

WELCOME

TO FOREST HILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

We are glad you are here to worship God with us today. If you are looking for a church home or have questions about Forest Hills, contact Rev. Baxter Hurley at the church office, (478) 477-1161. You may also contact the office if you would like to receive informational emails and newsletters, have questions about Christian faith or becoming a Christian. Any of our pastoral staff would be glad to speak with you.



We encourage you to sign the PEW PAD or register by scanning the QR CODE on the right so that we may have record of your attendance.

Notes: _____

This Week At FHUMC

- Sunday, September 2**
8:30 AM: Blended Worship (Music Suite)
9:45 AM: Modern Worship (Ministry Center)
11:00 AM: Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
4:00 PM: Jr. High Youth (Ministry Center)
5:30 PM: Youth Snack Supper (Ministry Center)
6:00 PM: Sr. High Youth (Ministry Center)
- Monday, September 3**
Office Closed
- Tuesday, September 4**
7:00 AM: Men's Prayer Breakfast (Ministry Center)
11:00 AM: Singing Saints (Music Suite)
- Tuesday, September 4**
12:00 PM: GoodTimers Game Day (Ministry Center)
- Wednesday, September 5**
10:00-11:30 AM: Unshakable Hope (Room 97)
5:00 - 6:00 PM: Kids Connect (Kids Hall)
6:00-6:45 PM: 17:11 (Youth Room)
6:30-8:00 PM: Disciple Fast Track (Room 97)
6:30-8:00 PM: Psalms Study (Room 125)
6:45 PM: Chancel Choir Practice (Music Suite)
- Thursday, September 6**
- Friday, September 7**
- Saturday, September 8**

The church nurse is here each Tuesday from 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Church Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM-5:00PM // Friday: 9:00 AM-12:00PM
Saturday-Sunday: Closed
We are closed from 12-1 PM Monday-Thursday for lunch.

we have an
ANNOUNCEMENT

You may have heard last week about our plan to purchase a new 51-Stop Digital Pipe Organ for our sanctuary. Thanks to your generous response to the request for funds, we only need \$230.00 to complete the purchase!

2018 PUMPKIN PATCH SIGN UP

Mark your calendars! The pumpkins are coming to the Pumpkin Patch at Forest Hills UMC on **Saturday, October 6, 2018**. Volunteers may sign up on the Pumpkin Patch Board at church or online at foresthillsmacon.com (click on scrolling image of the pumpkin patch). Let's make this 23rd year the best year yet!



UPCOMING EVENTS

September 6 Summer Day Apart for the Soul: Pt.2 10:00-11:00 AM: Room 97	September 9 (con't.) Grief Share Begins 2:30-4:30 PM: Conference Room
September 9 *Third Grade Bible Presentations 9:45 & 11:00 Worship Services	One Step Worship Service 6:00 PM: Ridge Campus

*Registration required at: www.foresthillsmacon.com

THANK YOU

A big THANK YOU to all who supported the Joy FM Backpack Food collection Tuesday at Chick-Fil-A on Zebulon Road! We collected over 1,200 pounds of food!



When you lose a loved one, your life changes. The road you are walking may be one of sadness and pain and lots of changes. Grief Share offers a 13 week small group experience with a guided study book to invite participants to know they do not walk this road of grief alone. Trained and experienced Stephen Ministers will facilitate this new group. If this speaks to you or someone you might know, you are greatly encouraged to be a part of the Grief Share experience. The group will meet in the Conference Room on Sunday afternoons from 2:30-4:30 PM.

Grief Share Group is set to begin on Sunday, September 9 from 2:30-4:30 p.m. lasting 13 weeks. No signup required.

SUMMER DAY APART FOR THE SOUL: SEQUEL

Thursday, September 6 // 10:00 - 11:30 AM

Thanks to all who participated in our *Summer Day Apart for the Soul* mini-retreat. We will have our follow up session on **Thursday, September 6th at 10:00 AM**. Bring your "Set Your Heart Free" book and your Bible. May God richly bless you as you spend intentional time in prayer this month.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.

Lighting of the Candles

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude *God of Our Fathers* Brant Snow
(arr. Scott)

Call to Worship

Welcome Chorus No. 328 *Surely the Presence*

Greetings and Announcements

*Hymn No. 57 *O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*

*Affirmation of Faith from "Lost in Wonder, Love, & Praise"
Words on Screen

*Hymn No. 70 *Gloria Patri*

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

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

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Be Still and Know That I Am God* Chancel Choir
(McDonald)

*Doxology No. 95

Scripture Lesson Judges 3:31

Message *Shammer and His Oxgoad* Baxter Hurley
(OT Jackie Chan)

Sacrament of Holy Communion

*Hymn No. 617 *I Come with Joy*
(stanzas 1,2,3,5)

Benediction

Postlude *Immortal, Invisible* Brant Snow
(arr. Wyrzten)

*Singing Together - Standing As You Are Able

If you would like to place flowers in the Sanctuary in honor or memory of someone, please sign up on the Flower Calendar located in the Narthex.

IN HIS SERVICE - SEPTEMBER 2, 2018

Greeters - 9:45 a.m.

Narthex Ned Newman
Canopy Joe & Becky Middlebrooks
Ministry Center Dan & Gracin Teets
Ministry Center Back Door Ann Crawford

Greeters - 11:00 a.m.

Narthex Barbara Coon and Nancy Gandy

Ushers Chuck Collier, Frank Green, Bill Roe, Joe Parsons

Building Security - September Margaret Ann Hunt

Missions Offering - September The Wesley Foundation of Macon

PRAYER CONCERNS

Charlotte & Asbury Stembridge, Sr., Dillon Lewis, Candice Hancock, Wayne Smith (Karen Lebow's brother), Robert Seay, Carol Newberry, Chuck Brooks, Karen Lebow, Peter and Joe Coon, Eugene Kinard, Sonia Bobbitt, Rob & Margaret Ann Hunt, and Betty Cox.

Those serving in the military: Payton Smith (Army), Matt Parrish (Army), Chris Allen, Chris Belvin, Sgt. Daniel Brennan, Sgt. Jeffrey Dyson, Rob Hunt, Justin Layman, Matthew Nylund, 1st Lt. Jamie Peacock, Kelley Sanders, SSgt. Stephanie Wammock, Bryan Caldron (Navy), Capt. Hunter Curl (Air Force), Zachary Dickson (Army), and Col. Frank & Susie Stanco.

Names will be removed after four weeks.

YOUR RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

August 26, 2018 Statistics		For the Month of July:	
Membership	755	July Revenue:	\$91,994.68
New Members in 2018	0	Monthly Budget:	\$91,211.15
Sunday A.M. Worship	485	July Expenses:	\$84,738.73
Sunday School Attendance	163	2018 YTD Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$21,575.25)
Offering	\$19,665.26	2020 Debt Elimination:	
Sunday School Offering	\$94.00	Original Bldg Loan Amt	\$1,834,899.90
2018 Apportionments		Monthly Bldg Loan Pymt	\$5,500.00
Paid to date:	\$64,297.87	Total Bldg Loan Balance	\$63,980.60
		(8/1/18)	

TEXT TO GIVE: Text FHUMC to 73256 and follow the prompts.

Standard text messaging rates may apply.



September 2, 2018



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Helping each other take our NEXT STEP closer to Christ

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