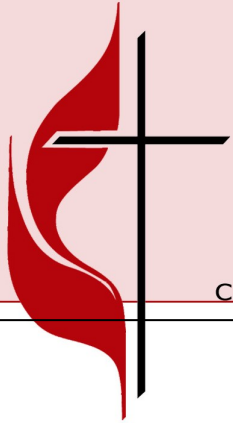


OCTOBER 2022



CARTERET C O N N E C T I O N

CARTERET STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH | BEAUFORT, SC

A Word from Pastor Bryson...

I believe each of us would agree the town we live in is so great. Beaufort is a wonderful place. One of our members, who has been in Beaufort for 50 years or so, says beautifully: "I'm not from Beaufort, but I got here as soon as I could." I think she is absolutely correct. We are so lucky to get to live here.

I also know that we have a wonderful Church. Carteret Street UMC is a place to belong. We are an important part of the community. CSUMC does a lot of important work. We have opportunities to serve God and to love our neighbors. We can also come and worship the Lord.

I note all of the above so you might ponder this: God has blessed us in so many ways. We serve a wonderful God. God loves us and forgives us and offers us a new life and eternal life. We should all be thankful.

As you read this, I hope you are agreeing with my thoughts. I hope these musings have each of us pondering our lot in life. I like to ask questions so I offer a few for you to consider:

- Do you thank God for all of your blessings?
- Knowing the Lord has blessed you so richly, do you live your life like you know it?
- Are you serving God like you should?
- Do you hear God's call on your life and are you living into it?

If you are not sure about these questions, please pray about them. My hope is we all seek God's will for our lives! Let me know how you are doing with these thoughts and questions. If I might help you, please let me know.

Blessings,
Pastor Bryson

Carteret Street United Methodist Church

Cordially invites you to join us for worship service at

8:30am or 10:30am October 2, 2022 to celebrate the 100th anniversary

of the Sanctuary. Bishop L. Jonathan Holston will be joining us

for the morning sermon.

Luncheon following 10:30am service

Regrets only (843) 524-3841

carteretstreetumc@gmail.com



Health and Wellness Checks

The Health and Wellness Committee is offering blood pressure and pulse checks at various times. Upcoming checks will be during our Wednesday Nites on October 19, November 16 and December 14.

Of course, no advice will be given regarding your medications or other problems. This information is provided so that you can discuss it with your personal medical provider for their judgement, if needed.

MISSION ALERT

The Margey Pfeiffer Prayer Shawl Ministry needs our help! Our supply of prayer shawls is running low. If interested in this ministry, please call Cindy Keener.

American Red Cross Blood Drive

The next blood drive is December 1, 2022 from 11:30am-5:30pm 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.

Snacks Needed for Beaufort Nursing and Rehab (BayView Manor)

Items requested for residents: granola bars, individual fruit cups, cereal bars, raisins, crackers or any other individually bagged snacks such as Cheez-its or Goldfish. Please drop off at the Church Office. Thank you!!

HELP of Beaufort Food Pantry

HELP of Beaufort is in need of many items for their food pantry such as peanut butter & jelly, boxed dry cereal, boxed macaroni & cheese, canned vegetables, canned ravioli, canned tomato products, canned fruit, flour, grits, rice, mayonnaise, sugar, vegetable oil, pasta sauce & bottled water. They also need laundry detergent. These items can be dropped off at the Church Office.



OFFICE SECURITY

A security system has been installed in the Church Office. The new system is active and it will require you to be buzzed in during office hours. If you need to get in at other times, please let us know. Thank you!

Nametags

Carteret Street UMC nametags are available for purchase at \$10.00 each. Some of you already have them, but if you do not, please let us know if you would like to buy one. Fill out the attached form in your Sunday bulletin with your name so we can order them or call the Church Office. We would like for each person to wear their name tags on Sunday mornings and other church events. Thank you!

Operation Christmas Child

Shoebboxes are available in the Fellowship Hall. If you would like to fill a box, please pick one up, fill it and return to the Church by Sunday, November 13th. The Mission Outreach Committee will pay the shipping. Any questions, please call the Church Office or Cliff Wimberly.



CSUMC Decals and Carabiner Key Chains

Window cling CSUMC decals and carabiner keychains are available in the Church Office.

Advent Devotional Booklet

We are offering a daily devotional guide for the Advent season and need your help. Each devotion should include a brief meditation, prayer, and scripture with a 325 word maximum, patterned after The Upper Room. For details call the church office, 843-524-3841. Please call the church office to sign up by October 3. Devotions due by October 24.



Trunk or Treat, Wednesday, October 26th, 6-7:30pm

Trunks Needed!! Sign up in your bulletin. Candy donations also needed! Drop candy off at the Church Office!

All Saints Sunday

All Saints Sunday will be celebrated on Sunday, November 6, 2022. This is a time of remembrance for those who have died since last All Saints Sunday. When you enter the church, there will be bells available for you to pin on the banner in remembrance of those you have loved and lost through the years. Also candles will be lit in memory of church and family members who have died since last All Saints Sunday.

Feathers For A Feast

Pluck a turkey and help provide a Thanksgiving meal for a family in need. Turkeys will be in the Fellowship Hall beginning Sunday, October 30, 2022. Please return items to church by Sunday, November 20, 2022. Items should be in the original package and not cooked.

Wednesday Niters

We will serve dinner from 5:30pm – 6pm followed by a program or Bible Study and children’s activities which will begin at 6:15 pm. Menus are posted weekly in the bulletin.

Please sign up for dinner on the attached form in your Sunday bulletin or call the Church Office by 12noon on Monday. Indicate if you would like to be added to the permanent reservation list. The cost for the meal is \$7 for adults, \$4 for age 12 and under, families not to exceed \$20. (note price change)

Kitchen Sign-In Roster

If you are using the kitchen, please sign the sign-in roster located on the clipboard on the wall by the kitchen door. Include the date, responsible person/group and a phone number. Thank you!

Nursery Volunteers Needed!

We need 2 nursery volunteers each Sunday from 8:15am-11:30am. If you are interested in helping out, please sign up in your bulletin or contact Melinda.

Looking Ahead

Veteran’s Day Breakfast

November 13th, 9:30am

Thanksgiving Lunch

November 20th, after 10:30 worship

Hanging of the Greens

November 27th, 6:00pm

Advent Worship and Lunch

November 28th, December 5th, 12th and 19th

Candlelight Communion Christmas Eve Worship

December 24th

5pm, outside (weather permitting)

7pm, Sanctuary

Children’s Corner

Children's Sunday School Class

K – 5th grade - Room 300, 9:30am

Wonderful Wednesdays!!

Dinner at 5:30pm. Children’s program from 6:15-6:50pm beginning October 19th. We will have a Scavenger Hunt! Come join us!!

Pumpkin Unloading

October 9th, 12:30pm

Come out and help unload pumpkins!!

Blessing of the Animals

October 16th, 5:00pm

Third-Grade Bibles

If your child is a third-grader or has not received a Bible, please call the Church Office or send an email as soon as possible so Bibles can be ordered. 3rd Graders will receive Bibles on October 23rd during worship.

Trunk or Treat

October 26th, 6:00-7:30pm



Wear your favorite Halloween costume and enjoy the festively decorated trunks filled with yummy treats. Trunks Needed! Please call Melinda if you would like to decorate your trunk or sign-up in your bulletin.

Contact Melinda Ackerman for more information regarding Children’s Ministry.



OCTOBER 15, 2022

8am-2pm

Sign-up to help in the Fellowship Hall.

Our Fall Bazaar is right around the corner and we need your help. Each booth has a chairperson who needs the support of others. There is work to be done on the day of the Bazaar as well as the weeks leading up to it. **We need your help to unload boxes of books and other items on Saturday, October 15th at 6:00am.**

Items Not To Donate

Please do not bring old electronics, such as older box style televisions and computer monitors. Also no encyclopedias will be accepted.

Garden Shop

Those providing plants, please bring your plants to the Garden Shop area (near Carteret Street) on Friday, October 14th (9AM to 2PM). Your donations should be marked with plant type and color, if not apparent, and your recommended price.

Baked Goods

Baked goods needed. Goodies should be labeled, bagged or wrapped and please let us know if they contain nuts.

Handicrafters

Handicrafters needed!! Bring your completed projects to the church.

Good Junque and Silent Auction

It is time to start bringing Good Junque and Silent Auction items for the bazaar!!

Other Booths that need your help!

Books and Records, Concessions, Tools & Stuff, Toys & Games, Set-Up & Take-Down, Carry Out

Monetary Help

If you are unable to help with the preparations or work at the Bazaar and would still like to help - HERE IS YOUR CHANCE! You may make a monetary donation to help defray some of the expenses. Please make your donation to CSUMC and mark it for "Bazaar". Donations can be mailed or dropped off to the church. This is a great way for EVERYONE to be involved.

Question or Concerns, contact Bazaar Chairperson, Mickey Stoble or Bazaar Co-Chairperson, Mike McFee.

The Faith We Sing for the Sanctuary

We will be purchasing The Faith We Sing (TFWS) which is a supplement hymnal for worship. TFWS has new hymns and many wonderful traditional hymns of the church as: *I'll Fly Away* and *Wade in the Water*. If you would like to place one or more in memory or in honor of a loved one, please call the Church Office. The cost for each copy is \$20.00. They will be placed in the pews with the current United Methodist Hymnals.

Sacrament of Holy Baptism

Sloane Marie Munshaur received the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on August 14, 2022. She was born May 22, 2021 in Wilmington, NC. She is the daughter of Conner and Kathryn Munshaur.

Adeline Faithe Clevinger received the Sacrament of Holy Baptism on September 11, 2022. She was born May 28, 2021 in Hardeeville, SC. She is the daughter of Cody Clevinger and Samantha Clevinger.

Reminder:

Trustees Meeting, October 17 at 6:00pm

New Email Address

Our new email address is carteretstreetumc@gmail.com. Please make a note of this change.

Welcome!

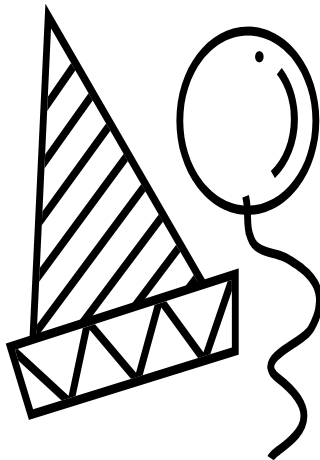
It is with great pleasure that we welcomed the following people into the membership of Carteret Street UMC.

- Conner and Kathryn Munshaur Joined on August 14, 2022.
- Ashley and Diane Peebles and their son Nathan joined on September 18, 2022. Their Fellowship Friends are Brenda Harlan and Bobbie Page.

BIRTHDAYS

OCTOBER

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|-------------------------|----|-------------------|----|
| Martin Goodman | 1 | David Reeves | 22 |
| Russell Berry | 3 | Seanie Bundy | 23 |
| Rachel Mills | 4 | Ed Lewis | 23 |
| Brad Walbert | 4 | Donnie Thomas | 23 |
| Bryson Williams | 4 | Rich Baker | 23 |
| Deborah Tims-Krane | 5 | Camille Burch | 25 |
| Jennifer Seguine | 5 | Frank Hamilton | 25 |
| Barbara Riedinger | 5 | Frederick Waddell | 26 |
| Dave Radford | 6 | Russell Jeter | 27 |
| Mary Beth Reichler | 6 | Brenda Cabrey | 28 |
| Richard Zurakowski | 8 | Heather Martin | 28 |
| Waverly Grace Adams | 9 | Duncan Fordham | 28 |
| Susan Hollingsworth | 9 | Rod Sproatt | 28 |
| Michelle Dufour | 10 | Jamie Millard | 28 |
| Sawyer Ellenberger | 10 | Madison Morgan | 29 |
| Alicia Burris | 10 | Karen Nedderson | 29 |
| Janice Thompson | 10 | Julie Hampton | 30 |
| Piper Price | 10 | Lisa Holliday | 30 |
| Donnie Beer | 11 | Jonathan Shelton | 30 |
| Jon Elliott | 11 | Elinda McKenna | 31 |
| Griffin Everette Pickel | 12 | Paul Berry | 31 |
| Chuck Calhoon | 13 | | |
| Forrest Fisher | 13 | | |
| Teresa Slattery | 13 | | |
| Wes Chappell | 15 | | |
| Mary Jo Lewis | 16 | | |
| Nancy Waters | 16 | | |
| Rick Lindsey | 17 | | |
| Paige Cole | 20 | | |
| Mark Rennix | 22 | | |
| Joyce Robinson | 22 | | |



Youth News

UMYF, Grades 6-12



Youth Sunday School Classes

6th - 12th grades, Room 308, 9:30am

UMYF

October 2: Youth work Pumpkin Patch, 3-6pm

October 9: Second load of pumpkins, arrive at 12:30pm; Youth work Pumpkin Patch, 3-6pm

October 15: Bazaar Day!! 8am-2pm!! Youth are needed to work the Patch this day!!

October 16: Youth work Pumpkin Patch, 3-6pm; Blessing of the Animals, 5:00pm

October 23: Youth work Pumpkin Patch, 3-6pm

October 30: Youth work Pumpkin Patch, 3-6pm

2nd Load of Pumpkins are Coming!!!!

They will arrive on Sunday, October 9 at 12:30pm and volunteers are needed to help unload the truck. It will be hot! We will have water to drink! Everyone is invited to be part of this exciting time. After unloading we will enjoy pizza in the Fellowship Hall!!



The Patch is open daily through the month of October from 12-6pm, Monday through Friday, 9am-6pm on Saturdays and 12noon-6pm on Sundays. Volunteers are needed to work the Patch each day. There are two shifts each day from 12-3pm and 3-6pm and on Saturdays we will have 3 shifts from 9am-12noon, 12-3pm and 3-6pm. Sign up sheets are in the Fellowship Hall. The money raised is used for youth ministries.

If you have any questions or concerns call the Church Office.

Please call or email Lynn Stratton if you have any questions or concerns.

United Methodist Men

The UMM will meet on Monday, October 10 in the Fellowship Hall. All men are encouraged to attend and become members. In addition to our meetings we are available to assist needy members of our congregation with yard cleanup and minor repair projects. You can contact Ken Mills or Cliff Wimberly regarding any projects.

Gray Blades Luncheon

Thursday, October 13, 2022
12 Noon in the Fellowship Hall

Please join us for Fellowship, Fun and Food. Everyone is welcome. You don't have to be "Gray" to be a Gray Blade. Please bring either a covered dish, salad or dessert of your choice. Drinks will be provided.

A Bible Study on the Lectionary

The Lectionary Bible Study meets at the church on the 3rd Thursday of each month at 12noon in the Fellowship Hall. Please bring a side dish to share. Drinks and dessert provided. We will eat and then study together. The next study date is October 20.

The scriptures suggested for October 23rd are:
Joel 2:23-32; Psalm 65; 2 Timothy 4:6-8., 16-18;
Luke 18:9-14.

Seekers Book Club

Date: October 6

Book: *Where Have All Our Daughters Gone*
by Julie McAlpin-Richmond

We will meet at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Bring a sandwich. Drinks and dessert provided. Come join us!

Night Owls Book Club

Date: October 19th

Book: *Beartown* by Fredrik Backman

The Night Owls Book Club meets via zoom on the third Wednesday of each month at 4:00pm.

If you are interested in being a part of this group, please email the church at carteretstreetumc@gmail.com and include your name, telephone number and email address. Upon receipt of this information you will be added to the list for the Book Club. An email containing the zoom link will be sent out the day before the scheduled meeting.

Save The Date!

Church Council has approved a capital campaign to raise \$500K for specific needed work on the church building and grounds. A Capital Campaign committee has been formed to manage this Capital Campaign. Details will be provided at the Capital Campaign Kickoff set for October 9th.

**Friday Morning Worship Services
at Beaufort Nursing and Rehab (Bayview)**

Join us at the facility on Friday mornings at 10:30 AM.

Carillon Choir

The Carillon Bell Choir practices on Mondays at 9:30am. Those interested in playing in the Bell Choir including past players should contact Richard Zurakowski or call the Church Office.

Chancel Choir

Regular rehearsals at 7:00pm each Wednesday
Christmas Cantata Practice, October 8 from 9-11am
We would like to invite new members to the choir and this would be a great time to join. If you are interested in being a part of the choir contact Bobby Blanton.

Do You Play the Recorder?

Our Recorder Group is growing and having fun! We have a total of 4 in our recorder group and are now able to play soprano, alto, tenor and bass. The group is doing quite well and has accomplished a lot in a short time. If anyone plays the recorder or would like to learn, please contact Marlene Cracraft or call the Church Office. We could always use more players! We practice on Fridays from 10:00am to 11:30am. At the end of practice we play a few pieces for the Alzheimer's Social Day in the Fellowship Hall. Our members are Marlene Cracraft, Nancy Bates, Priscilla Kimball and Chris Raskind.



Blessing of the Animals

Sunday, October 16, 2022 at 5:00pm

As autumn arrives, people in various places may notice something odd. A procession of animals, everything from dogs and cats to hamsters and even horses, is led to churches for a special ceremony called the Blessing of the Animals.

This custom is conducted in remembrance of St. Francis of Assisi's love for all creatures. Pets occupy a special place in people's lives. The love we give to a pet and the love we receive draw us closer to the larger circle of life, into the wonder of the common relationship to our Creator.

People appreciate the opportunity to take their animal companions to church for a special blessing.

Please bring your pets Sunday, October 16 at 5:00pm to the front of the church for a worship service to bless your animals.

Church Office Information

Church Office Hours are 9:00am to 3:00pm Monday thru Thursday and 9:00am to 1:00pm on Fridays. We will continue with these hours until further notice.

Worship

We will continue to offer online worship. We will also continue with two services at 8:30am and 10:30am for now.

Connect with us!

We invite you to worship on-line or in-person (8:30 & 10:30) on Sundays!! The service is posted on Facebook and available on our website Facebook scroll at www.carteretstumc.org.

Visit us on Facebook!
[facebook.com/csumcbeaufort](https://www.facebook.com/csumcbeaufort)

Check in with us
TODAY on Facebook!!

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Follow our Youth on Facebook!!  
Carteret Street UMC Youth

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Follow our Children on Facebook!!
Carteret Street UMC Children's Activities

A Note from Rev. Terry Pfeiffer...

Please include in your daily prayers.

O God, you have built your Church upon the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Jesus Christ himself being the chief cornerstone. Save the community of your people from cowardly surrender to the world, from rendering unto Caesar what belongs to you, and from forgetting the eternal gospel amid the temporal pressures of our troubled days. For the unity of the Church we pray, and for fellowship across the embittered lines of race and nation; to growth in grace, building in love, enlargement in service, increase in wisdom, faith, charity, and power, we dedicate our lives; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.



*Harry Emerson Fosdick, USA, 20th Cent. Alt
The United Methodist Book of Worship,*

Prayer Chain

If you are interested in being a member of the Prayer Chain please provide the church office with your name and email address. Weekly emails are sent out to the prayer chain members with prayer concerns.

Paper Recycling

We now have a paper recycling can in the Fellowship Hall. Please use it to recycle your Sunday bulletin and other church papers. Thank you!

Alzheimer's Family Services-Volunteers Needed

Alzheimer's Family Services is looking for volunteers to help with the Social Day Program. Volunteers are needed on Tuesdays or Fridays from 10am-2pm. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Arlene Hull or the Church Office.

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Home Martha Ala, Nancy Anderson, Gladys Chapman, Jouette Duckworth, Barbara Garrison, Frank and Gloria Hamilton, Jim Hicks, Lad Howell, Becky Lapp, May Lepionka, Brenda McLeod, Linda Oliva, Tina Peterson, PP Pynn, Linda Self

Methodist Oaks Martha Smith

Ribaut Senior Village Marlene Cracraft, Joan Suda

Sprenger Health Care Jackie Black, Buddy Clark, Ethel Cook, Kent Easty, Curtis Smith

Summit Place of Beaufort Russell and Donnie Beer

The Retreat at Lady's Island Glenn & Barbara Carothers

Wesley Commons, Greenwood Betty Elkins

Connection Deadline

Please submit information for the November 2022 *Carteret Connection* to the church office by October 16th.

Stewardship Report as of September 18, 2022

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| Budget Needs Y-T-D | \$ 444,646.74 |
| Received Y-T-D | \$ 459,620.95 |

We extend our sympathy to the family of **Ed Howle** on his death August 12, 2022 in Gainesville. FL; Rick and Sandy Somerall on the death of Sandy's father, **Rev. Hoyt Graham** on August 26, 2022 in Beaufort, SC; Perry and Peggy DuRant on the death of their son **Walker DuRant** on September 14, 2022 in Beaufort, SC.

Church Staff

ELLEN FABIAN, Administrative Assistant
RICHARD ZURAKOWSKI, Carillon Choir Director
ROBERT BLANTON, JR., Director of Music Ministry
MELINDA ACKERMAN, Director of Children's Ministries
JOHN PERRY, Custodian

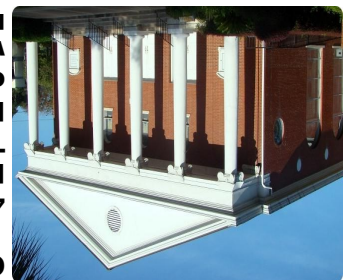
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MICHAEL COLE, Organist
ALLEN FARLEY, Coordinator of Food Ministries
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