

<p>Sunday, October 7 8:45 AM Worship Service FLC 9:50 AM Sunday School 10:55 AM Worship Service S 5:00 PM Youth / Kingdom Kids 6:30 PM Fish Stix Practice</p> <p>Monday, October 8 2:00 PM Stephen Ministers CFR</p> <p>Tuesday, October 9 10:00 AM Bible Study FH 3:00 PM Children's Choir 5:00 PM Family Ministries FH 7:00 PM Nominations Committee</p> <p>Wednesday, October 10 6:30 PM Handbells 7:30 PM Chancel Choir</p> <p>Thursday, October 11 UMM Leave for beach trip 2:30 PM WHEN Ministry FLC</p> <p>Sunday, October 14 Laity Sunday 8:45 AM Worship Service FLC 9:50 AM Sunday School 10:55 AM Worship Service S 2:00 PM Youth Event</p>	<p>Worship Participants 10/7/18 Greeters: Don & Wanda Bowles Ushers: Gary Hatley, Brent & Lucia Ellis Acolyte: Stuart Robinson Prayer: Natalie Gray Nursery: Jean Hinshaw Children's Moment: N/A October Circle Opportunities: Ruth Circle</p> <p>S=Sanctuary FLC=Family Life Center CFR=Conference Room FH=Fellowship Hall V=Various HR=Handbell Room EDB=Education Building</p> <p><u>Internet Information</u> Sanctuary Side: Methodist_Church Password: MocksviLLe485930</p>
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Prayer Concerns

D.C. Blakley, Peggy Branham, Mary Brock, Izzy Burchette, Ruth Davis, Sara Campbell
Evelyn Daniel, Betty Foster, David Harmon, Jackson Hendricks, Suzanne Hendricks
Eli Markland, Priscilla McCullough, Bayne & Inez Miller, Dolores Myers, Joyce Peak
Peggy Nail, Von & Madeline Shelton, Ann Stayer, Ellie Kate Stokes, Elmer Stoneman
Jayne Walker, Betty Ward

Emergency Workers Members of the Armed Forces

Trinity Elms: Marie Steed Mocksville Senior Living: Louise Bowden

Somerset: Louise Collins, Jolly Duncan, Millie Miller

Bermuda Commons: Molly Jo McClamrock, Joyce Peak, Jean Shelton

Brookstone Terrace: Margaret Foster Clemmons Village: Tilthia Hanes



TWENTIETH SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 7, 2018
10:55 AM

GREETING, ANNOUNCEMENTS & INVOCATION	NATALIE GRAY
PRESENTING THE LIGHT	STUART ROBINSON
PRELUDE	<i>YOU SATISFY THE HUNGRY HEART</i> ORGAN
INTROIT	<i>STAND UP, AND BLESS THE LORD</i> CHANCEL CHOIR
* MISSION STATEMENT	CONGREGATION
<p>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.</p>	
* HYMN UMH No. 620	<i>ONE BREAD, ONE BODY</i>
* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH UMH NO. 881 WITH GLORIA PATRI UMH No. 70	THE APOSTLES' CREED
* PASSING OF THE PEACE	CONGREGATION
CONSECRATION OF PRAYER QUILTS	PASTOR GLENN MYERS
JOYS AND CONCERNS	PASTOR GLENN MYERS & CONGREGATION
MORNING PRAYER W/ THE LORD'S PRAYER	NATALIE GRAY
ANTHEM	<i>LOOK AT THE WORLD</i> CHANCEL CHOIR
OFFERTORY PRAYER AND TIME OF GIVING	NATALIE GRAY
* OFFERTORY RESPONSE UMH No. 95	OLD 100 TH
SCRIPTURE AND MESSAGE LUKE 13:22-30	DR. GLENN L. MYERS, JR. A WORLD-WIDE FEAST
A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE UMH No. 12 WITH MUSICAL RESPONSES UMH NO. 17 MUSICAL SETTING A	ALL

* HYMN UMH No. 159

LIFT HIGH THE CROSS

* BENEDICTION WITH CHORAL RESPONSE

PASTOR GLENN MYERS

* CARRYING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

STUART ROBINSON

* POSTLUDE

ORGAN

AS YOU DEPART, YOU ARE ENTERING THE MISSION FIELD.

* PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE.

** PLEASE ADJUST ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES TO SILENT OR OFF.

Kingdom Kids kick off is today, October 7, 5PM-6:30PM in the Family Life Center. This is for children 4yrs thru 5th grades. A kid-friendly meal will be provided along with games, crafts, story time, service projects, and a praise and worship kid-friendly worship time. IMPACT youth and adult leaders will lead the sessions. Our mission service project for October will be gently used coats or new coats for children in War, WV. (McDowell County) Call the church office by Sunday September 30 to register to come to Kingdom Kids. Children will receive T-shirts so please sign up and let us know your child's t-shirt size when you call the church. You may email Natalie also to sign up at natalie.gray86@yahoo.com

Fish Sticks Ministry for children 3rd graders-8th graders starts today, October 7, 6:30PM-7:15PM in the Family Life Center. Children and youth will use dowel rods to tell a story and make pictures and motions to interpret a song. Practices will be mostly on Sunday nights 6:30PM-7:15PM. We will plan to perform Sunday November 11 at the 8:45AM service. Contact church office or Natalie to sign up natalie.gray86@yahoo.com by today, September 30. October practices: October 7, 21, 6:30PM-7:15PM and Sunday October 28, 4PM-4:45PM.

BFF - Be a Faithful Friend Would you like to establish a friendship with someone in our congregation? Someone who lives alone, someone who is grieving a loss, someone who is lonely, someone who has no family around, or someone who would just like a new friend? Maybe you would like to have that kind of relationship with someone. You would be establishing a meaningful relationship by calling, visiting, going out to lunch or communicating in any way. You would determine how much time you could give and to what extent you could be involved. Please consider this ministry to our church—one that will bring us closer to each other in the bonds of Christian love. If you would like to participate by being a BFF or by having a BFF, please get in touch with Lillian Sharpe—336-936-9014 or bs2005@aol.com.

Tables for All Occasions is Saturday, October 20 at 11:30 AM in the Family Life Center.

YOUNG AT HEART UPCOMING EVENTS

Our October trip is Thursday, October 18. We will be touring Troutman Chair Company for a Factory Tour at 10:30 am. We will leave the FLC Parking Lot at 9:30 am.

Young at Heart will host speaker Stephen Giordano on Thursday, November 8 at 11:00 am in the Family Life Center. Stephen is a survivor of the 9/11 attacks on the World Trade Center in New York City. He is now a resident in the Lake Norman area and enjoys telling his story of escape and reminding us to choose a positive path in life. Please bring a covered dish to share for lunch. A love offering will be received for Mr. Giordano. You may call the church office to register your attendance. 336.751.2503

Young at Heart Christmas Trip

Young at Heart will combine with 1st Baptist Church and travel to Wytheville, VA on Friday, December 7 for “A Wohlfahrt Haus Christmas” Tickets are \$43 each - includes meal, show, tax, tip & transportation. Jeff Clark will drive the bus, and the group will depart the MOCKSVILLE LIBRARY PARKING LOT at 9:15 AM and return at 6:30 PM.

MONEY IS DUE BY Tuesday, October 30 --- Make checks payable to FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

2018 Directories Photos for our new church directories will be made this week. You may still sign up for an appointment time.

LUKE 13:22-30

22 Jesus went through one town and village after another, teaching as he made his way to Jerusalem. 23 Someone asked him, “Lord, will only a few be saved?” He said to them, 24 “Strive to enter through the narrow door; for many, I tell you, will try to enter and will not be able. 25 When once the owner of the house has got up and shut the door, and you begin to stand outside and to knock at the door, saying, ‘Lord, open to us,’ then in reply he will say to you, ‘I do not know where you come from.’ 26 Then you will begin to say, ‘We ate and drank with you, and you taught in our streets.’ 27 But he will say, ‘I do not know where you come from; go away from me, all you evildoers!’ 28 There will be weeping and gnashing of teeth when you see Abraham and Isaac and Jacob and all the prophets in the kingdom of God, and you yourselves thrown out. 29 Then people will come from east and west, from north and south, and will eat in the kingdom of God. 30 Indeed, some are last who will be first, and some are first who will be last.”