

Announcements

EXTRA MILE GIVING

As directed by Church Council, Trustees has purchased an excellent condition, low mileage lightly used 2012 Ford Passenger Van for the church. An additional vehicle was needed due to the aging of our current van and the large sized groups such as children, youth, leisure and senior ministries that could not be transported with a single vehicle. The cost of the new church van is \$16,000. If you would like to donate towards its cost, please label your contribution check to FUMC and note Van Club #1-8180 in the memo line.

CAMP REGISTRATION INFO:

Discounts:

Wytheville District Discount	\$100
Hillsville FUMC:	
Full Week Sponsorship	\$100
Sponsorship Code for FUMC	SC48242-3BSN
\$100	
Half Week or Day Camp Sponsorship	\$75
Sponsorship Code for FUMC	SC48242-2QL7
\$75	

There is a limit of one sponsorship per person.

There is a payment plan this year if you are interested in spacing out your payment that is not covered by the above amounts. If you need further assistance with money see either Judy Beasley or Tilda Mullins.

HOLY WEEK begins **TODAY!** There will be no Wednesday Night Activities on **April 12th**. The Adult Choir will meet at **6:30 PM** on **April 12th**. On **Saturday, April 15th**, the orchestra will rehearse at **9 AM**. The Choir will rehearse with the orchestra at **9:45 AM**.

ATTN: UMW we will meet **April 11, at 2PM** in the Fellowship Sunday School Classroom. Joe Stilwell will be talking about The Dinner Bell and missions that have grown out of it.

All women are invited!

EASTER CELEBRATION will be held **April 15** from **2 – 4 P.M.** There will be games, snacks, crafts, and an Easter egg hunt!

GRADUATION SUNDAY is on **May 21st**. Please turn in the name, school, degree, and photo of your graduate to the church office, so we can be sure to recognize all of our graduates this year, even in college.

ZIMBABWE HEALTH KIT items are being collected on a table in the Fellowship Hall until June.

Sunday Mornings Schedule

A nursery is provided during Sunday School and Worship Service. If you're unsure where a class or service is ask us and we'll be glad to help you find what you're looking for!

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
9:00 a.m.	The Gathering, Coffee & Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
9:15 a.m.	Prayer Group	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School, Children & Adult Classes	Sunday School Classrooms
10:00 a.m.	Nacimiento en Fe Sunday School & Worship	Spanish Language Sunday School & Worship Service
10:30 a.m.	Praise & Worship Service	Sanctuary

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

See more upcoming events on the full church calendar at

hillsvillefumc.com/calendar

DAY	TIME	EVENT
MONDAY 10th	10 AM	Bible Study
MONDAY 10th	4 PM	Weight Watchers
TUESDAY 11th	4-6 PM	The Dinner Bell Community Meal
THURSDAY 13th	9:30 AM- 12 PM	CCMA Food Pantry
THURSDAY 13th	6:30 PM	Maundy Thursday Worship Service
SATURDAY 15th	2-4 PM	Children's Ministry Easter Celebration
SUNDAY 16th		Easter Sunday

A JOURNEY TO HOPE Adult Choir will present "A Journey to Hope" (A Cantata Inspired by Spirituals) written by Joseph M. Martin during Easter Sunday worship service. This major sacred work is musically inspired by traditional spirituals & tells of the ministry, passion & resurrection of Jesus.

"From the rhythmic vitality of Ride On! King Jesus! to the languishing strains of They Crucified My Lord, from the dignity of Give Me Jesus to the festive joy of Great Day, this work delivers both ministry and artistry," the publisher states. Soloists are Renae Conner, Susan Cannaday and Ed Terry. The cantata will be accompanied by an 8 member consort orchestra. Everyone is encouraged to join us for this very meaningful Easter celebration.

Nursery will be provided.

First Church Volunteers

DATE	April 9 th	April 16 th
Usher Team (10:10 a.m.)	Adam Joyce Team	Kassandra Dalton Team
Greeters (9:10 a.m.)	Marlin & Mary Surratt	Micheal & Jenny Patton
Scripture Reader	Jay Allen Bough	Carolyn Webb
Acolyte	Davis Reitzel	Rory Bond
Flowers	Millie Mitchem	Easter Sunday
Golden Years	Esther Taylor	Shirley Varn
Children's Church	Nathaniel & Chelsea, Kim Reitzel Sermon: Nathaniel & Chelsea	All Worship in Sanctuary for Easter Sermon: Rick Clark
Media Team	Bill Webb & Jake Worrell	S.C. Cox & Bill Brown
Nursery	Shannon Young	TBD
Sunday School Class Assistants	Upper Room	Challengers

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

WORSHIP: 164

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 124

THE DINNER BELL welcomed **145** people last week!
1ST Church welcomed more than **1117** people through its doors in
different ministries last week. Praise Be t

Offering Report	
2017 Ministry Goal	\$ 402,012
Weekly Offering	\$ 7,731
Needed for Goal	\$ 13,931
Received 4.2.17	\$ 98,421
2017 Ministry Goal	\$ 98,421
Received To Date	



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First Church Prayer List

We want to pray with you. Please write prayer celebrations or concerns on the cards in the pews and place them in the offering plate or email them fumchillsvilleprayers@gmail.com

Abused Children	Sue Anders
America	B. J.
Camp Dickenson	John Bedsaul
Caregivers	Joe Berry
Children from Broken Homes	Rita Bolen
Church Family	Teddy & Jessica Boliek
Church Leaders	Max Brown
Families in Crisis	Ron Clary
First Responders	Tracey Edwards
FUMC Ministries	Debbie Frost
Homeless	Hezekiah Goad
Israel	Roger Harmon
Law Enforcement Officers	Connie Huff
The Lost	Lillie Mae Joyce
Middle East	Linda
Military & Families	Debbie McCartney
Ministers	Dan Meinecke
Missionaries	Vera Mullins
Nursing Home Residents	Faye Murrow
Peace of Jerusalem	John Nunn & family
Persecuted Church	Kerry Plutte
Sanctity of Life	Mary Sawyers
Sanctity of Marriage	Saddie Schauffner
School Bus Drivers	Rick Slusher
Teachers, Students	Janice Poore Stokes
Terminally Ill	Josephine Strader
Traveling Mercies	Colleen Thomasson
Unemployed	
Unspoken Requests	Brenda Davis Family
Veterans	Sam Lewis Family
War Torn Countries	Norma Westerville
	Family
World Leaders	

*PAUSE & PRAY,
LISTEN INTENTLY,
BE OBEDIENT.*

Order of Worship

**Those who are able, please stand*

Welcome and Announcements	Ben Mullins
Call to Worship	Jay Allen Bough
Response	Oliver McBride
Bringing the Light of Christ into the Sanctuary	
	“Sing, Sing to the King” <i>Edwards</i> <i>Choir Partners</i>
*Hymns of Praise	“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna” <i>pg. 278</i> “I Will Enter His Gates” (He Has Made Me Glad) <i>pg. 2270</i>
A Time for Children	Nathaniel & Chelsea Mullins
Prayers of the People	Rev. Robert Smith
	† <i>Please write your requests on the prayer card in the pew & drop it in the offering plate</i> †
Offering of Our Tithes & Gifts	Rev. Robert Smith
Offertory Anthem	“Ride On! King Jesus!” <i>Martin</i> <i>Adult Choir with Janie Napier, Pianist & Cindy Jackson, Director</i>
*Doxology	“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow” <i>(Old Hundredth) UMH 95</i> <i>Janie Napier, Pianist & Cindy Jackson, Organist</i>
	† <i>Children May Be Dismissed to Children’s Church during Doxology</i> †
*Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. Robert Smith
Sermon	“Who is this?” Rev. Robert Smith
*Hymn of Dedication	“What Wondrous Love Is This” <i>pg 292</i>
Reading	“Matthew 27: 27-51” Jay Allen Bough
Benediction	Rev. Robert Smith
Sending the Light of Christ into the World	

Please Depart in Silence

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“Called to be and make disciples for Jesus Christ”

SUNDAY, APRIL 9, 2017



Thank you for joining us in worship of the most High God today!

We are excited to be in His house with you!

First Church Pastor: Rev. Robert Smith

Matthew 21: 10-11

10 When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, “Who is this?”

11 The crowds answered, “This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee.”

First United Methodist Church

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