

BY OUR PRAYERS:

Zane Grabow, Dave & Suzanne Stecker, Ruby Smallwood, Jeff Weekley, Marcellus Hamby, Michelle Foster, Jerri Beth Pintos, Sue Casey, Ouida Dunton, Partnership with Concord UMC, Carolyn Weaver, Billy Vigers, Frank Johns IV, Roy Dean, and Daniel Rainwater, Sam Waldron, Lewis Jacobs, Carrie Pitts, Margaret Waldron and family upon the death of her sister-in-law Mary Waldon, Brooke Ottesen, Tom Cocklereece, McKinley Majors, George Harper (Hip Surgery)

New Prayer Requests: Tim Hembree, Jerri Johnson, and Friends & Family of Jarred Wright

Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of our graduating Seniors by The Preschool-CMO

The carnations are given to the Glory of God and in Celebration of Mother's Day by The United Methodist Men

Prayer Chain:

Irma Andrews: 770-459-1816 Sonja Bradley: 770-459-6012

Pastor Hotline: 770-861-3096

Ongoing Prayer Concerns are available at the Connect Center in the Lobby.

Prayer requests can be emailed to vrfumc@bellsouth.net or you may fill out the "Connect Card" in your bulletin

BY OUR PRESENCE:

May 6, 2018 Attendance

9:00 am Traditional: 74
11:00 am Modern: 167

Wednesday Night Activities: 100

BY OUR GIFTS:

2018 General Budget
\$503,928

Year-to-date Contributions
\$150,373.21

Year-to-date Expenses Paid
\$ 163,795.90

BY OUR SERVICE:

THOSE ASSISTING TODAY

Counters: Dixie Tackett & Sandra Brown

9am Ushers: Children & Youth

9am Greeter: Children & Youth

11am Ushers: Children & Youth

Student Usher: Micah Marks

Acolytes 11am: Mikey & Ava Rose

11am Greeters: Children & Youth

Student Greeter: Children & Youth

Announcements (11am): Children & Youth

Screen Technician: Terry Shead & Michael Burns

Sound Technicians: Tim Jeffers & Woody Holland

BY OUR WITNESS:



ANNOUNCEMENTS & UPCOMING EVENTS

Happy Mother's Day!!

MAY STUDENT MISSION : This month the Student Ministry is supporting our summer lunch program. This year, we will be providing lunch boxes for families to use for an entire week. Each week of May, we will be collecting a different item for the lunch boxes. **May 6:** family size jar of peanut butter, **May 13:** 10 pack juice boxes, **May 20:** American cheese (drop in bin in kitchen refrigerator), **May 27:** lunch meat (drop in bin in kitchen refrigerator)

GARDEN- HELP NEEDED: We are looking for individuals (or groups) in the church and community who might be interested helping us plant the church garden. If you're interested, contact the church office 770-459-3067 or email the church office. vrfumc@bellsouth.net

MEALS ON WHEELS: Every Friday at 8:30am in the month of May, Meals are made for Meals on Wheels. If you would like to help contact Jackie B. Waldrop 770-789-9892.

YOUTH CRUD NIGHT: Get ready to get dirty! Join us **Wednesday, May 16** at 6pm for CRUD night. This event is open to all rising 6th graders-graduating seniors. We get messy playing games and having fun. Bring a towel and an extra pair of clothes. You don't want to miss it!

VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Children's Ministry is in need of Volunteers for VBS the week of **June 4-8 from 9am-12pm**. If you can help please contact Erin Backus students.villarica@gmail.com

ONE COMBINED SERVICE: Sunday, June 10 at 10am. Sunday School will be at the discretion of each class.

F.A.Q. SUMMER SERIES: Do you have a burning question about life and are curious what the scripture says about it? Go to the church website to submit your question to Pastor Erik. Pastor Erik will shift through the questions and answer them in our Summer Series, "Frequently Asked Questions" **Please submit questions by Sunday, May 20.**

MINISTRY STAFF:

The Rev. Erik A. Mays, Senior Pastor: erikmays@gmail.com
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Erin Backus, Student Ministry Coordinator: students.villarica@gmail.com
Jason Backus, Youth Director: youth.villarica@gmail.com
Carrie Keller, Administrative Assistant: vrfumc@bellsouth.net
Jane Young, Finance Secretary: vrfumcfinance@gmail.com
Kip Tackett, Church Caretaker: 404-723-3023

Office Hours @ The Cottage:

Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 9am - 3pm
Wednesday and Friday: 9am - Noon

Website: www.villaricafumc.net **Church Office:** 770-459-3067
Church Office Email : vrfumc@bellsouth.net

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First United Methodist Church



May 13, 2018

Worship | Education | Missions



Happy Mother's Day!!

If you are visiting with us for the first time today, we welcome you! We also have a gift for you located at the Connect Center in the Lobby. We are so very glad you joined us today!

Nursery services are available for each worship service and the Sunday school hour for children 2 years and younger.





Bible Presentation

3 year olds

Maxwell Burkett
Avery Mays
Jordan Pierce
Luca Turner
Trey Williams

3rd Grade

Joshua Backus
Audrie Fowler
Kathryn Hoffman
Jadon McNeil
Alexander Morales
Ethan Price
Wyatt Wallace



Generation Change

Larry Braswell Jr.
Aaron Brown
Bailey Blair
Forrest Blair
Abigail Marks
Gabriel Marks
Isaac Marks
Dylan Teters

Mama Aye-Addo
Isaac Smith
Marquice Terrell
Chelsea Shead
Johnny Smothers
Luke Keller
Audrey Tilton



Highschool Seniors Class of 2018

Bailey Blair
Larry Braswell Jr.
Aaron Brown
Zach Crawford
Abbeygail Gamble
Kylan Hendricks
Avery Hill
Chase Lolley
Christian McConnell
Cheyenna McNeil

Jasmine Middleton
Spyncer Patton
Nevyn Pillow
Gavin Rainwater
Chelsea Shead
Austin-Lane Smith
Christian Swanner
Marquice Terrell
Dylan Teters

9:00 & 11:00 Worship

Student Celebration Sunday

We Gather to Worship

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| Gathering Music | Forever Reign | |
| Welcome & Announcements | | Erin Backus |
| *Song of Worship | Ever Be Amazing Grace | |
| *Affirmation of Faith | | |
| Sacrament of Baptism (11:00) | Ricky Kilpatrick | |
| Children's Choir (11:00) | | |
| Bible Presentation | | Amanda Miller |
| Generation Change Presentation | | Mike Cowan |
| Prayer & The Lord's Prayer | | |
| Offering | Offertory | Rick Quinton |
| *Doxology | | |
| *Offertory Prayer | | Casey Bass |
| Scripture Reading | 1 Corinthians 12:12-27 | |
| Senior Recognition | | |
| Senior Moments | Your Impact Abbey Gamble, Marquice Terrell, Chelsea Shead, Aaron Brown, Gavin Rainwater, & Heather Shead | |
| *Song of Worship | How He Loves | |
| *Benediction | | |

*Please stand as you are able

THIS WEEK AT THE GARDEN

Sunday, May 13

9:00 am - Traditional Worship
10:00 am - Sunday School
11:00 am - Modern Worship
11:15 pm - Children's Church

Monday, May 14

5:00 pm - Taekwondo Class
6:00 pm - Road Runners Banquet - Glanton Hindsman
7:00 pm - Finance Committee Meeting

Tuesday, May 15

10:00 am - Caring Hands
4:00 pm - God's Food Pantry
6:30 pm - Cub Scouts

Wednesday, May 16

6:00 pm - YOUTH CRUD NIGHT
Dinner Menu: Walking Tacos & Cookies
Rising 6th grade to graduating Seniors
*Pack a complete change of clothes

Thursday, May 17

6:00 pm - Praise Band Practice
7:00 pm - Adult Choir Practice

Friday, May 18

8:30 am - Meals on Wheels
Last Day of School for Carroll County



If you would like to honor the memory of someone by making a contribution to further God's work at VRFUMC in their name or a Gold Star Family who lost a member, simply write the name of the person or family in the subject line of your check, or to honor all the fallen simply write the words "The Fallen".

We will publish a list of those being remembered with a symbolic picture of a Poppy or Gold Star on Sunday May 27th.

STAY CONNECTED

We invite you to fill out the "Connect Card" located on the back of your chair. If you're visiting with us, the **Connect Card** will help us get to know you. If you need to update your contact information or have a prayer concern, use the **Connect Card** to let us know. Please place completed **Connect Cards** in the offering plate when it comes around.

Visit the webpage often: www.villaricafumc.net
If you would like to receive the monthly newsletter or other emails from the church, please email the church office at: vrfumc@bellsouth.net.

Find us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/villaricafumcatthegarden

Want to become a member of VRFUMC?
See Pastor Erik following worship or email him at erikmays@gmail.com