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Please visit our website at: www.savannahfumc.com to view our newsletter and livestream our worship services. Follow us on FaceBook at First United Methodist Church (Savannah, TN).



This Week at FUMC

SUNDAY, APRIL 27

9 AM - Choir rehearsal

10 AM - Sunday School

11 AM - Worship / Baptism

2 - 4 PM - Lemonade Stand to benefit
the Carl Perkins Center

TUESDAY, APRIL 29

5:15 PM - Bell rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30

3:30 PM - His Kids/Bible Zone

5 PM - Youth

THURSDAY, MAY 1

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

SUNDAY, MAY 4

9 AM - Choir rehearsal

10 AM - Sunday School

11 AM - Worship / Holy Communion



First United Methodist Church
Children's Ministry

Lemonade Stand

for the Carl Perkins Center
Sunday, April 27
from 2 - 4pm
(on front church parking lot)



Greetings Friends,

I wanted to say "Thank You" very much for all the many prayers, cards, love, and concerns for my recent eye cancer diagnosis. After waiting 3 months after surgeries, I finally got news the radiation was shrinking the tumor. I still will be scanned often in my future. Please continue prayers for me & my family as we work through this. We pray for God to bless the church & all the people.

*Love,
Sharon, Ron & Kristy*



Saturday, April 26th 11:30am – 2pm
 in the Fellowship Hall
 Sign-Up Sheet for Volunteers is in the Narthex



Canned Meat

We have received 228 cans of meat for CAM so far
 for the month of April

Thank you to all who donated!

CAM needs donations!

SERVING THIS WEEK



COUNTING TEAMS

- 04/27 R. Morris, J. McGinley
- 05/04 Neal Smith, Martha Smith
- 05/11 L. Rice, J. McGinley
- 05/18 A. Walz, Stanley Shaw

USHERS



Usher for April 27

Matt McGinley



Media Tech

Media Tech for April

Andrew Walz



April 27 Acolytes

Rosie Carroll

Maddie McGinley



Join us in the Narthex for a time of fellowship after Sunday School and before worship. We have coffee, water and snacks available for you to enjoy!



OUR EASTER GIFT

Thanks to Easter, what wonderful gift does God give us?

Directions: Start at the given letter, move one space in the direction each arrow points. Write the last letter in each sequence in the spaces provided. Then write those answers in order on the blanks below to complete 1 Peter 1:3, NIV.

A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J
K	L	M	N	O
P	Q	R	S	T
U	V	W	X	Y

1. C → ↓ ↓ ___
2. H → ↑ → ___
3. V ↑ → ↓ ___
4. I ← ← ↑ ___
5. T ↑ ← ↑ ___
6. P ↑ → → ↓ ___
7. D ↓ → ↓ ↓ ___
8. T ↑ ← ↑ ← ___



Praise be to the God and Father of our
Lord Jesus Christ!

In his great mercy he has given us

_____ into a living hope through the
resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead.

1 Peter 1:3, NIV

Answer: new birth



Our 2025 High School Graduates

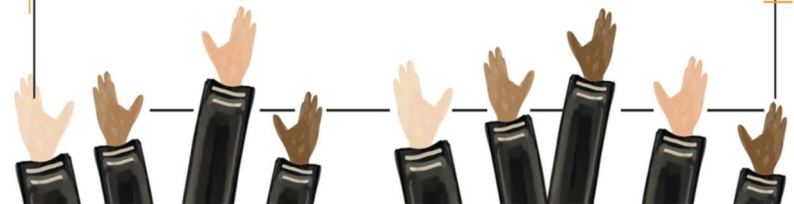
Scylar Jones

Emily Franks

&

Mary Lay

We will celebrate these graduates with a luncheon in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, May 18th immediately following our morning worship service. Please make plans to attend and support our youth.





Join Us at
First United Methodist Church
 270 Main St.
 Savannah, TN
 for a Road Trip through the Bible
 June 1 - 4
 5 pm - 8 pm

Embark on an exciting journey with Road Trip VBS, based on Joshua 1:9 - "The LORD your God is with you wherever you go." Discover God's presence everywhere as we explore new places, make new friends, and experience God's goodness together.

Go online to register at:
savannahfumc.mycokesburyvbs.com

Fried Chicken, Sides



Join Us at 5:45 for the April 30th
 Fellowship Meal
 Please make meal reservations
 by Sunday, April 27th!
 A reservation sheet and a
 dessert sign-up sheet are located
 in the Narthex.

Baptism

*Join us for the Baptism of
 Gunnar Hays Vaughan
 on
 Sunday, April 27, 2025*

Gunnar is the son of Nolan & Anna Kate
 Vaughan, grandson of the late Mr. John
 Craig, Mr. & Mrs. Don Friddle, Ms.
 Melissa Vaughan & Mr. Hays Vaughan
 and great grandson to Mr. & Mrs.
 Marlin Stubblefield.

A Message from the Outreach Ministry Committee:

We are excited to announce an upcoming outreach ministry for our friends and community. It is our goal to invite anyone in our community to join us in the Fellowship Hall or on the lawn (weather permitting) on the 4th Saturday of every month, beginning April 26, 2025.

The name of the outreach project is **FRIENDS FEEDING FRIENDS.**

We will be ready to serve from 11:30am – 2pm for any person in need of a meal, friendship and fellowship. We will begin advertising on social media beginning April 1st. We will have a banner on the lawn for daily advertising for the community.

As our FUMC family, you all can be involved in many ways! We have cooks, so the hard part is already taken care of.

Please choose the one below that best meets your desire to serve in this outreach ministry.

1. Help us spread the word by sharing on Facebook or by word of mouth.
2. Sign up to serve.
3. Sign up to help clean up afterward.
4. Join us for the meal and show our new friends the love of Christ.
5. Deliver meals to our church family who are not physically able to be present.
6. Sponsor a meal for \$200! (You may drop your donation by the church office.)
7. Pray for the Outreach Ministry Committee and all who attend this meal. Pray that their immediate needs are met through our love and service.
 - Church members, please let us know if you would like a meal or meals delivered to you. We will need at least 3 days' notice prior to the 4th Saturday of each month.

Thank you, Starla Shaw, Outreach Committee Chair



Birthdays

Susanna Brown – May 6

Alissa McGinley – May 7

JoAnne Taylor – May 7

Cynthia Clement – May 12

Molly Gilchrist – May 17

Anna Kate Vaughan – May 25

Anniversaries

David & Anna Carroll – May 15

Rev. Dr. Lloyd & Clare Doyle – May 21

Bob & Molly Gilchrist – May 25

Bill & Judy Goodyear – May 28