



## 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:

Cheri Murray  
G. F. Smith  
Terri Beck  
Curtis Leonard  
Louise (Terri & Richard) Hawley  
Mary Plyde Bell  
Judy Hench  
Lewis McMillan

### Friends & Family:

Fabi (India)  
Suzie Duncan  
DR of the Congo & Uganda  
Special Friends (5-31-26)  
Debbie McNeill  
Jackie Truell Butler  
Ashlyn Tookey  
Mary Sue Leonard  
Julie Milner  
Christine  
Torrey Jackson  
Kimberly Wood  
Jon & Emerson Bethel  
Lee Ann Bethel  
Tami Robinson  
Charlotte Froelich  
Holly Chote  
Special Friends  
Beth Graves  
Janet Fite Coyne  
Ron & Kristie Wooten  
Margaret Fite McKinnon  
Spencer Davis  
Rodney (Angela) Perdue & Family  
Kelly Greathouse  
Mark Frye  
Special Friends (4-28-26)  
Myrna Davis  
Jim McCutcheon  
Grace Episcopal  
Rev. Ed (Patty) Kelaher  
Jane King

Kaitlin Deebel  
Cheryl Crago  
Sarah Rakestraw  
Deborah Bisbee  
Jamie Vasquez  
Kayla  
Ginger Hill  
Phil (Sharon) Kinzer  
Joyce Metters  
Richard Slater  
Roger Thompson  
Marlene Jones

### Long Term (6 months or longer):

Linda Cox  
Kendall Conner  
Cindy/Tom Smith  
Michael Wood  
Louise & Ray Kombau  
Elizabeth Morales  
Judy Jordan  
Kay Gilmer  
Becky Griffith  
Kay Crouse  
Greg Leonard  
Gary (Pat) Leonard  
Tommy Hendrix  
Gloria Bulluck  
Brandon (Jan) Kraft  
Trevor Vermette  
Joan Briggs  
John McNeil  
Amy McIntosh  
Stan Larson  
Betty Jean Whitaker

### Missionaries

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

### Member Care

\*Dot Cook  
\*Ginnie Easter  
\*Hilda Flynt  
\*Louise Hawley  
\*Larlie Mae Knight  
\*Edna Morris  
\*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 Alan Ingram  
Major Jarrad Thorley

## United in Nurturing Fellowship

### Sunday, June 21

**WNCC Annual Conference, Lake Junaluska, NC**  
**Father's Day**  
United Methodist Men, Fellowship Hall  
8:30am Early Worship, Sanctuary  
8:45am Sunday School for ALL Ages  
9:30am Morning Worship, Sanctuary  
11:00am LIVE Stream on YouTube at First UMC Lexington NC  
11:00am  
**12:30pm Genesis serves lunch at Grace Episcopal**

### Monday, June 22

### Tuesday, June 23

12:00pm Prayer Warriors' Lunch, B-B-Q Center  
7:00pm **Staff Parish Relations Committee, Parlor**

### Wednesday, June 24

7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

### Thursday, June 25

(7:30a-9:30a) Triad Referral Partners, Spruill Koinonia Fellowship classroom

### Friday, June 26

Kindermusik (Refer to website for details)

### Saturday, June 27

10:00am Event Set-Up, Fellowship Hall/Kitchen  
**12:00pm United Women in Faith Uwharrie District Meeting & Lunch, Fellowship Hall/Kitchen**

2:00pm Event Clean-Up, Fellowship Hall/Kitchen

### Sunday, June 28

8:45am Early Worship, Sanctuary  
9:30am Sunday School for ALL Ages  
**11:00am Combined Morning Worship, First Baptist Church**  
11:00am LIVE Stream on YouTube at First UMC Lexington NC  
**12:30pm Genesis serves lunch at Grace Episcopal**

## Milestone Combined 11:00a Worship Service

**Sunday, June 28<sup>th</sup>** – with First Baptist Church at First Baptist Church.

As we approach the 250<sup>th</sup> birthday, or Semiquincentennial, of our country, we will commemorate this significant anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence with a **combined 11:00a worship service at First Baptist Church.**

The combined choirs will sing **accompanied by piano, organ, brass ensemble & percussion**, and the **Rev. Ray Howell III** will share worship leadership of the service with the ministers of FUMC.

What a powerful witness to the community and the country this will be for First Baptist Church and First United Methodist Church to be united in worship in commemoration of this milestone anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776.

**Note: We will have the 8:45a worship service and Sunday School at First UMC before going to First Baptist for the 11:00a service.**

**Do you have Board Games and/or Card Games that need a new home?** If so, the Teens of Life Youth would love to use them in the youth room. Please contact **Rev. Amy Higgins** with questions.

## Vacation Bible School!

**Sunday, July 26 – Thursday, July 30**  
**(5:30pm until 8:00pm)**

Dinner provided.  
**Registration is OPEN!**  
**SCAN the QR code →**

Printed registration forms are available in the church office.



## Please join us in our Fall Small Groups!

We have several groups from the past year returning and would like your ideas for **new groups**. If you would be willing to **lead a group** or have an interest in **participating in a group that we haven't offered** in the past, please let us know! Thanks for all your support!

Contact the church office (336) 248-2886 or [churchoffice.fumclxnc@gmail.com](mailto:churchoffice.fumclxnc@gmail.com) or Karen Bias at 828-838-2814 or [klbias@charter.net](mailto:klbias@charter.net)

## 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.

## 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.



## First United Methodist Church

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