



The Politics of Friendship: *a Conversation Among Friends About the Strange Work of Social Justice*

Thursday, June 19th from 6pm-8pm
Faith Harbor - 14201 US Hwy 50, Surf City
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Rev. Dante Murphy & Dr. Clyde Edgerton

Taco Bar Supper at 6pm - Speakers at 6.45pm
RSVP at faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com

Scriptures:

06/08/25	Genesis 4.1-16
06/15/25	Daniel 4.28-33
06/22/25	Daniel 3.19-30
06/29/25	Genesis 17.1-8
07/06/25	Genesis 50.22-26
07/13/25	I Samuel 13.13-15
07/20/25	Isaiah 9.6-7
07/27/25	Philippians 2.1-11
08/10/25	Matthew 27.45-56
08/17/25	I Corinthians 15.1-11
08/24/25	Acts 1.6-11
08/31/25	Acts 2.1-13
09/07/25	Acts 2.37-47
09/14/25	Luke 10.1-12
09/21/25	Jonah 1.1-3; 3.1-10
09/28/25	John 12.27-36
10/05/25	Acts 9.1-19
10/12/25	Matthew 25.31-46
10/19/25	Revelation 20.11-15
10/26/25	II Corinthians 5.11-21
11/02/25	Isaiah 55.1-13
11/09/25	II Corinthians 6.14-7.1
11/16/25	Revelation 21.1-8
11/23/25	Revelation 21.9-27

News & Announcements

Greeters:

June 8th: Jeanette Mason & Pat Vinson

In search of 1 person to help Sunday counters! If anyone is interested or you have any questions, please email Emily Law at: emilylaw25@gmail.com

FROM THE FINANCE TEAM: *By the Numbers - A summary of weekly revenues*

Weekly Revenues for Period Ending May 31, 2025				
Tithes - General Budget	Oth Spec	Oth Revenues	Pre-School	Total Revenue
\$3,801.96	\$2,000.00	\$414.56	\$240.00	\$6,456.52

The United Women in Faith will have their Take and Bake and Dessert sale this Sunday June 8th before and after the 9:30 service. If you can help by making food, please contact Jenny Mizelle at jennymizelle@gmail.com or text/phone 919-818-3857 and let her know. We will be at church from 9-10:30 on Saturday June 7th if you would like to bring your dish to church at that time.

* Bake Sales continue at the Thrift Store on the 3rd Thursday of each month. Your contributions are appreciated and help to make these a successful fund-raising effort so that we can continue our donations to organizations supporting women, children and families.



Fellowship Friends (formerly First Fridays) is a group of adults from the Faith Harbor community who meet once a month for a meal at different restaurants purely to enjoy one another's company. Participants provide their own transportation and pay their own checks.

Please join us for lunch on Thursday, June 12th, at noon at Sushi Gem in Hampstead; here's a link to their website: <https://www.sushigemnc17.com>. They have curries and other choices besides Sushi. **RSVP by Monday, June 9th.** Adults from our church family are invited to join us for this social gathering. If you'd like more information or to RSVP, please contact Paula at PaulaHopper@gmail.com. We look forward to seeing you!



If you would like to provide flowers in honor or memory of a special friend, loved one or special event, we have a sign-up sheet located on the credenza between the office and Room 6.

Faith Harbor Pilots

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

The 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.**” Please join us as we begin and look forward to having another great year of service. This is an open invitation to all men who desire to become disciples of Christ.

The Summer Fun Fest Series will begin on Thursday June 12, 2025 @ 6PM!

The Summer Fun Fest Series Road Trip on Tuesday June 17, 2025 @ 8:30AM

The Summer Fun Fest Series will begin on Thursday, June 12, 2025 beginning @ 6PM. Greg Holmes will be hosting this event with a tribute to **Baseball, BBQ and Beverages (BBB)**. The fun begins at 6pm **at 116 Roughleaf Trail, Hampstead, NC 28443**. Support your favorite baseball team by wearing a hat or Tee and enjoy good food and fellowship. I hope to see you there!

Great News! The Pilots now have a second event scheduled for June. On **Tuesday June 17, 2025**, we will meet at Sear’s Landing for breakfast, as usual, and following breakfast we will be traveling to Wilmington to visit **Kids Making It**, a non-profit youth woodworking program that teaches valuable vocational, entrepreneurial and life skills to at-risk, low income and disadvantaged youth. Please plan to join us!

Tuesday Morning Men’s Group

Come as you can, if you can – unless otherwise stated, the men’s breakfast group meets at Sear’s Landing every Tuesday around 8:30am and waiting until 9:00am to order for those wishing to eat. Roger Morton, our devotional leader and biblical scholar, provides an inspirational devotion each week. Please join us anytime if you wish to start your day in an uplifting and inspirational way. For more information, contact Roger: rramorton@gmail.com.



Do you have a heart for worship? We would love you to join us in the Sanctuary at 5:30pm for a contemporary Worship service. Mark your calendars-bring your friends!

June 14th & June 28th

July 12th & 26th

August 9th & 23rd

September 13 & 27th

October 11th & 25th

November 8th

December 13th & 27th

The Nursing Home Ministry of Faith Harbor join members of the Gathering Church on Sunday mornings at 11:00 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)



The Reading Circle will be taking a break this summer – they'll be back again September 4th. All are welcome to join! We will be discussing the book *Our Missing Hearts: A Novel* by Celeste ng.

Any questions, please feel free to contact Sherry Mewborn. Email: smewborn@hotmail.com.

THRIFT STORE



Harbor Thrift Store Hours

Tuesday – Friday: 10:00AM - 4:00PM

Closed: Saturday, Sunday and Monday

The Thrift Store is always looking for household items and furniture in good condition. We do not accept adult clothing, electronics, broken or damaged items. **We can no longer accept donations without an appointment.** Please contact a volunteer from the list below to schedule donation drop offs.

Sandy Taylor (540) 420-6713
Beth Walker (252) 213-2240
Sylvia Bowman (910) 284-3131

Gloria Richardson (704) 804-4909
Sabrina Guy (910) 526-4183

About the Workshop:

Since 1996, when the General Conference of The United Methodist Church adopted a resolution aimed at eliminating potential for abuse in the church, abuse prevention has been an important part of church policy-making and implementation. United Methodists are called to justice and advocacy for those whose voices are often overlooked or not heard, including children, youth, and vulnerable adults. Churches are responsible for ensuring a safe environment for all persons. The risk of harm to children, youth, and vulnerable adults can be reduced through the implementation of abuse prevention policies.

A primary focus for the NCC Safer Sanctuaries Team is to provide resources that will help churches as they develop policies, train staff/volunteers, and implement those policies. Individual church policies should be written with consideration of the church's specific context, so there is not a one-size-fits-all policy. Recommendations for abuse prevention policy content is offered by the NCC Safer Sanctuaries Team and may be found on the [webpage](#). This workshop is for church leaders who will train others in abuse prevention. Participants are encouraged to bring a copy of their church abuse prevention policy.

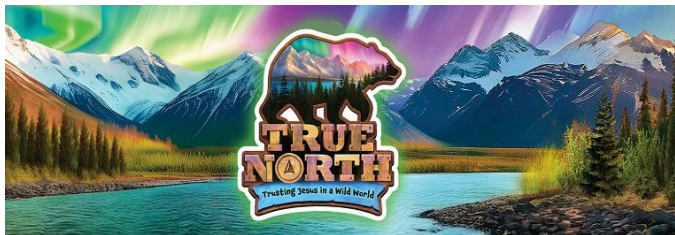
Safer Sanctuaries: Training Leaders in Abuse Prevention is led by Rev. Charlotte Brendel, current chair of the NCC Safer Sanctuaries Team.

Thursday, July 24, 2025, 10am – 12pm
Saint Luke UMC (Sanford)
Free

[Register Now](#)

Coming Soon...VBS! July 28- 31st from 9:00 to Noon

For more information or to register, please click the link below:



<https://forms.gle/Uu365DtpdMYPvoWWA>



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

Children are a gift from the Lord and here at Faith Harbor, we want to come alongside you as parents and work with you to help build them up in the faith. If you have a child, newborn through 5th grade, please help us better communicate with you by clicking on the following link:

[Children's Ministry Form](#). If you have any questions, please reach out to Stacie at: stacieaholmes@gmail.com or 910-270-9465.

Hello Faith Harbor Families,

I pray that you all are doing well! For those of you who are already into summer mode, I pray that you are able to find a rhythm that works for you and your family as you take care of your kids, your jobs, and each other. You all truly have beautiful families, and I pray that God will help you order your days, in order that you feel God's presence with you. When we draw near to God through prayer and the reading of his word, he speaks to us and gives to us what the world can't, peace, strength, and unconditional love, through the power of the Holy Spirit!

Speaking of the Holy Spirit, this coming Sunday is Pentecost Sunday, and I invite you to bring your children to the Children's wing at 9:15 so that they can be a part of the service.

I will provide red, orange and yellow streamers for the kids to wave as they process through the sanctuary, representing how the Holy Spirit filled the room at Pentecost! Hope to see you there!

FYI...If you want to connect with others in the children's ministry over the summer, I invite you to use the Faith Harbor UMC Families What's App. Here is the link to connect:

<https://chat.whatsapp.com/DJpDIUqPW65KHWCabXecrV>



Middle & High School BASIC YOUTH News *"Brothers And Sisters In Christ"*

June 8: HS BASIC @ 5-6:30pm

June 15: Youth Sunday

MS BASIC after church - 12pm/ HS BASIC @ 5-6:30pm

June 22: HS BASIC @ 5-6:30pm

June 29: MS BASIC after church - 12pm/ HS BASIC @ 5- 6:30pm



This summer July 20- 25, the high school students from Faith Harbor BASIC are traveling to Western NC to serve as missionaries. We will be partnering with Praying Pelicans Missions for the week. We will be staying in a local church and working alongside a homeowner who experienced flooding during Hurricane Helene. **Please continue to keep our group in your prayers as we prepare for this trip.**

Many thanks!
Deborah Lanham - Youth Minister

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against such things there is no law." Galatians 5:22-23



Members: Joyce Arnette; Ray Blackburn; Connie & Frank Carroll; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; Parker Fox; Ashley Harrison; Janet Hughes; Janice Long; Eunice Lytton; Martha Marlow; Tony Merlino; Larry & Becki Modlin; Sean Mooney; Judy Pratt; Alan Sasser; David & Jill Strohpaul; Ron Voli; Sherrie Weaver; Owen Williams

Military: Joe Fraley, Andy Harrison, Ryan Hermance; Charles Hickey; Greg Holmes; Joey Horne; Abbie Kizer, John Modlin, Branden Mooney, Dryden Phelps; Tyler Ray, Gavin Robinson; Charlotte Taylor; Craig (family friend of Deanna Beard)

Family and Friends: JP Antunez (Albertsons); Adrian Berroteran (Melissa Schleinkofer); *Rosie Bland (George & Jill Bland)*; Butch Gordon, Judy Grubbs Cordts (Sandy Sly's friend); *Trevor Dostie (Joal & Sheila Smith)*; Eileen Eifert (John Pratt's sister); Kay Foster (Jimmy & Beverly Dunn); Jerry Klofonda (Sherrie Weaver); Stacy Mecham (Melissa Schleinkofer); Rondale Miller (Cousin of Sherrie Weaver); Marie Palmer (Sandy Sly); Sue Penny; Jennie Smith (Lee Jernigan); *Sky Taylor (Sheila Smith)*; Brenda (Harriet Rice's friend); Pam Ulrich (friend of Sherrie Weaver); Mary Westerhold and her husband; Chris Widholm

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 for Week of June 9th

Centering Prayer: O Lord, how manifold are your works! Psalm 104

M Joel 2.18-29, I Corinthians 2.1-11

Tu Ezekiel 11.14-25, I Corinthians 2.12-16

W Numbers 24.1-14, Luke 1.26-38

Th Proverbs 3.13-18, Ephesians 1.17-19

F Proverbs 3.19-26, Ephesians 4.1-6

Sa Proverbs 4.1-9, Luke 2.41-52

Su Proverbs 8.1-31, Romans 5.1-5, John 16.12-15

Key scripture Luke 1.37: "For nothing will be impossible with God."



JUNE

1ST: Jim Ellis; Roger Morton; Bobby Phillips
2nd: Bridget Colman
3rd: Beverly McCarron; William Cosner
4th: Savannah Harrison
5th: Melissa Schleinkofer
6th: Jackson Moore
7th: Kourtney Dalnodar; Sherri Davila
9th: Aiden Moore
12th: Liz Albertson
13th: Nathan Chryst
15th: Hadley Graziano
17th: Spencer Henry
18th: Paula Hopper; Kim McCluskey
21st: Nancy McCurtin; Brock Woolard; David Davila
22nd: Quinn Law
23rd: Amanda Reiman; Paula Fox
25th: Tony Merlino; Alan Sasser
26th: Lisa Byrd
29th: Douglas Austin
30th: Sydney Burgess; Donna Fisher



HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

Sunday, 6/08

8:00am Beach Service
UWIF Take & Bake/Dessert Sale
9:30 Worship Service
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10:45 Adult Bible Study
5:00p HS Basic/Reef

Monday, 6/09

7:30 Open Prayer
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
6:30p Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 6/10

7:30 Open Prayer
8:30 Men's Breakfast Group
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
6:00p Praise Band Practice
7:00p Women's AA/Reef

Wednesday, 6/11

9:30 Communion
10:30 Staff Meeting, Rm. 6
11:15 Women Rooted & Anchored Group
7:00p Choir Practice
7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef

Thursday, 6/12

12:00p AA Group, Rm. 6
12:00p Fellowship Lunch @ Sushi Gem
6:00p Pilot's Group Summerfest

Friday, 6/13

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group
5:00p Praise Band Practice

Saturday, 6/14

5:30p Praise Service

Sunday, 6/15- Youth Sunday

8:00 Beach Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:45 MS Basic
10:45 Adult Bible Study
5:00p HS Basic/Reef