

The Steeple ■ September 22, 2019

8:30 AM | Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

9:30-9:45 AM | Holy Communion, Chapel

9:45 AM | Sunday School

11:00 AM | Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

11:00 AM | Anew Contemporary Worship, Wesley Worship Center



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Welcome

Thank you for being with us in worship this Sunday! Our mission at First Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. We are inspired by the words of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, who encouraged believers to "do all the good you can, in all the ways you can."

Church Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 8:00AM - 5:00PM; Closed Friday

Main Campus, 901 N. Kings Hwy, Myrtle Beach SC 29577 ■ 843-448-7164

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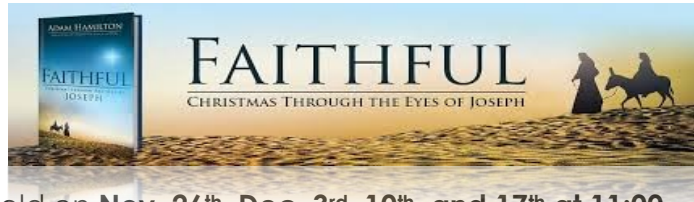
FUMC Centennial Moments for September: **Music Ministry**

In the early-mid 1990s, a Monday Night Blended Worship Service grew from an interest in offering a new type of worship experience. This service was led by several musicians at that time which included Danny Chamblee, Geneal Bates, Mike Allen on guitar, John-Paul Miller on piano, McKinley Devilbus, bass, and Norman McQueen, vocals. The Monday worship moved to Wednesday evenings in September 2013 as Worship on Wednesday (WOW) with John-Paul Miller on piano and Micha Miller, song leader. Subsequently, in December 2014, the Anew Contemporary Worship was created as a Sunday service offering an expanded alternative worship experience to reach those desiring to worship in a casual, relaxed atmosphere with trending Christian music. The Anew Praise Band was formed and is currently led by Grant Nesmith on vocals and guitar, Nell Ciaccio, vocals, Chuck Powers on drums, Craig Ciaccio, percussion, Corey Merchant, bass, and Randy Wallace on piano. These dedicated volunteer musicians meet weekly to learn music and rehearse for leading worship every Sunday.



First Church is grateful for the flowers that adorn our Sunday worship services in the Sanctuary that are given by individuals or families in honor or in memory of a loved one or for a special event. Due to recent increases in delivery and service charges, please note that flower donations will increase to \$175 as of November 3rd. Anyone wishing to sign up for Sunday flowers may contact Jennifer Julian, 843-448-7164, jennifer@fumcmb.org.

Join us in Advent as we discover Joseph's great example of humbly obeying God even when we do not understand, faithfully moving forward in the strength that God provides. The **Advent Study** will be held on **Nov. 26th, Dec. 3rd, 10th, and 17th at 11:00 AM in The Parlor** with light refreshments. Please **reserve your book by October 10th** by contacting Jennifer Hupko, hupko@fumcmb.org. The Cost of each book is **\$8.50**.



Anyone interested in an evening study may contact Jennifer Hupko. If there is enough interest, an evening class will be offered.

First Church Weekly Reading:

September 23	Psalm 102:18-28
September 24	Ephesians 1:17-23
September 25	Matthew 12:38-42
September 26	Matthew 28:18-20
September 27	Colossians 1:15-20
September 28	Hebrews 1:3-5, 13-14
September 29	Hebrews 1:1-2, 6-12

First Church invites you to follow this weekly Scripture reading plan if you don't already have one.

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL ON 9/29/19

** Indicates: Uniform Series*

International Lesson Series: Hebrews 1:1-14

"God's Ultimate Messenger"

Sunday School Classes

Children's Classes

0-2 year olds	Nursery
3 and 4 year-old preschool	Wesley 102
Kindergarten/First Grade	Wesley 201
2nd and 3rd Grades	Wesley 201
4th and 5th Grades	Wesley 201

Youth Classes

6th - 12th Grades	Sonshine House
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Adult Classes

Ark	Wesley 103
Brittain Fellowship	Asbury 101
Faith Foundations	Asbury 203
M.D. Moore *	Wesley 105
New Horizons	Asbury 201
New Ventures	The 925
Open Doors *	Wesley 104
Open Fellowship *	Music Center 101

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Monthly Mission in Motion for SEPTEMBER

Helping Hand of Myrtle Beach

needs our assistance! **UPDATED**



Particularly needed at this time (*individual and family size portions; bulk sizes not needed at this time*):

Canned fruit, soup, pinto beans, yams, mixed vegetables, black eyed peas, spinach and collards;

Juice, coffee, hot chocolate, peanut butter, cereal, spaghetti noodles;

Individual toothbrushes, travel size unused toiletries, full size shampoo, full size conditioner, deodorant.

(No need for green beans, mac 'n cheese or toothpaste at present time).

OCTOBER 20TH
TEAM FUMCB

MYRTLE BEACH MINI MARATHON

HELP RAISE \$8,000
TO BENEFIT
ZOE EMPOWERS

Contact Rev. Meredith Dark to register or
to donate—mmdark@fumcmb.org
Please make checks payable to FUMC, reference Zoe.



THE MARION DISTRICT LAY SERVANT MINISTRIES TRAINING SCHOOL

Classes hosted by **BROWN SWAMP UMC**, 4725 Hwy 501 W, Conway SC

School Dates: **November 10 & 17, 2019** | Sundays, 2:30PM – 8:00PM

MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED by October 18, 2019 | Cost of the School: \$30.00

A List of Classes and Registration Form may be picked up in the church

office. Questions or more info, please call Gerrie Watson, 843-424-9965.

NEXT SUNDAY!

Centennial Celebration - September 29th | 10AM—2PM



Worship together at 10:00AM

Nursery available 9AM-11AM

NO SUNDAY SCHOOL

NO HOLY COMMUNION

Lunch on the Lawn | 11:00AM—2:00PM

Tented seating on the Lawn

Indoor seating for lawn-challenged

Live Music by Anew Praise Band

Children's activities—Bouncy House

Mr. Softee

PARKING available on Church property,
city streets, and city hall lot
MB RESIDENTS WITH PARKING PERMITS
MAY PARK ACROSS THE STREET IN THE
PARKING GARAGE at no charge.
Additional Handicapped parking is available
in the parking garage, no charge.

—Golf Cart attendees available—

Honored Guests
City of Myrtle Beach Proclamation



UM Youth Fellowship
News:
Youth activities...

Coming Up:

Sept 22nd: Lunch & Family Kingdom event

Sept 24th: High School Breakfast & Devo
@ Chick Fil-a

Sept 25th: "See You at the Pole"
7:45AM @ MBMS Flagpole

Sept 26th: Middle School Breakfast & Devo
@ Bojangles

Sept 29th: 100th Year Celebration! (No 925)

Please mark **December 8th**
and 15th as **Shepherd's Child**
days...one for shopping the
other for the celebration. We
will **need 25 youth to sign up**
for this event to be a
success! **RSVP by November**
21st to secure your spot for
this awesome First Church
Christmas tradition!



First United Methodist Church is **chartering a**
Cub Scout pack. Come join the fun!

What: Pack 801 Recruitment Night

Who: Boys AND Girls in K-5th grades

When: **Tuesday, September 24, 6:00-7:00PM**

Where: North Campus, 904 65th Ave. N,
Myrtle Beach

For questions, please email
cubscoutpack801mb@gmail.com

[www.facebook.com/
cubscoutpack801myrtlebeach](http://www.facebook.com/cubscoutpack801myrtlebeach)

To the church,

As I approach the new school year it
caused me to reflect upon how much I
appreciated all of the care packages I
received. Everytime I got told I received
a package & saw it was from FUMC I
knew my day was about to get
much better. I just wanted to take
a moment and thank everyone who
has a hand in these very
uplifting care packages. God Bless!!

For the kindness you've shown.
Noah
Thomas



SAVE THE DATE—2020 Camp Dates:
June 7 - 12, 2020

Register for 2020 camp by December 31
to get 2019 rates!

Register at www.asburyhills.com



The Child Development
Ministry (CDM) is now
offering **Mother's Morning**
Out from **9AM-Noon,**
Monday through Friday, weekly. The cost is
\$20/child per morning. For more
information, please **contact CDM** at
843-692-9272.

Financials
and
Attendance



Thanks
for Your
Support!

Gifts (includes online giving)

Week of September 15, 2019:	\$ 17,755
Giving to-date:	\$ 759,938
Expenses to-date:	\$ 954,193

Expenses include weekly apportionments & direct billing.

Presence—Week of September 15, 2019

♦ Worship	484
♦ Sunday School	227

The First Church Thrift Store Hours: Mondays 9AM-12PM; Thursdays 1:00-4:00PM. Donations accepted during these times.

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Request Emailed Steeple: thesteeple@fumcmb.org Traditional Worship televised Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM, on FOX Channel 7

Happening This Week

SUNDAY, September 22, 2019

- 8:15-12:00 **Nursery Provided** WESLEY BLDG
8:30AM **Traditional Worship** SANCTUARY
9:30AM **Holy Communion** CHAPEL
9:45AM **Sunday School** MAIN CAMPUS
11:00AM **Traditional Worship** SANCTUARY
11:00AM **Anew Contemporary**
WESLEY WORSHIP CENTER

MONDAY, September 23

- 9:00AM **Thrift Store** MAIN CAMPUS
5:30PM **Adult Handbell Rehearsal**
HANDBELL ROOM
5:30PM **Trustees Meeting**
PARLOR
6:30PM **Festive Brass Rehearsals**
TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS

TUESDAY, September 24

- 9:00AM **Staff Meeting** OFFICE/2nd FLR
6:00PM **Cub Scout Registration**
TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS
6:30PM **Boy Scouts**
TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS

WEDNESDAY, September 25

- 7:15AM **Women's Prayer Group**
PRAYER ROOM
7:30AM **Men's Prayer Group** LIBRARY
1:00PM **Adult Handbell Rehearsal**
HANDBELL ROOM
3:15PM **Children's Bells & Choirs**
MAIN CAMPUS
5:00PM **Youth Choir**
MAIN CAMPUS
6:30PM **Wesley Chancel Choir**
MUSIC ROOM

THURSDAY, September 26

- 5:30AM **F3 Bible Study**
TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS
1:00PM **Thrift Store** MAIN CAMPUS

Big Tom's "A Quote"

"We are not made for hoarding;
we are Christians made for
sharing." ~ *Billy Graham*