

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Scout Ministries Sunday, February 9, 2020

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE PRELUDE

“Lord, Speak to Me”

THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

Regan McLeary

Processional with U.S., Christian and Unit Flags.

Pledge of Allegiance

Justice Rose

CALL to WORSHIP

Justice Rose

On My Honor

Leader: All the paths of the Lord are steadfast love and faithfulness, for those who keep his covenant and his testimonies. (Psalm 25:10)

Scouts and All: On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country.

Leader: My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments; for length of days and years of life and abundant welfare will they give you. (Proverbs 3:1-2)

Scouts and All: On my honor I will do my best to obey the Scout Law—and the Law is this: A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.

Leader: And he said to him, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind.” This is the great and first commandment. And a second is like it, You shall love your neighbor as yourself. (Matthew 22:37-39)

Scouts and All: On my honor I will do my best to help other people at other times.

Leader: Remember also the Golden Text: And as you wish that men would do to you, do so to them. (Luke 6:31)

Scouts and All: On my honor, I will do my best to keep myself mentally awake.

Leader: Wisdom is the principal thing: Do not forget, and do not turn away from the words of my mouth. Get wisdom; get insight. (Proverbs 4:5)

Scouts and All: On my honor, I will do my best to keep myself morally straight.

Leader: Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have mercy on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. (Isaiah 55:7)

THE HYMN

“Forth in My Name, O Lord”

UMH #438

SCRIPTURE

“Matthew 5:1-12”

Ray Suthers

ANTHEM

“The Longer I Serve Him”

Gaither

THE SCOUT LAW

Mike Barber

Leader: The Scout Law is a guiding light to millions of boys and young adults throughout the world today, but the principles of the law have been brought to us from ancient days. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. (Exodus 20:16)

Scouts: A Scout is trustworthy.

Leader: He who is faithful in a very little is faithful also in much; and he who is dishonest in a very little is dishonest also in much. (Luke 16:10)

Scouts: A Scout is loyal.

Leader: You shall not take vengeance or bear any grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself. ... (Leviticus 19:18)

Scouts: A Scout is helpful.

Leader: Behold, how good and pleasant it is when brothers dwell in unity! (Psalm 133)

Scouts: A Scout is friendly.

Leader: Let no evil talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for edifying, as fits the occasion, that it may impart grace to those who hear. (Ephesians 4:29)

Scouts: A Scout is courteous.

Leader: A righteous man has regard for the life of his beast, but the mercy of the wicked is cruel. (Proverbs 12:10)

Scouts: A Scout is kind.

Leader: Children obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. Honor thy first commandment with promise; that it may be well with thee and thou mayest live long on the earth. (Ephesians 6:1-3)

Scouts: A Scout is obedient.

Leader: A glad heart makes a cheerful countenance, but by sorrow of heart the spirit is broken. The mind of him who has understanding seeks knowledge, but the mouths of fools feed on folly. All the days of the afflicted are evil, but a cheerful heart has a continual feast. (Proverbs 15:13-15)

Scouts: A Scout is cheerful.

Leader: Go to the ant, O sluggard; consider her ways, and be wise. Without having any chief, officer or ruler, she prepares her food in summer, and gathers her sustenance in harvest. (Proverbs 6:6-8)

Scouts: A Scout is thrifty.

Leader: Be strong and of good courage, do not fear or be in dread of them: for it is the Lord your God who goes with you; he will not fail you or forsake you. (Deuteronomy 31:6)

Scouts: A Scout is brave.

Leader: Who shall ascend the hill of the Lord? And who shall stand in his holy place? He who has clean hands and a pure heart, who does not lift up his soul to what is false and does not swear deceitfully. He will receive blessing from the Lord, and vindication from the God of his salvation. (Psalm 24:3-5)

Scouts: A Scout is clean.

Leader: And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength. This is the first commandment. (Mark 12:30)

Scouts: A Scout is reverent, he is reverent toward God. He is faithful in his religious duties and respects the convictions of others in matters of custom and religion.

METHODIST MEN 100 YEAR PATCH PRESENTATION Mike Warwick

THE MESSAGE David Leckie, Buckskin Council

JOYS & CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

RESPONSE "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" **UMH #349**

GIVING OF OUR GIFTS

THE OFFERTORY "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

THE DOXOLOGY "Praise God, from Whole All Blessings Flow" **UMH #95**

Prayer of Dedication **Regan McLeary**

Your importance in our lives, O God, is reflected in our gifts. We return to you, through the ministry and outreach of this church, a portion of all that you have entrusted to us. We promise that these offerings will not be the end of our giving. We will also invest our time and abilities in your work of healing, comforting, teaching, guiding, and proclaiming good news. Bless each gift, whatever its size, and multiply the good to be done through our talents and treasure. Amen

HYMN "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me" **FWS #2153**

Benediction

Now to him who is able to keep you from falling and to present you without blemish before the presence of his glory with rejoicing to the only God, our Savior through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time, now and forever. Amen.



***Morning Worship
February 9, 2020
Pastor Paul Helmick
First United Methodist Church
South Charleston***

Ministry of Worship

The Ushers: Caden Moore,
Carsen Moore, Gabriel Moore,
Zackery Moore, Hannah Fields

Acolyte: Reagan McLeary

Flag Bearers: US Flag, Sam Milem
Church Flag, Zoey Craft
Troop Flag, Jordan Wyatt

Cub Pack Flag, Hannah Fields

Christian Education Director:
Carrie Hamilton

WOW: Wednesday, February 12, 2020

Director of Music: William Holbrook

Administrative Assistant: Linda Nehr

Deadline for submitting items for
Sunday Worship bulletin is

Noon on Wednesday.

Custodian: Janice Pauley

Tape Ministry: Gary Good,

What Is Happening This Week at First Church

February 9 through February 16, 2020

SUN: 9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship
5:30 PM Youth in Youth Room
MON: 11:00 PM Anna King Circle in Social Hall
5:00 PM Zumba
7:00 PM Mary Jane Van Camp Circle in Parlor
7:00 PM Boy Scouts in Scout Room
TUES: 5:00 PM Zumba
6:00 PM Tops
6:00 PM Finance Committee Meeting in Parlor
6:45 PM Cub Scouts in Scout Room
WED: 5:00 PM WOW! for children in Wesley (Social) Hall
THUR: 5:00 PM Zumba in Youth Room
4:00 PM Social Hall reserved
7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal

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The Anna King Circle is proposing a bus trip to the Ark Encounter

in Williamsburg, Ky on Tuesday, April 14th. It is located between

Lexington and Cincinnati. The trip will include admission ticket, cafeteria dinner, and bus fare for the amazing low price of \$130.00 per person. The bus will pick us up at the church at 6:00 a.m. promptly and will return to the church around 8:00 p.m. The Anna King Circle members will be given first choice and may bring a spouse or guest. The bus will stop about half-way into the trip for leg stretch. The Ark is three story, with ramps, no steps and has an elevator that will take you to the third floor if you prefer and then you can walk down the ramp. It also has benches along the way for rest stop.

If you are going, I need you to make a check payable to me (Kathy Judge), and I will go to bank to get a cashier's check for the tour company. I need to give a count by February 28th and a deposit must be made at that time.

Full payment must be made to the tour company by April 1. If you are interested in taking this trip, please let me know as soon as possible. To

learn more about the Ark Encounter visit their website at:
<https://arkencounter.com>.

Our February 21 Shrove Pancake Community Dinner from 5:00 – 6:30 p.m. in Wesley Hall will feature pancakes, waffles, sausage, juice, milk, coffee, a variety of toppings and both regular and sugar-free syrup. All are welcome. Donations will be accepted but are not required. Proceeds, after expenses, will help finance the First Church men's charitable projects.

MAC 'N CHEESE CHALLENGE

Important Notice Regarding Prayer Lists

Our ongoing prayer list seems to grow every week. All prayers are important and there are many needs for prayer. Each week, new prayer requests are made and room for additional names must be made. Therefore, the removal of some names is required. Prayers can continue even when names are no longer in print. Names will remain on the New Prayer List for two weeks.

After two weeks, unless the church is notified to keep the name on the Ongoing Prayer Requests, the name will be removed. If asked to keep the name listed, it will move to the Ongoing Prayer Request for another two weeks. If the church is not notified to keep the name on the list, it will be removed. It is known that some names on the list involve ongoing health issues and we will be glad to keep these names listed for a longer period of time when asked. **No name will stay on lists for more than one month without being notified to keep it.**

Did you know we have a Snow Day Program? When Kanawha County Schools close due to inclement weather, we offer a **Free** snow day program for children ages four and up from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Breakfast and lunch are served, and the children have the opportunity to play games, make crafts, watch movies and sing. Please contact Sara Hampton (304)545-8398 if you can volunteer to help with children or prepare lunch on snow days.

If you have a prayer request, email Kathy Judge at corljudge@aol.com

or call her cell phone at 304-550-2172.

Altar Flowers Open Dates: April 19, 26, May 3, 24, 31

and June 21, 2020. Please call the church office if you would like

