

Prayer Requests

Lifting up prayers for our First UMC members, friends, family, community, country, and the world. All are encouraged to review the list and contact the church office to add or remove a name from the prayer list.

First UMC member:

Efird Wilson
Pat Harrison
Terri Beck
Peggy Everhart
Lewis McMillan
Judy Hench
Larry Langley
Cindy/Tom Smith

Friends & Family:

Jim McCutcheon
Gary Elms
Rodney (Angela) Perdue & Family
Grace Episcopal
Rev. Ed (Patty) Kelaher
Jamie Vasquez
Kayla
Kaitlin Deebel
Deborah Bisbee
Tami Robinson
Special Friends
Bobbi Mukosiej
Ginger Hill
Ted Williams
Myrna Davis
Phil (Sharon) Kinzer
Joyce Metters
Spencer Davis
Kimberly Wood
Lee Ann Bethel
Richard Slater
Roger Thompson
Torrey Jackson
Cheryl Crago
Beth Graves
Marlene Jones
Anna Cruz
Linda Cox
Julie Milner
Mark Frye

Jackie Truell Butler
Tony Hill
Jane King Cathy
Jon & Emerson Bethel
Michael Wood
Louise & Ray Kombau
Special Friends
Melba (Charles) Purvis
Sharon (Edsel) Beck
Edith Clement

Dana (Rodney) Colquitt
Brentley & Conley Castor
Dale, Mandy & Riley
Castor
Curt (Lisa) Miller
Deanna Smith
Irene Foster
Dorey Thomas
Elizabeth Morales
Christine
Judy Jordan
Kay Gilmer
Becky Griffith
Kay Crouse
Ron & Kristie Wooten
Greg Leonard
Gary (Pat) Leonard
Tommy Hendrix
Sarah Rakestraw
Gloria Bulluck
Brandon (Jan) Kraft
Trevor Vermette
Joan Briggs
John McNeil
Amy McIntosh
Stan Larson
Betty Jean Whitaker
Kendall Conner

Missionaries

David, Hannah, Nicholas, & Samuel Mora—United States

Member Care

*Dot Cook
*Ginnie Easter
*Hilda Flynt
*Louise Hawley
*Larlie Mae Knight
*Edna Morris
*John (Rebecca) Scarff
*Carolyn Smith
*Patricia Smith
*Dr. Hunter Strader
*Ruby (Buddy) Taylor
*Flonnie Thomason
Peggy & Wayne Wegwart
*Dare Wilson

Brilliance Edgewater (Florida)

*Mary Norman

Brookdale (Lexington)

*Libby & Max Lanning
*Ramona Phelps

Piedmont Crossing (Thomasville)

Assisted Living

*Rachel Hendrix
*Bob Pearson
Residents
*Joan & Dick Bisbee
*Betsy Buchanan
*Herman Crabtree
*Jim Dillon
*Becki & Tom Foust

Serving in the Armed Forces

*Major Kacie Allred
*Sergeant McRay Calderone
*SGT John Hall
SGT Alan Ingram
Major Jarrad Thorley

United in Nurturing Fellowship

Sunday, April 12

8:45am Early Worship, Fellowship Hall
9:30am Sunday School for ALL Ages
11:00am Morning Worship, Sanctuary
11:00am LIVE Stream on YouTube at First UMC Lexington NC
(4pm-6pm) Teens of Life Youth Ministry, meet with FBC Youth @ FBC

Monday, April 13

7:00pm Lexington Choral Society Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Tuesday, April 14

10:00am Companions in Christ Small Group, Conference Room
12:00pm Prayer Warriors' Lunch, B-B-Q Center

Wednesday, April 15

1:00pm **Chair Yoga, Fellowship Hall**
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Thursday, April 16

(7:30a-9:30a) Triad Referral Partners, Fellowship Hall
6:00pm **Chair Volleyball, Fellowship Hall**

Friday, April 17

9:30am Kindermusik, Ground Floor classroom
10:45am Kindermusik, Ground Floor classroom

Saturday, April 18

Sunday, April 19

8:30am United Methodist Men, Fellowship Hall
8:45am Early Worship, Sanctuary
9:30am Sunday School for ALL Ages
11:00am Morning Worship, Sanctuary
11:00am LIVE Stream on YouTube at First UMC Lexington NC
TBA Teens of Life Youth Ministry, Laser Tag

Daniel Bible Study to Begin after Easter

The Reverend Jack Tookey will be leading a new Bible study on the Book of Daniel titled "Growing Strong in an Alien World" beginning after Easter. The study will follow Daniel through his journey from kidnapped noble Jewish child to the most powerful man in Babylon to a "highly favored person" before his God Most High. The **eight-session series** will focus on the role of prayer and faith fellowship in Daniel's (and, our) personal and spiritual growth.

If you would like to participate in the study, please contact Jack: (Call or Text) 336-337-2343 or (Email) itookey@mindspring.com **Let him know what days and times work best for you.** All classes will meet in the **library at First UMC**, with day and time determined by what works best for participants' schedules. We hope you will prayerfully consider this opportunity to dig deeper into a remarkable book of the Bible!

Lexington Choral Society presents A Spring Sing Concert

Songs We Know By Heart – *Music from the Movies*

Sunday, May 3 (3pm) First UMC Sanctuary

The concert is FREE and open to the public!

Port-A-Pit Chicken Fundraiser sponsored by United Methodist Men

Friday, May 15, 2026 (Take-Out 10am until 6pm) State Street Entrance

Tickets: \$13 each—Ticket Sales End Friday, May 8, 2026

Proceeds benefit mission projects.

Bake Sale sponsored by United Women in Faith

Friday, May 15, 2026 (10a until 1p) State Street Entrance

When you stop by to pick up your Port-A-Pit Chicken Dinners, drop by to purchase some home bake goods from the ladies of the church. What could be better than that? Proceeds benefit mission projects.

Evangelism & Hospitality Event

Sunday, May 17, 2026 – Church Lawn

(4pm-5pm) A Time of Fellowship with Games

(5pm) Hamburgers & Hotdogs with sides, drinks, & dessert.

A love offering will be accepted for the cost of the meal. In case of rain, we will gather together in the fellowship hall.

Reaching Out and Sharing God's Boundless Love

Cancer Services of Davidson County

Sponsored by Missions Team

Items Needed:

Ensure
Depends

Charles England & Pickett Elementary Backpack Programs

Sponsored by UW in Faith

Needed food items: A list is located on our website or at the donation site.

Other Items Needed:

Children's Underwear

Small – X Large

Children's Socks

Size 13-4

Adult Underwear & Socks

Small

Communities In Schools

Items Needed:

Individual/Single Serve Sized:

Mac & Cheese, Soups,
Spaghetti O's, Lasagna,
Peanut Butter Crackers,
Ramen Noodles

Hospice of Davidson County

Items Needed:

Small water bottles
Peanut Butter Crackers
Cheese Crackers
Granola Bars
Little Debbie snack cakes
Peppermint Candies
Canned drinks (12 oz. or less)
Single serve sized:
Goldfish, Pretzels, Teddy
Grahams, Popcorn,
Assorted Chips

Pastor's Pantry

Canned Food: green beans,
tuna, chicken, soups, stews

Your kindly donated items can be dropped off at the collection site just outside of the church office workroom located on the main hallway. Thank You!

Open Hands of Davidson County

Items Needed:

Boxes of Cereal
Spaghetti Noodles
Saltine Crackers
Rice
Mac-n-Cheese
Stove Top Stuffing
Ramen Noodles
Canned Vegetables
Soups / Spaghetti Sauce
Cranberry Sauce
Peanut Butter
Cases of Water
Street Food Items:
Vienna Sausage
Potted Meat
Pop Top Cans of Ravioli,
Spaghetti O's, etc.
Single serve sized: Peanut
Butter Crackers, Chips,
Pop Tarts
Instant Hot Chocolate
Clean & Gently Used: bath
towels, washcloths
Personal Care Items:
Body wipes, disposable
razors, shampoo, bar soap,
deodorant, toothpaste/
toothbrush (**Travel size items work quite well.**)



The Sparrow Project is ready to help you short term, in the case of an emergency, illness, or surgery. We have volunteers to help you with simple household repairs, transportation, computer help, or to run an errand. For short term help, **call Lauren Hall (336) 239-0860**. Also, temporary meal assistance is offered to our church family short term. For temporary meal assistance, **call Lisa Bonnaure (301) 609-1780** so that delivery can be arranged and an inventory of prepared meal items can be kept up-to-date. It's that simple. You let us know what you need and we will take it from there.



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Giving Generously Together

Offering plates are provided at the back of the sanctuary.

Mail to First UMC, 310 S. Main Street, Lexington, NC 27292.

Online Giving for mobile device users, the **QR code on the left** will take you to a secure mobile site for Online Giving from your smartphone or tablet. On **your first visit**, you will need to create a profile.

Text to Give – 855-222-3109—Text the amount you wish to give and follow the directions.