



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Mocksville, NC

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The mission of First United Methodist Church is
to BELIEVE in Jesus Christ as Lord,
to RECEIVE the power of the Holy Spirit,
and to RESPOND to the needs of others with the love of God the Father.

October 10, 2021
20th Sunday after Pentecost
10:55 AM

Offering boxes are located at each entrance/exit doors. You may also drop off your offerings to the locked mailbox at the FLC or mail to FUMC, 310 N. Main Street, Mocksville, NC 27028. Thank you for your continued support.

First UMC Mocksville has experienced increased expenditures in the past several months. An HVAC system needed repair and replacement, a leaking roof repair was completed, and the basement cleaned of mold. At the same time, the pandemic has brought changes in worship attendance causing a deficit in offerings. Please consider increasing your tithe or give an extra gift to the church's General Fund. We are struggling to pay the necessary expenses of the church. Thank you for your generosity, The Finance Committee



PRAYER CONCERNS

Bermuda Commons

Molly Jo McClamrock
Jean Shelton

Somerset

Wanda Bryant
Louise Collins
Ron Cotterman

At Home

Hal & Peggy Clark
Bayne & Inez Miller
Mary Lou Musselman
Madelyn Shelton
Ann Stayer
Ben Wallace
Carolyn Vickers
Shirley Wicker

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Natalie Gray

PRELUDE

The Summons

Prelude on KELVINGROVE

MORNING PRAYER

Rev. Natalie Gray

* MISSION STATEMENT

Congregation

HYMN UMH 398 Vs, 1,3,4,5 (Seated)

Jesus Calls Us

* THE WORD IN SCRIPTURE

Mark 10:17-27 (NRSV)

17 As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?" 18 Jesus said to him, "Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. 19 You know the commandments: 'You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honor your father and mother.'" 20 He said to him, "Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth." 21 Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, "You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me." 22 When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions. 23 Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, "How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!" 24 And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, "Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! 25 It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God." 26 They were greatly astounded and said to one another, "Then who can be saved?" 27 Jesus looked at them and said, "For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible."

This is the Word of God for the people of God. THANKS BE TO GOD.

SERMON

YOU LACK ONE THING

Rev. Natalie Gray

HYMN UMH 378 Vs. 1,2,3,6 (Seated)

Amazing Grace

* BENEDICTION

Rev. Natalie Gray

* CHIMING THE TRINITY

In the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

* POSTLUDE

Nothing Is Impossible

Organ

* Please stand as you are able.

FUMC Mocksville has implemented a mask mandate for all indoor church activities and services in all buildings. This mandate applies to vaccinated and unvaccinated persons. The gift of the COVID Vaccine is available!

MUSIC MAKERS, 5 yr olds - 5TH: Sundays 4:00-4:45 PM

Children ages 5 through 5th grade will join together in the Choir Room to enjoy Rhythm activities, Listening games, and Instrument exploration.

CHIME TIME, 2ND-5TH: Sundays 4:45-5:30 PM

Children in 2nd through 5th grades will move down to the Bell Room to begin music reading activities using Choir Chimes.

BELLS OF PRAISE: Sundays 12:30-2:00 PM

BEGINNING BELLS: Wednesdays 1:30-2:30 PM

IMPACT Youth Sundays - Family Life Center 4PM-5:30PM. 6th grade through 12th grade.

KINGDOM KIDS Sunday, October 10 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM Family Life Center

HANNAH CIRCLE meets Tuesday, October 12 at 7:00 PM in the Family Life Center.

IMPACT YOUTH "Bible On A Bus" will meet at the church at **3 PM Sunday October 17** to leave for Total Escape Room in Winston Salem. Bring your Bibles and money for your dinner on the way back. Escape rooms are popular games in which a team of players discover clues, solve puzzles, and accomplish task in on or more rooms to accomplish a specific goal in a limited amount of time. We should return to church by 7:15PM. **Please let Natalie know if you plan to go by TODAY so we can secure your spot.**

Children's All-in-One Sunday School meets each Sunday 9:45 AM-10:40 AM in the Family Life Center youth room. This is for 4yrs-5th graders. Teacher schedule: Oct. 10- Natalie & Brian Gray, Oct. 17- Stephanie McDaniel & Debra Stanley Oct. 24-Landon & Sarah Carter Oct. 31- Tiffany Evans & Sherri Robinson

IMPACT Youth Sunday School meets in the high school with a 6-week study on the "Three Simple Rules" on Sunday . Teacher's schedule: Oct. 10-Lynne Hicks, Oct. 17- Barbara Laymon, Oct. 24- Natalie & Brian Gray Oct. 31-Barbara Laymon

FINANCE COMMITTEE meets Sunday, October 17 at 5:00 PM in the Conference Room.

ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD meets Sunday, October 24 at 6:00 PM in the Conference Room.

YOUNG ADULTS informational meeting. Sunday, October 24 4:05 PM—5:25 PM Family Life Center

TRUNK OR TREAT Saturday October 30, 4 PM-6 PM is our Trunk or Treat and ice cream truck event in the parking lot of the FLC. We need volunteers to provide candy, decorate your trunks give out candy. We will be using our same protocols as we did last year. We have tongs for you to use to give out candy and gloves. Please let Natalie know by October 24 if you can provide a trunk or donate candy.