

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 and email prayer list? _____

Person making request _____

Phone _____



SUMMER SCHEDULE

Wednesdays, June 20, July 18,
Aug. 15 (9 a.m. to Noon in the
Activity Rm). Children K - 5th Grade
are invited for a fun morning of:

UP = Glorifying God

IN = Building Strong Christian
Relationships

OUT = Serving Out in the
Community



Nursery:

For children up to 4 years
8:15 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. (Level 1)

Sunday School:

For children 3 years - 5th Grade from
9:30 - 10:15 a.m. on Level 1

Children's Church:

K to 2nd Graders leave the Sanctuary
for a worship program during the
10:30 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.



Our Sunday evening worship and
fun will pick back up in July.
Stay tuned for details. Contact Lisa
Johnson (lisadjohnson71@gmail.
com or 828-381-9337) for
more information.

A LOOK AHEAD . . .

Tuesday, June 12

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

Sunday, July 1

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

Sunday, July 15

Welcome Celebration for
Deacon Shannon LeMaster-Smith

Wednesday, July 18

Life Line Health Screenings
Fellowship Hall

Saturday, August 4

VBS (Very Big Saturday)
10 a.m. - 2 p.m. @ Pin Station

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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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.

June 10, 2018 • 10:30 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

Welcome & Opportunities for Ministry

*Choral Introit ***Come All You People*** A. Gondo, arr. J. Bell
Please stand at the invitation of the Choir Director.

*Hymn, No. 139 ***Praise to the Lord the Almighty***

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

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*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.

WE HEAR & RESPOND TO THE WORD

Children's Time

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

The Pastoral Prayer

Leader: Set our minds on You, O God.

People: Fill us with your joy!

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

Scripture: Isaiah 40:28-31 (NRSV)

28) *Have you not known? Have you not heard? The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable.* 29) *He gives power to the faint, and strengthens the powerless.* 30) *Even youths will faint and be weary, and the young will fall exhausted;* 31) *but those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength, they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint.*

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

People: Thanks be to God.

Message POP Verses: Isaiah 40:28-31 Rev. Lara “Willis” Greene

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!

WE GO OUT TO SERVE

*Benediction

*Benediction Response, No. 143 On Eagle’s Wings

And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of God’s hand.

*Postlude

PRAYER CONCERNS

Donna Hollar, Jane Benfield, Treeva Sweezy, John Tate, Harold Lynch, Stanley Moss, Jr., Brenda Saunders, Paula Howell, the Family of Goldie McKee, Diane Farthing

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

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VBS PLANNING LUNCH TODAY

If you would like to learn more about this year’s Very Big Saturday (VBS) event, please join us for a volunteer luncheon TODAY at 11:30 a.m. in the Gomedela Room. Our VBS event is planned for Saturday, August 4. For more information, contact 828-464-8422.

CHARGE CONFERENCE / CHURCH COUNCIL THIS TUESDAY

A Charge Conference will take place this Tuesday, June 12 at 7 p.m. 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. Notes from the meetings are available on the shelves in the welcome center.



SPECIAL FATHER’S DAY BULLETIN

Our Youth are sponsoring 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 TOMORROW Monday, June 11.**



Life Line Screening will offer a preventive health event here at First Church on July 18. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries, abdominal aortic aneurysms; hardening of the arteries in the legs; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Register for this event and receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, **by calling 888-653-6441 or visit <http://lifelinescreening.com/communitycircle>.**



**THURSDAY
June 14**

Refreshments at 9:30 a.m. Program begins at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall

Devotion: Bishop Don Bledsoe, Covenant Christian Church

Program: Acappella Fellas

This quartet has been entertaining area audiences since 1994. They placed 3rd in the Senior’s Division of the District Barbershop Quartet Competition.

LUNCH MENU:

Chicken salad cold plate and home-made desserts. *RSVP to the church office (828-464-8422) by noon on Tuesday, June 12.*

For more information contact Bev Underwood at 828-465-0481.

NAME:

Attending: _____

**JOY will have a
VOLUNTEER
MEETING
on Tuesday, June 12th at
2 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.**