Ministers and Ministry Directors

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<td>Rev. Dr. George K. Howle</td>
<td>Senior Pastor</td>
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<td>Jennifer Hupko</td>
<td>Director of Educational, Youth, and Congregational Care Ministries</td>
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<td>Cindy Johnson</td>
<td>Director of Children’s Ministries</td>
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<td>Norman McQueen</td>
<td>Director of Music</td>
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<td>D. Scott Ferguson</td>
<td>Pianist/Organist</td>
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<td>Philip Keilen</td>
<td>Director of Coastal Samaritan Counseling Center</td>
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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 Summer Hours: Monday through Thursday 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM and Closed Friday

Main Campus, 901 N. Kings Hwy, Myrtle Beach SC 29577 ■ 843-448-7164
North Campus, Thomas N. Brittain Center (TNBC), 905 65th Ave N, Myrtle Beach SC 29572
FUMC Centennial Moments for July: The “Little Church”

The Myrtle Beach Church was recognized by the South Carolina Annual Conference in 1919, as a part of the Waccamaw Charge with Rev. J.E. Cook the appointed pastor.

Since there was no other church in Myrtle Beach at the time, people of all denominations attended the Methodist services. This fostered a close community spirit. For 17 years, the Men’s Bible Class was taught by Mr. N.C. Hughes, Jr, an Episcopalian, and many others contributed to the growth of the church.

In 1921, the first church building, affectionately known in later years as “The Little Church”, was built on a high sand dune near the corner of Ninth Avenue and King’s Highway. Rev. E.F. Scoggins was pastor. Myrtle Beach Farms Company donated the lot where the church buildings are still located, in the heart of town.

As the town grew, so did the church and its membership. Sunday School rooms were added on each side of the original building in 1928. A pump-organ was purchased; Mrs. Fred Martin was the first organist.

First Church Weekly Reading:

July 8       Obey Judicial Rulings at Once          Deuteronomy 17:8-11
July 9       Handling Temptations                 Mark 9:42-48
July 10      Living With Neighbors               Leviticus 19:11-18
July 11      Living With Believers               1 Thessalonians 5:12-18
July 12      The Unbreakable Marital Bond         Mark 10:2-9
July 13      Let Yes Be Yes; No, No              Matthew 5:33-37
July 14      Commit to Love One Another           Matthew 5:21-32

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

College Students, Parents, Grandparents, Friends, etc.

If you are interested in receiving or having your student receive “Love Packages” at special times throughout the school year, please send address to: jennifer@fumcmb.org or call Jennifer Julian in the church office at 843-448-7164. It is also helpful to have email addresses for the students so that they may receive the weekly Steeple.

REMINDER: This is a MISSION project so your student DOES NOT have to be a member of First Church.

If you are able to help with this mission, we will have collection boxes (date TBD) for that purpose or you may also make monetary donations. First Church is proven to be a generous congregation. We thank you for what you have done, and continue to do, to make this mission successful. We covet your continued support!

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Monthly Mission in Motion for JULY
HELP4KIDS / BACKPACK BUDDIES
Children in need returning to school from Kindergarten to Grade 12 require new supplies. Supplies include: Pens, Pencils, Canvas notebooks, Notebook paper, Spiral notebooks (1&3 subject) Crayons, Highlighters, Colored pencils, Erasers, Blunt-nose scissors, Small Calculators, Pencil bags, Glue, Washable non-toxic markers, Bookbags/Backpacks.

First Church friends,
We would like to thank you for the incredibly generous love offering you shared with our family on our last Sunday at the church. We cannot even begin to adequately thank each of the people who shared that gift with us. Know that we are tremendously grateful for the gift and even more grateful for the time we shared together. Thank you!

Jonathan, Marissa, Isaac, and Micah Harris

Please plan to attend the Church Council Meeting on TUESDAY, JULY 9, at 6PM in the Chapel. This meeting is open to the congregation.

A big “SHOUT OUT” to all the volunteers who assisted this past week with the Community Kitchen. The schedule was filled. Thanks so much for your time and efforts. ~Lesa Jones

Training for new and current “ABC’s” (Acolytes, Bible Bearers, Crucifers) will be held on Sunday, July 14 at 9:00AM in the Sanctuary during the Sunday School hour for new participants and cross-training. ABC opportunities are open to youth, grades 2-12, and to college students home during school breaks.

Greeter Volunteers are needed each Sunday to welcome members and guests into worship. If you feel called to serve, or plan to continue to serve, please contact Jennifer Julian at 843-448-7164 or jennifer@fumcmb.org.

Women’s Lunch & Devotional is Wednesday, July 10th at 11:30AM, at Magnolia’s See you there! Questions? Please contact Jennifer Hupko at the church office.

Saturday, August 3rd | North Campus | 7:00AM to 1:00PM
Items needed: Luggage, furniture, jewelry, collectibles, household items, holiday items, tools, linens, pictures, books, rugs, etc. (All items workable, clean, and in good condition, please.) A storage unit is available for furniture. Please call the church office to coordinate pickup 843-448-7164.

We cannot accept: Clothing, shoes, TVs, computers, printers, exercise or medical equipment, baby cribs, car seats, mattresses, major appliances, or free-standing mirrors.

Drop-off schedule at North Campus:
Saturday, July 27—9AM to 3PM
Monday through Friday, July 29-August 2—9AM to 3PM
Thursday evening, August 1—6PM to 8PM

Big Tom’s “A Quote”
“June 30! FUMCMB! WOW! WOW!! WOW!!!” ~ Big Tom
**UM Youth Fellowship**

**News:**

Coming Up:

**Youth Lunch Events @ 11:30AM**

- July 9th: Pho Claire
- July 16th: McAlister’s

**Concerts @ Plyler Park @ 6:30PM**

- July 7th: Sidewalk Prophets & Blanca
- July 14th: Hollyn & 7eventh Time Down

**July 18th ~ Topgolf:** From 10AM-12PM, cost $36/person—includes 2 hours of unlimited golf and a breakfast buffet which offers Scrambled Eggs, Pecanwood Smoked Bacon, Sliced Canadian Bacon, House Skillet Potatoes, Fresh Seasonal Fruit, Assorted Danishes, juice, water, soda, tea. **4 spots left.**

**Whitewater Center in Charlotte NC. August 1-2; all day event,** cost is $59/person...includes one Whitewater rafting trip, and unlimited everything else that is there (kayaking, paddle boarding, ropes course, zip lines, rock climb walls, etc). Church will supply lunch & light breakfast; bring extra money for fast food dinner. **Overnight stay** at a local church. Taking only 2 buses. **NEED adults! RSVP by July 11th.**

**June 30th**

5th Sunday

**Combined Worship**

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**VBS JULY 15-18**

**FUMC NORTH CAMPUS**

REGISTER FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

There is still time to REGISTER for YOUTH & ADULTS online at [www.fumcmb.org](http://www.fumcmb.org) or in the church office, 843-448-7164.

We still need **paper towel rolls** for VBS crafts. Please and bring them along with any Gift Cards (AC Moore, Michaels, WalMart) to the church office to place in the designated bin. ~Thank you

**Congregational Concerns**

If you have a prayer concern, or have a family member who is ill or in the hospital, please call/email Jennifer Julian in the church office or visit the website to send a prayer request.

Jennifer@fumcmb.org

Office 843-448-7164 | www.fumcmb.org

Evening/Weekend emergencies, please contact Pastor George, 1-864-616-1009

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**Financials and Attendance**

**Gifts (includes online giving)**

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Expenses include weekly apportionments & direct billing.

**Presence**

| Week of June 30, 2019 | 602 |

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*The First Church*  
**Thrift Store Hours:** Mondays 9AM-12PM; Thursdays 1:00-4:00PM. Donations accepted during these times.  
**Mailing address:** First United Methodist Church, PO Box 1367, Myrtle Beach SC 29578-1367  
**Phone:** 843-448-7164  
**Email:** office@fumcmb.org  
**Website:** www.fumcmb.org  
**Become a Fan:** www.facebook.com/FUMCMB  
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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, July 7, 2019
8:45-11:00 Nursery Provided WESLEY BLDG
9:00AM Sunday School MAIN CAMPUS
10:00AM Combined Worship SANCTUARY

MONDAY, July 8
9:00AM Thrift Store MAIN CAMPUS

TUESDAY, July 9
11:00AM Staff Meeting PARLOR
6:00PM Church Council Meeting CHAPEL

WEDNESDAY, July 10
7:15AM Women’s Prayer Group PRAYER ROOM
7:30AM Men’s Prayer Group LIBRARY

THURSDAY, July 11
5:30AM F3 Bible Study TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS
1:00PM Thrift Store MAIN CAMPUS

LOOKING AHEAD!

Monday—Thursday, July 15-18
4:45-5:45PM VBS Dinner
5:45-7:45PM Vacation Bible School
FUMC North Campus

Week of July 20-27
Salkehatchie, Columbia SC

Saturday, August 3
7AM-1PM UMW Yard Sale
North Campus

Sunday, September 29
10:00AM 5th Sunday
Combined Worship, Sanctuary
11AM-2PM First UMC
Centennial Celebration
Lunch on the Lawn

In The heart of Myrtle Beach
100 YEARS STRONG