

Church Calendar

Today	9:30 a.m.	Food and Fellowship— Fellowship Hall
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:50 a.m.	Worship Fellowship Hall
Wednesday, Nov. 1	6:30—8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
	6:15—7:25	3:16 —Spiritual growth study
	7:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary
Thursday, Nov. 2	9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.	Northern Stokes Food Pantry open, Francisco Presbyterian Church, Francisco, NC
Friday, Nov. 3	6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.	Lawsonville Elementary School Fall Festival
Sunday, Nov. 5		Standard Time Begins (Fall Back) All Saints Sunday
	9:30 a.m.	Food and Fellowship— Fellowship Hall
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:50 a.m.	Worship
Tuesday, Nov. 7	9:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m.	Terrific Tuesdays Together
Wednesday, Nov. 8	6:30—8:00 a.m.	Morning Prayer
	6:15—7:25	3:16 —Spiritual growth study
	7:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Announcements

THE FAITH WE SING: This supplement to the United Methodist Hymnal has been placed in the pews for use during worship. In this book you will find newer songs and some old favorites that were left out of the United Methodist Hymnal. In the bulletin we will list the songs from this book with TFWS.

FALL FESTIVAL AT LAWSONVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL: We are all invited to attend the Fall Festival at Lawsonville Elementary School on Friday, November 3 from 6:00—9:00 p.m. There will be live bluegrass music, s'mores, funnel cakes, a silent auction, bounce houses, games, and tons of fun for kids and adults. The PTA also needs some help with assisting with games and outdoor activities. If you are willing to help please call Casey Elrod at 336-462-6950.

EARLY RESPONSE TEAM TRAINING: Christ United Methodist Church in Greensboro will host an UMCOR Early Response Team Training Day on Saturday, November 18, 2017, 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m. Participants will learn the basics of disaster response, including how to stabilize and secure homes safely, and how to work effectively with survivors and others on the response team. This standardized class is required for the basic ERT UMCOR identification badge.

Participants must be at least 18 years of age. Cost is \$40.00 per person. Registration and payment must be made on line. There will be a link on <https://snowhillumc.org> for registration.

3:16—The Numbers of Hope: Our fall spiritual growth study continues each Wednesday night at 6:15 in the Fellowship Hall. This week we will be discussing Chapter 9.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOEBOX COLLECTION: LAST TWO WEEKS!!!!

Shoebox brochures are available in the narthex. Please return your filled Shoeboxes on or before Sunday, November 13 along with \$9.00. The \$9.00 processing charge helps cover the cost of:

- 1) Shipping costs—Shoeboxes are shipped to over 100 countries
- 2) Gospel material (including *The Greatest Gift*.) Materials are translated to the child's home language and included in every shoebox)

If 10 or more people are interested in going to the Boone Processing Center to help process shoeboxes, one day between November 21 and December 16 please sign up in the Narthex. Processing dates are not available until October and a date will be requested at that time if enough people are interested. If you have any questions, please contact Judy Fain

UMCOR is working in and representing each one of us in Puerto Rico, islands throughout the Caribbean, Florida, Texas, and other areas effected by disasters throughout the world. You can make a donation to UMCOR at any time using one of the Offering Envelopes located in the pews. Indicate UMCORE on the envelope.

NORTHERN STOKES FOOD PANTRY COULD USE YOUR HELP: On the first and third Thursday of every month the Northern Stokes Food Pantry provides food to cover meals for two weeks to 70—90 families living in our area. The Food Pantry is open from 9:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m., with a break from noon to 1 p.m. Volunteers are welcome to help out in the morning, afternoon, or all day. The Food Pantry is located beside Francisco Presbyterian Church. If you are available from 8:00 a.m.—1:00 p.m. on the third Wednesday of the month members of the Snow Hill UMM transport food from Second Harvest Food Bank to the Food Pantry—Please see Joel Moorefield for complete information.

DO YOU KNOW OF SOMEONE IN THE NEED OF HELP? Please contact Pastor Pat at the church or a member of our Outreach Committee—Lee Charleville and Malcolm Roberts are the chairpersons. Even if SHUMC is unable to directly assist the person or family we will connect them with an agency or group that can provide assistance.

SWEAT TO SERVE: We would like to thank Barbara Mabe, Iris and Glenn Robertson, and Pastor Pat and Chuck Spicer for participating in our Sweat To Serve Day yesterday. We were able to accomplish a number of projects around the building. If your schedule would not allow you to work on Saturday, there are still a number of tasks that need to be completed. Please see Chuck Spicer for more information.

SNOW HILL WIFI—Network: **SnowHillPublic-guest**, Password: **Welcome**



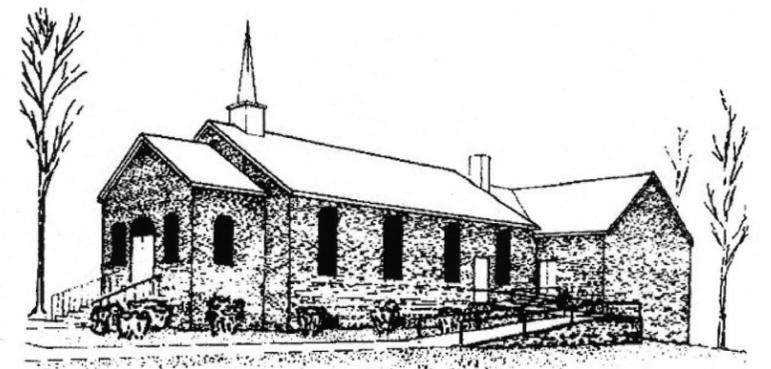
Automated External Defibrillator



In the event of an emergency, there is an AED located in the hallway behind the chancel area.

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OCTOBER 29, 2017

**REV. DR. PATRICIA SPICER
PASTOR**

**REV. KEITH LAWSON
ASSISTANT PASTOR**

SNOW HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
IN WORSHIP

Sunday, October 29, 2017

Liturgical Color—Green

Twenty First Sunday After Pentecost

ANNOUNCEMENTS & WELCOME

We welcome all who have gathered to worship this morning. If you are a visitor, please complete a visitor card, located in the pew card holder, and drop it into the offering plate.

GREETING & WELCOMING OUR SISTERS AND BROTHERS IN CHRIST

Bless be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love, the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE

May we all be in a spirit of prayer as we prepare our hearts and minds for worship during the prelude and as the Word of God and Light of Christ enter the sanctuary.

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

INTROIT *Surely the Presence of the Lord is in this Place* Wolfe

† CALL TO WORSHIP

(Pastor) Lord, You have been our dwelling place throughout all generations.

(Congregation) In You, we come home— to rest, to wrestle, to love, to be loved.

Before the mountains were born, before You delivered the whole world,

from everlasting past to everlasting future, You are God.

In You, we are home— we dream, we flourish, we fade, we rejoice.

We live in You. Let us worship the Lord.

† HYMN OF PRAISE *Jesus, United By Thy Grace* No. 561

† COLLECT (Prayer of the People)

Loving God, You not only welcome us, You receive us into Yourself. Give us courage to be so open to others, to let them become so dear to us, that we might share not only Your gospel but also our lives, through Christ, who makes room for us all. Amen.

† GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen

PASTORAL PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

PROCLAMATION

OLD TESTAMENT READING Leviticus 19: 1-2, 15-18
Lector—Steve Gregg

NEW TESTAMENT READING 1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8
This is the word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM *Hear Us As We Pray* Matt Huesmann

SERMON: *There Are No Greater Words Than These* Pastor Pat
Gospel Text: *Matthew 22: 34-40*

RESPONSE

PRAISES AND CONCERNS OF THE PEOPLE

Prayer Quilt: Sandra Fine (Tommy Wagoner's sister)

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

THANKSGIVING TO GOD THROUGH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

† THE DOXOLOGY No. 94
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below. Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit. Alleluia! Alleluia! Al-le-luia.

SENDING FORTH

† HYMN OF DEDICATION *More Love to Thee, O Christ*
No. 453

† BENEDICTION

† POSTLUDE

Please remain standing as the Light goes out into the world. Our service of worship has ended, our worship through service begins.

† Please stand as you are able

*Participating in today's service: Steve Gregg—Lector
Chuck Spicer—Choir Director, Jennifer Amos—Piano*

ALL SAINTS DAY

November 1 is All Saints Day, a sometimes-overlooked holy day in many congregations. It is not nearly as well known as the day before, All Hallows' (Saints') Eve, better known as Halloween, but is far more important in the life of the church.

In the United Methodist Church, All Saints' Day is observed on the first **Sunday** in **November** to remember deceased members of the local church congregation. At SHUMC we place a candle on the altar and lift up each person in our church community who has died since last October. In addition, each member of the congregation has the opportunity to light a candle on the altar railing in memory of those beloved ones who have died in years passed.