



MONEY FOR GARDEN SOIL: *Today, April 12*, we are collecting a special offering to provide a gift card for garden soil for South Graham Elementary School's teaching garden. If you would like to help, place your labeled donation in one of the wooden offering boxes in our entry areas.

UMW SMITHFIELD'S BBQ FUNDRAISER: *Tomorrow, April 13* from 5-8pm, our UWF unit will be your servers at the Mebane location of Smithfield's Chicken 'n' Bar-B-Q. Twenty percent of all sales during this time will go directly to missions. Please plan to join us for this popular event and enjoy fellowship and good food. Invite your friends!

YOUNG IN HEART IN APRIL: Game Day will be Wednesday, **April 15** from 1-4pm in Stafford Hall (Rm. 125).

FUMC SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 2026: The online scholarship application is now open on our website. Any person active in our church who will be pursuing higher education in the 2026-2027 academic year is eligible to apply. For more information, contact Susan Brink (336/260-5944). Deadline to apply is midnight *this Wednesday, April 15*.

UWF SCHOLARSHIPS FOR WOMEN: The NC Conference United Women in Faith has scholarships for women accepted to Methodist-affiliated colleges in this geographic area. See article in this week's *E-News*. Deadline is *this Wednesday, April 15*.

CHURCHWIDE TRIP TO HISTORIC HALIFAX: All are invited to visit Halifax County historic sites with your church friends on Friday, **April 17**. We will leave the church parking lot at 8am. Call Lydia Ricks 336/270-6359 to find out more.

UNDERSTANDING CHRISTIAN NATIONALISM: Rev. Dr. Joey Shelton will lead a discussion on Christian Nationalism in Stafford Hall on Saturday,

April 18 from 10am-noon. All are welcome.

FREE CONCERT IN OUR SANCTUARY: Paul and Sophia Chandley, classically trained pianists, will present a concert in our sanctuary on Sunday, **April 19** at 5pm. All are welcome!

PUBLIC EDUCATION RALLY: Our C4C invites you to attend a rally in Raleigh on Tuesday, **April 21**. More information is available in your *E-News*.

EARTH WEEK KEYNOTE SPEAKER at Elon University is Katharine Hayhoe who will address ways we can help solve climate change. Hayhoe will speak on Wednesday, **April 22** at 7pm in McKinnon Hall (Moseley Center).

SPRING CLEANING DAY! Please join us on Saturday, **April 25** from 9am-1pm for a day of sprucing up our building. Lunch will be provided for all participants at 1pm. Contact Board Chairperson Ken Clark for more details

LITTLE FREE PANTRY NEEDS FOR APRIL: This month, we particularly need donations of protein items, instant breakfast foods, and crackers. A complete list can be found in your weekly *E-News*. Leave your donations in the large white basket in the hall between Chris's and Susan's offices.

UWF MISSION FOCUS FOR APRIL is Alamance Eldercare. We are collecting adult incontinence materials. Please place any donations on the designated table in Room 114.

ALAMANCE CHORALE SPRING CONCERT: Seven members of FUMC participate in the Alamance Chorale, and you are invited to their patriotic spring concert at 3pm on Saturday, **May 2** at Williams High School.

A FREE BURLINGTON BOYS CHOIR CONCERT will be held in our sanctuary on Sunday, **May 3** at 7pm.

Our Faithfulness			
Attendance	ONLINE	IN PERSON	TOTAL
4.5	9*	207	216
3.29	38	143	181
3.22	12	150	162
3.15	16	148	164
Giving (Needed Weekly \$9,630.00)			
4.5		\$10,720.00	
3.29		\$14,496.66	
3.22		\$5,645.00	
3.15		\$8,415.00	

*Livestream data unavailable for 11am service.