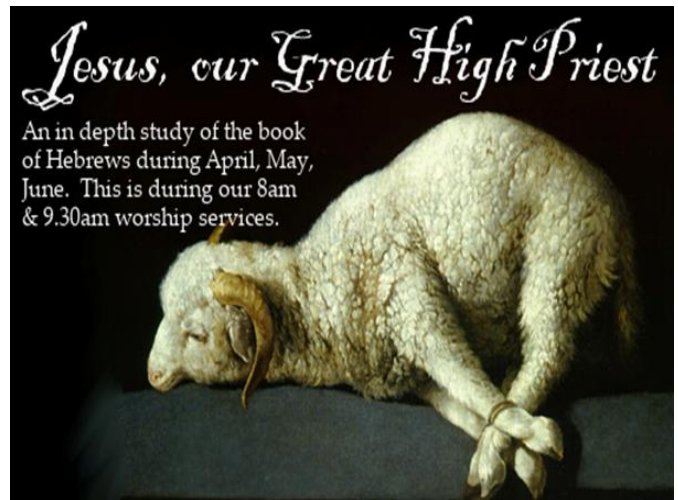




Faith Harbor
 A beacon of hope, anchored in Christ, sharing God's love through joyful service.

**Leviticus & Hebrews
 Reading Guide**

- **May 10: Sermon based on Hebrews 5:1-10**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 5 & Leviticus 10-11
- **May 17: Sermon based on Hebrews 7:1-28**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 6-7 & Leviticus 12-14
- **May 24: Sermon based on Hebrews 9:11-28**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 8-9 & Leviticus 15-16
- **May 31: Sermon based on Hebrews 10:11-25**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 10 & Leviticus 16-17
- **June 7: Sermon based on Hebrews 11:1-19**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 11 & Leviticus 18-19
- **June 14: Sermon based on Hebrews 12:1-4**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 12 & Leviticus 20-21
- **June 21: Sermon based on Hebrews 12:5-17**
 ○ Read: Leviticus 22-23
- **June 28: Sermon based on Hebrews 12:18-29**
 ○ Read: Leviticus 24-25
- **July 5: Sermon based on Hebrews 13:1-16**
 ○ Read: Hebrews 13 & Leviticus 26-27



THE TRAILER BAR & FAITH HARBOR
 PRESENT:

BREWS & HYMNS

1701 N. NEW RIVER DRIVE - MAY 12TH - 6P-8P

DR. ELAINE HEATH - SPIRITUAL RETREAT:

MAY 30 2026

THE MYSTIC WAY OF EVANGELISM
 A DIFFERENT WAY OF THINKING ABOUT EVANGELISM

9.30AM - 2PM

Join us for a day of worship, teaching, lunch, and a book signing at Faith Harbor UMC (14201 US 50, Surf City NC). Please consider purchasing Dr. Heath's book *The Mystic Way of Evangelism* in advance of her teaching. Free event. Register with: faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com

What's Happening

Upcoming

- Please mark your calendar for the Leadership Council meetings in 2026: **June 27; August 29; and October 24**. At this time, they will be held at the church at 8:30a.m. If you need babysitting or have any questions, please contact Kim McCluskey at kmac5036@yahoo.com or 304-982-2008.
- Faith Harbor Finance Committee Approved Meeting Dates for 2026: The committee will meet every other month in 2026. The meetings will be held on the third Tuesday @ 6:30pm in Room 6. The meeting dates are as follows: **May 19; July 21; September 15; November 17**
- Trustee's Meeting: **Monday, June 8th @ 5:00p**

Greeters:

May 10th: Jeanette Mason & Pat Vinson

May 17th: YOUTH

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

Weekly Revenues for Period Ending May 2, 2026				
Tithes - General Budget	Oth Spec	Oth Revenues	Pre-School	Total Revenue
\$4,229.50	\$100.00	\$478.90	\$2,975.00	\$7,783.40

Dear Church Family,

As many of you know—and some may not—our congregation is part of the North Carolina Conference of The United Methodist Church. We are connected to hundreds of congregations across eastern North Carolina, partnering in mission and sharing resources, including clergy. As part of this denomination, pastors come to churches through appointments. In recent months, the Staff/Pastor-Parish Relations Committee has been working closely with Bishop Connie Shelton and District Superintendent Tara Lane to discern the appointment of a new pastor for Faith Harbor United Methodist Church this summer.

We give thanks to the faithful ministry of Philip Chryst, who has served among us as a shepherd, teacher, and spiritual guide. Please keep Philip and his family in your prayers as they prepare to move to a new place of service in Christ's ministry. We are pleased to share that our new pastor will be Rev. Bobby Tyson. He will soon join us to lead and serve, and we pray that God is already preparing both his heart and ours for this new season of ministry.

FAITH HARBOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

90-DAY NEW PASTOR WELCOME & TRANSITION SUMMARY

Bobby's Start Date: July 12

PURPOSE

This 90-day plan provides a healthy, intentional transition for our incoming pastor, focusing on welcome, listening, and learning so that ministry begins with strong relationships, clear understanding of Faith Harbor's life together, and a sustainable pace.

PRIMARY OBJECTIVES (FIRST 90 DAYS)

- Welcome and integrate Bobby into the life of Faith Harbor
- Build understanding of our ministries, leadership structure, and key systems
- Allow time for settling into the home and community
- Create structured listening opportunities before major changes are considered
- Connect with key community partners and local leaders
- Identify congregational strengths, needs, and opportunities for ministry
- Establish initial ministry priorities and next steps with church leadership

90-DAY TIMELINE (HIGH-LEVEL)

Weeks 1–2: Welcome & settling in

Weeks 3–4: Church systems & culture

Weeks 5–8: Listening & congregational interactions

Weeks 9–12: Discernment & next steps

HOW THE CONGREGATION CAN HELP?

Join us in a warm welcome on 12 July following the service, introduce yourself and help Bobby learn names and faces

Pray for a smooth transition for the Bobby, staff, and congregation

Be patient and generous during the listening season; allow time to learn before expecting major decisions

Watch for ways to help with hospitality, moving support, and welcome events as needs are shared

A NOTE ABOUT A HEALTHY TRANSITION

We are committed to a sustainable pace that protects worship planning, sermon preparation, and a weekly day of rest.

During the first weeks, focus will be on listening, relationships, & learning before addressing larger or longstanding issues

Thank you for helping create space for trust to grow and for new ministry to take shape in due time.



IS YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION
UP-TO-DATE?

Please let the office know if you have any changes, so I can update our records. Thank you!

Hello Friends! I am working on an updated church directory for the new Pastor, which includes photos. Part of this project is opening-up access in Realm for members to be able to view other's contact information. To do this, I need permission to change the privacy

setting for each member. You will receive an email notification that your privacy setting has been changed. Please let me know if you **Do Not** want your Realm contact information/profile to be public to other church members. *If you have a specific photo you'd like to use for Realm, feel free to send it to me via email. Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions. Thank you for your help!

Kim- faithharborumc.secretary@gmail.com

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.

Faith Harbor Pilots Schedule of Upcoming Events

1. **Mother’s Day, Sunday, May 10, 2026**
2. **Graduation Sunday, May 17, 2026**

Kudos goes out to the *Share the Table* crew, who prepared and served a record 275 meals last Sunday. If you are ready to serve, contact Sean Dalnodar @ sdalnodar@gmail.com for more information.

Tuesday Morning Men’s Group

Come as you can, if you can – unless otherwise stated, the men’s group meet at *Sear’s Landing*- arriving around 8:00 AM; we begin our food orders around 8:30 AM for those planning 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.



If you enjoy reading and having a great discussion, we invite you to our reading circle! We meet on the first Thursday each month at 10:00, Rm 6. Join us!
Upcoming book: June 4 - *The Women* by Kristin Hannah

We'll take a break July & August. *If anyone is interested in joining us, give me a call - Anita Phillips at: 919-818-1330. You can read the books but it's ok if you can't make the meeting. Just let me know if you read the books so I can keep a record of how many readers we have. Check out the credenza close to the kitchen as we place books there for folks to share.*





Blessings to our Faith Harbor family!

This has been a busy year for our ladies at Faith Harbor but also our Harbor district as well. Every lady in our church is a part of the United Women in Faith and welcome to become an active part of our team at any time. Everyone has something to offer even if it is occasionally. We will warmly welcome your participation. We have a great team of ladies - some more seasoned than others. We are a missional organization. What funds we gain from fundraisers are pledged each year as determined by the team in January to programs in our community, district, while others go to our conference for worldwide assistance. If you'd like more information about this organization, please do not hesitate to contact me (Sherri Davila) 919-608-3448 or Bonnie Hunter. We'd love to talk to you- we need and want you!

One way to explore what the UWIF organization is about and what our district and conference does is to check it out on our website. The easiest way is to Google nccuwf. This will present home page. Check out our district activities on our home page by scrolling to the bottom of the conference page. Click on Harbor.

SAVE THE DATES!! On July 18th, our team will be holding Christmas in July. Baked goods, crafts, and yard sale items will be our venue. How can you help? If you have gently used items that you would like to donate it would be greatly appreciated. Please do NOT donate these items: large furniture items, clothing and/or shoes of any size or gender, appliances unless small and working such as a coffee maker. If you have Halloween, fall/winter and/or Christmas decorations you'd like to donate that will be wonderful. Small pieces of accent furniture like side table would be greatly appreciated. Children's toys and men's tools would be welcomed. If you have an item that does not fall under any of the above, feel free to contact me at: sherridavila01@gmail.com. Again, we appreciate any donations. We have not set a time yet for collection. Keep posted for that update.

On July 25, our church has the honor of hosting one of the 3 NC Conference United Women in Faith mission studies. This event will begin at 9:30 and end at 3:00 with lunch being provided (paid as part of registration fee). The study will be Emmanuel: God with Us. Our leader for this study will be Delaine MacDonald our conference Education and Interpreter coordinator. Ladies, this will be a wonderful opportunity to see what our organization is all about! If you'd like to help our church team with the arrangements at the church, we will welcome it! Updates regarding both these events will come later so keep you posted!

I appreciate you taking the time to read my message. I'm passionate that we have many ladies who provide invaluable services to our church. Many of us are older wiser ladies. We know we have some younger ladies who can add vibrancy & teach us some new tricks. I love quotes & will end with this one for encouragement: "In every woman lives a little girl. Remember her. Let her play. She will teach you how to fly."

Peace and love to all our ladies!

Sherri Davila

Harbor District President of the United Women in Christ



From our church's Quilting Ladies:

We are asking for donations of children's, teen boys, and teen girls' fabric to make quilts for the Methodist Home for Children. If you have any fabric that these younger age groups might enjoy, please drop your items off at the church in Room 6. The quilters are here Mondays and Tuesdays from 9 until 11 am. The church office is open Monday through Thursday 9 until 2.

Your donations are very much appreciated by the quilters and by the children who receive the quilts.

Morning Prayer Time - Looking for a way to enhance your time praying, to offer prayers for others and have them pray for your concerns too? Ron and Annie Voli host Morning Prayer Time on Facebook Monday through Friday at 8:00 a.m. They read from the Book of Common Prayer, Liturgy for Ordinary Radicals and then read aloud the prayer requests and praises of fellow Christians.

All you have to do is make Annie Hannen Williams Voli your friend on Facebook and you have automatic access to Morning Prayer Time and/or they can send you an invitation. Can't do 8:00a.m? No worries, you can always listen/watch later in the day and can add your prayer requests and praises any time. It's such a great feeling to know a community is praying with and for you, because... *We are BETTER TOGETHER!*

Annie Voli

avolibeach@gmail.com/[1-804-338-4784](tel:1-804-338-4784)



Faith Harbor Chair Yoga

Come join us on Wednesdays at 11:30! We will do a 30-minute class that includes seated yoga poses, stretching and some work with light weights. All ages and levels are welcome! Bring a set of light hand weights. Any questions, see Peg Strohecker, Bill Widholm, or Sandy Wise. Hope to see you there!!

The Nursing Home Ministry of Faith Harbor join members of the Gathering Church on the 2nd Sunday each month in the Memory Care Unit at Woodbury Wellness- 2778 Country Club Dr, Hampstead.

You are welcome to join us at 11:00a.m. for worship and visit with the residents.

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



If you are interested, the sign-up list is located on the cabinet outside the church office. Write your name next to your preferred date and who the flowers are honoring or in memory of.

Thank you!



Do you have a heart for worship? We would love you to join us for a Contemporary Worship Service on the 2nd Saturday of each month. Service begins at 5:00pm. Bring your friends, all are welcome!!

Attention All Musicians! Faith Harbor Praise Band is looking for musicians for our Saturday night Contemporary Worship Service! We would be interested in most any instrument or vocalist, but we have real need for guitar (both rhythm and lead) and bass players, keyboard. Contact: Ron Voli (804) 334-1113 or Brittany Audet (910) 465-2412



Jr BASIC! Will be held on the first and third Sunday of the month. It is a time when elementary-aged children can stay after church for fellowship, lunch, and a lesson/craft. It is a great time for the kids of Faith Harbor to get to know each other better, and for the parents to grab a quick lunch date!!!

We can't do this without your help! Please consider volunteering for just one or two weeks. Use the link below to sign up. Any questions, please reach out to Peg (717) 802-6716 or stroheckerpeg@gmail.com Thank you!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084FA8AC2FA6FCCE9-58062320-jrbasic#/>

Illumination Station is coming July 6- July 9. Registration is now open. Go to the church website under Children's Ministry to register your child/children.



VBS is coming and we will need MANY volunteers!! Please sign up on the bulletin board next to the kitchen or by using the link below!

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084FA8AC2FA6FCCE9-63939300-illumination#/>



Wayfinders is our middle school group, grades 6-8.
Navigators is our high school group, grades 9-12.

***Dallas Smith will be recognized at a reception by the Historical Society of Topsail Island on May 7 from 5-7pm.** For his Eagle Scout project Dallas made a replica of a missile viewing tower, the towers were part of Operation Bumblebee which took place on the island in 1946. The replica is housed inside the Missile and More museum.

Graduating Seniors will be recognized May 17 during the 9:30 service. Those graduating include Karlie Holmes, Olivia Barras, Hunt Tayloe, Dimitriy Spera and Dallas Smith.

*Our youth will be volunteering with VBS watch for more information. VBS will be July 6-9. The Panama Mission Trip will be hosting 5 youth and 3 adults. Youth include Karlie Holmes, Jordyn Barrett, Issac Sawyer, Caroline Shepard and Nathan Chryst. Adults include Danielle and Colin Fulgenzi and Lanier Shepard. They will be going with the Olmstead's and The Gathering June 10-18. Please keep them in your prayers. Thanks to everyone who came out to the spaghetti dinner last night to support the mission trip!



GRADUATES
CLASS OF 2026

JOIN US MAY 17TH @ 9:30
TO CELEBRATE OUR HIGH SCHOOL
GRADUATES: OLIVIA BARASS,
KARLIE HOLMES, DALLAS SMITH,
DIMITRIY SPERA AND HUNT TAYLOE

PLEASE LET US KNOW IF WE HAVE MISSED ANY GRADUATES



Youth Night **SUNDAY MAY 31ST**

PADDLE & PLAY – 4 PM
Come early for Kayak, SUP, Frisbee and Volleyball

STUDY & MEAL – 6 PM
Stay for dinner and a bible study with peers

FIRE & SONG – 8 PM
End the evening with songs around a fire

RSVP by May 25th - 410-924-3041

HOLLY HILL FARM 610 HOLLY HILL RD HAMPSTEAD, NC 28443



MAY BIRTHDAYS

2nd: Isaac Henry

4TH: Michael Alexander; Kevin Woolard

6th: Milly Ferrell

7th: Gail Ace

8th: Linda Wells

11th: Hunt Tayloe; Liliana Kabakaba

13th: Jeremy Sander

14th: Aiden Roberson; Kevin Brooks

17th: Caroline Shepard; Sandy Sly

18th: Oscar Phillips; Deanna Beard

19th: Linda DeMott

20th: Dawn Frazier; Doug Medlin; DeAnne Chryst

24th: Craig Keller

27th: Emma Chryst

28th: Brooke Graziano; Melissa Roberson

30th: Pat Vinson

31st: Chris Campbell

HAPPY
BIRTHDAY

Scripture – Week of May 11th

Centering Prayer: "Make a joyful noise to God, all the earth."
Psalm 66.1

M Genesis 9.8-17, Acts 27.39-44

Tu Deuteronomy 5.22-33, I Peter 3.8-12

W Deuteronomy 31.1-13, John 16.16-24

Th Acts 1.1-11, Luke 24.44-53

F II Kings 2.1-12, Ephesians 2.1-7

Sa II Kings 2.13-15, John 8.21-30

Su Acts 1.6-14, I Peter 4.12-5.11, John 17.1-11

Key scripture I Peter 4.12: "Beloved, do not be surprised at the fiery ordeal that is taking place among you to test you, as though something strange were happening to you."

Members: Ray Blackburn; Charles Burnett; Connie & Frank Carroll; Doris & Mike Davis; David Decatur; Patty Feige; Parker Fox and family; Kellie Henry; Janet Hughes; Rick Love; Manhollow Missionary Baptist Church; Cathy Medlin; Nancy & Tony Merlino; Becki Modlin; Judy Pratt; Alan Sasser; David & Jill Strohpaull; Gail Widholm; Owen Williams; Sandy Wise



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

Family and Friends: *Aleshia Beaver & family*; Rosie Bland (George & Jill Bland); Rev. Curtis Campbell; Sean Dalnodar's Aunt Roxy and Uncle Tony; Eileen Eifert (John Pratt's sister); David King and family; *Billy Martin (per Rachel Shade)*; Sue Penny; Chris Widholm; Noel Widholm

And... please pray for all unnamed persons needing God's peace, comfort, and guidance. Heavenly Father, surround us with your loving light. We pray for complete healing of our body, mind and spirit. Please take away our worries and bring guidance and strength to those in need. AMEN

HAPPENING THIS WEEK AT FAITH HARBOR UMC

Sunday, 5/10- Mother's Day

8:00 Beach Service
9:30 Worship Service
10:45 Adult Sunday School

Monday, 5/11

7:30 Open Prayer
8:00 Morning Prayer w/the Voli's
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
6:30p Cub Scouts

Tuesday, 5/12

7:30 Open Prayer
8:00 Pilot's Group Breakfast
8:00 Morning Prayer with the Voli's
9:00 Quilters, Rm. 6
11:15 Women's Group
6:00p Praise Band Practice
7:00p Women's AA/Reef

Wednesday, 5/13

8:00 Morning Prayer with the Voli's
9:30 Communion
10:00 Rainbow Circle, Rm. 6
11:30 Chair Yoga
7:00p Choir
7:00p Boy Scouts/Reef

Thursday, 5/14

8:00 Morning Prayer with the Voli's
12:00 AA Group, Rm. 6
5:30p GS Troop #4242

Friday, 5/15

8:00 Morning Prayer with the Voli's
8:30 Women's Breakfast Group
5:00p Praise Band Practice

Saturday, 5/16

5:00p Praise Service w/The Edge Church

Sunday, 5/17- Youth Sunday

8:00 Beach Service
9:30 Worship Service- *Senior Recognition*
10:45 Adult Sunday School
10:45 JR Basic