

Thursday, Apr. 13

10:30 a.m.

7:00 p.m.

Friday, Apr. 14

6:30 p.m.

Sunday, Apr. 16

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Give Thanks! (Maundy Thursday)

**Pastor's Bible Study Group** (*Study of the Book of Revelation*)

**Maundy Thursday (Communion & Tenebrae Service)**

**No Diet Class this week**

Praise Him!

**Walk with the Cross** (*FUMC parking lot*)

Pray for Easter Sunday Services

*Happy Anniversary Pastor John & Susan (18 years)*

**Sunrise Service at Point Park**

**Choir**

**No Youth**

**Evening Service**

**WELCOME!** On this day, long ago, our Lord entered Jerusalem to glad shouts of "Hosanna!" On the threshold of his last week on earth, we invite you to share with us this foretaste of his final triumph. Welcome to our celebration.

Our UMW ladies invite you to a special fellowship dinner immediately following the service.

**Choir Members:** Robert Bennett, Celia Dixon, Janice Forsten, Melanie Garnand, Rhonda Kammeyer, Jenny Nevans, Brenda Ream, Thomas Rodgers, Mary Stickley, Nancy Smith, Winnie Thomas and Gene Wright  
**Praise Team Members:** Rhonda Kammeyer, Andy & Amber Tucker, John & Lindsey Bamber, Caitlin Kammeyer & Blake Swafford, Pianist

### FUMC YOUTH

- Saturday, June 3 the youth will have their car wash at McDonalds.
- Sunday, April 16 – Easter Sunday – No Youth

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9:45 A.M. Sunday School

11:00 A.M. Morning Worship

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**Scripture:** *Matthew 21:1-11*

### **Triumphal Entry**

<sup>1</sup>As they approached Jerusalem and came to Bethphage on the Mount of Olives, Jesus sent two disciples, <sup>2</sup>saying to them, "Go to the village ahead of you, and at once you will find a donkey tied there, with her colt by her. Untie them and bring them to me. <sup>3</sup>If anyone says anything to you, tell him that the Lord needs them, and he will send them right away." <sup>4</sup>This took place to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet:

<sup>5</sup>"Say to the Daughter of Zion,

'See, your king comes to you,

gentle and riding on a donkey,

on a colt, the foal of a donkey.'"<sup>[a]</sup>

<sup>6</sup>The disciples went and did as Jesus had instructed them. <sup>7</sup>They brought the donkey and the colt, placed their cloaks on them, and Jesus sat on them. <sup>8</sup>A very large crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others cut branches from the trees and spread them on the road. <sup>9</sup>The crowds that went ahead of him and those that followed shouted,

"Hosanna<sup>[b]</sup> to the Son of David!"

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"<sup>[c]</sup>

"Hosanna<sup>[d]</sup> in the highest!"

<sup>10</sup>When Jesus entered Jerusalem, the whole city was stirred and asked, "Who is this?" <sup>11</sup>The crowds answered, "This is Jesus, the prophet from Nazareth in Galilee."

**Footnotes:** *Matthew 21:5* Zech. 9:9 *Matthew 21:9* A Hebrew expression meaning "Save!" which became an exclamation of praise; also in verse 15 *Matthew 21:9* Psalm 118:26 *Matthew 21:9* A Hebrew expression meaning "Save!" which became an exclamation of praise; also in verse 15

April 9, 2006 – Palm Sunday  
Celebration of Worship

**Gathering – Please Sign Attendance Pad**

Welcome & Announcements..... Lay Leader  
Prelude..... Organist & Pianist

**Praising the Lord**

Lighting of the Candles .....Acolytes  
Invocation.....Pastor  
\*Call to Worship (responsively)

Pastor: The disciples began to rejoice and praise God, saying  
Hosanna!

People: Hosanna to the Son of David!

Pastor: Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!

People: Blessed be the Kingdom of our Father David that is coming!

Pastor: Hosanna!

People: Hosanna in the highest!

\*Hymn of Praise # 278..... “Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”  
(Procession of Palms by Children)

Lenten Reading for Sixth Sunday of Lent..... (See purple insert)

**Offering Our Gifts to God**

Offertory Prayer ..... Lay Leader  
Presentation of Tithes & Offerings  
Piano & Organ Offertory  
\*Doxology - #95..... “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”  
\*Hymn of Praise #277..... “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus”

**Hearing the Word of God**

Children’s Message ..... Terry Faulkner  
(Children leave for Children’s Church)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer #895 .....Pastor

Anthem – “Behold the King”.....Choir

Scripture Lesson..... *Matthew 21:1-11*

Leader: The Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

Sermon – “Our King Comes”.....Pastor

**Response to the Word**

\*Hymn of Invitation # 359 ..... “Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed”  
\*Benediction.....Pastor  
\*Benediction Response #99 “My Tribute” ..... Congregation & Choir  
\*Carrying the Light Into the World.....Acolytes  
\*Postlude ..... Organist & Pianist  
\*Congregation Is Invited to Stand

*John Anderson, Pastor*

*Ann Lewis, Pianist – Edwina Taylor, Organist*

*Amy Ballentine, Music Director*

*Our Liturgist this morning is Johnfred Carlton, Lay Leader*

*Rhonda Kammeyer, Praise and Worship Team Leader*

*Tyler Wooden & Joshua Anderson, Acolytes*

*Jaquette Family, Greeters*

**Happenings at First United Methodist Church**

Sunday, Apr. 9

12 Noon

3:30 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Monday, Apr. 10

6:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, Apr. 11

6:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Apr. 12

6:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

6:30 p.m.

7:30 p.m.

Pray for Worship Services

**UMW Hosted Church-Wide Fellowship Dinner**

**Emmaus - Sanctuary**

**No Evangelism Committee Meeting in April**

**Choir**

**Youth (Volunteer –Kathi Facciani)**

**Evening Service**

Pray for collages-faculty and students

**Cub Scouts**

**Daughters of the King Bible Study Group**

**Boy Scouts**

**Praise Team**

Pray for those with health concerns

**Cub Scouts**

**Emmaus & “In His Grace” Bible Study**

Pray for Community Easter Services

**Mother’s Day Out Easter Egg Hunt &**

**Hop-A-Thon**

**K.I.C. [(Kids in Church) Snacks Provided]**

**Youth (Volunteer –Lisa Bonadio)**

**Prayer Meeting**

**Finance Committee Meeting**



# Senior Adult Day

*It's Springtime!! Time for the Spring Senior Adult Day at Camp Lookout. Don't miss this exciting day filled with fun, fellowship, music and a great meal!*

**April 25, 2006 10:00am-2:00pm**

Special Music  
Sum-R-Fun  
Men's Quartet

Three workshops to choose from  
"Telling Your Story"  
"A New Song"  
"Use your gifts"

**Devotion by Gordon Goodgame**

The fun starts at 10:00 a.m., Registration with Coffee and a Light Snack will begin at 9:30. Activities for the day include – Stories, Group Singing, Recreation, Devotion and Special Entertainment and Informative Workshops. Add a GREAT LUNCH and you have a SUPER day!

**COST: \$10.00 per person**

Reservations must be called in by Friday, April 21, 2006!

**IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR WOULD LIKE TO MAKE RESERVATIONS, CALL CAMP LOOKOUT AT (706) 820-1163 OR E-MAIL AT [don@camplookout.com](mailto:don@camplookout.com)**

*We have wheelchair access and facilities in the lodge where we meet*

## PALM SUNDAY

Meaningful symbols make up our Lenten collage. We recall the events at the beginning and the close of Holy Week as we look at the cross and palm branches. We have also placed on our collage a moneybag for betrayal, a towel and basin for service, the grapes and wheat for love and community, and the crown of thorns for unbelief.

Today, we place on our collage a handful of nails to represent the wrongdoing and injustice in our world. Jesus was captured and sentenced to death on the cross. He was forced to carry his wooden cross through the streets of Jerusalem to the place of crucifixion where he was nailed to that same cross.

Through the pain and anguish of that moment – when envy, hate, pride, cruelty all came to a climax – we hear Jesus saying from his cross to every person, "Father, forgive them."

Scripture Reading: *John 19:17-18*

Carrying his own cross, he went out to the place of the Skull (which in Aramaic is called Golgotha). Here they crucified him, and with him two others – one on each side and Jesus in the middle.

**Prayer:** Father, help us to follow Jesus' example of forgiveness in our everyday relationship. How little effort it would take for us to be a little more kind, a little more generous, and a little more patient with those around us. How can we make this world a better place to live? Help us to always keep Jesus' spirit with us in our daily lives and let us never forget the Easter experience. In Jesus' name, amen.

**Preschool Summer Fun:** Now taking applications for the summer. Limited number of spots available. Join the fun! Call Mrs. Cindy at 775-4577. Lots of fun things planned for this summer. We will be visiting the new City Park and the ice cream shop along with a trip to Kids World. Camp runs from June 5<sup>th</sup> until July 28<sup>th</sup>. Hours are 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p. m.

Remember to continue collecting inkjet & laser cartridges and old cell phones for our school.

**Preschool Upcoming Events:**

- Trike-A-Thon in April for St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.
- Yard Sale is postponed until further notice due to illness. Please bring donated items to the preschool or call Mrs. Cindy or Mrs. Anderson. If you are unable to get your donated items to us, we will arrange to pick them up.

Daughters of the King Study Group will be studying the book Preyed On or Prayed For by Terry Teykl starting April 10

Staff-Parish Relations Committee Meeting - April 25 at 6:00 P.M. Church Library Please plan to attend.

You are invited to join your Christian neighbors in a **Walk with the Cross**

Friday night  
April 14<sup>th</sup>  
at 6:30 p.m. from  
*First Methodist Church*  
to  
*First Baptist Church*  
followed by a  
*Concert on the Cross*  
At *Dayton First Baptist Church*

HOLSTON CONFERENCE  
UNITED METHODIST  
WOMEN

**2006 Spiritual  
Enrichment Experience**

May 19-20 and May 20-21  
Lake Junaluska

**Pick up your Reservation  
Request Forms at the  
Church office.**

**Easter Lilies**

Anyone wishing to furnish Easter Lilies in honor or memory of someone special please call the church office at 775-0262. Your name and the name of the person being honored or memorialized will appear in a section of our Easter Sunday Bulletin.

On Easter Sunday, April 16, 2006, as per our tradition, we will have a Flowering Cross in front of the church. Please bring your fresh cut flowers to place on the cross. Thank you.

*Altar Guild Committee*

**Important Finance Committee Meeting** – Wed., Apr. 12 immediately after Prayer Meeting. Please plan on attending.

**Boy Scouts Yard Sale** – Saturday, May 6, 2006 @ 7:00 A.M. 'till

**PLEASE HELP FIND ME!!**  
Our gray canopy tent we use for the Strawberry Festival and VBS has been missing since last year. If you know of its whereabouts, please call the church office at 775-0262. We desperately need it. Thank you.

Our Sincere Christian Sympathy is extended to the families on the death of:

Ruby Blevins Ketchersid Clarke on March 25, 2006

&

Marie Abel Day on April 5, 2006

**UMW**

*May 4-7 2006 Assembly  
Anaheim, CA*

**May 19-20, 20-21  
Spiritual Enrichment  
Experience  
Lake Junaluska**

**F.U.M.C. YOUTH**

The youth would like to thank everyone for their participation in the Easter Basket Project for underprivileged children in the coal mine towns of Tennessee-Kentucky. A total of 394 baskets were delivered and our church contributed 187 of that total. Thanks again for your generosity.