

EFUMC Weekly Calendar

Sunday, February 17

8:40 a.m. SonRise Service
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship Service
6:00 p.m. Chili Cook-off/Bake-off

Monday, February 18

6:30 p.m. Men's Study - FH

Tuesday, February 19

10:00 a.m. Knit Wits-TC
6:30 p.m. Seasons of Praise

Wednesday, February 20

10:00 a.m. UMW #7
10:30 a.m. Bible Study-Chapel
6:00 p.m. Bible Study-FH
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday, February 21

5:15 p.m. Handbells-TC
6:30 p.m. Couples' Study-S

February 23-26

UMC Special Called
General Conference

Office Hours

Monday-Wednesday

8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Thursday

8:30 - 12 Noon

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Friday

9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

EFUMC Staff

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Organist: Steve Ellison

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Nursery Worker: Sharon Sheriff



February 17 Volunteers

SonRise Service

Greeters: Carmen Baxter, Mary Ann Jordan

Lay Welcomer: Charlene Fetterly

Scripture Reader: Mike Gasque

Ushers: Bob Burns, Steve Swindoll

Communion: Traci Boyles, Mary Ann Jordan

Mugging: Diane Jones

Traffic Jam: Judy Daughtridge

11:00 Worship

Altar Guild: Joyce Snyder

Acolyte: Harrison Daley

Lay Reader: Kathy Barnett

Greeter: James Richey

Nursery: Traci Boyles

Ushers: Calvin Clayton, Randy Huffman, Lee Lemere, Ryan Lusk, James Richey

Visitor Registration: Shirley Mayer

Mugging: Jan Jackson

Welcome Table: Elizabeth Lawson

Technical Support: Carson & Harrison Daley

February 24 Volunteers

SonRise Service

Greeters: Jen Dailey, Diane Jones

Lay Welcomer: Julie Dangler

Scripture Reader: Mike Thompson

Ushers: Bob Dean, Ned Jones

Communion: Cooper & Greg Belle

Mugging: Mike Gasque

Traffic Jam: Huffmans & Maysons

11:00 Worship

Altar Guild: Joyce Snyder

Acolyte: Stephen Bolinger-Byas

Lay Reader: Marilyn Haislip

Greeter: Lee Lemere

Nursery: Jan Jackson

Ushers: Calvin Clayton, Randy Huffman, Lee Lemere, Ryan Lusk, James Richey

Visitor Registration: Daisy Ruud

Mugging: Cindi & Jeff Fogle

Welcome Table: Gary Mathis

Technical Support: Carson & Harrison Daley



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*Providing families and individuals a Christ-centered option
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*Welcoming well
Meaningful worship
Encouraging small groups
Training teachers and leaders*

SONRISE SERVICE

6th Sunday after the Epiphany

February 17, 2019

*Gathering Song

"This Beating Heart"

Welcome and Announcements

Charlene Fetterly

Prayers of the People

Sharing the Peace of Christ

*Song of Preparation

"All the People Said Amen"

Scripture Reading

Psalm 1

Mike Gasque

Children's Moments

Rev. Deana Gentry

Scripture Reading

Luke 16:17-26

Rev. Owens

Sermon

Rev. Owens

Offering

Offertory

"Joyfully"

Great Thanksgiving

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

*Communion Song

"The Table"

*Sending Forth

*Those who are able, please stand.

There will not be UMYF tonight. Sunday evening activities will resume on February 24.

It's that time of year again - **time to collect shoes for the children at St. Bart's**, the school in Terrier Rouge, Haiti. Black dress shoes, for older children in particular, are appreciated. You can bring them to worship, or to the church office, or contact Julie Dangler at jdangler@mindspring.com. We also are collecting funds to do a food distribution while our team is there March 17-24. We need to collect \$3000 for this important ministry, so any funds you can donate are greatly appreciated. Make checks out to Bethlehem Ministry and put in the offering plate or you can drop them by the church office. Thank you for supporting our ministry in Haiti!

In late February, the General Conference of the United Methodist Church will meet to discuss the **church's stance on issues relating to human sexuality**. If your Sunday School class or group would like Pastor Ken to come, share, and explain the whats, whys, hows, and the options, contact him. Also, Ken will hold an information session on Sunday, February 17, in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour for everyone.

Updated directory handouts are available in the narthex. Please take one per family.

EFUMC Financial Report	
As of 01/31/19	2019 Actual
Operating:	
Pledged Revenue	56,031
Non-Pledged Revenue	13,882
Total Operating Revenue	69,913
Operating Expenses:	(54,314)
Over	15,599
Annual Budget	623,884
% of Budget Received to Date	11%
Non-Operating Revenue	5,492

Children's Sunday School in February and March

It is not too late for you and your child to participate in *Delicious Bible Stories* for the rest of February! We will be learning Bible stories as we prepare and enjoy food from Biblical times. For the month of March, our elementary age Sunday School class will be learning about the Lord's Prayer.

Short Term Adult Sunday School Class Coming in March

Daniel and Jodi Correll will be teaching a one-month, Adult Sunday School class on The Lord's Prayer. What a meaningful way to start the season of Lent! If you are not currently involved in adult Sunday School please consider joining us for this class.

By the way, if you have children in elementary school, your child will also be studying The Lord's Prayer during Sunday School the month of March.

Anyone wishing to participate in the **Men's Kairos Prison Ministry** at Perry Correctional Institute on March 7-10 the following opportunities are available: home baked cookies, prayer, monetary donations and placemats.

Cookies can be dropped off at the church office prior to March 6 or call or email Lee McDow or Gary Mathis for pickup. Sign up for prayer time by calling or emailing Lee or Gary. Donate monetarily to EFUMC and indicate "Kairos." Placemats can be dropped off at the church office prior to March 6 or call or email Lee or Gary for pickup.

Lee McDow email-leemcdow@charter.net or call 828-855-4808

Gary Mathis email-goahmathis@charter.net or call 864-360-7402

The Curiosity Shoppe is in need of things to sell. Please donate your jewelry, purses, artwork, bric-a-brac, and household items like small tables and lamps. You can drop things off at the office, or put them in the Pathfinders classroom. Donations need to be clean and in good condition. No appliances. All money goes to the Fellowship Hall renovation. The shoppe will open as soon as it is refurbished and items are priced.

Attendance Summary 2/10/19

SonRise Worship 68

Sunday School 96

11:00 Worship 106

Lake Junaluska 35

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

6th Sunday after the Epiphany

February 17, 2019

Chimes of the Trinity

Welcome and Parish Notices

Rev. Ken Owens

Opening Voluntary

Call to Worship

"Give to the Winds Thy Fears"
Isaac Hoxit, Trumpet

*Hymn No. 307

"Christ Is Risen"

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Reception of New Members

Pg. 38

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 1
Pew Bible page 549 OT

Kathy Barnett

Anthem

"God Is the Lord of All"
Isaac Hoxit, Trumpet

GEORGE F. HANDEL/ARR. HAL HOPSON

Children's Moments

Rev. Owens

Scripture Reading

Luke 6:17-26
Pew Bible page 81 NT

Rev. Owens

Sermon

Rev. Owens

*Hymn No. 410

"I Want a Principle Within"

GERALD

Offering & Offertory

*Doxology

No. 95

*Affirmation of Faith

"The Apostles' Creed"

No. 881

*Gloria Patri

No. 70

*Hymn No. 102

"Now Thank We All Our God"

NUN DANKET

*Blessing

*Benediction Response

"Lead Me, Lord"

*Closing Voluntary

****Those who are able, please stand.***

Guests! Thank you for joining us in worship. If you will leave us contact information, we will be glad to send you the weekly bulletin by email. **First time guests, please fill out the bright yellow card and give it to the "Mugger" at the door.**

Guests with small children: We welcome you to worship and are very glad to have your children with us! If needed, there is a nursery (birth-3 years) available for our youngest children each Sunday morning in the sanctuary building. **Children's worship sheets/bulletins** and crayons are available from the ushers or on the table in the narthex.

Please remember in prayer **George Brooks** (Pam Kelley's father), **Roger Crowe**, **Claudia Holcombe**, **Mary Ross** and .

The fourth Sunday of each month is "Food to the Altar Sunday." You are encouraged to bring staple foods to church on February 24. Collection baskets will be in the narthex or you may drop items off at the office. All donations will be given to United Christian Ministries to help supply their food pantry. Current needs include:

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| ⇒ Rice, Boxed Cereals, Grits | Canned Soup |
| ⇒ Canned Fruit | Fruit Juice |
| ⇒ Canned Meals (Beef Stew, Chicken & Dumplings, etc.) | |
| ⇒ Jelly | Bar Bath Soap |

Winter Warmth Items

In an effort to keep people warm during the winter months, UCM distributes blankets, winter hats, warm gloves, and winter coats to persons of all ages. Your donations make this possible. We respectfully request that blankets, hats, and gloves are new. We will accept clean "previously owned" winter coats.



Chili Cook-Off & Dessert Bake Off TONIGHT, at 6:00 p.m. in the gym. Whether you bring an entry or just want to sample, come and join in the delicious fun. All proceeds will benefit local and international missions.

Memorials Committee 2018 Report

During 2018, the following items were purchased using Memorials Committee funds. Some of the items were purchased at the request of the Worship Committee.

- ◇ Sheet Protectors for the *Book of Memorials*
- ◇ Memorial Binders
- ◇ Wooden Offering Plates
- ◇ Gold Acrylic Memorial Room Sign
- ◇ Two Plant Stands
- ◇ Flameless Window Candles for the Sanctuary
(funds donated and designated by Pathfinders' Sunday School Class)

Total Expenditures amounted to \$2,692.29.

The Committee is currently in the process of repairing the damaged picture of the past and present EFUMC ministers.

The Memorial Room in the Bell Tower was cleared and opened for Viewing on certain Sundays.

The process of recording memorials in the *Book of Memorials* was explained at both services and several books were available for viewing.

The Memorials Committee serves as a subcommittee to the Trustees.

Memorials Committee

Fran Smith, Susie Thornton, Barbara Meyer