

# Jesus Christ is Lord! + Revival +

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**July 24th - 26th, 2025 at 7pm**

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**Bolton United Methodist Church  
1121 Green Swamp Rd. S | Bolton NC**

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July 24th - 7pm- Pastor Philip Chryst  
from Faith Harbor | Surf City NC  
Musician - Shirley Logan Mercer



July 25th - 7pm - Pastor Emile Harley  
from Winter Park Presbyterian | ILM  
Musician - Amber Faulhaber & Choir

July 26th - 7pm - Pastor Dante' Murphy  
Manhollow Missionary Baptist Church  
Musician - Dr. Kimberly Murphy



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**You are invited to our worship celebration**



Sunday, July 26, 10am - Pastor Bescye Burnett  
from Faith Harbor | Surf City NC  
Musician - Allison Campbell & Choir

## + All Are Invited +



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

## +A Night of Learning+

# The History of Ocean City at North Topsail Beach, NC

**Thursday, August 7th from 6pm-8pm**

Faith Harbor - 14201 US Hwy 50 | Surf City NC  
[faithharbortopsail.org](http://faithharbortopsail.org) | 910.328.4422



Supper at 6pm  
Salad Bar with Bread

Speaker at 6.45pm  
in sanctuary

### Scriptures:

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

# Announcements and Upcoming Events

## Greeters:

July 27<sup>th</sup>: Carrie & Steve Olmstead

## Upcoming Meeting:

Thursday, August 21<sup>st</sup>: Leadership Council - 6:30pm

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

Weekly Revenues for Period Ending July 19, 2025				
Tithes - General Budget	Oth Spec	Oth Revenues	Pre-School	Total Revenue
\$14,320.50	\$0.00	\$7.00	\$0.00	<b>\$14,327.50</b>

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY AT FAITH HARBOR

### Facility Manager Position

The Facility Manager works directly with the Trustee's committee to oversee the overall operation of Faith Harbor. The Facility Manager will be expected to identify problems and work to correct problems by locating responsible repair professionals. The Facility Manager will make routine inspections of the facility, surrounding buildings, and church grounds. The Facility Manager should possess knowledge about facility maintenance including plumbing, electrical, kitchen appliances, and HVAC systems. If interested, please contact Bill Widholm at (910) 431-5056.



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!

July 26<sup>th</sup>

August 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

September 13 & 27<sup>th</sup>

October 11<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>

November 8<sup>th</sup>

December 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>



### **Disaster Relief with E.R.T.- Join Our Efforts and Make a Difference!**

Volunteers Needed for Disaster Relief- We are seeking dedicated volunteers to join our Emergency Response Team (E.R.T.) for upcoming disaster relief efforts. Now, more than ever, communities depend on the compassion and swift action of individuals ready to assist in times of crisis. By joining, you will have the chance to make a meaningful impact, bring hope and healing to those affected by disasters.

About E.R.T: Our Emergency Response Team is made up of volunteers trained to respond quickly and effectively to natural disasters and emergencies. Roles may include debris removal, basic repairs, providing support to survivors, and helping restore critical infrastructure.

**Training Opportunity:** To prepare volunteers for disaster response, we are hosting a comprehensive, one-day training session. This course is required for all new E.R.T. members and will equip you with the skills and knowledge needed to serve safely and effectively in the field.

- Date: August 2
- Time: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM
- Location: Faith Harbor

**Training: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

**Recertification: 12:00 PM – 4:00 PM**      Cost: \$20 per person (light lunch provided)

**Who Can Volunteer?** Anyone with a heart to serve and a willingness to learn is welcome! No prior experience is necessary. We encourage people of all backgrounds, ages 18 and up, to participate.

**How to Sign Up:** To register for the training or to learn more about volunteering with the E.R.T., please contact us by phone or email. Spaces are limited, so early registration is encouraged.

**Make a Difference!** Disaster can strike at any time, but together, we can offer relief, comfort, and hope. Join E.R.T. and be the difference someone needs in their most challenging moments. We look forward to training with you at Faith Harbor!

Gail Widholm  
Faith Harbor UMC  
910-297-2465



I will be updating our volunteer schedule for the Fall and would like to reach out to anyone interested in helping during the 9:30 service in the following areas: **Ushers, Offertory Prayer, Greeters**

**\*If you are currently volunteering and would like to remain on that schedule – you do not need to do anything. You will automatically be added to the new list.**

If you have any questions or would like to help, please feel free to reach out to me: [faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com](mailto:faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com)

*Thank you! ~Kim*

Hello, Fellowship Friends! For our next event, we'll head to Smokey Tony's; Here's information from their website: <https://www.smokytonysbbq.com/>

When: Friday, August 1st at 5:30 for dinner and/or Thursday, August 7th at 11:30 for lunch. Please let me know if you plan to attend by Monday (July 28th) for dinner, and by Monday (August 4th) for lunch.

*Paula Hopper*

Email: [PaulaHopper5@gmail.com](mailto:PaulaHopper5@gmail.com)



Our summer Share the Table/ M.U.N.C.H. backpack program has begun. Kiwanis Club has generously donated backpacks for us to fill. Supplies needed are available in the Narthex. You have the option of taking an apple or purchasing the items from the supply list. **Please bring items back to the church before August 10<sup>th</sup> for delivery Thursday, August 14<sup>th</sup>**

*Thank you for helping us make sure these children start school with the tools they need to be successful!*



# Faith Harbor Pilots

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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 for August 2025 TBD

The Summer Fun Fest Series for August has not been determined. Please let me know if you would like to host an event.

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### 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.

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### Bus Trip to Creation Museum & Ark Encounter in Kentucky

**UPDATE!** We are unable to use Christian tours as we did not have 30 people interested in going. However, we are working on another option. Johnny Kennedy has volunteered to drive for us. We are looking for a 15-passenger van to rent. The new tentative date is October 24- 27th. Natalie is working on details. The cost will be cheaper depending on how many people sign up. Please contact Pat Vinson at 910-385-4936 or [patvinson@yahoo.com](mailto:patvinson@yahoo.com) if you are interested.

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.**

Contact: Bescye P Burnett (678) 882-6721 or [bescyep@gmail.com](mailto: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 4<sup>th</sup>. 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](mailto: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 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

### **\*A note from the Thrift Store...**

As Christians, it is our mission to spread kindness and help the less fortunate. That is what the Thrift Store family is all about. We are providing our report for the past 14 years to let our congregation know where our profits have been distributed. It is just not one cause, but several. We realize that there are several great organizations in our community that ask for donations. But we are asking, as we have since the Thrift Store's inception, September 2010, to think of us as you clean out your household items and furniture.

Our rent has increased \$600 a month, which equates to an annual increase of \$7,200. That is \$7,200 less that we will be able to distribute in 2025 to those in need.

We are also in desperate need of volunteers to serve as salesclerks. A shift is only three hours (10-1 or 1-4) Tuesday-Friday during the summer. You can volunteer one day or multiple days each month.

As you may ponder how to make a difference, any consideration of your time or donations would be appreciated. As a closing note, Faith Harbor Thrift Store has distributed \$227,658 since 2010 – not only helping the needy (\$125,078) but also helping our FHUMC Church:

Bldg. Mortgage Principal- (\$12,000)  
Bldg. 1&2- (\$16,180)  
Apportionments- (\$34,400)  
BTV- (\$40,000)

In closing, we thank our volunteers who make things happen and serve our community joyfully.

Blessings,  
*Harbor Thrift Store*

# Our Children's Ministry



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](#). **FYI...** If you would like 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>

## Other News...

**Sunday School Volunteers**-The children of Faith Harbor are looking for a few "substitutes" to fill in as-needed during Sunday School. No experience needed! All materials are provided!! If you have any questions or are interested, please contact Peg at 717-802-6716 or [stroheckerpeg@gmail.com](mailto:stroheckerpeg@gmail.com)

**Nursery**- Do you love to hold and snuggle babies!!! The nursery needs an assistant on the first and fourth Sunday of the month! If you have any questions or are interested, please contact Peg

**ALL HANDS-ON DECK!** The sanctuary will be transformed into The True North following the 9:30 service on July 27! We need as much help as possible with moving chairs and helping to decorate! Please consider staying after church and helping!!!



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

**July 20-25** Mission Trip!

**July 27** Present at church and prepare for VBS

**July 28-31** VBS helpers

*Deborah Lanham - Youth Minister*  
910.388.6862

Office Hours (flexible): Tues & Wed 9:30 - 3:30 or by appointment





## JULY BIRTHDAYS

24<sup>th</sup>: Kathy Cantrell; Marsha-Lee Ray

25<sup>th</sup>: Kathy Winfield; Todd Bizzell

27<sup>th</sup>: Lyle Butler

28<sup>th</sup>: Kitty Behan

31<sup>st</sup>: Emily Frazier

## AUGUST

2<sup>nd</sup>: Stacie Holmes

3<sup>rd</sup>: Edmund Audet

4<sup>th</sup>: Fran Baisden

5<sup>th</sup>: Madeline Law

6<sup>th</sup>: Jenny Butler; Peter Chryst

10<sup>th</sup>: Ron Hritz; Vance Penny

11<sup>th</sup>: Joe Graziano; Max Schleinkofer

12<sup>th</sup>: Lucas Audet

13<sup>th</sup>: Gail Robinson; Jerry Wood; Maggie Sawyer

17<sup>th</sup>: Kathryn Clark; Jim Justice

20<sup>th</sup>: Airlie Sawyer

25<sup>th</sup>: Amy Woolard

26<sup>th</sup>: Cale Horne; Patsy Mathews

29<sup>th</sup>: April Shannon

30<sup>th</sup>: Sharon Jordan; Alease Register

31<sup>st</sup>: Isaac Sawyer



### Scripture- Week of July 28<sup>th</sup>

Centering Prayer: Show us your steadfast love, O Lord. Psalm 85

M Hosea 2.14-3.5, Colossians 2.16-3.1

Tu Hosea 6.1-10, Romans 9.30-10.4

W Hosea 6.11-7.16, Matthew 5.43-48

Th Hosea 8.1-14, Romans 11.33-36

F Hosea 9.1-17, Ephesians 4.17-24

Sa Hosea 10.1-15, Mark 10.17-22

Su Hosea 11.1-11, Hebrews 11.1-16, Luke 12.13-21

Key scripture Hosea 11.4: "I led them with cords of human kindness, with bands of love. I was to them like those who lift infants to their cheeks. I bent down to them and fed them."



**Members:** Joyce Arnette; Ray Blackburn; Charles Burnett; Connie & Frank Carroll; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; Buddy Fowler; Parker Fox; Ashley Harrison; Janet Hughes; Janice Long; Martha Marlow; Tony Merlino; Larry & Becki Modlin; Sean Mooney; Judy Pratt; Alan Sasser; Rachel Shade & family; David & Jill Strohpaull; 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); Dana Bailey (Sandy Wise); Adrian Berroteran (Melissa Schleinkofer); *Rosie Bland (George & Jill Bland)*; Butch Gordon, Judy Grubbs Cordts (Sandy Sly); *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 (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*

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## HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

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**Sunday, 7/27**

8:00 Beach Service  
9:30 Worship Service  
10:45 Adult Bible Study  
\*VBS Set-up

**Monday, 7/28**

7:30 Open Prayer  
9:00- 12p VBS  
6:30p Cub Scouts

**Tuesday, 7/29**

7:30 Open Prayer  
8:30 Pilot's Group Breakfast  
9:00- 12p VBS  
6:00p Praise Band Practice  
7:00p Women's AA/ Reef

**Wednesday, 7/30**

9:00 – 12p VBS  
9:30 Communion  
11:15 Rooted & Anchored Group  
7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef  
7:00p Choir Practice

**Thursday, 7/31**

9:00- 12p VBS  
12:00p AA Group/Reef

**Friday, 8/01**

8:30 Women's Breakfast Group

**Saturday, 8/02**

8:00- 4:00p ERT Training

**Sunday, 8/03**

8:00 Beach Service  
9:30 Communion Service  
\*VBS Presentation  
10:45 Book Discussion