as an expression of my Christian stewardship,
I make the commitment to Christ's church and the ministry of this congregation.*

My/our commitment is \$_____ per week, or \$_____ per month, or \$_____ per year.

I understand that I may adjust this estimate of giving at any time by contacting Carla Whitlow or Melissa Wagenseller in the finance office at 910-256-4471.

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

E-mail _____ Home Phone _____

____ Please contact me/us regarding how to include this congregation in my/our will or estate planning.



Lighting the Advent Wreath Candles

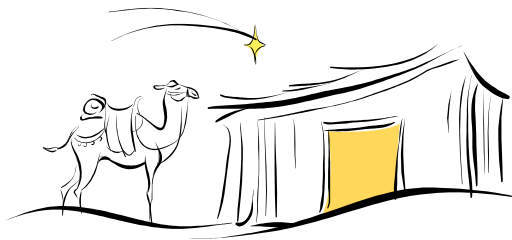
One of our wonderful Advent traditions here at WUMC is the lighting of the candles of the Advent Wreath on each of the Sundays of Advent – as well as during the Christmas Eve Services.

It is an opportunity to read the pre-selected scripture and light the Advent candles. It's a wonderful congregational tradition as well as a personal tradition for several of our folks.

Why not make it your new tradition this year? If you would like to be a part of the lighting of the Advent Wreath Candles, please sign up on the deep roots bulletin board, or call or email Donna at the church.

donna@wrightsvilleumc.org

ALL are invited to participate.



And speaking of Advent...It's just around the corner...and that means....

The Advent Devotional will be prepared and published very soon!

If you are interested in contributing to the Devotional, please be in touch with Donna as soon as possible – no later than November 4.

This annual Devotional is so meaningful to our Church family.

Everyone has a story to share! Please consider writing for us this year.

donna@wrightsvilleumc.org

Christmas Show!

Plans are in the works now for our annual Christmas Show! We are going to support our local theater community by attending a play at Thalian Hall. Please join us on Sunday, December 9, at 12:15 pm where we will hop in the vans and head downtown to have lunch at Pilot House followed by a matinee show of "A Christmas Carol" at historic Thalian Hall. Cost of the trip is \$30.00 and includes transportation and ticket to the show. Please sign up on the deep roots bulletin board or by emailing donna@wrightsvilleumc.org



Thanks For Giving

Wrightsville UMC is blessed to have so many helping hands serving here at WUMC!

Thank you to all who give of their time and talent to make

Wrightsville UMC
such a special place!



Welcome Rev. David Goehring to the Wrightsville UMC teaching team!

Rev. Goehring is recently retired from the North Carolina Conference and is attending Wrightsville UMC now as his home church. Lucky us! David is already known to many - and we're hoping to introduce him to whole lot more of you! He will be leading our Advent study this year and you will not want to miss this tremendous opportunity!

Why should we study Advent?

Christians often speak of Christ's "first advent" and "second advent"; that is, His first and second comings to earth.

The Advent celebration is both a commemoration of Christ's first coming and an anticipation of His second coming.

As Israel longed for their Messiah to come, so Christians today long for their Savior to come again.

Join Rev. Goehring on four Wednesday evenings and journey through our understanding of Advent and Christmas through Biblical readings and hymnology.

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
November 28-December 19
Child care available

Register now on the deep roots bulletin board or donna@wrightsvilleumc.org

THANK YOU...

Dear United Methodist Men,

Thank you so much for your generosity in supporting the family in our community that lost their home during the hurricane. With your generous support we were able to purchase a new home for them. What a wonderful story of true love in action.

Grateful for you ALL, Christina and Jackson Norvell

Dear Church Family:

Hurricane Florence and her aftermath has given Wilmington and our church a great opportunity to demonstrate strength, compassion, and love for our neighbors in a way not experienced very often recently. Recovery is going to take months, and perhaps in some cases years, as some of our community have lost everything they had and don't even know where they're going to live.

We personally experienced significant damage to our home as well as massive amounts of downed trees and limbs but our Lord and Savior kept us safe through the storm.

As things began slowly to return to "normal" following the return of electricity 6 days later, you supported us with hot meals and badly needed prayers. The biggest challenge facing us outside of the damage to the roof was the enormous amount of storm debris that needed to be cut, gathered, and set to the curb for pick up. Because of my physical limitations, that task alone would have taken us weeks; so when Pastor Christina asked me what we needed I told her we needed help with that.

Last Saturday at 9:00 AM, Matt McLeod, Matt Teague, and Dave, Hope, Libby, and Cam Brewer all arrived with gloves and tools to pitch in. With their help, we managed to clear all of the debris out of the back yard and get the fence temporarily repaired in just over three hours! The transformation was truly amazing. Our poor dogs, who had been confined to going outside on a leash and hadn't been able to run and play in the yard for two weeks, were absolutely overjoyed.

Thank you for your continued support of our family with your prayers and kind gestures. A special thanks to Matt, Matt, and the Brewers for investing your "sweat equity" in helping us move further down the road to recovery: "The hands and feet of Christ".

Sincerely,

Russ, Phyllis, and Rusty Deats

Deadline for The Seagull

The deadline to submit something for The Seagull is the 15th of the month. The only exception is for the January newsletter. Because of the "busy-ness" of December, the deadline for the January newsletter is December 10th.

Thank you, and please contact Susan Fieldstein at 256-4471 or email her at susan@wrightsvilleumc.org for more information.



JOY

JESUS • OTHERS • YOURSELF

WRIGHTSVILLE UMC CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

Christmas Pageant rehearsals are beginning!

Join us for
**"Christmas at the
 Candy Cane Shop"**
**Sunday, December 9
 3:00 pm in the Sanctuary**

Sign up to participate by Nov. 1
 Please email Christina at:
fourtwelve@wrightsvilleumc.org



**We love seeing all of you at Sunday school on Sunday mornings at 9:45!
 A BIG THANK YOU to ALL of our Sunday school teachers!**



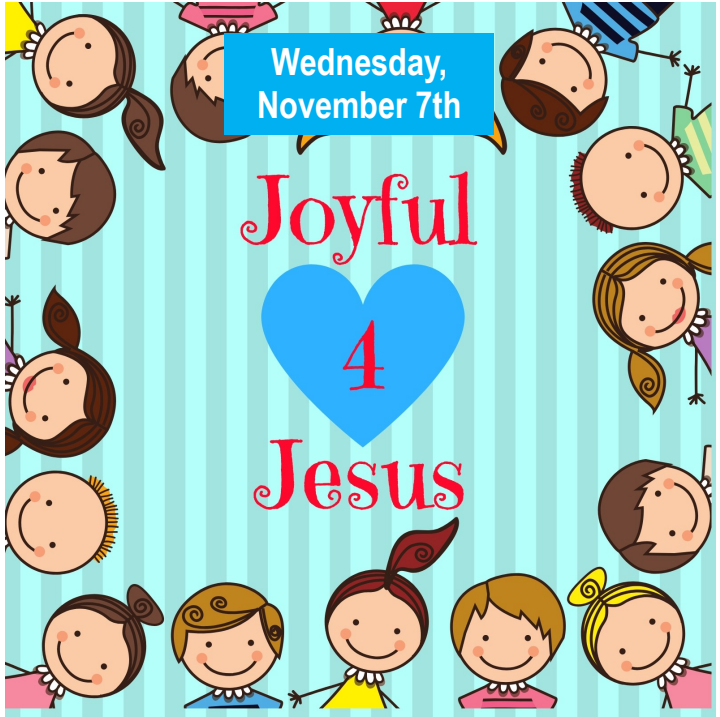
Sunday,
 November 4

FAITHFUL 5TH

YOUTH GROUP!

ALL 5TH GRADERS & THEIR FRIENDS
 ARE INVITED TO JOIN US THE
 FIRST SUNDAY OF EVERY MONTH!
 5:00-7:00 P.M.
 ROOM 203
 DINNER, GAMES & BIBLE STUDY!


EMAIL CHRISTINA NORVELL WITH QUESTIONS OR TO
 SIGN UP: [FOURTWELVE@WRIGHTSVILLEUMC.ORG](mailto:fourtwelve@wrightsvilleumc.org)



Wednesday,
 November 7th

Joyful 4 Jesus

Joyful 4 Jesus
 meets on the first Wednesday
 of every month: 5:00-6:30 pm
 Dinner, fun and Bible Study
 for ages 4-4th Grade



SET AN  EXAMPLE

ITIM **FOUR** **TWELVE**

WRIGHTSVILLE UMC YOUTH



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!
WE ARE SO THANKFUL FOR ALL
OF OUR 4:12 YOUTH & PARENTS!



Sunday Nights!

- November 4: 4:30 pm Praise Band
6:00 pm 4:12
- November 11: 4:30 pm Praise Band
6:00 pm 4:12
- November 18: 6:00 am 4:12 will
serve at Early Bread!
Come join us as we
serve breakfast to
those in need in our
community!
St. Peter the Fisherman
314 Carolina Avenue
- November 18: 6:00 pm
All 4:12 families &
youth are
invited to...
Sundays at Six!
(see details on page 3)

Life Groups!

God's Girlz
6:00-8:00 pm November 6

Middle School Boys
6:30-8:00 pm November 7

Bowling! Beach Bowl: 6:30-8:00
Monday, November 26
Bring money for snacks!

High School Guys & Gals
6:00-8:00 pm November 13 & 27

Fundraisers

Great way to earn credits
for the Ski Trip!

Friday, November 23
4:00-7:30 pm

4:12 will be selling hot chocolate & baked
goods for Santa's arrival at WB Park

Saturday, November 24

We will be parking cars for the
Holiday Flotilla!

Meet at the church at 4:00-
until the lot is full!

4:12 Families!
Sign up for Street Turkeys!



Wednesday, November 21
See page 5 for more details!



November 2018 Birthdays

happy birthday to you.....

1. Isabel McLendon, Ruth Cotton, Mike Kleppinger, Will Worsley, Katie Rowley, Wilkerson Garrett, Kristin Selby, Brenda Wingo, Toni Baer, Judy Gregg, Erin Hampson
2. Cindy Black, Zac Weiner, Bodie Roberts, Kinsley Creswell
3. Wanda Farmer, Frank Weaver, Caroline Locklear, Sarah Halac, Reaves Wilson, Jack Campbell, Lauren Converse, Sarah Phelps
4. Beverly Hardee, Donna Hickman, Phyllis Barnard, Anne McGee, Lisa Buie, Boone Nease, Jud Horne
5. Nate Henderson, Hadley Belisle, Alex Posey, Don Reichard, Howard Moody
6. Charles Sidbury, Betty Adams, Sonny Simpson, John Adams, Simone Grace, Colby Weiner, Donnie Eames, Fin Pleasant
7. Chuck Stone, Finnegan Riddle, Cooper Reed, Dak Millis
8. Grace Bernhard, Frances Knowles, Carol Rohr, Randall Wilkins, Kim Edwards, Lauren Maginnes, Steve Morris
9. Max Woodbury, John Rowley, Jerome Pinckney, Brad Whitlow, McCallum Hutchins, Ben Hutsell, Walt Hutsell, Shelby Roche, Neale McIntyre, Sean Doyle, Mark Batson
10. Marlene White, Linda Garvey, Kelly Batson, Alaina Kim, Gavin Campbell, Bennett Nolan, Joyce Galloway, Chip Grawey, Jenette Parker, Emily Lain, Maia Grawey
11. Harold Garrish, Ann Lacy, Duane Auman, Sam Franck, Kate Maginnes, Mason Mallard, Corina Chambers, Patricia Braswell, Stan Cunningham
12. Derrick Ham, Taylor Lilly
13. Jean Taylor, Lydia Desmond, Charlotte Worsley
14. Helen Higley, Chris Nagle, Jared Jones, Sallie Riggan, Gibbs Kramer, States Cooke
15. Kathy Knapp, Bonnie Wells, Kathy Busby, Jimmy Waters, Erik Taylor, Carter Daniels, Jerry O'Quinn
16. Casey Salem
17. George Whittle, Doris Briley, Rob Bagley, Spencer Taylor, Betty Palmer, Carol Tertzagian
18. Marion Nease, Brock Morton, Ryder Harrison, Austin Duncan, Mel Pitts
19. Theresa Tayloe, Ed Mizell, Ron Staton, Will Jones, Matt Johnson, Patrick Edwards, Niccolo Caliva, Mike Parker, Doreen Bill, Braelyn Harris, Sofia Piner
20. Melissa Wagenseller, Vic Lee, Lane McCorkle
21. Liz Slagle, Eloise Connors, Cathy Madden, Wil Strickland, Joe Meyer, Sydney Earp
22. Mary Johnson, Brad Elliott, Tyler Mathews, Lucy Boswell, Max Dattilo
23. Myk Hutsell, Shay Pittillo
24. Nancy Harris, Todd Turner, Blaine Stowe
25. Ann Upchurch, Lisa Hayward, Chris Buchheit, Matt Ross, Caleb Herndon, C.J. Mincey, Marlene Roschen
26. Anne Zabriskie, Bill Nixon, Kelly Jewell, Laura Midgett
27. Pearl Green, Doris Beaman, Tommy Woodard, Jan Efir, Lynn Woodard, Julia Walker Jewell, Amy Kullberg, Dabney Daniels, Johnny Morello, Ashley Wells, Cora Bradley, Dawn Hoback, Campbell Kerns Smith
28. Virginia Grey Norvell, Kelly Oxendine, Lynn Felton, Julie Wells, Chloe O'Briant, Mike Palato
29. Bob Tayloe, Don Crysler, Pat Bryant, Davis Ingle
30. Lib Robinson, Polly Carter, Alex Halac, Lauren Vollmin, Carol Mills



Prayer List November 2018

“Pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective.”

(James 5:16)

Charlotte Wells	Bob Schiffel
Beth Perry	Lisa Anderson
Charles Holton	Andrew Staton
Tracy Tisdale	Charley Swing
Kathy Jones	Colby Honeycutt
Gus Farmer	Morgan Thomas
Mary Cannon	Jo Newman
Mr. & Mrs. James Davis	Scott Watkins
Blake Cardwell	Bob & Joanne Tennille
Hurricane Victims	Russ & Phyllis Deats
Anne Tucker	Tony Currin
Cliff Long	
Marty Beam	
Sandy Ausbrook	
Jake Krapf	
Swanner Family	
Ann & Fitz Caudle	
Buddy & Doe Smith	
Diane Matthews	
Carter Lee	
Cathy Timpy	
Our Military-NCNG & Army	
Elaine Nowicki	
Brad Blaisdale	
Hank Matthews	
Andrea Terrill & Baker Weatherford	
Glynda Farmer	
David Brewster	
Bob Tayloe	
Rick & Katie Keenan	
Pearl Rowell	

A requested prayer of thanks from many who have benefited from your prayers.

Our condolences to the families of:

Ruth Ann Morrell, J. Duane Gilliam, Sr. (Jean DeGaetano's brother), Teresa Watters.

Prayer request cards may be found in the pew pockets and inside of the attendance pads. Please fill them out legibly, and be sure to include your name and phone number, without which we cannot publish your request in either the bulletin or the newsletter. If you wish to have a note sent, please include the mailing address. If you do not have it with you, please call the church office (256-4471) with the information—we cannot call you.

Thank you.

8:15 Worship

Greeters

11/04: Team Two
 11/11: Team Three
 11/18: Team Four
 11/25: Team One

Ushers

11/04: Team Two
 11/11: Team Three
 11/18: Team Four
 11/25: Team One

Lay Readers: Psalm 16:1-11

11/04: All Saints Sunday
 11/11: Donna Hudson
 11/18: Nancy Faye Craig
 11/25: Nancy Cates

Acolyte

11/04: Schedule Coming Soon
 11/11: " "
 11/18: " "
 11/25: " "

9:45 Worship

Greeters

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Worship Bags:	11/04 Jill Kerekes	11/11 Kourtney Landen
	11/18 Jenette Parker	11/25 Kay Warren

Fellowship

8:15

11/04: Donna & Jerome Pinckney
 11/11: Lisa Weeks/Ann Lyon
 11/18: Dick & Linda Chapman
 11/25: Chris & Don Reichard

9:45/11:15

11/04: John & Tyke Toler
 11/11: Celia Whisnant
 11/18: Wanda & Carl Farmer
 11/25: Ludtkes/Hutsells

Preschool Nursery

8:15

11/04: C. Norvell/P. Hutsell
 11/11: Kim & Ryan Gilbert
 11/18: Donna & Carl Hudson
 11/25: R. Freeman/A. Crittenden

11:15

11/04: Matt & Cheryl Hunter
 11/11: Ann Upchurch
 11/18: Sandy Dombrowski
 11/25: Jessie Perry

Altar Guild

Sanctuary

11/04: Jean Sandlin
 11/11: Susan Snider
 11/18: Susan Wilson
 11/25: Harriet Hawn

Flowers

11/04: Ann Upchurch
 11/11: Ann Upchurch
 11/18: S. Crandall/A. Upchurch
 11/25: Faye Rose

Kempton Worship Team 11/04

Worship Leader: Dick Morrison
Communion Stewards: Don Steele, Pam Moody, Linda B. Wilson



Kitchen Patrol

November: Wanda Farmer
 Susan Wilson
December: Shearon Appleton

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

November: Nancy Noel May,
 Beth Johnson
December: Joanne & Howard
 Rockness, Kourtney Landen

November 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Every Sunday Worship 8:15, 9:45 & 11:15 Sunday School at 9:45 Evening Worship at 6:00 pm		 Happy Thanksgiving		1 Registration for Women's Retreat opens today 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 9:30 am "John" Bible Study 5:30 pm Holy Yoga 8:00 pm AA	2	3 8:00 am NA 
4 First Food's Sunday 4:30 pm Praise Band 5:00 pm Faithful 5th 6:00 pm 4:12 Youth Group 6:00 pm Sundays at Six	5 7:00 am Bible Study 6:00 pm Ladies Study	6 11:30 am STARS 5:00 pm Dolphins Choir 6:00 pm God's Gritz 6:00 pm Disciple's Path	7 9:30 am Mothers' Bible Study 4:00 pm Guppies Choir 5:00 pm Sharks Choir 5:00 pm Joyful 4 Jesus 6:00 pm Handbell Choir 6:30 pm Middle School Boys 7:15 pm Chancel Choir	8 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 9:30 am "John" Bible Study 10:00 am Koimonia Circle 5:30 pm Holy Yoga 8:00 pm AA	9	10 8:00 am NA
11 12:15 pm Communion to Homebound 3:30 pm Pageant Rehearsal 4:30 pm Mission of Hope Social 4:30 pm Praise Band 6:00 pm 4:12 Youth Group 6:00 pm Sundays at Six	12 7:00 am Bible Study 10:00 am Ruth Circle 6:00 pm Ladies Study 7:00 pm Lydia Circle	13 12:00 pm Circle of Hope 5:00 pm Dolphins Choir 6:00 pm HS Guys & Gals 6:00 pm Disciple's Path	14 9:30 am Mothers' Bible Study 4:00 pm Guppies Choir 5:00 pm Sharks Choir 6:00 pm Handbell Choir 7:15 pm Chancel Choir	15 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 9:30 am "John" Bible Study 5:30 pm Holy Yoga 8:00 pm AA	16	17 8:00 am NA
18 6:00 am 4:12 Youth Group serving at Early Bread (no 4:12 this evening) 3:30 pm Pageant Rehearsal 5:00 pm Community Thanksgiving Service 6:00 pm Sundays at Six	19 7:00 am Bible Study	20 5:00 pm Dolphins Choir	21 Street Turkeys 7:00 am-7:00 pm	22 12:30 pm Thanksgiving Lunch Happy Thanksgiving!	23 4:00-7:30 pm 4:12 Youth at WB Park	24 4:00 pm 4:12 Youth Parking Cars for Flotilla 8:00 am NA
25 No 4:12: Happy Thanksgiving 6:00 pm Sundays at Six	26 7:00 am Bible Study 6:30 pm Middle School Boys go Bowling	27 5:00 pm Dolphins Choir 6:00 pm HS Guys & Gals	28 9:30 am Mothers' Bible Study 4:00 pm Guppies Choir 5:00 pm Sharks Choir 6:00 pm Handbell Choir 6:30 pm Advent Study Begins 7:15 pm Chancel Choir	29 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 9:30 am "John" Bible Study 5:30 pm Holy Yoga 8:00 pm AA	30	

Middle School & High School Girls to Pilgrimage

Return Service Requested

Deep Roots... Bountiful Fruit
(it happens here.)

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