

Today is **Sunday, May 19, 2019, Graduate Sunday, 5th Sunday of Easter.**

The Liturgical color is white.

*The flowers have been placed in the sanctuary this morning to the Glory of God
and in memory of Clinton Jones by Mom, Janet, Debbie and Pam*

FLOWERS NEXT SUNDAY: Dale & Gloria Austin

--Serving in Church--

May Church Opener: Sandie Harris

May Church Closer: Denny Spencer

GREETERS THIS MORNING: (1st) Lois Snow; (2nd) Debbie Waugh

GREETERS NEXT WEEK: (1st) Lois Snow; (2nd) Lorie Roth & Joy

May Ushers: Earl Fields, Tim Fields, Doug Garrett, Leo Kirkman, Bob Norris

Acolytes: Sofia Cook Marimon

Audio/Visual Tech: Gene Flinchum, Terry Franklin, Wayne Moser, Denny Spencer,
Justin Windsor

Attendance May 12, 2019 -

Sunday School	99
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1 st Worship	65
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2 nd Worship	118
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Total Worship Attendance	187
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Your Gifts-----	
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Amount Collected to Date	\$124,191.05
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Worship Service	\$5,291.00
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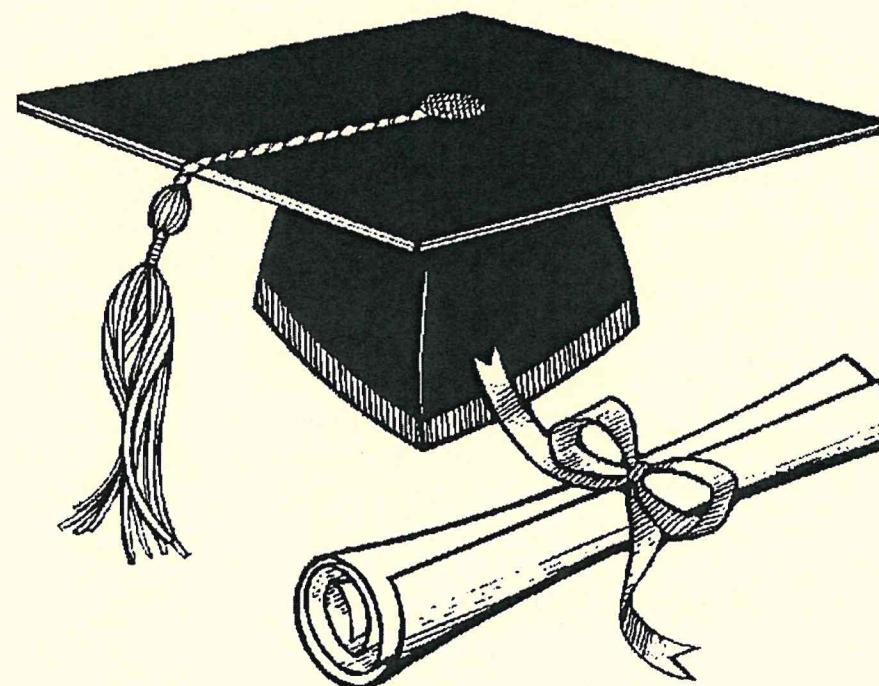
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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

CLIMAX, NORTH CAROLINA



May 19, 2019
Fifth Sunday of Easter
Graduate Sunday

May 19, 2019 10:55AM

Welcome all who worship here! We pray you experience God's Holy Spirit in a new way as we worship together. Please be sure to sign the pew register as it is passed up and back down the pew.

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude *Pomp and Circumstance*

Lighting the Candles

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

Graduate Recognition

Morning Prayer

Anthem *I Know the Lord's Laid His Hands on Me* Larson

The Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Jesus, I Come*

*The Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

Puppet Pals "But Wasn't That A Bad Thing?" The Cowards

Secret Pals Revealed Fran Getner

*Hymn *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* No. 384

Scripture Reading Galatians 5:1, 4-7

The Message "Do No Harm" Pastor Michael
(A Wesleyan Way of Living---Three Simple Rules)

*Hymn *Lord, I Want to Be a Christian* No. 402

*Benediction

*Congregational Benediction *He Lives* (vs. 1) No. 310

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

TODAY IS GRADUATE SUNDAY – We congratulate our high school & college graduates.

SECRET PAL/SPONSOR REVEAL is today. Secret Pals, their families, and sponsors are invited to attend a reception immediately following 2nd worship in the parlor. Cake and punch will be served in the conference room.

CHURCH COUNCIL REMINDER – Meets tonight @ 7PM. (FH)

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE is tomorrow. Please send items electronically to bethumcclimax@gmail.com

SCOUT TROOP 342 PINE NEEDLES - \$4.50 per bale. Sat. 9AM – 1:30PM; for other times call Eddie Wilkinson @ 336-674-0921 or Jeff McNabb @ 336-541-5674. Leave a message if no answer.

YOU ARE INVITED - Thank you for all the support provided for Will Rivers' Eagle Project. Please join us at **3PM, Sun., June 2** for Will's Eagle Court of Honor (sanctuary). Light refreshments will follow.

WEBSITE REMINDER – Our church website is brimming with information! Need to find info from a previous bulletin? You can find it on the website. Need to check a date for an activity? It's on there. (Look under newsletters/calendar.) Need to look up church leadership names? They are on there. Our website is a wonderful resource. If you haven't visited it, please do so soon www.bethlehemumc.org

SPECIAL FATHER'S DAY BULLETIN – The Young-at-Heart Sunday School Class will be doing a special tribute Father's Day Bulletin. Entries are \$5 per name. Envelopes are available in Sunday school classes, on either end of the altar, and at each entrance. Only one entry's name on each envelope please. If you have several gentlemen you wish to honor, just fold extra envelopes inside the first one. Turn your envelopes in to Phyllis Wicker, Judy Fields, Karon Monnett or place in the offering plate by **the deadline, June 9th**. Make checks payable to Young at Heart Sunday School Class. Thank you for your participation.

GRACE WILKINSON SCHOLARSHIP - applications available in the Narthex, on table outside of the church office, and stairwell bulletin board. This is available for any institute of higher learning (trade school, vocational school, community college, college, university, Masters or Doctoral degrees). The forms are due back to the church office **no later** than 4PM June 13th. The scholarship will be awarded on Sun., July 21st during 2nd worship.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday 5/19 Graduate Sun. /Secret Pal Reveal,
Father's Day Bulletin Begins, George & Annie Jones
Family Reunion

8:50AM 1st Worship

10AM Sunday School

10:55AM 2nd Worship (Secret Pal Reveal)

12PM Secret Pal Reception

NO UMYF

7PM Church Council

Monday 5/20

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

7:30PM Exercise

Tuesday 5/21 5:30-9pm Conf. Rm in use
(Girl Scout Event)

10AM StoryTime (Library)

6:30PM Line Dancing (FH)

7PM Women in Christ

7PM Cub/Boy Scouts

Wednesday 5/22

3-4PM Food Pantry Open

6:30PM Youth Bible Study

7 PM Choir

7:30PM Exercise

Thursday 5/23

3:15PM Children's Chapel

7PM Bradshaw Vet. Mem. Comm.

Friday 5/24 Chrysalis (Girls)

Church office closed.

Saturday 5/25 Chrysalis (Girls)

9AM-1:30PM Pine Needles for sale

Sunday 5/26 Chrysalis (Girls)

8:50AM 1st Worship

10AM Sunday School

10:55AM 2nd Worship

NO UMYF

COMING UP

Mon., 5/27 Memorial Day - Church Office Closed

Mon., 5/27 @ 7PM Arlene Stokes, Room - at- the - Inn Shower

Wed., 5/29 @ 7PM Child Care Graduation

Sun., 6/2 Ascension Sun., Communion Sun., Pnut Butter/Oatmeal Sun.

Sun., 6/2 Family Reunion (Karon Monnett)

Sun., 6/2 @ 3PM Will Rivers' Eagle Court of Honor (sanctuary)

Mon., 6/3 @ 6:30PM Child Care Board Meeting

Tues., 6/4 @ 8AM Breakfast Club (Backyard Grill)

Tues., 6/4 @ 7PM Worship Committee

Thurs., 6/6 @ 7:30PM Trustees

Fri., 6/7 @ 7PM Family Ministries Movie Night (FH)

Sun., 6/9 Pentecost, Deadline for Father's Day Bulletin, Hackett Reunion

Sun., 6/9 @ 7PM Charge Conference

Mon., 6/10 @ 6:30PM History & Records & Camp Meeting

Mon., 6/10 @ 7PM Evangelism Comm.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please keep these friends in your prayers.

Ongoing Prayer Needs

Vicky Alexander

Bonnie Averill

Jack Bowman

Peggy Bowman (home)

Sherri Bowman (ankle surg.)

Tommy Bowman (Deena's
Bro in law)

Tony Bowman

Suzie Branch

Bill Clark (home)

Edna Coble (Morningview)

Fred Cook (home)

Doug Curtis (home)

Thomas Dills

Jane Dunham (fall)

Brad Fields (home)

Cletis Fields (Clapps)

Ongoing (Cont.)

Jeanette Fields

Kelsey Garrett (home)

Nancy Golden

Charles Henritze

Ruby Hockett (assist. living)

Betty Hull (Wellington Oaks)

Carlton Johnson (home)

Carolyn Johnson (Adam's Farm
Rehab, Rm. 109)

Austin Jolly

Sara Kauzlick

Wayne Kirkman

Clyde Land

Marjorie Mabe

Dennis McGee (Melanie
Robb's Step-father)

Mildred Moser (Clapp's
Assisted)

Ongoing (Cont.)

Tessa Murphy (Laura
Cranfill's aunt)

Jamie O'Daniel (home)

Dicky Parks

Mike Underwood (home)

Ernest Wicker (Phyllis
Wicker's Bro in Law)

All of our homebound

Immediate Prayer Needs:

Lucy Albright (Clapp's Assist.)

Cory Fields

Priscilla Hodges (Guilford
Health Care, **Rm 217 B**)

Cindy Noell (Abby Windsor's mom)

Melissa Swofford (home)

Sharon Thornton

Betty Wilkins (tests)

Remember BUMC family serving in the military: **Todd Garrett
& Jeffrey Welker**

Please help us keep this list up-to-date. (Without updates, names may be removed.)

If someone has been omitted who should be on our prayer list, or you know of changes in the prayer needs of anyone we list, please let the church office know.

Thank you.

Congratulations Graduates!

Courtney Ingold, Camden Williams, Landen Williams – Southeast Guilford High School

Daniel Hinshaw, NC State University

Kylie Spencer, Pfeiffer University

Caleb Windsor, Wingate University School of Pharmacy

You are invited!

70th Anniversary Celebration

Stacy & Lucille McClintock

Sat., June 15th from 2-4PM - Bethlehem UMC Fellowship Hall

RSVP by June 5th

Lisa (919) 455-0555 or Angie (336) 681-1893

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY - We are now accepting applications for a part-time nursery attendant to work 3 ½ hours every other Sunday. If interested, contact Bud Lauder, Phyllis Wicker, or Tracy Peele.

BUMC Congregation Survey

Please complete and return to the church office, collection plate or suggestion boxes in narthex & near church office. Thank you for your input, it is vital to the transition of pastoral leadership we are experiencing currently. Your opinion matters!

Please list at least 3 things/areas you would like to see Pastor Debra Short address in the first 3 months of her ministry with BUMC.

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- 2.
- 3.

Additional comments: