

**Sunday May 5, 2024**  
**SERVICE TIMES**

Contemporary Service at 9:00am  
Sunday School at 10:15 &  
Traditional Service at 11:00am

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<https://www.facebook.com/firstchurchdayton>

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**Sunday School Classes meet every Sunday morning  
beginning at 10:15 unless otherwise announced.**

<b>THE KETCHERSID CLASS</b>	Room 110	Ages 9 to 90+
<b>THE PHILADELPHIA CLASS</b>	Room 111	Ages 19 to 90+
<b>THE UPPER ROOM CLASS</b>	Room 211	All ages
<b>YOUTH /COLLEGE CLASS</b>	Room 208-210	
<b>INFANTS TO AGE 4</b>	Nursery	
<b>GRADES K-6</b>	GENERALLY, THESE ARE UPSTAIRS, speak to Julie Burton or inquire in the fellowship hall in between services at 10am	

**First United Methodist Church**  
"Advancing Christ's Kingdom locally and globally"  
**Sunday, May 5, 2024**



9:00 AM Worship Service

6th Sunday of Easter

*\*\*The Nursery is open at 8:45 for children up to Pre-k age.*

**Welcome**

**Praise & Worship**

**Prayers & Offering**

**Announcement**

**Blessing of the Children** Children's Church K-4th grade only

**Scripture** Genesis 15: 1-6

**Sermon** "Amazing Grace"

Pastor Layne

**Holy Communion**

**Praise & Prayer**

**Closing Worship**

**We are so glad you are here this morning!!  
Join us in the fellowship hall beginning at 10:00  
for Coffee and Pastries**

11:00 AM Worship Service

6th Sunday of Easter

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Prelude** Faith Young

**Invocation** Ann Blackburn

**Hymn** My Hope is Built– UMH 368

**\*\*Statement of Faith** UMH 882

**\*\*Glory Be to the Father** UMH 70

**Offertory Prayer** Ann Blackburn

**Offertory** Faith Young

**\*\*Doxology** UMH 95

**Children's Message**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**Scripture** Genesis 15: 1-6

**Sermon** "Amazing Grace"

Pastor Layne

**Holy Communion**

**\*\* Benediction & Response** God be with you till we meet again–  
UMH 672

**Postlude** Faith Young

## WEEKLY/MONTHLY MINISTRIES OF THE CHURCH

- **Monday Night** English as a Second Language Classes from 6:00-7:00 Call Kristin Urani for more info.
- **Monday Night** DIVORCE CARE 7pm -8:30 Call Leigha 423-802-8445
- **Monday Night** Women's Bible Study 7pm. Childcare provided. Lindsey Bamber : 423.775.6520
- Faith Ministries is cooking on **Tuesday mornings** 8am– noon
- TOPS– **Tuesday Nights** from 5-6, Meet in the Library
- EMMAUS– **1st Tuesday of the Month** from 5pm-9pm in the Fellowship Hall
- Zoom Bible Study – **Wednesdays**, at 11:00am., for more info message Cyndie (240-0187) or Pastor Layne **Followed by Lunch @ 12:30.**
- **1st Wednesday** from Noon to 1 Rhea Health Council in Fellowship Hall
- FIRST KIDS CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: **DONE FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR.**
- **Wednesday Night Live**– begins @6:00pm for dinner, Class is at 6:30pm— 7:45 pm. Ages Kindergarten and up.
- **Wednesday Night Bible Study at 6:45 pm**–See Pastor Layne for info We are covering Matthew Chapter 5 currently.
- Tri County Quilters meets the **2nd and 4th Thursday** 10-2. & 5th Thurs The Quilt of Valor group meets on the **1st Saturday** 9am-2pm
- **THURSDAY Night** Brownies Meeting from 5:00-6:00pm
- **Thursday Night**—5:30 to 6:30pm is Girl Scouts
- Dayton Art League– **2nd Thursday @6:30pm**–Phyllis Bekemeier @ 423-315-1132
- Church Veterans Breakfast– **8:30am Fridays Bryan College Cafeteria**
- Rotary Meeting: Lunch & Meeting- Every **Friday** 11:30– 12:30
- The Jail ministry: **Monday evening** for men, **Wednesday afternoon/Thursday nights** for women. For info: Heather Sneed
- Feed America– Every **Wednesday & Friday** from 10:00 to 11:30
- Senior Ministries– **2nd Sunday** : Covered Dish Luncheon after 2nd Service. Bring a side dish or dessert to share–Meat & drinks are provided. **4th THURSDAY**- is our Dinner Trip–We usually meet in the church parking lot to carpool or take the bus. The location is usually announced the week prior. We ask for everyone to RSVP to Katie Shaver– so that we know how many will be attending. Call/text Katie at 816-830-7074
- MEN'S BREAKFAST– **1st Saturday of the month at 8:00 am** in the fellowship hall. All are invited to attend– bring a friend! Come and join us. Contact Pastor Layne to be included in a group text
- MMW Mission Minded Women Meeting Dates: June 13, Aug 8, Oct 10, Dec 12.
- If you are interested in being a part of the Expressive Worship Group– please Contact Michelle Beaton at 423-650-7004

# Happy Birthday

HOLCOMBE, Dorothy	05/05
URANI, Sylvia	05/07
ARSENEAUX, Carisse	05/11
BAMBER, John	05/12
SIMPSON, Amber	05/13
RAITHEL, Caitlyn	05/16
RAITHEL, Lauren	05/16
VANDERWALL, Olivia	05/17
MOORE, Mary Beth	05/20
BROWN, Jack	05/21
SNEED, Chris	05/21
BEATON, Michelle	05/24
BILLETT, John	05/24
HANAGAN, Joseph	05/24

BEATON, Ansley	05/26
COMMINS, Kelly	05/27
ORCUTT, Andrew	05/29
BILLETT, Janet	06/01
DAOUST, Brittany	06/03



COMMINS, Will & Kelly	05/09
NEVANS, James & Jenny	05/10
BLAKNEY, Josiah & Karen	05/12
STEVENER, Wes & Donna	05/19
CARLTON, Johnfred & Jane	06/02
VAN METER, Dennis & Jennifer	06/03

## PRAYER LIST

Please be in prayer for Wilma Wooten for health and healing. Pray for Gene Maye of Bakewell. He is in Critical care at Chattanooga Heart Institute Memorial hospital in Hixon.

Please be in prayer for SaraJane Locke and David Ducote.

Be in prayer for Leighton Boyington who is the 8 month old great niece of Jack and Ursula Brown. She is critically ill and needs prayers.

Be in prayer for Lynn Price for health & healing during her continued treatment and also pray for both Lynn & Rick as they travel back and forth to Birmingham for her appointments.

Keep in your prayers Isabella Urani, Melanie Garand, Donna Taylor, Ursula Brown and Sue Ann Walker for health and healing.

Prayers of healing for Rodrigo Lopez Morales– a DCS student.

Pray for Curt Stinnett, Bob and Sheila Larson, Gary Gillen, Greg Saul and Ed Lawson. Pray for Helen Kallen for strength & healing ( Lynn Price's mother in law), James Knuckles & Tammy Wilkey.

Pray for Pat Holsberry for healing, Robbie Garren, Nancy & Carl Shores for recovery & healing. Prayers for Kella Price, Garry Robinson, Dr. Lynda Moore & the family of Paul Wilhelm.

Prayers for Adair McElynn and her daughter Sharon Reynolds.

Pray for Arnold Fitzgerald, Billie Doty, Rebecca Hollingsworth, Winifred Thomas, Betty Fortner, Darlene & Carolyn Davisson.

Pray for Brenda, Phyllis, Mark, Janie, Terry, Lisa, Frankie, Gerald, Tristen, Ann & Family, Lois & Family, Tammy & Family. Healing Prayers for Gail

*If you would like to add a prayer request– please fill out a needs form–found at each pew or you can email [fumcdayton@gmail.com](mailto:fumcdayton@gmail.com)*

## Special

- **Saturday, May 11th**– Strawberry Festival We are preparing for the parade! We will have a float in the parade this year. We need assistance on several fronts– we need a driver, assistance with float preparation, candy, and float riders/ chaperones. Contact the office or Lorraine Garren for details
- **Sunday, May 19th**– is Graduation Sunday– if you have anyone who is graduating College or High School, Please let Bailey or Pastor Layne know, so that we can honor them!
- **Bailey and Amelia Moore Going away party:** Bailey has faithfully served our church for the last 6 years --2 years as a volunteer and 4 years on staff as our youth minister. We would love to honor them and shower them with our appreciation on his last day, **May 19**. He will be preaching both services that Sunday and in between services, we would like to have a breakfast and money tree to bless them. Please bring a breakfast dish to share and a monetary gift for the special couple. Come and join us!
- **Honduras Missions Trip:** We will be making prayer journals with the school teachers. If you have any scrapbooking materials that you would like to donate, it would be greatly appreciated. Examples- washi tape, designed paper, double-sided scrapbook tape, etc. Please bring donated items to the workroom by May 12 and identify what it is for. For more information, please contact Michelle Beaton 423-650-7004
- **FOOD PANTRY May “Meats” The Need**– Any canned meat or fish, potted meats, Vienna sausages. Food Pantry Sunday is the 4th Sunday , but food is accepted at ANYTIME during the month– Just place it at the altar rail
- We are always in need of **BIBLES AT THE JAIL**. Whoever would like to donate used or new bibles, leave them in the workroom for Heather Sneed. Thank you to those who have contributed
- **YARD SALE: May 30-June 1st**- All items for donation are appreciated. If you want to lend a hand, please contact the church office.

May 5th thru the 19th

Little Learners at First Church

Annual Silent Auction 2024

Its that time of year again! We are getting ready for our annual auction!

This auction is the biggest fundraiser that we do. It allows us to provide, repair, and replace items as needed in the programs. First let me say

THANK YOU! In the past, this fundraiser has only been successful because of the generosity of our parents, and church and community members!

This year we have already started gathering items and they are phenomenal! We are also super excited about some of the theme baskets that we are working on. If you would like to contribute, we appreciate any and all donations. Feel free to donate to any of these baskets, or create a basket or gift to represent your family or business!

Themes-

Backyard BBQ

Straight from Grandma's Kitchen

Pool Party

Chocoholic

Camping

Coffee Lovers

His Self Care

Picnic

Her Self Care

Cozy Sunshine (all things Yellow)

Summer Fun

PURRFECT Pets

Gardening

The Great Outdoors

Candy Lovers

Christian Inspiration

Family Game Night

For more information, please feel free to contact Samantha at 423.619.0697 or Lorraine at 423.618.5806

## God Made a Promise to Abraham Word Search



Find the words on the list that are hidden in the puzzle. The words can be left to right, up and down, or diagonally.

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Z	R	I	T	E	U	F	G	F	I	S	V	E
C	A	O	A	B	R	A	H	A	M	T	E	L
S	O	M	E	N	D	R	E	T	A	T	V	I
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U	N	T	E	L	I	A	T	E	E	R	I	V
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N	U	L	L	A	A	C	O	E	Q	U	I	D
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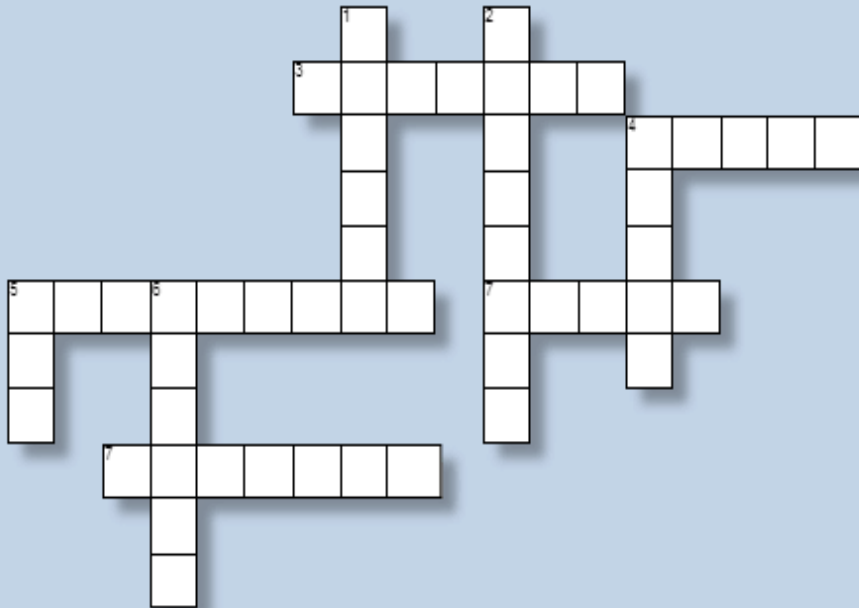
ABRAHAM  
BELIEVED  
CANAAN  
COVENANT

FATHER  
GREAT  
REWARD  
SARAH

OFFSPRING  
STARS



## God Made a Promise to Abraham Crossword Puzzle



### ACROSS

3. God said Abraham would be "the father of many \_\_\_\_\_."
4. Lights in the sky
5. Another name for children
7. Abraham's name before God changed it
8. Accept as true

### DOWN

1. Land where Abraham lived
2. Promise or agreement
4. God changed Sarai's name to this.
5. Not young
6. God told Abraham, "I am your \_\_\_\_\_."

JOIN US FOR AN IN-DEPTH STUDY OF OUR BIBLE, CHRISTIAN CHARACTERISTICS, AND THE LOVE OF JESUS!

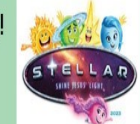
## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUMMER CAMP

M-F 7:30AM-5:30PM

AM OR PM HALF DAY OPTIONS AVAILABLE

\$40/DAY, \$150/WEEK, OR \$600/MONTH (ONLY PAY WHEN ATTENDING!)



EACH WEEK WILL BE AN EXCITING DIFFERENT THEME!

WEEK 1- MAY 20-24 HERO CENTRAL

WEEK 2- MAY 27-31 LAVA LAVA ISLAND

WEEK 3- JUNE 3-7 MONUMENTAL

WEEK 4- JUNE 10-14 STELLAR

WEEK 5- JUNE 17-21 LIGHTHOUSE KIDS

WEEK 6- JUNE 24-28 SHIPWRECKED

WEEK 7- JULY 1-5 SET SAIL

WEEK 8- JULY 8-12 ROAR

WEEK 9- JULY 15-19 WTG- GOOD NEIGHBOR TOUR

WEEK 10- JULY 22-26 CROCODILE DOCK

WEEK 11- JULY 29-AUG 2 GALACTIC BLAST

TO REGISTER PLEASE CONTACT LORRAINE GARREN AT 423.618.5806 OR EMAIL  
FUMCCHILDCAREMINISTRIES@GMAIL.COM



## 2024 Holston Annual Conference ★ Hands-On Mission Project ★

### Hiwassee: Health Kits— Goal 400

Pack these items in a 2-gallon Zip-Loc bag:

- 1 hand towel \_\_\_\_\_
- 1 washcloth
- 2 toothbrushes
- 2 tubes toothpaste (6.4. oz. or less)
- 1 bottle shampoo (15 oz. or less)
- 1 bottle lotion (18 oz. or less)
- 1 solid deodorant (4 oz. or less)
- 1 small spray perfume/cologne/body mist (4 oz. or less)

Pack these separately in sandwich-size Zip-Lock bag please do NOT put in larger 2 gallon bag

- 1 tube antibacterial ointment (1 oz)
- 1 bottle of acetaminophen 500mg (24CT)

**There are 2 gallon zip lock bags in the workroom— please grab one or two!**  
**DROP OFF KITS IN THE WORKROOM BY SUNDAY JUNE 2ND.**  
**THANK YOU!**