



CHILDREN

Ages 0-Age 5

SUNDAYS
NURSERY | 9am-12pm | Newborn - 5yrs | Main Floor
SUNDAY SCHOOL | 10am | Ages 0-4: Main Floor | Grades K-5: Third Floor

WEDNESDAYS
CHILDREN’S CHOIR | 6pm | starts September 2

CONTACT | Director of Children’s Ministries
Lisa Cavallucci | lisa@fumcmorristown.org



YOUTH

Grades 6-12

SUNDAYS
RIOT | 10am | Grades 6-12 | Youth City
REVELATION YOUTH CHOIR | 5pm | starts August 9

WEDNESDAYS
RALLY | 6pm | Youth City

CONTACT | Youth Director
Lori Hotel | LorenHotel@yahoo.com



ADULTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES | Sundays (year around) | 10am
Please scan the QR code on the front of the bulletin to explore which class is right for you!

CONTACT | Sunday School Coordinators
Mike & Sandy Pittman | mspitt@charter.net





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For more information about activities/events or calendar items, please go to the Church Center app. If you need assistance operating the app, see Lisa Cavallucci or Ben Stapleton. They are happy to assist you. You may also pick up a FUMC calendar of events in the narthex or gym.



GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

WORSHIP & HOSPITALITY OPPORTUNITIES ON CAMPUS

Soaky Mountain Family Day | Wednesday | July 29 | 11am-7pm | \$20
Join us for a day at the Waterpark. Sign up in the church office or on the Church Center app. Kids ages 2 and under are free. We will have a cabana reserved for our families to set their stuff and use during the day. Sign up by July 19.

Blessing of the Backpacks | Sunday | August 2 | Both services
Students and school employees, drop your backpacks off or bring them up front with you while we pray over them for each student, teacher, and school employee to have a blessed school year.

Prayer Crosses | Sunday | August 9 | Both services
If you would like to pray for one of our children or youth this school year, you can pick up a cross with a student's name on it at the end of each service. That student will become your prayer partner for the year. Your daily prayers are a meaningful way to encourage and support them as they grow, learn, and navigate the school year ahead.

Hymns of our Faith | Sunday | September 27 | 6pm
The music ministry will lead a service of favorite hymns of our congregation. Choirs will be joined by brass and percussion and more as well. Make sure to mark your calendars and plan to attend this special service.



GROW TO BE LIKE JESUS

DISCIPLESHIP, TEACHING & SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

Joyful Hearts | Thursday | July 30 | 9:30am-6pm | \$20
Join Joyful Hearts for their second annual mystery tour! We will depart at 9:30am. Cost covers gas for the bus and admission fee. Bring money for lunch as well. Signup in the Church Center app or in the church office.

Promotion Sunday | August 2 | 10am
Children and youth will be promoted to the next grade level Sunday School class. This is a great time for your kids to get involved in Sunday School.

Parent Meeting | Sunday | August 16 | 10am | Community Room
Parents of children and youth join us for an important informational meeting as we fill out health forms, talk about the upcoming semester of activities and make announcements concerning youth choir tour and mission trip.



GO TO SERVE THE WORLD

MISSION OPPORTUNITIES OFF-CAMPUS & CONGREGATIONAL CARE

School Supply Drive for Hillcrest Elementary | supplies due by August 16

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| Pencils | Combs |
| Crayola Crayons | Brushes |
| Hand Sanitizer | Shampoo |
| Glue Sticks | Deodorant |
| Cap Erasers | Bar Soap |
| Colored Pencils | |
| Highlighters | |
| Pencil Pouches | |

Rummage Sale | Friday & Saturday | September 18 & 19
Drop off items 5pm-7pm on Wednesday, September 16 and all day Thursday, September 17.

WELCOME TO

First United Methodist Church

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July 19, 2026

Making disciples as we gather, grow, and go.



Felt: When Faith Gets Honest

July 19 | Doubt & Trust

WELCOME to **F**irst **U**nited **M**ethodist **C**hurch (FUMC). We would love to have you fill out your name and any information you feel comfortable sharing on the red attendance pad. If you need help with anything today, please contact one of our ushers, pastors, or security team members. We hope you will join us again as we *Gather, Grow, and Go* at FUMC.



GATHER



GROW



GO



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1. OPEN THE CAMERA ON YOUR PHONE
2. AIM IT AT THE QR CODE
3. TAP THE BANNER THAT APPEARS
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WORSHIP

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Red

July 19, 2026

9:00am

Please remember to silence cell phones.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS and devices for the hearing impaired are available for this morning’s service. Please see an usher.

(*) Please stand as you are able.

Welcome and Announcements

*Passing of the Peace

Call To Worship

Our souls wait in silence;

our hope rests in God

our rock

our salvation

our refuge.

We will not be shaken.

In this time of worship,

we pour out our hearts

because we trust in God’s steadfast love.

Lord, we believe. **Help our unbelief.**

Prelude

Allegro from Concerto III

J. G. Walther

*Hymn UMH 529

How Firm a Foundation

FOUNDATION

(verse 2- women only; verse 3- men only)

*Affirmation of Faith UMH 885

The Nicene Creed

Becky Reel

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.**

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Gloria Patri UMH 70	Glory be to the Father	MEINEKE
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.		
Anthem	arr. by K. Lee Scott	
<i>Come with Hearts and Voices Sounding</i>		
Celebrations and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer	Asa Majors	
Lord's Prayer		
<i>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.</i>		
Prayer for Illumination	Becky Reel	
<i>Holy God, author of the Word made flesh, to whom belongs both the first Word and the last, open us to your Spirit, that as scripture is spoken and your Word proclaimed, we may be comforted, convinced, and changed to the glory of Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.</i>		
Psalm	Psalm 62	
The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.		
*Hymn UMH 462	<i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</i>	TRUST IN JESUS
*Gospel Lesson	Mark 9:14-28	
The Word of God for the people of God. Thanks be to God.		
Sermon	<i>Felt: When Faith Gets Honest- Doubt & Trust</i>	Pastor Asa
Worship of God by Giving Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory	<i>Adagio from Concerto III</i>	Walther
*Doxology UMH 94	LASST UNS ERFREUEN	
<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>		
<i>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! Alleluia!</i>		
*Prayer of Dedication		
*Hymn UMH 368	<i>My Hope Is Built</i>	THE SOLID ROCK
*Benediction		
*Choral Benediction	<i>Amen</i>	Mendelssohn
*Postlude	<i>Improvisation</i>	
(Please remain standing and silent as the organ concludes our worship.)		

ALTAR FLOWERS today are given by John and Judy Stroud in memory of Peggy and Bob Collins.

USHERS Jerry Cranford, capt., Jeff Cranford, Susan Frazier, Charles Goddard, Darwin Kilday, Jeff Wright

ACOLYTE Travis Hotel

CRUCIFER Robert Kelly

Church Financial Update
June 30, 2026,
Month to date: \$4,510.
Year to date: (\$41,275)

Sermon Notes