

Worship Service - April 21, 2024

RENEW - 9:00 am

Song of Praise

Prayer

Offering

Welcome and Announcements

Wee Worship

Scripture

1 John 4:7-21

Message

Word of God Speaks

Song of Service

Extinguish Candles

\*Go Forth to Serve

We're so glad to have you worshipping with us today!

We'd love to connect with you, please fill out a yellow information card for the offertory plate or stop by the Welcome Center, located outside the Sanctuary Doors.

Hearing Assistance Devices Available

If you'd like to use one, let one of the ushers know.

TRADITIONAL - 11:00 am

Welcome

Prelude

\*Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles' Creed  
UMH 881

Hymn of Praise

My Hope Is Built  
UMH 368

Wee Worship

Concerns, Gratitude, and Prayers

Offering

Anthem

I Love To Tell the Story  
Lani Smith

\*Doxology

Scripture Lesson

1 John 4:7-21

Message

Word of God Speaks

\*Hymn of Dedication

Gift of Love  
UMH 408

\*Go Forth to Serve



Children's Choirs Spring Program  
April 28th @ 9 & 11am

Join us, as all three of our children's choirs, Joyful Noize, Philly Chimes & Beginner Bells share God's message through drama and song. Guaranteed to make you smile!



Habitat for Humanity of York County  
Saturday May 4th - 7:45am—3:00pm

Come help a working family build a home of their own. Full and 1/2 day shifts are available for adults & 16-17 year olds with a volunteer guardian. Your donations have allowed us to contribute \$2,500 towards the home build. Now it's time to put in some sweat equity. Sign up in the



Do you know a Graduate?

Please let us know ASAP if you have a high school, college or advanced degree graduate for this academic year so that they may be recognized during worship service on May 19th. Contact Cindi Cahaly at [cahaly@comporium.net](mailto:cahaly@comporium.net)

Mission Team Thanks YOU!

Palmetto Women's Center: Your generous Lenten offerings totaled \$2,575! This money will help pregnant women get physical and emotional care free of charge.

Hugaroo: Your stuffed animal donations and hands on participation prepped 546 animals for sick children and those in crisis.

Please pray for those involved with both of these ministries.

Epworth Children's Home

On Mother's Day, May 12th, we invite you to give generously to the children who call home.



Epworth

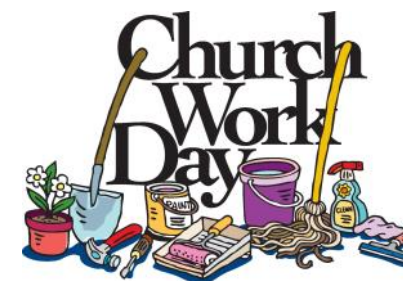
Connection Card

VBS Training Sessions

\_\_\_ Sunday, June 9th; 12-1pm

\_\_\_ Saturday, June 15th; 9-10am

Name \_\_\_\_\_



Church Workday  
Saturday, April 27th  
9am—12 noon

Workday Projects:

- Clean windows
- Clean underneath church pews,
- Organize closets
- Power wash sidewalks
- Plant flowers (Flowers provided)
- Dusting
- Other projects

If you would like to bring window cleaner, Swiffer wet pads, dusting cloth or other cleaning supplies that would be great. If not, the Trustees will provide cleaning supplies for you.

If you have any questions, please contact a trustee or the church office.



VBS TRAINING SESSIONS

Sunday, June 9th from 12:00-1:00pm

A pizza & salad lunch will be served or

Saturday, June 15th from 9:00-10:00am

a continental breakfast will be served

You will receive an overview of this year's VBS, learn your station or crew designation, pick up your station leader or crew leader guide, learn VBS and Safe Sanctuary policies, and purchase your volunteer shirt (\$5) if you do not have one. Sign up on the Connection Card or contact Nic Gold ([nicolas@pumcfortmill.org](mailto:nicolas@pumcfortmill.org)) about which of the two training sessions you will attend.

**Coffee and Conversation  
with the Pastor  
Next Sunday, April 28th  
Pastor's office from 9:15-9:45**

New Members come to have fellowship with each other and the Pastor. Learn more about the church, small group opportunities and ways to serve. Email Pastor David at [david@pumcfortmill.org](mailto:david@pumcfortmill.org) to let him know you will be joining the group next Sunday.

**Prayer Requests This Week**

If you have updates about our members or prayer concerns, please contact the church office at 803.548.0102

- Homer Bethea
- Phil Brigman
- Barbara Chapman
- Eunice Faulkenbury
- Jesse Ford
- Ben & Mary Himes
- Gene Hoover
- Holly Johnson
- Jennifer Lare
- Lavinia McCall
- David Plonk
- Carolyn Ressler



- Claudia Register
- Alice Sumner
- Carol Weisberger
- Dorothee Young

**Prayer Requests**

Other information and/or prayer requests I would like to share with the church Staff or Senior Pastor.

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Check here if you would like a call from the Pastor

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_



Fort Mill Care Center grocery cart is in the Coffee Connections Room. **Continuous items needed:** canned vegetables, cereal, mac & cheese, toothpaste and toothbrushes.

**April Items:** Pancake Mix, Syrup, Spaghetti & Sauce, Canned Pasta, Oatmeal & Grits, Cleaning Products

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCIAL REPORT
April 14, 2024
\$12,412 is needed each week to meet our annual budget of \$645,406, we received \$9,775 this week
\$183,615 has been received towards the General and Building Funds
\$169,186 has been spent from the General and Building Funds
\$61,525 Cash Available to Support Church Expenses, Missions & Ministries
\$747,459 Loan balance for Building
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ways to Give</b></p> <p>Cash &amp; Checks accepted every Sunday during Offering!                      Visit us at <a href="http://www.pumcfortmill.org/give/">www.pumcfortmill.org/give/</a>                      Via Zelle App - <a href="mailto:gifts@pumcfortmill.org">gifts@pumcfortmill.org</a>                      Transfer Stocks, Bonds, Brokerage Assets  <u>Mail or Drop-off your gift during regular office hours</u>  <b>Have questions about giving?</b></p>
Please contact PUMC's part-time Financial Associate, Mayra Leon at <a href="mailto:accounting@pumcfortmill.org">accounting@pumcfortmill.org</a>



**Clang Buckets**  
Sunday, April 28th  
9 & 11am  
During Wee Worship, the children will collect change for La Limye. Bring your coins to change the lives of Haitian orphans.



GIVE ONLINE



**Philadelphia**  
United Methodist Church  
Worshipping in Love ♥ Growing in Love ♥ Serving in Love

April 21, 2024

1 John 4:7-21

<sup>7</sup> Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup> But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love.

<sup>9</sup> God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. <sup>10</sup> This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins.

<sup>11</sup> Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other. <sup>12</sup> No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and his love is brought to full expression in us.

<sup>13</sup> And God has given us his Spirit as proof that we live in him and he in us. <sup>14</sup> Furthermore, we have seen with our own eyes and now testify that the Father sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. <sup>15</sup> All who declare that Jesus is the Son of God have God living in them, and they live in God. <sup>16</sup> We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love.

God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them. <sup>17</sup> And as we live in God, our love grows more perfect. So we will not be afraid on the day of judgment, but we can face him with confidence because we live like Jesus here in this world.

<sup>18</sup> Such love has no fear, because perfect love expels all fear. If we are afraid, it is for fear of punishment, and this shows that we have not fully experienced his perfect love. <sup>19</sup> We love each other because he loved us first.

<sup>20</sup> If someone says, "I love God," but hates a fellow believer, that person is a liar; for if we don't love people we can see, how can we love God, whom we cannot see? <sup>21</sup> And he has given us this command: Those who love God must also love their fellow believers.

**For More Information Contact :**

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