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.”
FUMC Centennial Moments for September: Music Ministry
During the 1990’s, under the Music direction of Jayne Smith, the Men’s Quartet was established. Members of the Men’s Quartet, Danny Chamblee, Mike Hussey, Rick Hussey, and Vance Shields, sang at services and special events. A few years later, Geneal Bates took over the Quartet and Nell Ciaccio joined the guys to sing not only for FUMC events, but also for other local churches, nursing homes, and local events.

The United Methodist Women’s General Meeting will be held this Tuesday, September 10, 2019 at 11:00AM in the Fellowship Hall. The Guest Speaker will be a staff member of the Family Justice Center in Myrtle Beach, a shelter for victims of domestic violence. Everyone is invited.

Ladies Lunch & Devotion—Please join us at Magnolia’s (upstairs) at 11:30AM this Wednesday, September 11th for fellowship, lunch, and a short devotion.

Join our First Church team on Saturday, September 21 from 9AM to Noon for the annual Beach Sweep. South Carolina’s largest one-day volunteer cleanup event of its kind. We will meet at the 8th Ave North beach access. Bags and gloves will be provided. Come and help keep God’s creation beautiful!

LET’S RUN! Join the FUMC team to run in the Myrtle Beach Mini-Marathon on Sunday, October 20 to raise $8,000 to benefit Zoe Empowers. To run or donate, contact Rev. Meredith Dark at 843-448-7164. Donations by check may be made payable to FUMC and reference “Zoe”.

Big Tom’s “A Quote”
“CHURCH is not something you go to, it is a FAMILY you belong to.”
~ IAMSOBLESSEDDAILY

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IN REMEMBRANCE
Ann C. Crutchfield
August 9, 1927 – September 1, 2019

“I am the resurrection and the life; those that believe in me, even though they die, yet shall they live.”

Condolences
The pastors, staff and church family extend Christian sympathy to Peggy Ecker on the recent death of her father, Willard E. Griffing, on August 25, 2019 in Springfield, VA.

COME WORSHIP WITH US!
New Worship Hours
Traditional Worship @ 8:30 AM & 11 AM
Sanctuary
Anew Worship @ 11 AM
Wesley Worship Center
Holy Communion @ 9:30 AM—9:45 AM
Chapel
Sunday School @ 9:45 AM

HOLY COMMUNION will now be available every Sunday from 9:30-9:45 AM in the Chapel after early worship and before Sunday School. All are invited to receive holy communion.

TODAY WE GIVE TO THE EPWORTH WORK DAY OFFERING! We will receive the Annual Epworth Work Day Offering to invest in the comprehensive care we are called by God to provide for the children at Epworth Children's Home, our church's ministry to God's children. Please find information about Epworth and the Work Day Offering on the bulletin insert. Epworth does not receive apportionments from the United Methodist Conference. This offering is our opportunity to support this vital ministry. Give generously by using the envelope provided for you in the bulletin. For more information about Epworth Children's Home, visit them on the web at www.epworthchildrenshome.org where you can also choose to make a secure credit card donation.
Congregational Concerns
If you have a prayer concern, or have a family member who is ill, shut-in, in the hospital or a nursing home, please contact Jennifer Julian in the church office or visit the website to send a prayer request.

Jennifer@fumcmb.org or 843-448-7164
www.fumcmb.org

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

Church Members or Guests who are unable to drive to the Centennial Celebration on 9/29/19, yet want to attend, please contact Jennifer Hupko to make ride arrangements—hupko@fumcmb.org or 843-448-7164 ext. 216. Likewise, any members or guests who might offer to transport those unable to drive, also please contact Jennifer Hupko.

First Church Myrtle Beach
Centennial Celebration – September 29th
10:00AM—2:00PM

Worship together at 10:00AM
Lunch on the Lawn | 11:00AM—2:00PM
Tented seating on the Lawn
Indoor seating for lawn-challenged
Live Music by our own Anew Praise Band
Children’s activities—Bouncy Praise Band
Mr. Softee

Honored Guests
City of Myrtle Beach Proclamation

TRANSPORTATION
Contact the church office for assistance
PARKING
Church property, city streets, city hall lot
Golf Cart attendees available

Youth activities…
Coming Up:
Sept 8th: The 925
Sept 10th: High School Breakfast & Devo
 @ Chick Fil-a
Sept 12th: Middle School Breakfast & Devo
 @ Bojangles
Sept 15th: The 925 and Parent’s Meeting
Sept 17th: High School Breakfast & Devo
 @ Chick Fil-a
Sept 19th: Middle School Breakfast & Devo
 @ Bojangles

We need Youth volunteers for the Sept 29th Centennial Celebration to serve drinks. To sign up, contact Jennifer Hupko at hupko@fumcmb.org and receive a free volunteer T-shirt!

SERVE IN WORSHIP—Help make worship wonderful for everyone by serving in some way. Now with two traditional worship services at 8:30AM and 11:00AM, we need additional liturgists, readers, children’s message, sound techs, and media techs (Anew). Please consider offering your talents to our First Church community. Contact Jennifer Julian at 843-448-7164 or jennifer@fumcmb.org for more information or if you are interested in serving in one of these areas. Thank you.

Financials and Attendance

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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  Follow us on Twitter: www.twitter.com/fumcmb
Request Emailed Steeple: thesteeple@fumcmb.org  Traditional Worship televised Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM, on FOX Channel 7
Happening This Week

SUNDAY, September 8, 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 9
9:00AM Thrift Store MAIN CAMPUS
5:30PM Adult Handbell Rehearsal HANDBELL ROOM
5:30PM Missions Committee PARLOR

TUESDAY, September 10
9:00AM Staff Meeting PARLOR
11:00AM UMW General Meeting WESLEY FELLOWSHIP HALL
3:00PM Lautrelle-Merchant Circle PARLOR
5:00PM Sisters in Service Circle
6:00PM Cloister Circle

WEDNESDAY, September 11
7:15AM Women’s Prayer Group PRAYER ROOM
7:30AM Men’s Prayer Group LIBRARY
11:30AM Women’s Lunch/Devo MAGNOLIAS
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 12
5:30AM F3 Bible Study TNBC-NORTH CAMPUS
10:00AM Ann Herbert Circle PARLOR
1:00PM Thrift Store MAIN CAMPUS

LOOKS AHEAD

Week—September 23-27

CENTENNIAL SUNDAY, September 29
9:00AM Sunday School
10:00AM Combined Worship-Sanctuary
11AM-2PM Centennial Celebration