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A Peek Behind the Curtain

So, a strange thing happened at the North Carolina Annual Conference a few weeks ago in Greenville, NC. My clergy colleagues elected me to be a delegate to Jurisdictional Conference next summer in Lake Junaluska, NC; and my daughter, Emily, was elected by the laity of our annual conference as a delegate to both the Jurisdictional Conference AND next year's General Conference in Minneapolis. We both consider it an honor to have been elected and a privilege to serve in our respective capacities.

Since General Conference won't take place until May 2020 and Jurisdictional Conference won't be until July 2020 we will have a year to see what happens in the preparation and build-up of these two important pieces of our United Methodist polity. I won't do it every month; but from time to time I will use this space to give you updates on what is happening. It is a unique time in the United Methodist Church and a unique opportunity to have two people from the same church serving on the delegation team so I thought you might like to know what occurs at these meetings.

First, a quick review of some definitions:

An **Annual Conference** holds the business meetings and celebrates the ministries of a connected geographical area. In the U.S. it can be the size of a state, multiple states, or parts of states depending on the number of United Methodists living in that area. Our annual conference encompasses the eastern half of North Carolina from Burlington to the coast.

General Conference holds the business meetings and celebrates the ministries for the entire United Methodist denomination worldwide. Each annual conference sends at least two delegates to General Conference. Our annual conference is larger than most so we get sixteen delegates – eight clergy and eight lay delegates. Some have compared General Conference to the U.S. Congress because it is our highest legislative body; but, with 46% of the delegates coming from outside the United States it actually looks more like the United Nations than the U.S. Congress.

Jurisdictional Conferences have basically one function. The job of the delegates to Jurisdictional Conference is to elect new bishops to the conferences within their jurisdiction. Our jurisdiction is the Southeast United States. It encompasses 14 annual conferences in 9 states east of the Mississippi River and south of Washington, DC. There are five bishops in our jurisdiction retiring next year (including our own Bishop Hope Morgan Ward) so we will be electing five new bishops next summer.

The North Carolina Annual Conference delegation meetings are therefore made up of the 16 delegates to General Conference and the 16 delegates to Jurisdictional Conference, plus 10 alternates (which seems a little excessive). So, there are 42 people in all with an equal number of clergy and lay delegates representing our annual conference.

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Our first delegation meeting will take place on the day this article goes to print so it will have taken place before you receive this. But the critical thing that will take place at this meeting is that we will choose our conference's nominee for bishop. Remember, there are 14 annual conferences in our jurisdiction. Every conference gets to send a nominee to jurisdictional conference with the possibility of being elected. But there will only be five openings next year. So, the 14 people nominated will be running for 5 open spots. After the bishops are elected a smaller committee will decide where they will serve. Our conference might get one of the new bishops or it might get a bishop who already has experience leading another conference. If the person we nominate from our conference gets elected we will not receive him or her as our bishop.

But, that's one of the things on my mind this week and one of the things I'm praying about – Which clergyperson in our annual conference would be the best person to serve as a bishop to another conference? Who could be a spiritual leader to an entire conference? Who would make wise appointments? Who could handle the inevitable problems that come up with clergy and churches? Who can help navigate a conference through potentially tense times? Who will challenge a conference appropriately? Who will comfort us when we need it? We can't expect anybody to be perfect; but who has the gifts necessary to take on such an important role? Our delegation will be thinking about who we could nominate to potentially serve in another conference. Meanwhile, other conference delegations around the Southeast are meeting too, and they will be praying over someone who may be our next bishop. This is the first important decision for delegations to make. As I said earlier, I'm going to let you know what is happening at these meetings. I appreciate your prayers and support as I engage in this intriguing part of Methodist structure and ministry.

May the Peace of Christ be with you, Pastor Doug



Popcorn and a Movie Wednesday, July 17

The Racial Unity Committee invites you to join us on Wednesday, July 17, at 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. We'll watch "Althea and Arthur," a documentary about the life of tennis stars Althea Gibson and Arthur Ashe, who broke the color barrier in tennis. We will also hear from Lenny Simpson, founder of One Love Tennis. Doors open at 6:15.

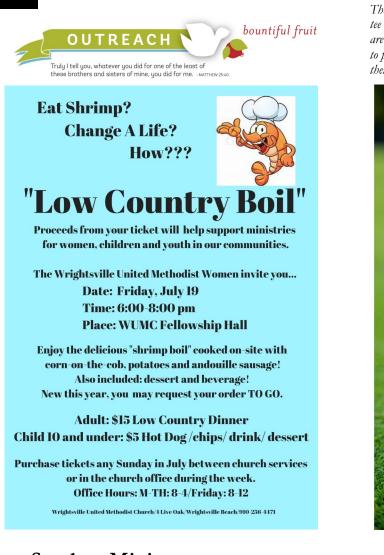




SCHOOL'S OUT FOR THE SUMMER! Actually, in the case of Snipes, school's out for about five weeks before year round school students return in late July to start a new year. But this is a good time to take stock of all the ways we have supported Snipes this year. We can never express enough thanks to all the individuals, Circles, Sunday School classes and our 4:12 Youth Group for their generous giving to students and staff at Snipes. It was a great year and the following gives you some idea of the difference our partnership makes to those at Snipes. Hundreds of pencils, markers and notebooks donated at the start of school and throughout the year Regular classroom volunteers assisted teachers and worked with individual students Hurricane Florence relief money donated to help displaced students and families Meals delivered to several families at Thanksgiving Presents of toys and clothing provided at Christmas to several students Gift bags presented to principals, administrative staff, social worker, librarian and nurse on appreciation days Fabulous field trip to the Coastal Therapeutic Riding Center provided for the Exceptional Children's • class Snack/treat bags assembled on our Service Day for the homeless students at Snipes Snacks regularly donated for classrooms and for the social worker to hand out Over one hundred warm sweatshirts and jackets donated along with school uniforms Fourth grade field trip to Wrightsville Beach to take part in a Clean Sweep Delicious teacher's luncheon during Teacher Appreciation Week provided by the Lydia Circle Fun day at Wrightsville Beach for all second graders A Book Fair allowing each student to choose a book to take home for the break, made possible by our 4:12 Youth Group's monetary donation along with another individual donation as well as new books written and donated by Molly Nece Volunteers helping with Field Day games and end of year celebrations We wish we could share all the letters, drawings, stories and heartfelt thanks we receive from teachers and students at Snipes. Those of us in the school feel the love every time we go and pass our thanks to YOU for helping make Snipes a happier, healthier learning environment for over 400 children. Let's keep the partnership going ! A Thank You Note from Snipes student, Jermaine thank You For ICT US go to the beach Ms. Lane We had a Fun Time and We got to PAY a lot We got to PAN in the sand and got to PANY In CONGREGATIONS the water We got to eat IUNCH We got to Play

Football we got to Play with our Friends we had a

DOF FUR thank You by Jermaine Poster Jr



Stephen Ministry by Beth Perry

By the time you read this, we will be well into summer. Vacations, beach trips, family reunions - all the things we associate with summer. I hope you and your family are enjoying your summer season.

However, if you are troubled about work, family issues, financial problems, health problems - whatever the problem - and want an unbiased, caring listening ear, you need a Stephen Minister. We want to help you navigate the crises life can throw at us.

If you would like to help others who are having trouble, become a Stephen Minister. We start a new training program in September.

For more information about either situation, please call Janis Norris at 509-9608 or Beth Perry at 231-2369.



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.





Please remember Mother Hubbard's Cupboard on First Foods Sunday, July 7.

We need VOLUNTEERS desperately! We need them on 1st Mondays, 2nd Wednesdays, and 4th Saturdays from 12:30-3:15 at the Cupboard each month to distribute food. Also we need someone to pick up food from Masonboro Commons Food Lion on the 4th or 5th Mondays of each month. If you can help in any way, please call Marie Cooke at 910-620-4241.

Thanks so much for helping our low-income families in Wilmington! And thank you to our VBS children for collecting over 325 pounds of food for MHC!

Madonna Project

In Sierra Leone, Africa, 1 in 9 infants dies at birth and 1 in 18 mothers dies while giving birth. (In the U.S., this is about 1 in 500.) The average birth weight of newborns is less than 5 pounds.

Mission of Hope: Rotifunk Hospital is working hard to change these numbers through our Madonna Project. Through this project, in prenatal and outreach clinics, expectant moms are screened for risk factors such as poor nutritional status, high blood pressure, infection, or twins. These ladies are given the opportunity to stay in the hospital for 1 week prior to their due date, receiving nutritious meals and being closely monitored. They deliver their babies at the hospital and stay 3 days after delivery to ensure the safety of both mother and baby.

Most mothers in Rotifunk cannot afford hospital stays and deliver their babies at home without medical supervision. By sponsoring a mom, you can change this scenario. The total for each mom in the Madonna Project is only \$90.00 for a 10-day hospital stay. Please help us help them with a donation of any amount towards this worthy project. Thank you so much!

Donations can be made to Mission of Hope on our website:

www.rotifunk.org

or by mail to: Mission of Hope: Rotifunk Hospital P.O. Box 11103, Wilmington, NC 28404.



YOU CAN HELP SAVE LIVES!!



The children's classes will be enjoying a different spin on Sunday School this summer beginning on July 7. Take a look at the Children of J.O.Y. page of this newsletter or contact Christina Norvell at <u>fourtwelve@wrightsvilleumc.org</u> for more information.

> Youth Sunday School classes will continue to meet each Sunday. Check with <u>fourtwelve@wrightsvilleumc.org</u> for more information.

Adult Sunday School classes will each operate on their own schedule. Roy Sandlin Class – no class in July Son Seekers – continues to meet through the summer Walk in Faith – no class July 7, 14 Agape Class – continues to meet through the summer Selah Class – no class in July Circle of Friends – no class in July



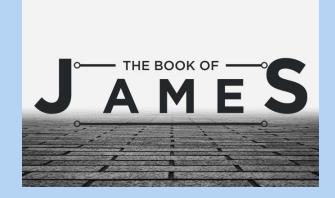
Online giving is an easy way to tithe, donate, and make designated payments (memorials, youth small groups, missions). Please click the "Giving" link located on the top of the home page of the WUMC website <u>www.wrightsvilleumc.org</u>. Scroll down, click on "Give," and follow the steps from there. If you have questions, please call Carla Whitlow or Melissa Wagenseller at 910-256-4471.



Save the Date! Marriage Seminar January 31 and February 1 More details to follow but please mark your calendars now! You don't want to miss this!



Holy Yoga will be taking the month of July off – but they will be back in August. All are welcome!



Join Rev. David Goehring for a study of the Book of James this July! We'll meet on Wednesdays – July 10, 17, 24, and 31 at 11:00 am

A sign up sheet is now available on the deep roots bulletin board in the office hallway or contact donna@wrightsvilleumc.org.

Bring your lunch and join us in Room 206. You'll be glad you did!



Join us in reading I Think You're Wrong (But I'm Listening): a guide to grace-filled political conversations by Sarah Stewart Holland and Beth Silvers

"More than ever, politics seems driven by conflict and anger. People sitting together in pews every Sunday have started to feel like strangers, loved ones at the dinner table like enemies. Toxic political dialogue, hate-filled rants on social media, and agenda-driven news stories have become the new norm. It's exhausting, and it's too much.

In *I Think You're Wrong (But I'm Listening)*, two working moms from opposite ends of the political spectrum contend that there is a better way. They believe that we can

choose to respect the dignity of every person,

choose to recognize that issues are nuanced and can't be reduced to political talking points,

choose to listen in order to understand,

choose gentleness and patience.

Sarah from the left and Beth from the right invite those looking for something better than the status quo to pull up a chair and listen to the principles, insights, and practical tools they have learned hosting their fast-growing podcast *Pantsuit Politics*. As impossible as it might seem, people from opposing political perspectives truly can have calm, grace-filled conversations with one another—by putting relationship before policy and understanding before argument."

A few copies of this book are available for purchase in the Narthex.

Join us to discuss this book on Tuesday, July 23, at 6:30 pm.

Can you smell the bacon yet????

On July 7th the fantastic men of the church will once again return to the kitchen for our Summer Sunday Breakfasts! Join us <u>July 7 – Sept. 1</u> for a free breakfast in the Fellowship Hall – cooked by our very own oh-so-talented men! Breakfast is served each Sunday from 9-10 am. Y'all come now!





Just a quick reminder of this summer's reading list



Chasing Francis: A Pilgrim's Tale, Cron Inspired, Evans The Lemon Tree, Tolan Women Rowing North, Pipher Living Gently in a Violent World, Hauerwas and Vanier All the Colors We Will See, Gopo An Altar in the World: A Geography of Faith, Brown Liturgy of the Ordinary: Sacred Practices in Everyday Life, Warren Consider the Birds: A Provocative Guide to Birds of the Bible, Blue





Our Thursday Morning Ladies' Study continues through the summer. They meet Thursday mornings at 9 am in Room 105. Contact Donna Pinckney for more information – 256-4471.

Men's Morning Bible Study

Men's Bible Study continues on Thursday mornings at 6:45 am. All men are welcome! Join us!

Contact Gene Ingle for more information:

620-7177





At the North Carolina Annual Conference this year, a resolution was passed which stated in part: "...Be it further resolved, we urge all congregations to be faithful stewards of Creation by responding to climate change through the promotion of energy conservation, energy efficiency, renewable energy, and technology. We urge all congregations to adopt programs at their facilities, and in their homes, for the conservation of energy and water, and for recycling of materials that can be reused..."

Since it was one of the topics of discussion, we thought you might like to know the ways in which Wrightsville UMC has been moving towards better creation care and stewardship of the earth over the last few months. Here are a few examples of the changes we've made to date:

Recycling bins have been placed throughout the buildings

Disposable products purchased by the church have been shifted or are shifting as we replace supplies to compostable or recyclable products

Duke Energy completed an energy audit of our buildings

Lighting and light bulbs throughout Wrightsville UMC and public spaces in The Landing have been changed to LED lighting and bulbs

As HVAC units require replacement, we are replacing them with more energy-efficient units

We recently **completed a book study** of *Reforesting Faith* by Matthew Sleeth – connecting those who love the Creator with creation

Sundays at Six is currently in the middle of a sermon series about creation care titled "God's Green Earth"

Join us as we continue to examine our role in the stewardship of creation!

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	on the deep	roots bulletin be	oard	
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Sundays at Six "God's Green Earth" Series

God made everything that was - and called it very good. How can we celebrate God's magnificent creation? How can we care for it? This summer, until July 28, we'll explore living in God's green earth! Join us every Sunday at 6 pm!

Sundays at Six: "Take a Break" Series

The fourth commandment (honor the Sabbath day and keep it holy) is maybe the most overlooked. But even God rested -- and as human beings made in God's image, we need a break, too! Join us Sunday nights at 6 pm in the Sanctuary from July 28-August 25 as we exhale and live into God's rest. Come as you are -- see you Sundays at Six!



Sundays at Six invites you to bring your dog and yourself to Dog Church! On July 7, at 6 pm, we'll walk to a green space overlooking the Intracoastal Waterway to sing, worship, pray, and share Communion together in God's creation. Bring a camp chair or blanket to sit on! Treats will be available for the pups. (Note: This is not the Blessing of the Animals -- which we will still hold this fall for all our furry or feathered friends!)

Church with Warner Temple AME Zion

Warner Temple AME Zion Church suffered damage during Hurricane Florence-and they will be celebrating their first worship service back in their Sanctuary! Join Pastor Christina and the Racial Unity Committee as we worship with Rev. Clifford Barnett and Warner Temple on Sunday, July 7. We'll meet at Independence Mall near Panera Bread at 8:30 am and carpool to the worship service at 9 am.





Just a card to let you all know how much I appreciated the visits from the church, the phone calls, and the food during the sickness and recent death of my wife, Imogene "Gene" Goldston. I know she is in a better place. Thank you for your help in getting me through this.

Sincerely, Ed Goldston

"Thanks" from Mission of Hope- Rotifunk Hospital

To all the congregation members who donated items to our 2nd Annual Huge Yard Sale, thank you. From Aunt Sarah's beautiful mirror to Grampa's fishing poles, all totaled to raise over \$6,000 for Rotifunk Hospital. There was a contagious spirit of mission as the sale took place, and all unsold items were taken to the Cape Fear Gospel Rescue Mission for their thrift shop. Let's all begin preparing for our 3rd Annual HUGE Yard Sale next spring!

Your Outreach Committee

Dear Pastors, Staff, Lydia Circle, Extended Church Family,

Thank you all for your prayers, visits, dinners, freezer food, cards, emails, calls and your overwhelming love for Rick and me and all our family during these last number of months. God is Great and merciful and we are so Blest to be part of Wrightsville United Methodist Church.

Thank you for everything!! May God Bless each one of you beyond measure. xox Lots of Love, Kate, Rick, Whitney & Emily Keenan

Dear Youth Group,

Thank you so much for the generous donation you made to Snipes Academy. It was incredibly thoughtful of you to focus your service project on the literacy needs of our students.

As many of you know, Snipes is a high poverty school. Our students receive breakfast and lunch daily and sometimes struggle to get the things they need like supplies, clothing and shelter that other people take for granted. Hurricane Florence made some of those situations worse.

As a result, many of our students don't have a lot to call their own. Your gift provided 300 books (with money left over to use at a later date) that students will get to choose from and take home with them for the summer. The book will be theirs to keep, a tangible reminder of their year here. They will be able to practice reading or having somebody read to them.

More important, they know that others care about them and their situation. The fact that you took time, energy and money to ensure that somebody you've never met gets something that will help them in their learning journey is important and will have a lasting effect. You could have chosen any group, but you chose us. That means a lot.

On June 4, I will be distributing the books to students. It will be a joy to watch their faces as they pick out their books and find out they are theirs to keep. Your gift was not just a book but hope for kids who sometimes need a boost in that department.

Thank you again and know that we are truly grateful. Sincerely, Stacy Menzies, NBCT Media Coordinator, Snipes Academy





VBS to Mars and Beyond was a huge success! Thank you so much to all of our volunteers! We could not do it without your love and support. It was an amazing week and we are looking forward to next summer!



Preschool Play Dates

Ages 2-4 are invited! Wednesday, July 17 Wednesday, July 24 9:30-11:30 am in the Fellowship Hall Email Christina Norvell to sign up and for more details!



We do have Sunday School during the Summer! Every Sunday Morning: 9:45-10:45 am 3's & 4's will be in Room 111 K & 1st in Room 109 2-5 will be in Room 203

Surfing with the Spirit!



All Children of J.O.Y. 1st grade & above along with their parents are invited to join us for surf lessons!

> Saturdays: July 13, 20 & 27

Meet at the church at 7:30 am. We will carpool to the north end of WB We will be back to the church around 10 am.

\$40 per person, per lesson, which includes surfboard & instructor.

There is a limit of 20 kids so contact Christina ASAP. You don't have to commit to all 3 lessons!

David Wilson will be leading us in a family devotion after the lessons on the beach.

Join us this summer! Email Christina Norvell to sign up and get more details! fourtwelve@wrightsvilleumc.org





Parking Cars Fundraiser! Thursday, July 4: 10:30 am until the lot is full. All proceeds go towards our mission trips!



Join us on Sunday, July 21, as we commission our high school & middle school mission teams! Please keep both of our mission teams in your prayers this month as they travel to be the hands and feet of Christ.

Middle School Mission Team:

Etta Caulder Jackson Davenport Corbin Demolina Addison Fagan Hannah Ford Jack Ford BG Hunter Caroline Harris Everett Lain Ray McDonald TJ Mitchell Banks Roberts Maddie Wright

High School Mission Team:

Ann McBryde Barker Madeline Eckel Madilyn Eliot Mason Duncan Carly Farmer Aiden Flynn Wilkerson Garrett Tate Hayward Helen Grace Hutchins Ben Hutsell Walt Hutsell Samantha Jarnagin Emily Lain Addison Lewis Caroline Locklear Ava McLatchy Alexandra Miller Molly Pierson Abigail Richardson Taylor Sizemore Parren Spivey Harrison Spicuzza Yates Weaver Hamilton Willis

High School Mission Trip Parent Meeting Tuesday, July 16, 5:30 pm Middle School Mission Trip Parent Meeting Sunday, July 21, at 9:45 am

4:12 Mission Trip Stock! \$20 per stock

Investor (your name here)
Address
Phone Number
Email address:

*If there is a specific 4:12 youth that you would like to "invest" in, Please list their name here

With the purchase of this Stock, you are not only committing to praying for this youth on the mission trip, but you are also invited to a Stock Holder Dinner on Tuesday, August 20th, at 6:00 pm to see your "Return on Investment"!



*Donations made to specific "named" people are consider "non-deductible" which means it will not be included in your "Charitable Tax Statement", per IRS regulations. High School Life Group will meet: Tuesdays July 2 & 16 from 6-8 pm

A big thank you to all the 4:12 youth who volunteered their time with VBS!

You guys were amazing!

July 2019 Birthdays

- 1. Dick Chapman, Megan Demolina, Matthew Carter, Sarah Goins, Price Dombroski
- 2. Wendy Stoner, Mike Garner, Bev Nesselroade, Eric Hickman, Mandy Bobo, Pat Hardison, Mike Garner
- 3. Nan Lassiter, Taylor Blackwell, Carla Whitlow, Janice Anderson, Weston Pate
- 4. Helen Hughes, Glenn Higley, Buddy Blake, Jocelyn Holt, Camden Nagle, Lauren Noland, Chris Brown, Batten Selby
- 5. Tommy Thompson, Ivan White, Thomas Bagley, Ryan Gilbert, Ginny Hollingsworth, Jill Ohar, Pam Mansbery
- 6. Paul McLean, John McNeill, Harriet Hawn, Michael Grace, Holly Bass, Bill Capps, Brennan Easley, Andrew Thigpen, Greg Ford
- 7. Kate Baynard, Sam Weaver, George Hoback, Camille Walker, Brennan Dooley
- 8. Ty Rowell, Lynn Meeker, Marsha Shires, McKenzie Barker, AnaAustin Braswell, Lanie Lewis
- 9. Ellison Parker
- 10. Bobby Jackson, Carol Crysler, Jim Busby, Sloan Spencer
- 11. Sandy Griffin, Bill Logan, Thad Leister, Bill Boyer, Stephanie Ennis, Julie Ledermann, Caroline Pevonka, David Brewster, Barbara Waters, Webb DeGroote, Mary Myers Cottle
- 12. Al Barry, Kyle Norwood, Baird Stewart, Holly Smith, Caitlyn Cowgill, Sean Hommel
- 13. Mary Simmons, Jessica Marks, Beth Johnson, Blain Morton, Amy Richardson, Matt Sullivan
- 14. Dan Rizzo, Evie Odom, Terry Ginthner, Olivia Beck, Rilynn Collins, Amanda Marks
- 15. Anna Stinson, Howard Rich, Regina Schmalfuss, Janet Farrior, Theresa Kramer, Rob Boswell, Martha Weaver, Madeline Bullock, Kaylee Sellars, Parker Emmart, Judy Cooper
- 16. Karel Dutton, Jim Hardy, Carol Paquin, Ryan Mansbery, Zach Zabriskie, Lindy Barnes, Behrett Petroff, Jack Mills
- 17. Jeanette Golder, Don Pevonka, Sarah Wilson, Baird Stewart, Beth Hedgpeth, Gus Relan, Holland Baynard, Sharon Cram, Kristi Midgett, Jennifer Mihaly
- 18. Tom Koonce, Bob Schiffel, Keith Malatesta, Keller Nichols, Parker Elizabeth Thompson, Chase Mihaly
- 19. Henrietta Godwin, Russ May, Ann Woodworth, Anne Fields, Julie Williams, Carla Schiffel, Christian Daniel, Merilyn Goldschmid, Kathleen Bernhard, Patricia Watson, Leslie Nichols
- 20. Carlton Taylor, Paula True, Paula Turner, Bill Highsmith, Donnie Daniels, Neill Clark, Robinson Snider
- 21. Betty Garner, Doug Piatkowski, Pickett Stroud
- 22. Victor Pearsall, Susan Garrett, Mary Leister, Christian Daniel, Cam Guthrie, Jerry Tertzagian, Meredith Bath
- 23. Walker Jones, Debbie Jones, Tracee Meyer, Martha Kate Ferrell, Lanie Painter, David Brenner, Elizabeth Vollmin, Laura Holt
- 24. Betty Jackson, Jeannie Smith, Jared Kerr, Robert Johnson, Charles Upchurch, Ginny Sylvester
- 25. Randy Griffin, Susan Brooks, Scott Whisnant, Lillian Beck, Bob Tennille, Hylan Furniss, Ford Turner
- 26. Stephen Baynard, Scott Relan, Crystal Peebles, Etta Caulder, Keener Witmer, Cole Witmer, Matt Piner, Caroline Daniel
- 27. David Black, John Ward
- 28. Allan Barker, Bill Williams, Sue Pevonka, Margaret Pierson, Savannah Knowles, Audrey Edwards, Curren Atterbury, Emmitt Ward, Deb Bernhard, Lara McNeill, Richard Bumgardner
- 29. Dottie Sauer, James Carroll, Charlotte Yow, Ashley Dixon
- 30. Sandra Simpson, Brett Knowles, Mary Lewis Steuer
- 31. Jennifer Kelly, Anna Edwards, Phil Dattilo



Prayer List July 2019

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

(James 5:16)

Kate Evans Ken Bernhard Border Patrol Mary Nell Wall Sandy Malfa Lavonne Morgan Baker Williams Bobby Guyton Barbara Mengee Margaret Smith Janice Guyton Judy Smith Phyllis Millard Andrea Terrill & Baker Wayne Reynolds Vina Estes Thomas Simmons Weatherford Sherrill Beaty Joanne Kelley David Brewster Jean Dalton Kate Evans Rick & Kate Keenan Lisa Smart Susan Carroll Lisa Anderson JoAnne Kelley Michael Bahr Andrew Staton Wendy Stoner Marshall Thomasson Charley Swing Ian Broadhead Shelia Frymyer Colby Honeycutt Davis Ingle Pat Fitzgerald Morgan Thomas Catherine Gresham Jo Newman Robbie Jordan Abby Coderre Beth Perry Scott Watkins Linda Melvin Steve Cook Bob & Joanne Tennille Russ & Phyllis Deats Ruth Lee Teena McMahon Wendy Stoner Owen Andrew Kramer Jordan Shomaker Thelma Flye **Troy Sanders** Rhona Goodspeed Cynthia Horgan Dianne Matthews Gave Thomas Andrew Gray & Family Refugees Jim & Casey Allen ICE Agents

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

Condolences to the families of:

Molly Howell, Grace Lieseke, Jack Medlin, Diane O'Donnell (Don Crysler's sister), Ray Parkhurst

Prayer request cards may be found in the pew pockets and inside of the Attendance Pads. Please fill them out legibly, and <u>be sure to include your name and phone number</u>, without which we cannot publish your request in either the bulletin or the newsletter. If you wish to have a note sent, <u>please include the mailing address</u>. If you do not have it with you, <u>please call the</u> <u>church office (256-4471) with the information – we cannot call you</u>. Thank you. If no last name is put on the card, it will be on the "unpublished" prayer list which means that our prayer committee will pray for the person but it will not be published on the prayer list in either the bulletin or the newsletter. Thank you.

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Participating in Worship in July 2019

8:15 Worship

Greeters

07/07: Team One 07/14: Team Two 07/21: Team Three 07/28: Team Four

Ushers

07/07: Team One 07/14: Team Two 07/21: Team Three 07/28: Team Four

Lay Readers: Psalm 104:13-24

07/07: Chris Brown 07/14: Jim Busby 07/21: Child/Youth 07/28: Jack Mills

Communion Stewards: July 7

Nancy Jones*, Harriet Hawn, Wendy Stoner, Kristen Selby

9:45 Worship

07/07: Team Three

07/14: Team Four

07/21: Team One

07/28: Team Two

07/07: Team Two

07/14: Team Three

07/21: Team Four

07/28: Team Five

07/07: Child/Youth

07/14: John Roche

07/21: Child/Youth

07/28: Jennie Barker

Lay Readers: Psalm 104:13-24

Communion Stewards: July 7

Greeters

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<u>11:15 Worship</u>

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07/07: Carol Midgett 07/14: Teresa Smith 07/21: Child/Youth 07/28: Nancy Smith

Communion Stewards: July 7 Nancy Smith*, Mikki Perry, Susan Treadway, Stephanie Morris

*Gluten Free Station

Welcome to Wrightsville Team

07/07: *Belinda Morrison-D **Erika Lewis-U ***Lori Kilbourne-D ***Pat Joyner-U 07/14: *A. Curry/G. Ingle-D **Sherri Ingle-U ***Caroline Lytle-D ***Susan Garrett-U 07/21: *Kristin Selby-D **Howard Rockness-U ***Martha Weaver-D ***Betsy Summey-U 07/28: *Sherri Ingle-D **Gene Ingle-U ***Hope Brewer-D ***David Brewer-U **D**-Downstairs **U-Upstairs** *8-8:15/9:15-9:50

*Gluten Free Station

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Ruth Isear*, Eleanor Snell,

Travis Nichols, Amanda

Worship Bags:

07/07: Susan Lee 07/28: Amanda Marks

Mountford

07/14: Connie Rogers

07/21: Leslie Emerson

Fellowship

8:15

07/07: Congregational Breakfast 07/14: Congregational Breakfast 07/21: Congregational Breakfast 07/28: Congregational Breakfast

9:45/11:15

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Kempton Worship Team 07/07

Worship Leader: Mel Pitts Communion Stewards: Lavonne Morgan, Nancy Smith, Martha Weaver

Wiggle Worship 8:15

07/07: Sarah Huettl 07/14: Meredith Collins 07/21: Angela Furniss 07/28: Paula Lewis

11:15

07/07: Lisa Brewster 07/14: Kourtney Landen 07/21: Tara Sullivan 07/28: Lynn Felton

Altar Guild Flowers

**9:15-9:50

***10:45-11:15

07/07: Ann Upchurch 07/14: Ann Upchurch 07/21: Faye Rose 07/28: Faye Rose

<u>Sanctuary</u>

07/07: Peggy Smith 07/14: Pearl & Ty Rowell 07/21: Volunteer 07/28: Ann Lyon

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

July: Gloria Kidd, Maggie Landreth, Martha Leonard

Kitchen Patrol

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Sat	6 9:00 am Golf Tournament 8:00 pm NA		13 7:30 am Surfing Lessons 8:00 pm NA		20 7:30 am Surfing Lessons 8:00 pm NA	27 7:30 am Surfing Lessons 8:00 pm NA	
Fri	ц		12		19 6:00 pm UMW Low Country Boil	26	
Thu	4 10:30 am 4:12 Parking Cars Happy 4th of July! (Church Closed Today) 7:30 pm AA		11 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 7:30 pm AA		18 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 6:30 pm June Book Club 7:30 pm AA	25 6:45 am Men's Bible Study 9:00 am Ladies Bible Study 7:30 pm AA	
Wed	3 5:00 pm Joyful 4 Jesus	Interfaith	10 11:00 am James Study	Interfaith	17 9:30 am Preschool Play Date 11:00 am James Study 6:30 pm Movie & Popcorn	24 9:30 am Preschool Play Date 11:00 am James Study	31 11:00 am James Study
Tue	2 6:00 pm HS Life Group		6		16 5:30 pm High School Mission Trip Parent Mftg. 6:00 pm HS Life Group	23 4:00 pm Stephen Ministry 6:30 pm Summer Book Club	30
Mon	1 7:00 am Bible Study		8 7:00 am Bible Study		15 7:00 am Bible Study	22 7:00 am Bible Study	29 7:00 am Bible Study
Sun	Every Sunday Worship 8:15, 9:45 & 11:15 am Sundays at Six at 6 pm		 First Foods Sunday 9:00 am Warner Temple AME 9:10 Congregational Breakfast 5:00 pm Fäihful 5th 6:00 pm Dog Church w/S@S 		14 9-10 Congregational Breakfast Interfaith	21 9-10 Congregational Breakfast 9:45 am Middle School Mission Trip Parent Mtg.	28 9-10 Congregational Breakfast 9:45 am 2+2=4 on Scripture



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