

Welcome

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

Date: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- I am a Visitor
- I am interested in membership
- I would like to visit with the pastor
- Please note my change of address

PRAYER REQUEST

(Place in the Offering Plate or give to the Pastor.)

I ask your prayers for:

Prayer Request:

May we send this person a note of encouragement? ___ yes ___ no

If yes, please include their address:

May we include this in the prayer list for next week's bulletin? ___ yes ___ no

Person making request _____

Phone _____

SEND YOUR GRADUATION INFORMATION TO US

Graduation Sunday for High School and College seniors is next Sunday, June 3. We would love to celebrate your accomplishments. Please contact the Church Office by this Tuesday, May 29 with your graduation announcement information.

Email: office@fumcnewtonnc.org or call 828-464-8422.



Nursery:

For children up to 4 years
8:30 a.m. - 12 noon (Level 1)

Sunday School:

For children 3 years - 5th Grade from
10 - 10:45 a.m. on Level 1

Children's Church:

K to 2nd Graders leave the Sanctuary for a worship program during the 11 a.m. service & head to the Children's Church Rm on Level 1.

Children's Sacks:

Located at the entrances of the Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall.



Join the Youth of First Church for worship and fun on select Sundays from 4 - 6 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All 6th -12th graders are welcome to join us.

A LOOK AHEAD . . .

Monday, May 28

Church Office Closed (Memorial Day)

Sunday, June 3

- Graduation Sunday
- Youth Group 4 - 6 p.m.

Sunday, June 10

- NEW Sunday Schedule begins!
- New Sermon Series "POP Verses"

Tuesday, June 12

Charge Conference / Church Council
7 p.m. in Gomedela Room

Sunday, July 1

Holiday Weekend
One Service @ 10:30 a.m.

FIRST CHURCH STAFF

Lara "Willis" Greene, Pastor
Julie Braswell, Church Administrator
Sarah Luhrs, Choir Director
John Coffey, Organist
Michael Roberts, Praise Team
Kristi Spencer, Communications
Kristi Harvell, Preschool Director

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Church Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

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First United Methodist Church

A Church that Loves All People into a Relationship with Jesus Christ

*Becoming one diverse community passionately worshipping Jesus
& practicing unprecedented acts of hospitality.*

May 27, 2018 • 11:00 a.m.

WE GATHER

Gathering Time - *We welcome everyone! Greet your neighbors with the peace of Christ & take a moment to get to know those around you.*

Prelude - *A time to transition from the outside world to a time of worship.*

Welcome & Opportunities for Ministry

*Call to Worship (Psalm 100)

Joe Beaman

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord.

People: We worship the Lord with gladness.

Leader: Come into God's presence with singing.

People: We are God's people, the sheep of God's pasture.

Leader: Give thanks to the Lord; bless God's holy name,

People: for God's steadfast love is present now and endures forever.

*Hymn, No. 400 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*

*Affirmation of Faith, No. 881 The Apostles' Creed

*The Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost as it was in the beginning is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

**Please stand in praise of God if you are able.*

Children's Time Julie Braswell
Children 3 years -2nd grade are invited to follow the leaders to the Children's Dept.

Anthem **Majestic Your Name, O God**
from *Two Psalm Settings* by David Cherwien Haugen

Scripture: Psalm 100 OT pg. 552

Leader: This is the word of God for the people of God.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Message **Meeting the Pilot** Rev. Lara "Willis" Greene

The Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Service of Giving

*Doxology Hymn, No. 94

Praise God, from who all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Prayer of Dedication

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*Hymn, No. 172 *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

*Benediction

*Benediction Response, No. 159 *Lift High the Cross*

Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, till all the world adore His sacred name. Come, Christians, follow this triumphant sign, the hosts of God in unity combine. Lift high the cross, the love of Christ proclaim, till all the world adore His sacred name.

*Postlude

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Donna Hollar, Jane Benfield, Treeva Sweezy, John Tate, Harold Lynch, Bernice Allen's Family

Military: Scott Beal, Taylor Bean, Ethan Branton, Todd Houtz, Michael Howard, Tai Orange, David Parker, Camaron Sills, President Trump



Would you like to receive the pray requests each week by email so that you may include them in your daily prayers? If so, please email kristispencer1@gmail.com. You'll be added to a weekly email sent out each Monday.

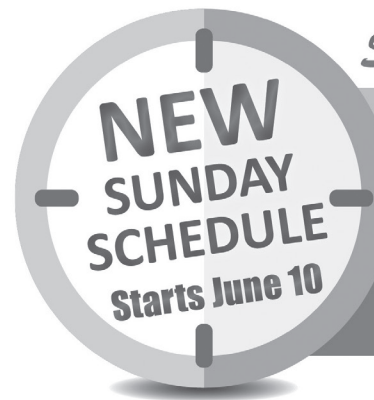
SPECIAL FATHER'S DAY BULLETIN OPPORTUNITY



Our Youth will sponsor a special Father's Day Bulletin. You may honor or remember a father, grandfather or that special person by filling out the enclosed envelope and returning it to the church office along with \$1 for each person honored or remembered. Please use a separate envelope for each name. The deadline is Monday, June 11.

CHARGE CONFERENCE / CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING IN JUNE

A Charge Conference will take place on Tuesday, June 12 at 7 p.m. in order to approve the salary for our newly appointed Deacon Shannon LeMaster-Smith. Shannon will serve as our Director of Children, Youth & Community Outreach. This meeting will take place during the regularly scheduled Church Council meeting in the Gomedela Room.



Stepping into God's Vision

8:30 | CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP
(Fellowship Hall)

9:30 | SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:30 | TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
(Sanctuary)

Do you have a "life verse" or favorite passage from the Bible?

If so please share it with Pastor Willis!



POP VERSES - COMING JUNE 2018

Pastor Willis is creating a Sermon Series around the popular verses important to our congregation. "POP Verses" will kick-off June 10. Please complete the info below and place it in the offering plate or drop it by the Church Office. Thank you!

Scripture Verse:

Why is it important to you?

Name (optional):