

Family Responsibilities

All families have responsibilities. Here at Faith Harbor United Methodist Church, we are a family. Below is a list of opportunities for you to prayerfully consider choosing to serve and minister to our growing family. If you have any questions about these please call or email Philip Chryst: 910.524.5676 or philipchryst@gmail.com What you can do is fill this out and put this in the offering plate. Someone will contact you about the schedule of service. The schedule will be planned out for six months [starting in October] so you can plan accordingly. Thank you for considering these ministries—all of God's people are in ministry—and not any position is of greater or lesser importance. If you want your name on the same list that you had it on before – you do not need to fill another one of these out. You will automatically be added on to the new list.

Sundays:

Ushers: Gre	eters (Welcome Ta	able):	
Sound & Video Booth:		Communion Server:	
Offertory prayer:		Nursery Volunteer:	
Volunteer for Children's Sunday School:			
Set-up & Break-down Beach service:			
Your Name:	Phone:	Email:	
General Interest:			
I am interested in helping maintain our social media:			
I have an interest in videography: I have an interest in journalism:			
I have an interest in photography: I have an interest in music/singing: instrument			
I have an interest in hand bells: I have an interest in art: what medium?:			
Do you have a construction background?			
Would you like to learn more about Faith Harbor?			
Would you like to know more about Missional Discipleship Training?			
Would you like to learn more about donating to the Harbor Thrift Store:			
Would you like to learn more about volunteering at the Harbor Thrift Store:			
Would you like to learn more about Emergency Response Team (disaster response):			

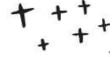


JESUS AS RABBI Exploring the Pedagogy of Christ

JOIN US FOR AN INTERACTIVE JOURNEY OF EXPLORATION INTO THE TEACHINGS OF JESUS. WE WILL EXPLORE WHO, WHAT, WHEN, WHERE, AND HOW JESUS TAUGHT THE BASICS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH. THROUGH OUR UNDERSTANDING OF JESUS AS A TEACHER, WE WILL DISCOVER HOW WE CAN SHARE AND COMMUNICATE OUR FAITH WITH OTHERS.

Friday, August 25, 2023: 7:00-9:00pm Saturday, August 26, 2023: 9:00-12:00pm

> Faith Harbor United Methodist Church Questions? Contact philipchryst@gmail.com



WELCOME TABLE:

August 27th: Bonnie Hunter & Rev. Bescye Burnett

SCRIPTURE CARD beginning Monday, August 28th

Centering Prayer: Our help is in the name of the Lord. Psalm 124

M I Thessalonians 1.1-10, Matthew 23.13-22

Tu I Thessalonians 2.1-8, Matthew 23.23-26

W I Thessalonians 2.9-13, Matthew 23.27-32

Th I Thessalonians 3.7-13, Matthew 24.42-51

F I Thessalonians 4.1-8, Matthew 25.1-13

Sa I Thessalonians 4.9-11, Matthew 25.14-30

Su Jeremiah 20.7-9, Romans 12.1-2, Matthew 16.21-27

Key scripture: I Thessalonians 3.13: "And may he so strengthen your hearts in holiness that you may be blameless before our God and Father at the coming of our Lord Jesus with all his saints."





There are still spots available for the Fast Track Disciple 1 Bible Study class. For more information, contact Vance Penny at fhdiscipleclass@gmail.com, or 910-231-9185. Classes will begin September 10th after the Sunday service, or Tuesday at 6:30pm on the 12th.

Thanks, Vance

United Women in Faith News...

A Frozen Entree/Bake Sale will be held on 10 September before and after the 9:30 service. This fundraiser sponsored by the United Women in Faith will support women, families, and children. Start preparing your favorite frozen casseroles now. A sign-up sheet for casseroles and baked goods will be posted on the board near the kitchen window. Further details will be provided in later updates. Hope you can help. Praise Report, we have a bake sale organizer and a backup. Thank you to Sandy Wise and Nancy Merlino. Bonnie Hunter, 540 621 3645.

For many years., the UMIF women have gathered and sent Christmas boxes for struggling children in Armenia. It's another area of the world faced with destruction from war with many families and children working through poverty and loss. It's simple. Members collect small items that are packed in plastic shoe boxes. We will provide the boxes next Sunday, September 3rd. Need to be returned by September 20th. Please help us help the children who only get running water for several hours a day.

For questions, please contact Gail Widholm- (910) 297-2465 or gwidholm12@yahoo.com

LOSTE

Are you missing anything?
Please check out our lost and found box over by the mailboxes (across from Room 6). We have several umbrellas, water bottles, glasses, and many other items.

Women Rooted in Christ Anchored in Love, Building each other up Connections matter...connections with God and with each other. Come and see how God creates a place for women to be encouraged & strengthened, as we learn about Jesus's love for us and how to share it with others. Regardless of what stage of life you are in, you have gifts and insights that others need, and we want you to be a part of building up God's Kingdom. When? Wednesdays (starting Sept 13th) from 11:30-12:30.

If you are unable to come to the interest meeting, but want to be involved, please call Stacie Holmes at 910-270-9465 or email at stacieaholmes@gmail.com.



My Dear Sisters in Christ, we are having our first annual women's conference right here at Faith Harbor, September 23rd from 9am-2pm. Registration begins at 8:30. It will be a day wonderful day of singing, learning and fellowship. Our speaker is Dr. Andrea L. Hines and praise, and worship will be led by Shirley Mercer. We will break for lunch.

Be **bold** in the Lord for He gives you **strength.** You are of great **value** to our Lord; you can put your **trust** in Him. *Please come join us and invite your friends as we worship our Lord together in Spirit and love.* Contact: Jessica Blackburn 910-622-1193 jmb@rayblackburn.com



PIANIST/ACCOMPANIST NEEDED

If you are a pianist/accompanist or know of someone in our area that is, please let me know! I'm looking for someone who can assist with preparations for the Christmas Cantata and other occasional needs. This person would be compensated for their time. You can talk to me at church or contact me at: (804) 651-5488 or allisoncstowers@gmail.com

Thank you! Allison

The **Nursing Home Ministry** will join members of the Gathering Church of Surf City on Sunday mornings at 11:00 am in the Memory Care Unit at the Woodbury Wellness Center located at 2778 Country Club Dr, Hampstead. You are welcome to join us worship and visit with the residents: "For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life." –John 3:16

Contact: Bescye P Burnett (678) 882-6721 or bescyep@gmail.com

"Love...Loves...Loved"

"Not everything that is faced can be changed; but nothing can be changed until it is faced". —James Baldwin (1924–1987)



The craft fair has been scheduled for December 2nd. If you know someone who has a unique craft, please let me know, I would love to get them an application. Thank you! *Jessica Blackburn* 910-622-1193 or jmb@rayblackburn.com

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS...



Please join us every Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. for Children's Story Time! Tell a friend, bring a friend!

Children's ministry is currently in need of Sunday school teachers to serve once a month for our 1st and 2nd grade class. We need teachers for the first and third Sunday of the month. For more information, please reach out to Melissa Schleinkofer at: Mxcook8@yahoo.com.

August

August 27th: Backpack blessing and Bible recognition.





Do you have any of these listed items around the house that you don't use or need to get rid of? We are looking for the following things to help set up our Youth Coordinator's Office:

- *Wooden Office desk with multiple drawers for storage
- *Desk Chair
- **Let me know what you might have- we are happy to come pick up.

*Sun., Aug. 27th This will be our Youth Sunday for August at the 9:30am Service. Please let me know how your youth would like to help. We will need readers-2, Greeters-2 or 3, Ushers-4, Children's helpers- 2 or 3.

After church we will have the *Back-to-School Youth Kickoff Party from 12-3pm at Doug & Cathy Medlin's house.* Lunch will be provided. Please bring your swimsuit & a towel- their house backs up to the canals. We plan to enjoy some water activities & games! This event is for all Rising 6th - 12th Graders. Address is: 9077 West 9th St., Surf City, NC 28445. Hope to see you all there!

If you should need further information or details about any of these events or the Fhumc bAsiC (brothers And sisters in Christ) youth group, please reach out to me. Thank you!

Peace be with you, Jewels Swain- Fhumc Youth Coordinator (910)232-9844

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

I am beautiful because God created me.

I will praise thee; for I am fearfully and wonderfully made: marvelous are thy works; and that my soul knoweth right well. ~Psalm 139:14(KJV)



Members: Joyce Arnette; Ray Blackburn; Nancy Buckman, Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; *Judy & Ken Hoopes*; Janet Hughes; Martha Marlow; Hank & Jan Maser; Tony Merlino; Larry & Becki Modlin; Judy Pratt; *Jim and Vicki Wygant*

Military: Joe Fraley, Alex Harris, Andy Harrison, Ryan Hermance; Greg Holmes; Sgt. Joey Horne; Abbie Kizer, John Modlin, Branden Mooney, Tyler Ray, David Ritz, Michael Roberson, Charlotte Taylor

Family and Friends: Belle; Denise; Regina Androski (Sandy Sly's nephew's wife); John Boggess and wife Karen; Chimer Clark (Jessica Blackburn's Dad); *the family of Nick Davis;* Eileen Eifert (John Pratt's sister); Parker Fox; Rick Hughes (Janet's Son); Tim Maser; Jenny Merritt; *Rachael Meyer and family*; the family of J.O. Morris; Jimmy Platts; Johnny Paliotti and his mother Donna; Sue & Ted Penny (Vance's Parents); Frank Russo; Barbara & Neil Schilling; Jacob Smith and family/ Mark and Sarah (Johnsie's nephews & niece); Sue Thomas (Janet Hughes Sister)

And all unnamed persons needing God's peace, comfort, and healing. Heavenly Father, I am praying for complete healing and good health. Please take away my worries & grant me inner peace and strength. AMEN

**If you would like to add a name to the prayer list or if someone no longer needs to be on the prayer list, please let me know via email. Kim- faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com



<u>AUGUST</u>

25th: Amy Woolard

26th: Cale Horne; Patsy Matthews

28th: Willie Bryan 29th: April Shannon 30th: Sharon Jordan

SEPTEMBER

1st: Dana Byrd

3rd: Ray Blackburn

5th: Giles Jeffreys

6th: Sandy Wise

8th: Lance Jordan

9th: Bryan Hengst

11th: Mattie Albertson

14th: Hazel Passingham

16th: Pat Byrd; Jackson Sliwa

17th: Palmer Rice

18th: Mary Lynn Wood

20th: Arness Krause

22nd: Frank Carroll; Jim Black

25th: Quinn Woolard

26th: Will Moore

27th: Ava Barnes

28th: Jean Hawley; Michael Kaufmann

29th: Jordan Albertson

HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

Sunday, 8/27 - Youth Sunday

8:00 Beach Service 9:30 Worship Service 12p-3p Youth Back to School Party

Monday, 8/28

7:30 Open Prayer 9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6 1:00 Monday Bible Study, Rm. 6 6:30p.m. Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 8/29

7:30 Open Prayer 9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6 7:00p.m. Women's AA/Reef

Wednesday, 8/30

9:30 Communion 7:00p.m. Choir Practice 7:00p.m. Boy Scouts/Reef

Thursday, 8/31

7:30 Open Prayer 12:00 AA Group, Rm. 6

Friday, 9/01

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group

Sunday, 9/03

8:00 Beach Service 9:30 Worship Service