



Faith Harbor
A beacon of hope, anchored in Christ, sharing God's love through joyful service.



Don't forget to set your
clocks ahead this weekend!

March memory Verse:

Jesus said to them, "The Sabbath was made for man, and not man for the Sabbath. So, the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath." Mark 2:27-28 NASB

12/03/23	Mark 13.24-37	03/25/24	Mark 11.12-33	07/14/24	Mark 6.1-13
12/10/23	Mark 1.1-8	03/26/24	Mark 12.1-27	07/21/24	Mark 6.14-29
12/17/23	Luke 1.46-55	03/27/24	Mark 12.28-44	07/28/24	Mark 6.30-44
12/24/23	Luke 1.26-38	03/28/24	Mark 13.1-23	08/04/24	Mark 6.45-52
12/24/23	Luke 2.1-20	03/29/24	Mark 14-15	08/11/24	Mark 6.53-56
12/31/23	Mark 1.8	03/31/24	Mark 16.1-8	08/18/24	Mark 7.1-23
01/07/24	Mark 1.9-11	04/07/24	Mark 16.9-13	08/25/24	Mark 7.24-37
01/14/24	Mark 1.12-13	04/14/24	Mark 16.14-18	09/01/24	Mark 8.11-21
01/21/24	Mark 1.14-20	04/21/24	Mark 16.19-20	09/08/24	Mark 8.22-26
01/28/24	Mark 1.21-28	04/28/24	Mark 3.7-12	09/15/24	Mark 8.27-38
02/04/24	Mark 1.29-39	05/05/24	Mark 3.13-19	09/22/24	Mark 9.1-8
02/11/24	Mark 1.40-45	05/12/24	Mark 3.20-30	09/29/24	Mark 9.9-13
02/14/24	Mark 2.1-12	05/19/24	Mark 3.31-35	10/06/24	Mark 9.14-29
02/18/24	Mark 2.13-17	05/26/24	Mark 4.1-9	10/13/24	Mark 9.30-37
02/25/24	Mark 2.18-22	06/02/24	Mark 4.10-20	10/20/24	Mark 9.38-50
03/03/24	Mark 2.23-28	06/09/24	Mark 4.21-25	10/27/24	Mark 10.1-12
03/10/24	Mark 3.1-6	06/16/24	Mark 4.26-34	11/03/24	Mark 10.13-16
03/17/24	Mark 10.46-52	06/23/24	Mark 4.35-41	11/10/24	Mark 10.17-31
03/24/24	Mark 11.1-11	06/30/24	Mark 5.1-20	11/17/24	Mark 10.32-34
		07/07/24	Mark 5.21-43	11/24/24	Mark 10.35-45

WELCOME TABLE

March 10th: Jeanette Mason & Sherri Davila

Communion Servers for this Sunday:

Grace Roberts; Deanna Beard & Jennifer Fox;
Janet Hughes (gluten-free).

News & Announcements



**Become
Part of
Our
Church
Family**

We are offering a New Member Class on March 10th at 10:45am and March 24th at 10:45am. This will be in the Sanctuary. The sessions entail: What does it mean to be a Christian? What does it mean to be a United Methodist? and What does it mean to be a member of Faith Harbor? If there are any questions anyone is welcome to call Philip Chryst at 910.524.5676



Do you have a heart for worship? Join us at 5:30pm in the sanctuary~ **Saturday, March 16th** for a contemporary Worship service!

Bring your friends and come with an open heart.



You can order a lily or hydrangea for our Easter Service. Order forms will be in the bulletin this Sunday. You can also email me with your order at: faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com. Please indicate if you would like to Honor someone or if the flowers are In Memory of someone. The cost- Lily \$10.00 Hydrangea \$25. **Order deadline – Sunday, March 17th.**

Faith Harbor Pilots

A ministry for men, by men, for the good of all.

Faith Harbor United Methodist Men invite all men to be a part of something special. The men of the Church are being called to serve as “A beacon of hope, anchored in Christ, sharing God’s love through joyful service.” The meetings are held the 3rd Saturday of each month unless otherwise designated. We meet at 8am for breakfast and fellowship. Please join us as we continue our planning for the future. All men are eligible to join. The only requirement is the desire to become a disciple of Christ.

The Faith Harbor Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) members will be our guests for the March Meeting. Please make plans to attend our March meeting to learn more about this team and their objectives within the community. Breakfast will be served around 8:00 am followed by an introduction of the CERT members and their presentation ending with a Q&A session. This team serves a vital role within our Church and community, so it is important for us to understand and support this vital mission.

We hope to see you at our next monthly meeting ~Saturday March 16, 2024 at 8am.

Monday Morning Men’s Group has become Tuesday Morning Men’s Group

Come as you can, if you can - This men’s group will meet at Sears Landing on Tuesdays at 8:30am and waiting until 9:00am to order for those wishing to eat. This will be an informal gathering for all men who are interested in food and fellowship. If you have any questions, contact Roger Morton at rramorton@gmail.com.

*Save
the
Date*

UPCOMING FAMILY NIGHT SUPPERS!

April 3rd at 6:00pm – Sponsored by United Women in Faith

May 1st at 6:00pm- Sponsored by the Panama Mission



If you are a reader or would just like to get together for good conversation, the Reading Circle would love to have you! We meet the first Wednesday of the month at 10:00a.m. in Room 6. The March book is: "The New American~ a Novel" by Micheline A. Marcom. The book for April will be: "Exodus" by Leon Uris. Please join us...bring a friend!



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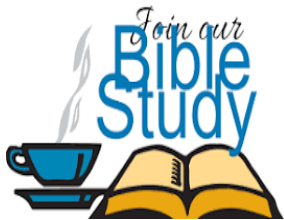
Refugee Resettlement Program

Bathroom Kit DRIVE

**Instructions:* Please take a Tag of your choice from the "Donation Tree", purchase the items, and return them in a bag with the Tag attached and place in the Bins provided in the

Narthex. This is a 2 Month Drive, done in 2 parts. Current Tags on tree are due by March 31, 2024. Please note~ All items should be Regular Size (not travel size or super sizes) and be New & in their original packaging. Thanks!

Our bAsiC Youth group is spearheading this Drive as one of our local Mission projects in conjunction with Church World Service's Refugee Resettlement Program. We ask that the congregation of Faith Harbor UMC join us in this drive as we seek to "invite the stranger" that is in need (Matthew 25:35-36). Thank you all in advance for your kindness and generosity in this endeavor! Love, bAsiC Youth Group 😊



Come and try the Monday Bible study! We meet weekly at 1:00 pm in Room 6.

We will focus on the book of Mark, verse by verse, looking at the narrative, yet more importantly discuss the spiritual meaning especially as it relates to our own lives. Drop in & join us...all are welcome!

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. If you have any questions, please call Stacie Holmes at 910-270-9465 or email: stacieaholmes@gmail.com.

When? Wednesdays from 11:15-12:30p.m.



The Thrift Store is in need of gently used Spring/Summer children's wear. Also, Spring clean-out of household items and furniture!

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 every second Sunday for 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)



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.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS...



Important Calendar News!

Jr. Basic youth group is in need of someone who would be willing to heat up and serve food to our elementary school children. We provide all the food (chicken nuggets, pasta, easy type foods that are kid friendly), I just really need help with someone to prepare it and then clean up afterwards. Please reach out if you can help. Let me just add that this is one of the children's favorite things to do at church; have a meal and fellowship together.

March

March 10th: Jr. Basic. Pick up at 12:30. We will be taking the church van to Kiwanis Park. Lunch will be provided. Please let me know if your child will be in attendance.

***We are in need of plastic Easter Eggs! Please drop off donations no later than Friday, March 22**

March 24th: Palm Sunday Easter Egg Hunt. Parents stay.

June

June 24th-27th: Vacation Bible School 9am-Noon. ***Note time change***

Blessings,

Melissa Schleinkofer

Children's Ministry Director

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*Sunday, March 10th~ Daylight Saving Time Begins
Confirmation Class meets from 4-5pm in the Library
MS youth meet from 4-5pm in The Reef
MS and HS Fellowship time from 5-5:30pm
HS youth meet from 5:30-6:30pm in The Reef

*Fri., March 15th- Sun., March 17th~ Confirmation/Spring Spiritual Retreat weekend at Camp Don Lee. We meet at the church at 4:15pm and return around Noon on Sunday. **A trip email will be sent out early next week to all of those youth who are registered with more detailed information.

That Evening-

No Confirmation Class or Regular youth group meetings due to just returning from the weekend Retreat.

*Sunday, March 24th~ This is Palm Sunday AND this is our Youth Sunday for the month of March. We will have plenty of opportunities to serve. We will need youth to help with the Palm procession (4+), Greeters(2), Doorman(1), Ushers(4), Readers(2)- Psalms & Opening Prayer. We will also need youth willing to come with me (Leave Service a bit early) and help hide Easter Eggs for the Children's Egg Hunt after the Service. Just let me know how your youth can help out, thanks!

That Evening-

Confirmation Class meets from 4-5pm in the Library
MS youth meet from 4-5pm in The Reef
MS and HS Fellowship time from 5-5:30pm with Meal provided in the Narthex!
HS youth meet from 5:30-6:30pm in The Reef

*Wed., March 27th- Youth Council meet at 4:45pm in Rm. 6. All youth and parents are invited to attend!

*March 24th- March 31st is Holy Week~ Please consider joining us in these meaningful churchwide services!

Wed., March 27th at 6pm- Sater Meal

Thurs., March 28th at 7pm- Maundy Thursday Service

Fri., March 29th at 7pm- Beach Stations of the cross (Confirmands to carry Crosses and Good Friday Readings take place) Specific Beach access will be given.

Sun., March 31st ~ Easter Sunday!!!

7am- Service at Soundside Park

8am- Beach Service

9am & 11am- Services in the Fhunc Sanctuary *Youth have been asked to help with Communion at the 11am service- Please let me know if your Youth would like to be a Communion Steward. We would need 5 youth.

That Evening- No Confirmation Class or Regular youth group meetings due to Easter. Celebrate with family!

****Looking Ahead for Summer Youth Mission activities- Save the Date For your Calendar now!**

Faith Harbor VBS~ June 24th-27th from 9am- Noon. All Youth (MS & HS) are encouraged to come help- even for a day or 2! Reach out if available, thanks!

Maple Hill VBS outreach~ July 10th-14th at Maple Hill Presbyterian Church. All Youth (MS & HS) are welcome to join in this fun outreach opportunity.

High School Summer Mission Trip~ July 14th-20th in Seymour, TN with Team Effort Missions. All Rising 9th graders and up are eligible to participate in this trip. *Note- First Deposit of \$100 per youth is due by March 14th to hold our Spots, last payment of \$100 is due by June 3rd for a total of \$200 for the registration. The other half and transportation is covered by the church. If your High School youth is interested, please reach out to me, thanks!

Lots of information listed above! Feel free to contact me should you have any questions. These are exciting times for our bAsiC (brothers And sisters in Christ) youth here at Faith Harbor UMC and we covet your prayers as we seek to mentor them and grow them up in their Faith! Thank you for your continued love and support!

Peace of Christ be with you,

Jewels Swain, Fhumc Youth Coordinator

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THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

I can experience God's goodness through the world around me.

The heavens declare the glory of God; the skies proclaim the work of his hands.

~Psalm 19:1 (NIV)



Members: Joyce Arnette; Ray Blackburn; Nancy Buckman; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; Paula Fox and family; Janet Hughes; Janice Long; Doug & Sandi Lowery; Martha Marlow; Tony Merlino; Larry & Becki Modlin; Steve Olmstead; Alma Osborn (Dale); Anita Philips; Judy Pratt; Leo Valiante; Ron (Annie) Voli; Steve Wells; Jim Wygant

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

Family and Friends: Kelly Bonnell's Husband; Paxton (Connie Carroll's son); *Pat Bower* (Sandy Sly's friend); Judy Grubbs Cordts (Sandy Sly's friend); Eileen Eifert (John Pratt's sister); Hayden Ennis Family; Parker Fox; Rick Hughes; John Kennedy; *the family of Teresa Parker*; Steven Penley (Jewels' cousin); *Ted Penny (Vance's Dad)*; Barbara & Neil Schilling; the family of Mary Sloan; Brenda (Harriet Rice's friend); Betty Ann (friend of Diane Secary); *Sarah Kilpatrick and family (Johnsie's Niece)*.

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

SCRIPTURE CARD beginning Monday, March 11th

Centering Prayer: Sent out his word and healed them. Psalm 107

M Isaiah 65.17-21, John 4.43-54

Tu Ezekiel 47.1-12, John 5.1-16

W Isaiah 49.8-15, John 5.17-30

Th Exodus 32.7-14, John 5.31-47

F John 7.1-30

Sa Jeremiah 11.18-20, John 7.40-53

Su Jeremiah 31.31-34, Hebrews 5.5-10, John 12.20-33

Key scripture: Hebrews 5.8: "Although he was a Son, he learned obedience through what he suffered."



MARCH

1ST: Alma Osborn

3rd: Alice Williams

4th: Sean Wrigglesworth

8th: Jennifer Fox

9th: Kent Smith; Carrie Olmstead

11th: Jewels Swain

15th: Jeanne Mangus

17th: Jency Paliotti; Steve Olmstead

18th: Ryan Chryst

19th: Christa Wrigglesworth

20th: Debbie Sasser

21st: Mike Davis; Cole Frazier; Bonnie Hunter

26th: Justin May

27th: Marianne Sliwa

28th: Nancy Merlino; Stephen Olmstead

29th: Maris Jordan; Sherry Mewborn; Thomas Papke

30th: Evangeline Schleinkofer; Lila May; Amber Hengst

31st: Audrey Audet



HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

Sunday, 3/10

8:00 Communion Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:30 Disciple Bible Study
10:30 Jr Basic Outing
10:45 New Member Class
4:00p Confirmation Class

Monday, 3/11

9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
1:00p Bible Study, Rm. 6
6:30p Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 3/12

8:30 Men's Breakfast @ Sear's Landing
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
6:00p MDT
6:00p Praise Band Practice
6:30p Disciple Bible Study, Rm. 6
7:00p Women's AA Group/Reef

Wednesday, 3/13

9:30 Communion
10:00 Rainbow Circle, Rm. 6
10:30 Staff Meeting
11:15 Women's Group
7:00p Choir Practice
7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef

Thursday, 3/14

12:00 AA Group, Rm. 6
4:30p Theology Session
6:30p Finance Meeting, Rm. 6

Friday, 3/15

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group
*Confirmation/Youth Retreat

Saturday, 3/16

8:00 Pilot's Group Meeting/Breakfast
5:30p Praise Service
*Confirmation/Youth Retreat

Sunday, 3/17

8:00 Communion Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:30 Disciple Bible Study, Rm. 6
10:45 New Member Class
*Confirmation/Youth Return