

Announcements

SPAGHETTI DINNER following the worship services **today**. All the donations will go toward Missions.

CHURCH COUNCIL will come together in the fellowship hall **today** at **3:00** to set the vision for the church in 2017. If cancelled due to weather conditions, the makeup day for the meeting will be **January 31, at 6:30 P.M.**

ADULT BIBLE STUDY with Pastor Smith will be held on **Wednesday** afternoons at **6 p.m** in the Upper Room. The Bible study is titled "Christian: It's Not What You Think."

SCOUTS will be selling popcorn before and after church to send the scouts to Day Camp.

ATTENTION CHURCH FAMILY UMW will be collecting addresses for members, or children of members, who are college students or military within four years of high school graduation. We will be sending Valentine "goodie boxes" in February, and addresses need to be turned in to the church office by **TODAY**.

VALENTINE "GOODIE BOXES" - Donations requested: snack foods, homemade cookies, candy, gum, fast food coupons, highlighters, Chap Stick, or other small items. No canned drinks or other heavy items, please. You may place your donations in the designated box in the church library by Wednesday, February 8th. You may also give monetary donations toward the postage. UMW will be packing boxes at **10:00 am, Thursday, February 9th.**

HAPPY SENIORS MEAL will be held on **February 7, 2017** at **noon**. The program at the meal will be a presentation by Enoko from Japan.

THE DINNER BELL received **70** people last week! The Dinner Bell ministry volunteers are in search of a twin bed for a mother in need who is a guest at our weekly community meal. If you have one you can donate, please contact Ed or Cindi Fitzgerald at 276-728-0987 and they will pick up and deliver the bed.

THE BOOK PEOPLE of FUMC now have 3 visits scheduled--1 on **Feb 1st for 1/2 a day**, 1 on the **8th for 1/2 a day**, and 1 on the **15th for 1/2 a day**. The 1st two are **morning half days** and the last is from **noon until dismissal**. If you have time, and would like to make a whole lot of kids happy, you'd be more than welcome to come along! Please contact Susan Fairhurst to volunteer or for more information.

BIG BUCK contest winner will be announced during worship services on **February 26, 2017.**

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
TODAY		Spaghetti Dinner
TODAY	3:00 P.M.	Church Council Meeting
TODAY		Last Day to turn in addresses for Valentine Goodie Boxes
MONDAY	4 P.M.	Weight Watchers
TUESDAY	4-6 P.M.	The Dinner Bell Community Meal CCMA Food Pantry
WEDNESDAY	6 P.M.	Wonderful Wednesdays Sunbeam Choir (age 4 - grade 1) Choir Partners (grades 2 - 5) Adult Bible Study (Upper Room) Youth Group (Youth Room)
THURSDAY	9:30 - 12:00	CCMA Food Pantry
THURSDAY	6:30 P.M.	Scouts



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First Church Volunteers

DATE	January 29 th	February 5 th
Usher Team (10:10 a.m.)	Dana Osborne-White Team	Joe Harmon Team
Greeters (9:10 a.m.)	Brenda Harmon & Nell Scott	Steve & Judy Martin
Scripture Reader	Jay Allen Bough	Carolyn Webb
Acolyte	Paris Stilwell	Alex Huerta- Zepeda
Flowers	Sue Bond	Communion Sunday
Golden Years	Carolyn Webb	Vivian McBride
Children's Church	Nate & Chelsea, Rita Parker Sermon: Ben Mullins	Nate & Chelsea, Kim Reitzel Sermon: Leona Brown
Media Team	Bill Webb, Jake Worrell	S.C. Cox, Don White
Nursery	Tammy Quesenberry	Shannon Young
Sunday School Class Assistants	Challengers	Challengers

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

WORSHIP: 143 **SUNDAY SCHOOL:** 102

RESURRECTION: 40

1ST Church welcomed more than **686** people through its doors in different ministries last week. Praise Be to God!

<u>Offering Report</u>	
2017 Ministry Goal	\$ 402,012.00
Weekly Offering Needed for Goal	\$ 7,731.00
Received 1.22.17	\$ 7,553.00
2017 Ministry Goal Received To Date	\$ 22,534.00



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 America	Clara Alderman
Camp Dickenson Caregivers	John Bedsaul
Children from Broken Homes	Rita Bolen
Church Family	Max Brown
Church Leaders	Ron Clary
Families in Crisis	John Coalson
First Responders	Sue Cox
FUMC Ministries	Glenn Dalton
Homeless	Ruby Dinsmore
Israel	Gordon Fletcher
Law Enforcement Officers	Karen Friese
The Lost	Hezekiah Goad
Middle East	Donna Harris
Military & Families	Frank & Tracy Hodges
Ministers	Shelia Holly
Missionaries	Pam Jackson
Nursing Home Residents	Jim Jessee
Peace of Jerusalem	Susan Kirkland
Persecuted Church	Debbie McCartney
Sanctity of Life	Mitch Mitchem
Sanctity of Marriage	Vera Mullins
School Bus Drivers	Ed Napier
Teachers, Students	Saddie Schauffner
Terminally Ill	Pastor Michael Shockley
Traveling Mercies	Rick Slusher
Unemployed	Melissa Stevens
Unspoken Requests	Janice Poore Stokes
Veterans	Janet Strauss
War Torn Countries	Esther Taylor
World Leaders	Colleen Thomasson
	Rhonda Tickle
	Doris Todd
	Marc Webb
	Danny Wooten
	Wanda Worley
	David Cox Family
	John Jackson Family
	Cleophus Surratt Family

PAUSE & PRAY
LISTEN INTENTLY
BE OBEDIENT

Matthew 5:12

Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.

Order of Worship

**Those who are able, please stand*

Welcome and Announcements	Susan Clark
Bringing the Light of Christ into the Sanctuary	“Blest Are They” Haas; Joncas <i>Cindy Jackson, Organist</i>
Call to Worship & Invocation	Susan Clark
*Praise & Worship	“Trading My Sorrows” “My Savior, My God” “Shout To The Lord”
A Time for Children	Ben Mullins
Prayer Concerns & Celebrations	Rev. Robert Smith
Pastoral Prayer	Rev. Robert Smith
	† <i>Please write your requests on the prayer card in the pew and drop it in the offering plate</i> †
Offering of Our Tithes and Gifts	Rev. Robert Smith
Offertory	“Angels Unaware” <i>Choplin</i> <i>Adult Choir with Janie Napier, Pianist & Cindy Jackson, Director</i>
*Doxology	“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH 94 <i>Janie Napier, Pianist</i>
*Prayer of Thanksgiving	Rev. Robert Smith
Youth Moment	
	† <i>Children May Be Dismissed to Children’s Church during Doxology</i> †
Scripture	“Matthew 5:1-12” Jay Allen Bough
Sermon	“Jesus Said, What?” Rev. Robert Smith
*Hymn of Dedication	“Come Thou Fount”
Benediction	Rev. Robert Smith
Sending the Light of Christ into the World	“Cuando El Pobre” (When the Poor Ones) <i>Cindy Jackson, Organist</i>

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FIRST CHURCH

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH
of HILLSVILLE

“Called to be and make disciples for Jesus Christ”

Sunday, January 29, 2017
4th Sunday after Epiphany



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

Thank you to all who donated and prayed for the Youth as they traveled to Pigeon Forge, TN over the weekend to praise at Rez17.

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