

**FEBRUARY**  
2026

First United Methodist Church  
270 Main St.  
Savannah, TN 38372

# FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## SAVANNAH, TN NEWSLETTER

February 12, 2026



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**WHAT'S HAPPENING  
THIS WEEK AT FUMC**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15**

**9AM – Choir rehearsal  
10 AM – Sunday School  
11 AM – Worship**

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17**

**No Bell Rehearsal**

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18**

**3:30 PM – His Kids / Bible Zone  
5 PM – Youth  
5:45 PM – Fellowship Meal  
6:30 PM – Ash Wednesday Service (in fellowship hall)**

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22**

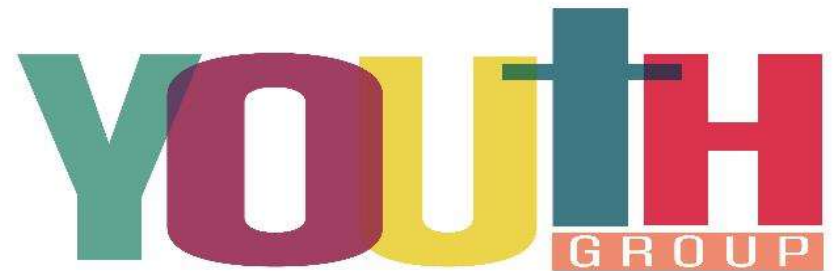
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**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 28**

**11 AM – 2 PM – Friends Feeding Friends**



His Kids & Bible Zone  
meet each  
Wednesday at  
3:30pm  
For more  
information, please  
contact  
Cynthia Clement at:  
[scrappmom100@gmail.com](mailto:scrappmom100@gmail.com)



The Wednesday Night Youth Group meets at  
5pm each Wednesday. If you would like  
more information, please contact:

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# ASH

*Wednesday*

## Worship

## Service

### February 18

6:30 pm

in the Fellowship Hall

All Are Welcome!

## SERVING THIS WEEK



### COUNTING TEAMS

- 02/15 L. Rice, J. McGinley
- 02/22 A. Walz, Stanley Shaw
- 03/01 R. Morris, J. McGinley
- 03/08 Neal Smith, Martha Smith

### USHERS



#### Usher for February 15

Matt McGinley



### Media Tech

#### Media Tech for February

Sam McGinley



### Acolytes

#### Acolytes for February 15

Latonia Gilbert



### COFFEE AND Conversations

Join us in the Narthex on Sundays between Sunday School and Worship for coffee, snacks & conversation!



# Love your neighbor as yourself

Valentine's Day is the perfect opportunity to live out God's love. How does Jesus say we should treat other people?

*Directions: Find a hidden word in each sentence. For example, "the" is hidden here: (12) "It's Harry's hat he stole." The (12) means the hidden word starts on the 12<sup>th</sup> letter (ignore punctuation). Use the answers to complete Matthew 19:19, NIV.*

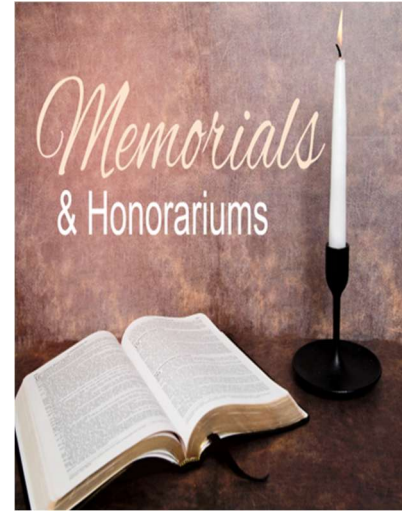
- (1) You really like ice cream! \_\_\_\_\_
- (16) Carly has a really fat hermit crab. \_\_\_\_\_
- (21) My favorite animals are moth, ermine and eels. \_\_\_\_\_
- (4) "Hello, Vera!" called Joseph. \_\_\_\_\_
- (11) When horses neigh, boredom reigns. \_\_\_\_\_
- (17) Their daughter, Kara, sat patiently. \_\_\_\_\_
- (6) "That's yours, elf!" the fairy yelled. \_\_\_\_\_



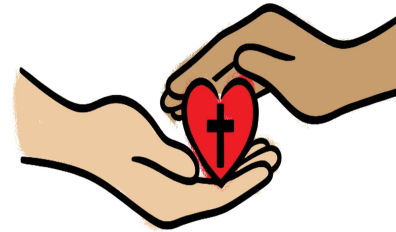
♥ "Honor \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ your \_\_\_\_\_"

Matthew 19:19, NIV

Answer: "Honor your father and mother, and love your neighbor as yourself." Matthew 19:19, NIV



Given in Memory  
of Patsy Gibbs  
by  
Anthony &  
Mary Ann Gilchrist



Thank you all of those who volunteered to work at CAM last week! We appreciate you all!

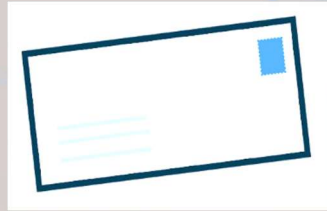


Help us meet our monthly goal of 250 cans of meat for CAM for the month of February!

If you have any plastic grocery bags you don't want, CAM needs them for the food pantry. You may drop them by the church and place on the pew in the downstairs hallway.

## Convenient Ways to Give at FUMC!

By mailing your tithes  
& offerings to:  
FUMC Savannah  
270 Main St.  
Savannah, TN 38372



By going online to:  
[www.savannahfumc.com](http://www.savannahfumc.com)  
and clicking the  
“Giving” button.



In person on Sundays  
or by dropping by the  
church office on  
Monday – Thursday  
from 8am – 4:30pm.



If you have any  
questions about the  
ways to give, please call  
the church office  
at 731-925-3436.

**Just  
Ask!**

*Thank You!*

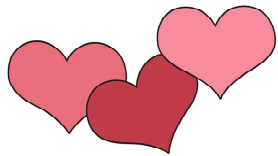
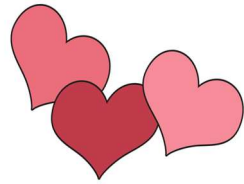
A colorful poster for a shoe drive. The background is a bright blue sky with white clouds and a green grassy field with yellow flowers. Various styles of shoes are scattered around: red sneakers, brown loafers, green sneakers, pink Mary Janes, brown boots, blue sneakers, orange sandals, red sneakers, blue sneakers, pink flip-flops, orange sandals, blue sneakers, and red sneakers. The text is arranged as follows:

- Top: "FUMC Youth are collecting" in blue, sans-serif font.
- Below that: "new and gently worn" in a red, cursive font.
- Center: "SHOES for Soles 4 Souls" in large, bold, blue and black fonts. The "4" is inside a blue heart shape.
- Below that: "Drop Off:" in white text on a yellow banner.
- Below that: "Monday-Thursday, 8am - 4pm" in white text on a green banner.
- Below that: "at First United Methodist Church" in yellow text on a green banner.
- Below that: "270 Main St., Savannah, TN" in white text on a green banner.
- Bottom: "through March 22, 2026" in red text on a yellow banner.

# Friends Feeding Friends

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Saturday  
February 28  
11am - 2pm



Free, hot  
meal

**Come as you are.  
Everyone is welcome at our table!**

# Wednesday Night FELLOWSHIP MEAL

Our February fellowship meal will be held on the 18<sup>th</sup> at 5:45pm. The menu will be a “Mashed Potato Bar”.

Please make reservations!  
Reservation sheets are in the Narthex as well as a dessert sign-up sheet.

(The Ash Wednesday service will be held in the fellowship hall at 6:30pm immediately following the meal.)

