



THE WEEKLY CONNECTION

May 31—June 8

SUNDAY SERVERS

Crucifer

Court Martin

Acolytes

Sarah Bette Bundy, Colt Kushnereit

Ushers

Bob Bundy, Cliff Wimberly,
Pat and Devi Murphy

Greeters

Carolyn Matthews, Ellen Hill

Nursery

Beth O'Neal

Liturgist

Gary Ayers

Communion Servers

Kassidy Forbes, Adelaide Rogers

Fellowship

Ouida Shearouse

Seekers Book Group

11:30am, June 6th, Book: *The Rooster Bar* by John Grisham

American Red Cross Blood Drive

The next blood drive is Thursday, June 6th from 12 noon until 6pm in the Fellowship Hall. Appointments are valuable as the Red Cross staffs the drive based on the number of appointments. If you don't have an appointment, please call 1-800-733-2767 or log onto redcrossblood.org. Walk-ins are sincerely appreciated and the best time to walk in is after 3:00pm. For questions, please contact Merle Hoagland (843-476-7715) or e-mail merle13@embarqmail.com.

Church Family and VBS Kickoff Picnic

Following Worship on Sunday, June 9, 2019

We will enjoy a picnic lunch and games on the lawn. We will serve inside and have tables for eating inside and outside. The church will provide the chicken and drinks. We ask that you bring a side dish to share. Sign up in your bulletin if you and your family plan on attending.

Retirement Reception for Rev. Frank Lybrand

Carteret Street UMC will hold a reception for Rev. Frank Lybrand, who is retiring as our Pastor at Carteret Street UMC. His last Sunday with us is June 23. We are grateful for Frank's faithful work and leadership and celebrate his retirement. The reception will be held immediately following the worship service on June 23.

The Staff-Parish Relations Committee will be coordinating the reception. If you wish to help, contact Rachel Mills, the church office or sign up in your bulletin and let us know what you will bring or how you can help. We need sandwiches, finger foods, cookies, etc. Please have your food to the kitchen before the worship service on June 23.

Welcome Reception for Rev. Bryson Williams

Carteret Street UMC will hold a reception for Rev. Bryson Williams, who has been appointed as our new Pastor at Carteret Street UMC. His first Sunday with us is June 30. We are delighted to have Rev. Williams and his family with us and look forward to his leadership here. The reception will be held immediately following the worship service on June 30.

The Staff-Parish Relations Committee will be coordinating the reception. If you wish to help, contact Rachel Mills, the church office or sign up in your bulletin and let us know what you will bring or how you can help. We need sandwiches, finger foods, cookies, etc. Please have your food to the kitchen before the worship service on June 30.

SC Annual Conference, June 2-6, 2019

The South Carolina United Methodist Annual Conference will meet in Greenville, SC beginning this Sunday. Ken and Rachel Mills are our Lay Delegates and will be attending along with our Pastor. Pray for God's wisdom and guidance as they consider the missional needs of our conference.

UMYF

June 2 6:00-7:30pm, Regular UMYF

June 8 9am-11:30am, Youth to come help decorate for VBS.

June 9 11:45am-2pm, Church Family and VBS Kickoff Picnic. This will be UMYF for this day.

June 16 Celebrate Father's Day! NO UMYF

June 23 11:45am, Farewell Reception for Rev. Lybrand; 6:00-7:30pm, Regular UMYF

June 30 11:45am, Welcome Reception for Rev. Williams; 6:00-7:30pm, Regular UMYF

For questions or concerns, please contact Lynn Stratton.

Check your email for updates!!!

Children's Corner

Children's Sunday School, Room 300

Unit 3: Family Friends

Session 1: "Peter and John" Acts 3:1-4, 22

Memory Verse: *An abundance of grace was at work among them all.* Acts 4:33.

Come join us!

Children's Sunday School Leaders are needed!!

We need Sunday School volunteers through the summer and specifically for:

June 9th and 30th, time 9:30—10:15.

Please contact Melinda if you are able/or interested.

VBS Work Day

Saturday, June 8th, 9am-11:30am

Everyone is welcome to come help decorate and prepare the church for a wonderful week.

Vacation Bible School,

Cokesbury's To Mars and Beyond: Explore Where God's Power Can Take You!

VBS will be June 10-14, 2019.

9:00 am - 12 noon

Ages 4 (by September 1, 2019) - 5th grade

Registration forms available on the website or in the church office. Registration forms were due May 24th. If you have not yet registered your child, please do so asap.

We still need youth volunteers and storytellers for VSB!! Please contact Melinda if you can help.

Day Camp

July 15-19, 2019

\$50.00 per participant

Register by July 8, 2019

NOTE: Youth Volunteers needed

Any questions please contact:
Melinda Ackerman,

bowers_melinda@yahoo.com
or (843) 592-0417 (cell)

All Ages and Stages Sunday School Class

This class is studying the Genesis to Revelation Series and is currently studying Genesis.

Come join us!

Connect with us!

www.carteretstumc.org

Visit us on Facebook!

facebook.com/csumcbeaufort

HELP of Beaufort Food Pantry

On the first Sunday of every month, please bring peanut butter & jelly. Other pantry items needed during the month are boxed dry cereal, boxed macaroni & cheese, canned meats, soups & vegetables, flour, grits, rice, mayonnaise, sugar & vegetable oil.

Trouble The Water Book Available

Rev. Dr. Rebecca Bruff's historical novel on Robert Smalls can be ordered in the Church Office. The cost of the book is \$29.95 hardback and \$19.95 paperback. Make checks payable to CSUMC.

Congratulations to Our Graduates

If you or anyone in your family will be graduating from high school or college this year, please call the church office to let us know. We will have Graduate Recognition Sunday on June 9th.

Confirmation Sunday, June 9th

We have two of our youth to be confirmed on Sunday, June 9 during the morning worship service. Adelaide Rogers and Cassidy Forbes have been meeting with our pastor and Mrs. Cindy Coburn-Smith each Sunday afternoon to discuss the Christian faith and the meaning of Christian discipleship. Adelaide and Cassidy will assist the Rev. Dr. Becky Bruff and Gary Ayers serving Holy Communion this Sunday. Pray for them as they prepare to take for themselves the vows of membership.

Altar Guild

The monthly Altar Guild meeting will be Friday, June 7th at 9:00am.

Wear Red for Pentecost

We invite everyone to wear red on June 9th, Pentecost Sunday.

HIGHLIGHTS THIS WEEK:

Sunday, June 2

9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Worship
6:00pm UMYF

Monday, June 3

7:00am AA Meeting
1:00pm Carillon Choir Practice
1:00pm Alzheimer's Group

Tuesday, June 4

7:00am AA Meeting
7:00am Carteret Street Striders
6:00pm Cub Scouts
7:00pm Boy Scouts

Wednesday, June 5

7:00am AA Meeting
5:30pm Wednesday Niter
7:00pm Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, June 6

7:00am AA Meeting
7:00am Carteret Street Striders
11:30am Seekers
12:00noon ARC Blood Drive
5:30pm Girl Scouts

Friday, June 7

7:00am AA Meeting
9:00am Altar Guild
10:30am BayView Devotions

Saturday, June 8

7:30am AA Meeting
9:00am VBS Work Day