

MORRIS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ANNOUNCEMENTS & PARISH NOTICES – March 24, 2024

WELCOME!

Welcome to Morris Chapel United Methodist Church! We are delighted that you joined us in Christian Education and Worship today. Morris Chapel United Methodist Church welcomes visitors who are seeking a church home, those who join us for special occasions, and those who seek relief from life's burdens. Join us in praising God, making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world, and giving thanks to a loving God for the blessings of the day!

CALENDAR

Every Sunday	9:30 am	Worship Service – in person and Livestream
Sunday	10:30 am	Fellowship Time
Sunday	10:45 am	Sunday Schools
Tuesday	10:00 am	Bible Study “Sunday’s Coming” Pastor Seymour
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Choir Practice – all are welcome

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

First Time Visitors! We are so glad you joined us, and we hope you return! Please pick up a coffee mug with goodies and info at the front door area as you exit. It is a token of our gratitude and love for visiting our Worship Service. Be blessed

Holy Week & Easter Services -- We will gather for Maundy Thursday worship at 7:15 PM on March 28 to recognize and remember the Last Supper. **CHANGE:** Easter Sunrise Service will be on the front lawn at 7:30 AM, not 7:15 am and will be followed by The Resurrection of our Lord at 9:30 AM. Please attend, and also invite family & friends to join us.

The Easter Cantata will be presented on Easter Sunday at the 9:30 Service. It is entitled “The Offer Still Stands.” Come to hear this wonderful music and join in the praise and worship of our awesome Risen Lord!

The Men from Morris Chapel will serve an Easter Breakfast from 8-9:00 am with bacon, sausage, and egg casseroles after the Easter Sunrise Service. Everyone is invited to the breakfast! Greg Vorholt 586-201-0687

Easter Egg Hunt! Will be held for all the children on Easter Sunday, following the 9:30 Service! Hope to see all there!

The Scholarship Committee will have scholarship applications ready on Easter Sunday for those interested. Please see Danny Baker or Sandra Carter to obtain a copy or for any questions.

The Month of March the Mission Committee will collect items for The Haven, a safe house for abused men, women and children. They are requesting full size hair items such as shampoo, conditioner, mousse and hairspray as people can be there for 60 days or more. They also need of cleaning products like Clorox or Pine Sol. If you find it in your heart and can help, collection bins will be in the church narthex and the Fellowship Hall. Thank you and God Bless

Pastor’s Tuesday Bible Study is an extension of the Sunday Sermon! Class starts at 10:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Every week is a different topic so you are never “behind” in this study. Come & see.... Our group is growing....

A Delicious Time of Year will end TODAY! This last day of sales, we will be selling small chocolate covered peanut butter balls, peanut clusters, and Buckeyes priced at \$4.00 a bag. (Correct change greatly appreciated!) The proceeds will go to the Men’s group and will be earmarked for decorations and choir robes. Project ladies are Terrena Shelton, Marion Huepper, Marcia Garcia and Mavis Harper. We thank you!

The 2024 Fellowship Hall Calendar is posted in the Fellowship Hall on the left bulletin board just as you enter. **Committee Chairs**, please enter all meetings scheduled for the FH on this calendar. If an Announcement is needed for the church, email the bulletin preparers by Wednesday morning what you wish to have listed. Thanks!

New Site: Accessing Sunday Sermons is as easy and going on Facebook. Refresh your memory, rethink the messages, be enriched again. May God bless your devotion. <https://www.facebook.com/MorrisChapelUnitedMethodistChurch>

PARISH NOTICES

The Center for Leadership Excellence invites you to a webinar, *Looking Up: Acknowledging Grief, Embracing Hope* with Courtney Ellis. This is an invitation into simple, gentle, creative spiritual practices that encourage our hearts as we seek to live with open hands. Whether you're holding the weight of grief, seeking to lead well through uncertain days, or just eager for a fresh encounter with the Spirit, Ellis is a wise and soulful guide. **Tuesday, March 19, 2024 1pm- 2pm**
Go to <https://nccumc.org/leadership/looking-up-acknowledging-grief-embracing-hope/> to register

Announcements: by noon on Wednesdays to Laurel Parker at laurelparker@charter.net or (919) 271-0963

AND Mavis Harper at mavisharper1944@gmail.com or (919) 770-0489.

PLEASE word your announcement as you wish to see it printed.. Thank you

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Sherry Baucom Lucas Bell Vicke & Randy Buchanan Joey Campbell Kristie Casterlin Congregational Unity Jayden Cockran Jimmy Clifton James Dean Linda Dilley Abby Faulkerson LeeAnn Finicum	Ron Hartman Beth Hedging Mark Hickman Jimmy Holt Teresa Ingram Ann Jackson Evan & Leslie Johnson Nancy Johnson Tom Kirby Charles Maddox Maude Maloney Ann McLeod	Maxine McLeod Foster McNeill Rhonda McNeill Mike Phillips Susie Pierce Helen Rogers Family of Betty Rosser Anna Sanfilippo Shirley Salmon Richard Saucier Ron & Peggy Scott Becky Seymour	Kyle Smith Kenneth Spivey Lisa Stafford Hilton Stewart Denny Summers Joyce Key Thomas United Methodist Church United States of America Pam Vaughan Ruth Watson Jimmy Womack
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Weekly Attendance, Tithes & Offerings

Attendance 3/17/24 93

Tithes & Offerings as of: 03/17/2024	
2024 Budget - Needed to Date:	\$ 40,678.49
2024 Budget - Received to Date:	\$ 66,722.47
Running Surplus /(Deficit)	\$ 26,043.98

WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE

Mar	Acolytes	Children's Message	Lay Readers	Ushers	Greeters	Communion Servers
24	Ian Carter Isabelle Sturgill	Krystle Ray	Doug Currin	Richard Angel Pat Angel	Marian Huepper Marcia Garcia	
31	Paisley Kilmer Teagon Kilmer	Stacey Burris	Gary Maddox	Dan Wissinger Melanie Wissinger	Donnie Carter Sandra Carter	
Apr 7	JC Ray Bryson Baker	Gillian Hubley	Drew Burris	Jack Harper Mavis Harper	Crystal Burichin Gail Thomas Travis Thomas	Rev. Sue Job Don Job Deb Callodonato George Orlovsky
14	Jason Morton Calleigh Baker	Richard Angel	Inge Hersman	Greg Vorholt Gary Maddox	Doug Currin Crystal Burichin	
21	Rylee Ray Bryson Baker	Krystle Ray	George Orlovsky	Carolyn Saucier Danny Baker	Dan Wissinger Melanie Wissinger	

After Worship Treats will be provided by Jeanette Cox. Thank you!