

Tear Sheet

Visitors & Members

Please fill out as applicable, then hand to the Worship Leader during the first hymn.

Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Visitor: 04/02/2017

Desire a Call/Visit

Wish to become a Member

Member: 04/02/2017

Desire a Call/ Visit

Prayer Request

Joy/Concern

Submitted by: _____

Phone: _____

Do not read aloud

Please share with congregation

For Church Prayer Chain



Lunch with the Pastor, **Monday, April 24, Mission BBQ at noon:** _____

Dinner with the Pastor, **Thursday, April 27, TGIF 6:00pm:** _____

Name: _____

Phone #: _____



Serving in Worship Next Sunday, April 9, 2017 at 8:30 and 11:00am

Acolytes: Ushers 8:30am

Worship Leader: Greg Bowman

Ushers 11:00am

ABBREVIATION LEDGER

UMH-United Methodist Hymnal	APR-Apple Pie Ridge Campus	STZ-Stanza
TFWS-The Faith We Sing	FUMC-First United Methodist Church	HO-Hunger Offering
OT-Old Testament	NT-New Testament	GF-General Fund
TOP-Teens Opposing Poverty	UMM - United Methodist Men	UMC-United Methodist Church

Children Are Important at First Church!

FUMC offers Children's Church during our 8:30 and 11am worship services. We also provide a nursery during our 9:45am Sunday School hour. For a list of upcoming Children's Church topics, please visit the information board located outside of the nursery.



FUMC Scholarship Funds - High school seniors and college students may now apply for the scholarship funds available through First United Methodist Church. Applications are available from the church office, and must be returned to the office by April 30. Scholarship funds are made possible due to the generosity of: Carl B. Sr. and Audrey Shickle Memorial Scholarship Fund, Voyné B. and Mary C. Omps Scholarship Fund, & Bruce Allen Whitacre Reserve Scholarship Fund.



The National Christian Choir

Presents an evening of musical worship!

APRIL 2, 2017, SUNDAY - 6:00PM

First Baptist Church Woodbridge~ 13600 Minnieville Road ~ Woodbridge, VA 22193

Free Admission - Offering Will be Received

Piedmont Singers Present *Mass in D Major* by Antonin Dvorak

Antonin Dvorak

You are cordially invited to deepen your observance of Holy Week in this special service of Holy Communion at Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 105 E. Washington St., Middleburg, on **Tuesday, April 11, at 7:00 p.m.** A free will offering to benefit Seven Loaves and Music at Emmanuel Church will be received.

Prayer Concerns

Please remember the following individuals in your prayers: Gloria Darr, Amy and Stanley Barnes, Reba and Harold Cooper, Phyllis Lee, Elsie Benegar, Carol Curtis, Juanita Moler, Elwood McIntire, Andy Kiser, Phyllis Steele, Nick Fisher, Doug Purnell, Herbert Darr, Nancy Crim, Michael Wine, Tabby Starks, Melvin Wine, Jesse Wismer, Emily Dick, Stuart Perry, Rev. Lee Scheaffer, Roland Smith, Gene Amaral, Kathy Fox, David Stanley, Ruby Cornwell, Charlie, Cari Pope, Keri Vandenberg, and the family Gail Amaral.



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Downtown Campus/Mailing Address:

Mission Statement

Apple Pie Ridge Campus:

308 North Braddock Street

"The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the World".

362 Apple Pie Ridge Road,

Winchester, Virginia 22601

near the elementary school.

WE WELCOME YOU TO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

THE TEAR SHEET IN THE BULLETIN is provided for your convenience. As you arrive for worship, please fill it out including your prayer "joys and concerns" as well as indicating your desire to participate in some of the ministries provided by our church. Thank you!

WORSHIP IS CENTRAL to the life of our church. Next Sunday Rev. White will continue to preach our Lenten sermon series with a sermon titled "From Cheers to Jeers". In preparation, you are invited to read Matthew 21:1-11. Each week, different church members will preform short dramas. We hope you will join us!

Easter Sunday Mission Offering (s):

1) Transportation Ministry – Use your offering envelopes marked "Easter". We're helping a lady with whom we have been in ministry for more than 8 years get a used van. This person is a resident of the Budget Motel and has been our liaison for the Teens Opposing Poverty Mission.



2) Bring cans of green beans or corn to worship with you on, or before, Easter Sunday. These items will be delivered to the Winchester Rescue Mission (men's shelter), a few blocks from FUMC.

3) We're delivering Easter baskets to needy children at the Budget Motel after the 11am Easter Sunday morning worship service. If you would like to accompany Rev. White, please let him know.



Order of Worship
Sunday, April 2, 2017
Fifth Sunday of Lent
8:30 & 11:00 am

Gathering

Welcome Everyone! We are delighted to have you in worship. ***If you are visiting with us for the first time, please use the Tear Sheet portion of the bulletin to provide us with your name, address, phone number, and email address.*** If you would like to join our church, please indicate this on the Tear-Sheet portion as well. We hope this service helps you in your walk with God. Please greet those around you as you gather for worship.

Chimes The people are seated in preparation for worship.

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Will White

Prelude Bringing in the light of Christ Acolytes

Collection of Bulletin Tear Sheets (during first hymn) Worship Leader

*Hymn "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" # 155 (UMH)

Children are invited to come forward during the last verse.

Children's Time Rev. Will White

After "Children's Time", the children are invited to depart for "Children's Church". Parents may pick up their children in room 105 after the service.

Anthem "And No Bird Sang" Chancel Choir

Prayer Requests, Joys and Concerns Rev. Will White

Prayers for the People

The Lord's Prayer # 895 (UMH) In Unison

Offering Worship Leader

Offertory

*Doxology **Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;**
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Hymn "Abide with Me" # 700 (UMH)

Dramatic Vignette

Reading John 11:32-44 (NT pg. 105) Worship Leader

Sermon "Magic!" Rev. Will White

Thanksgiving and Communion

*Hymn "Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" # 2088 (TFWS)

*Invitation to Christian Discipleship

If you desire to dedicate or rededicate your life to Christ, please come forward during the last hymn.

*Carrying the Light of Christ into the World Acolytes

*Dismissal with Blessing Rev. Will White

*Postlude

The * in Order of Worship indicates "please stand if you are able".

Worship Leader Janie Dickens-Bowman

Acolyte 8:30 am - Ushers

11:00 am - Ushers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHURCH DINNER AND SEDER (Holy Thursday, April 13, 6:30-7:30pm, The Fellowship Hall) -- Join us for a kid-friendly, multi-generational dinner and worship service, recalling the night Jesus started the practice we call "Holy Communion". The menu will include the following: roast beef, roasted potatoes, green vegetables, and macaroni and cheese (for the little ones). You will also have the opportunity to sample Passover foods. There will be a kid's activity AND everyone may receive communion that night.

TITHING FOR LENT -- During this season, we seek to be the best version of ourselves, the person God created us to be. One way that we can do that is by faithfully giving to the work of the Lord through the church. If you have never tried tithing (offering to God's work 10 percent of our income) then this is a season to experiment with this behavior. Join the group of people who are "Tithing for Lent".

LET'S MAKE THIS ONE OF THE MOST MEMORABLE HOLY WEEKS EVER! Join us for these family oriented, kid-friendly, worship services! **Palm Sunday**, April 9, 8:30 and 11:00am in the Sanctuary. Also join us for the annual Downtown Clergy Fellowship Processional, 10:20am in the parking lot. **Holy Thursday**, April 13, 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. **Easter Sunday**, April 16, 8:30 and 11:00am in the Sanctuary. Also join us for "Breakfast in Between" at 9:45am in the Fellowship Hall. **Sunrise Resurrection Service**, April 16, 6:30am at our Apple Pie Ridge location.

JOIN THE PRAYER COMMUNITY FOR THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH - Our districts week of prayer begins Sunday, April 2. In the back of the Sanctuary you will find a print out listing the prayers to be used for this week. Please take one and join our district in a week of prayer

A LOOK AHEAD

April 8, Concession Stand Coverage ALL DAY Clearbrook Park

April 9, Palm Sunday Processional to the old Courthouse, 10:20am, The Parking Lot

April 13, Holy Thursday Seder Meal 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall

April 16, Easter Sunday, Sunrise Service 6:30am at the Apple Pie Ridge Location, 8:30 and 11:00am service in the Sanctuary, and Breakfast in Between 9:45am in the Fellowship Hall

April 30, Youth Laser Tag 4:45pm at Skyline Laser Tag of Winchester

June 12-16, Vacation Bible School

Mark your calendar for these upcoming events and keep an eye on your bulletin for more information!

THIS WEEK

Monday - Church Council Meeting 7:00pm - Venice Italian Restraunt **Tuesday** - Prayer Shawl Ministry 10:00am - Parlor **Tuesday** - Reaching New People Conference Call 7:00pm - Rev. Whites Office
Wednesday - Choir Practice 6:30pm - Choir Room **Saturday** - Concession Stand Day - Clearbrook Park
Sunday - PALM SUNDAY Worship Service 8:30am // Sunday School 9:45am // Palm Sunday Processional 10:20am - Church Parking Lot // Worship Service 11:00am

LAST WEEK:

ATTENDANCE

WORSHIP: 8:30am: 48 11:00am: 61 SUNDAY SCHOOL: 57 SMALL GROUP: 307 (WATTS WEEK)

OFFERINGS TO GOD: Totals are unavailable this week due to a delay caused by a family emergency. My apologies. ~ Sarah Messick, Office Manager

**DOWNTOWN CLERGY
FELLOWSHIP PROCESSIONAL**

We hope you will join us in the church parking lot at **10:20am on April 9** for our Palm Sunday Processional to the Old Courthouse on the walking mall.

Please let us know if you are planning to attend:

Name: _____

YOUTH EVENTS

Name: _____

April 9 @ 11:00am Youth TOP Ministry - meet in the church kitchen

April 30 @ 4:45pm Youth Laser Tag

CLASS - First Church 101 (Sunday Mornings, May 7-May 21, in three sessions)

While we extend the invitation to attend this class especially to newcomers, others are welcome (and encouraged) to participate also. Explore what it means to be a Christian, the United Methodist Way, and what it means to be an engaged member of FUMC. **This class will meet in the overflow room at 10am and will be taught and facilitated by Rev. White.**

Name: _____

**CHURCH DINNER AND SEDER MEAL
THURSDAY, APRIL 13, 6:30-7:30PM
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL**

Please let us know if you are able to attend:

Name: _____

Number of Guests: _____

Number of Small Children: _____