# 16 May 2021

# **Art-Architecture-Math ZOE Camps 2021**

June 7-10 \$100 per family age 6+
STEAM Small Group AM or PM

June 14-17 \$150 age 6+ **DaVinci DOT 9am-3pm** 

June 28-30 \$80 age 8+ LEGO & CATAN 9-11:45am

July 19-22 \$150 age 8+ **Architecture Studio Small Group AM or PM** 

Contact ellenwilken9@gmail to register.

**Registration Deadline: May 20** 

Checks made payable to SPUMC with memo ZOE Activity

# **Books for Kids Committee**

Nutritious snacks and books for kids will be distributed this summer at our Food Pantry on Mondays beginning June 7. This year coloring books or activity books will be included, along with crayons or sharpened colored pencils. The committee is in need of funds and VOLUNTEERS.

A volunteer goes to each car to get the ages of children in the family and then takes the age appropriate bags to the car. Time involved is 9:30—12:15 on the Mondays you choose. Call Sara Jane Pate, 910-692-2885 or Mary Ellen Bender, 252-802-0525. Gifts may be given through SPUMC marked "books for kids".

# **Ascension Sunday**

# 2021 High School and College Graduates!

This is quite an accomplishment and reason to celebrate, especially with the unique challenges of this past year. We would like to share this milestone with your church family in the uConnect. Please let us know your name, school and degree (for college only). You may call or email the church office by <u>Sunday</u>, <u>May 30</u>.

Our Christian love and sympathy to the families of those who have entered Life Triumphant:

Lewis and Susan Cooper in the death of Lewis' father, Nelson Cooper who passed away May 1.

Jewell Pruden who passed away May 2. Jewell was a Southern Pines UMC charter member.

# BRING CHAIRS / BLANKET TO SIT ON A NEW AGE ON MIDLOTHIAN DRIVE SOUTHERN PINES United Methodist Church FRIDAY, MAY 21ST 8:00 PM NOWSHOWING THE CROODS 2: IN THE SPUMC FIELD OWN MOVIE SNACKS! YOU MUST RSVP TO TODD OR ERIN\*\* FOR ALL AGES

# u Connect

Scripture: Ephesians 1:15-23 Sermon Scripture: Acts 1:1-11

Sermon Title: "The Importance of the Ascension"

**Reverend Tommy Sweeley** 

8:30 am In Person Worship Service, FH / 98.5 FM (parking lot)

10:00 am Facebook Live Stream Worship and In-Person Gathering (with social distancing) in sanctuary

10:00 am Nursery (ages 6 months – 2 years) 10:00 am Kids Own Worship (3 years +) 5:30 pm Youth Group, lower parking lot

Mon - May 17 Finance Committee, 7pm

Tues - May 18 Staff Meeting, 2pm

Tues - May 18 Book Study, via Zoom, 7pm (led by Pastor Sandy)

Fri. - May 21 Movie Under the Stars, SPUMC Field, 8pm

Mon - May 24 Church Council, 7pm

Mon - June 7-10 STEAM Art/Architecture/Math Camp

Wed - June 16-19 Annual Conference

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The Food Pantry is in need of Plastic Grocery bags. These bags are used each week to bag up the food before it is delivered to their car. There are collection boxes in both the Narthex and the front office. Next time you are at the church, please drop off bags in either of these two locations. Please make sure the bags do not have holes in them! Thanks so much!

Our Food Pantry is in need of volunteers: Would you be willing to give 1 hour once a month? To do what? Pick up once a month at Pinecrest Food Lion on Saturday or Sunday or at the Aberdeen Food Lion on Sunday between the hours of 10:00 am to 11:30 am. Start to finish takes about 1 hour. We also pickup from Panera Bread on Saturdays. It is a tremendous blessing to serve those in need in our community and the people we are helping are truly appreciative. To volunteer or for more information: contact Donna Wondergem at 757-613 2172; wondergem59@gmail.com

# TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR FLOWERS FOR THE SANTUARY,

PLEASE CALL OR EMAIL MIKEY DELLE

910-725-0367 mikeydelle@nc.rr.com

Flowers will be made in a glass vase, easier to transport and more suitable for home display. Please pick up after the 10:00 service or on Monday in the church office.

Cost is \$50, payable to SPUMC (altar flowers on memo line)

# Women's Summer Bible Study!

Centered around Elizabeth George's book "Experiencing God's Peace", this informal study will be a gathering time to talk about Paul's letter to the Church in Philippi.

We will have 5 Monday meetings from 9:30-11 AM on June 7, 21, 28 and July 12, 19.

Please contact Ruthie Borrell if you are interested. Ra.borrell@yahoo.com or text 919-770-3023. Book is \$7.

Thank you to all the volunteers who helped with the 2021 Habitat for Humanity Apostles Build in Robbins.



Contributions for the week of May 9, 2021			
Operating	\$	8,850.00	
Pastor's Discretionary	\$	100.00	
<b>Church Preservation Fund</b>	\$	245.00	
<b>Undesignated Memorials</b>	\$	25.00	
At-Risk High School	\$	125.00	
Food Pantry	\$	433.00	
Zoe Ministry	\$	480.00	
<b>Elec. Processing Donation</b>	\$	1.93	
Total	\$	10,259.93	
Operating Contributions YTD	\$ 262,188		
Church Preservation Contrib. YTD	\$	9,548	
Operating Expenditures YTD	\$ 2	251,218	

# Worship Attendance Sunday, May 9, 2021

(8:30) 18 (10:00) 82 (Virtual) 206

# **Giving Made Easy**

**E**lectronic gifts are fast and secure. Give anytime, anywhere to your favorite funds.

**S**chedule donations or set up an account and make donations whenever you'd like throughout the year.

**Go** to the SPUMC website: www.southernpinesumc.org

and click "Give" at the top of the page to get started.

If you have any questions, please contact Jean Bradshaw at: jean@bradshawcapitalmgt.com

### TEXT YOUR OFFERING 910-390-1703

(These donations will go to the operating budget.)

**THANK YOU!** 

# STOCK DONATIONS

We are grateful for all contributions to SPUMC and its missions. If you care to make a stock donation to the church, we ask that you call Audra Webb Lubawski (910-246-0838) or her financial assistant, Chandler Jiang (910-246-0835) at First Bank Wealth Management. Either will assist you with the stock transfer. The stock will then be sold immediately, and the funds will be deposited into our SPUMC account with First Bank. You will receive a donation letter from the church within the next two weeks documenting the transaction. All stock transfers will go toward the Operating Fund of the church unless the church is otherwise notified in writing. Jean@bradshawcapitalmgt.com .

Thank you, SPUMC Finance Office

# Prayer List of Southern Pines UMC Members and Extended Family & Friends

Jim Borrell Herman Collier Jerri Collier **Debra Daubenspeck Georgia Davenport** 

Ang. Flanders' family

**Doug Harvey Roger Hicks** 

Myron Dice

Mary C. Harris

**Gary Hildebrand** 

**Betty Hobbs** 

**Jack Hussey** 

Jim Juett

**Jim Laningham** 

**Louise Laningham** 

Hal Leak

**Mary Majors** 

**David Miller** 

**Kathy Powitchko** 

**Tony Prestipino** 

**Corie Questell** 

**Nancy Scaggs** 

**Gail Scott** 

Lyla Shumate

**Larry White** 

**Treis Williams** 

Rachael Wirtz

FirstHealth Hospice House: Jerry Huff

Hospital: Mildred Hamilton (FirstHealth Rehab) #0606 Brenda Geist (Florence Hospital) Florence, AZ

Scheduled Surgery: Barb Dice (Duke), June 7

Brookdale Senior Living — 17 Regional Drive, Pinehurst, 28374 Nancy Newman (#105) (mother of Bob Newman) Erma Reeder

Elmcroft — 101 Brucewood Road, Southern Pines, NC 28387 Phyllis Marker (703)

Fox Hollow — 190 Fox Hollow Road, Pinehurst, NC 28374

Annalee Anderson (Apt. 233) Mary Jo Hicks (Apt. 245)

Quail Haven — 155 Blake Blvd., Pinehurst, NC 28374

Penick Village – 500 East Rhode Island Ave., So. Pines, 28387

Carol Chapman Marion Evans Jane MacDougall Myron & Barb Dice Kay Rhoades Nancy Peterson

**Betty Dorsett** Chuck Kersey (#113, N. Bldg.)

Donna Dickson, 1777 Cawdor Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28304

Betty Harbaugh, 2311 E.. Broad Street, Elizabethtown, NC 28337-6529

Ed & Kadie Hergenrother, 965 Hager Drive, Apt. 434, Petoskey, MI 49770

DAR Raube, 120 N. Deerfield Road, Pontiac, IL 61764 April Zulch, 3 Scarborough Place, Pinehurst, NC 28374

Missionary/Other **ZOE** Groups

Habitat Apostles Build (Robbins)

Families affected by

COVID-19 USA

Weather Related Issues

Wild Fires

Active/Deployed

W. Troie Barker (deployed) **CPT Brian Harvey** 2nd Lt. Benjamin Harvey Colin Williams (active)

FirstHealth will offer a first-dose Pfizer vaccine clinic for anyone 12 years old and older on Wednesday, May 26 at the Fair Barn in Pinehurst. Parents or legal guardians must register minors and accompany them to the clinic. To register, visit www.firsthealth.org/shot. FirstHealth also continues to hold scheduled second-dose clinics at the Fair Barn.

If you or someone you know has an upcoming medical procedure, is sick, or is experiencing a significant life event, please let our pastoral staff know by contacting the church directly at spumc@nc.rr.com or calling 910-692-3518.

**Alice Allen** (mother of Susan Reeve)

**Fred Barefoot** (grandfather of Gretchen Arnoczy)

Johnny Baskowski (Gail Dodge)

**Peggy Bitting** (Heilman/Tillman families)

**Bill Biggers** (Robert Reeve)

Diana Bloom

**Deb Borrell** (sister of Jim Borrell)

**B. Brooks** (grandmother of Shaun Carlson)

Jesse Calvert (Nancy Scaggs)

**Joe Carter** (brother of Kathy Powitchko)

**Billy Clark** (Betty Hobbs/Cheryl Clark)

**Helen Croucher** (mother of Drew Croucher)

**Tommy Lou Dancy** (cousin of Ruth Ludwig)

Shannon Mae Degreef

Art & Judy Dellinger (Keri Crowl)

**Andrew Dice** (son of Myron & Barb Dice)

**Myra Doggett** (mother of Michelle Aubrey)

Rumero Espinosa (Barb Dice)

Pastor Jess Farley (Nancy Scaggs)

**Father of Shirley Bond** 

**Jack Francis** (son of Jay & Laura Francis)

**Donnie Funderburk** (BIL of Gwen Funderburk)

Terry Georgakae (John and Cindy Marohl)

**Judy Griffin (**mother of Debbie Pardal)

Jerry & Pamela Harris

Tammy Hart (cousin of Nancy Scaggs)

**Alice Harvey & family** (sister of Doug Harvey)

**Abigail Hawkes** (Cragan Barbee)

Mike Hodges (Vivian Ratliff)

**Scott Hodges** (cousin of Mary Sue Faulkner)

Shelia Howard (Hugh Bingham) **Steve** (Gary & Bobbye Hildebrand) **Emily Jacy** (niece of David Young)

**Jasper Jawanda** (Gretchen Arnoczy)

Judy & Holly (Debbie Pardal) **Everette Juett** (grandson of Jim Juett) Betty Sue Justice (David Young)

**Kenny & Patty Kidd** (cousins of Nancy Scaggs)

Jacob Lancaster (Gail Scott)

**Darlene Lineberry** 

**Kelsea Losee** (niece of Marguerite Hussey)

Judy Malecki (sister-in-law of Bob Rich)

**Jennifer Maness** (Jimmie Ann Lassiter)

**Kevin Martin** (Maggie Bonecutter)

Karin Maxwell (sister of Helge Grill)

Mae McGougan

Martha Meeks (mother of Vivian Ratliff)

**Oldham family** (Greg & Brenda Tillman)

The Parham family (N. Scaggs)

Samantha Patterson

**Grace Philips**, rehab (mother of Susan Sweeley)

**Peyton Priest** (Keri Crowl)

**Jenny Reeder** (niece of Kim Stoudenmire)

Carol Renken (Kitzy Bundy)

**Tommy Riggins** (brother, Katherine Stafford)

Raymond Rzaca (John & Cindy Marohl)

**Kelly Scaggs** (Bonecutter/Scaggs)

Jonathan Scarboro (Wyatt Glenn)

**Troy Scott** (nephew of Gwen Funderburk)

Sandy Shrewsbury (Nancy Scaggs)

**Paula Shore** (sister-in-law of Susan McNeill)

Anne & Carol Smith (Sandy Bryant)

**Doris Tillman** 

Jeremy Tillman (Greg & Brenda Tillman)

Tom & aunt (Will Holliday)

**Judy Jones-Turnage** (S-I-L of Barbara Richardson)

Philip & Carol Umansky (David Young) Sandi Wesson (John & Cindy Marohl)

**Family of Debbie White** 

**Vera Williams** 

**Carol Wiseburn** (Marguerite Hussey)

Gold Star/Military Families