

## EFUMC Weekly Calendar

### Sunday, March 8

#### Children's Sunday

8:40 a.m. SonRise Service  
9:40 a.m. Sunday School  
10:40 a.m. Missions Hotdog Lunch  
11:00 a.m. Worship Service  
5:00 p.m. Trustees  
6:00 p.m. UMYF  
Finance  
7:00 p.m. Church Council

### Monday, March 9

4:00 p.m. Strengthening Families

### Tuesday, March 10

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

### Wednesday, March 11

10:30 a.m. UMW  
6:00 p.m. Ken's Study  
7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

## Office Hours

### Monday-Wednesday

8:30 a.m. - noon  
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

### Thursday

8:30 - 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

## March 15 Volunteers

### SonRise Service

**Greeter:** Mike Gasque, Mary Rose Gathman

**Ushers:** Bob Dean, John Spearman

**Lay Welcomer:** Greg Belle

**Lay Reader:** Mike Thompson

**Communion:** Charlene Fetterly

**Mugging:** Greg Belle

**Nursery:** Emmy Eppler

**Traffic Jam:** Linda Galloway

### 11:00 Service

**Altar Guild:** Jim & Beverly Fogle

**Acolyte:** Jackson Betsill

**Greeter:** Kim Cannon

**Lay Reader:**

**Nursery:** Cameron Gilstrap

**Ushers:** Bill Caldwell, David Cantrell,  
Kim Cannon, Gary Hoxit, Herman Jackson

**Visitor Registration:** Carmen Baxter

**Welcome Table:** Elizabeth Lawson

**Mugging:** Jan Jackson

**Technical Support:**

## March 8 Volunteers

### SonRise Service

**Greeters & Ushers:** Sojhna Fields, Skylar  
Henderson, Landon Jameson

**Lay Welcomer:** Julie Dangler

**Lay Reader:** Madison Daley

**Communion:** Madison Daley, Bryce & Eddie  
Johnston

**Mugging:** Diane Head

**Nursery:** Emmy Eppler

**Traffic Jam:** Beverly Fogle

### 11:00 Service

**Altar Guild:** Jim & Beverly Fogle

**Acolyte:** Madison Daley

**Greeters/Ushers:** Charli Clayton, Jack Ryan  
Daley, Caroline Finley

**Lay Reader:** Madison Daley

**Nursery:** Caitlin Daley

**Ushers:** Bill Caldwell, David Cantrell,  
Kim Cannon, Gary Hoxit, Herman Jackson

**Visitor Registration:** Kathie Waters

**Welcome Table:** Gary Mathis

**Mugging:** Judy Daughtridge

**Technical Support:** Ross Gentry



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## Grow in Christ. Reach out to others.

*Providing families and individuals a Christ-centered option  
in an increasingly complex and changing world through:*

*Welcoming well*

*Meaningful worship*

*Encouraging small groups*

*Training teachers and leaders*

## SONRISE WORSHIP SERVICE

2nd Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2020

- \*Gathering Song** "This Beating Heart"
- Welcome and Announcements** Julie Dangler
- Prayers of the People**
- Sharing the Peace of Christ**
- \*Song of Preparation** "Goodness of God"
- Scripture Reading** Deuteronomy 6:4-7 Madison Daley
- Senior Moments** Kathie Cannon, Cam'ron Cooper, Eddie Johnston
- Prayer** Carter Davis, Michael Henderson
- Scripture Reading** Mark 10:13-16  
Narrator-Carol Ann Hoxit; Jesus-Cam'ron Cooper; Parent-Eddie Johnston;  
Child-Bryce Johnston; Disciples- Braxton Bandy, Madison Daley, Michael Henderson
- Sermon** Rev. Gentry
- Offering**
- Offertory** "Who You Say I Am"
- Great Thanksgiving & 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.*
- \*Communion Song** "The Table"
- \*Closing Song** "We Are the Church"  
Instrumentals: Members of our Good Shepherd Preschool Sunday School Class
- \*Sending Forth** Braxton Bandy  
\*Those who are able, please stand.

## UMCOR SUNDAY - March 22, 2020

DO YOU KNOW UMCOR? UMCOR stands for United Methodist Committee on Relief. When watching disaster unfold around the globe, many of us feel the call to help but are at a loss as to what we can actually do to help. UMCOR Sunday is the day for congregations around the globe to help.

The South Carolina Conference of **United Methodist Women Spiritual Growth Retreat** will be held May 1 - May 3 at Lake Junaluska. If you can attend this event, forms for registering and reservations are available in the church office.

Please remember to come and visit the **Curiosity Shoppe**. Easter and Spring days will arrive soon. Shop early while best selections are available. New arrivals will be in the Shoppe every week.

## DEVOTION BOOKS FOR ALL!

- ⇒ Need a devotion book? Take one and enjoy. There is a basket of books in the narthex.
- ⇒ Have a devotion book to share? Drop it in the basket.
- ⇒ Keep the book as long as you need; no deadlines.

### EFUMC Financial Report

As of March 3, 2020

Operating:	
Pledged Revenue	99,087
Non-Pledged Revenue	20,920
Total Operating Revenue	120,007
Operating Expenses:	(94,776)
Over	25,231
Annual Budget	548,565
% of Budget Received to Date	22%
Non-Operating Revenue	22,786
Weekly offering	13,229
Weekly goal	10,549

### Attendance

Sunday School: 105  
SonRise Worship: 119  
11:00 Worship: 116

## TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE

2nd Sunday in Lent

March 8, 2020

Stop by the Fellowship Hall TODAY and enjoy a delicious **hotdog lunch!** To-go plates are always available and donations will be accepted for our local, national and international missions.

**United Methodist Women** will meet Wednesday, March 11, in the Fellowship Hall. Jim Abbott, a representative from The Salvation Army, will present the program. Please attend the meeting and program and stay for the meal afterward.

Anyone wishing to participate in the **Men's Kairos Prison Ministry at Perry Correctional Institute** on March 12-15 has the following opportunities available.

- \* Home-baked cookies - Cookies can be dropped off at the church office prior to March 11.
  - \* Prayer - Sign up for prayer time.
  - \* Monetarily - Donate to EFUMC and indicate "Kairos."
- For pick up of cookies or placemats, prayer sign up or information, call or email Lee McDow. Email [leemmcdow@charter.net](mailto:leemmcdow@charter.net) Cell 828-855-4808



### 5th Sunday Combined Youth Service & Covered Dish Lunch

Sunday, March 29

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.

Combined Worship 10:30 a.m.

Covered Dish Lunch, in the gym, following worship with meats and drinks provided.

Please bring a side or a dessert to share.

**Chimes of the Trinity**

**Welcome and Parish Notices**

Rev. Ken Owens

**Opening Voluntary**

"Lenten Prayer"

J. WAYNE KERR

**Call to Worship**

"Tell Me the Stories of Jesus"

**\*Hymn No. 558**

"We Are the Church"

PORT JERVIS

**Prayer**

Carter Davis, Michael Henderson

**Scripture Reading**

Deuteronomy 6:4-7  
*Pew Bible pages 180 OT*

Madison Daley

**Anthem**

"God So Loved the World" (John 3:16-17)

JOHN STAINER

**Senior Moments**

Kathie Cannon, Cam'ron Cooper, Eddie Johnston

**Gospel Reading**

Mark 10:13-16 *Pew Bible page 59 NT*  
Narrator-Carol Ann Hoxit; Jesus-Cam'ron Cooper; Parent-Eddie Johnston;  
Child-Bryce Johnston; Disciples- Braxton Bandy, Madison Daley, Michael Henderson

**Sermon**

Rev. Gentry

**\*TFWS No. 2218**

"You Are Mine"

YOU ARE MINE

**Offering & Offertory**

"Children of the Heavenly Father"

ARR. DAVID CHERWIEN

**\*Doxology**

No. 95

**\*Affirmation of Faith No. 881**

Apostles' Creed

Madison Daley

**\*Gloria Patri**

No. 70

**\*Hymn No. 191**

"Jesus Loves Me"

JESUS LOVES ME

**\*Blessing**

Braxton Bandy

**\*Benediction Response**

"O Let Me Hear How the Children Stood Round His Knee"

**\*Closing Voluntary**

"O Father by Whose Name"

ARR. DARWIN WOLFORD

*\*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.**

**Prayer Concerns:** Daisy Ruud, Rosemarie Blake, Charlene Fetterly’s sister and all those participating in the Kairos Men’s Prison Ministry.

**Our sympathy** to Jerry Vickery and family following the death of Jerry’s brother, Doug, and to Chuck Bomar and family following the death of Chuck’s father, Herb.

A **Memorial Service for Woodrow “Whit” Whitmire, Jr.** will be held Sunday, April 5, at 3:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

**Pickens County Meals On Wheels** relies on individual donations and fundraisers to help provide services to hundreds of seniors each year. If you want to have a good time for a great cause be sure join us for our 5th Annual Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, March 14, from 8:00-11:00 a.m. at the McKissick Center (home of Pickens County Meals on Wheels).

## We're Having a Yard Sale!



Saturday March 21  
8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Church Yard and Inside the Curiosity Shoppe

Church members who would like to join our yard sale and sell their own items may do so for a donation of \$10.00.

(Members will have to provide their own tables and set up and remove their own things.)

Call Kitty to reserve a space.



### Youth Activities

March 8, 6:00—Devotion and Youth Sunday planning  
March 15 - No Youth Activities  
March 22 - Trip to ICAR following 11:00 Worship  
March 29, 4:45 - Journey to the Resurrection

Children’s Ministries Special Event - Kairos Cookie Bake

**Sunday, March 22, Noon**

Youth Room & Gym Kitchen

Lunch Served

Children 3 years to 5th Graders

Parents of preschoolers are asked to stay and work beside their children.

We will bake cookies for the Women’s Kairos Prison Ministry Weekend.

Save the Date: **Children’s Easter Egg Hunt**  
Sunday, April 5, during the Sunday School hour.



**Save the date**

**On Fire**

**A Vacation Bible School  
Camping Experience  
for all ages  
EFUMC  
May 30-May 31  
1:30pm Saturday—  
12:00pm Sunday**