

BLUFFTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Joey McDonald, Pastor
11:00 a.m. – February 5, 2012
5th Sunday after the Epiphany – Color: Green

GATHERING

How Great You Are

Praise Worship Team

Phil Poshuma
arr. Jackson Henry

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

(The sound of chimes announces the beginning of worship. During the Organ Voluntary and Introit, please keep silence to allow all worshipers to prepare mind, heart, and body for the worship of God.)

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Rhosymedre (Lovely)

Ralph Vaughan Williams
1872-1958

INTROIT

Here I Am to Worship

Praise Worship Team

Tim Hughes

*HYMN No. 679

O Splendor of God's Glory Bright

WAREHAM

UMW INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Sarah Sweers, President; **Jody Snow**, Vice President; **Dian Gamble**, Secretary; **Sarah Snow**, Treasurer;
Paula Kremers, Membership, Nurture & Outreach; **Barbara Edwards**, Program Resources & Social Action;
Linda Greenwood, Chairperson of Committee on Nominations; **Linda Waugh**, Education & Interpretation

PRESENTATION OF UMW MISSION RECOGNITION PINS

THE PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER (sung)

OFFERTORY

Voluntary II in d minor

John Stanley

*DOXOLOGY No. 95

OLD 100th

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

ANTHEM

Living Bread

Chancel Choir, Congregation and Praise Worship Team
(Congregation joins in singing as directed.)

Joey Raney

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

Rev. Joey McDonald

*HYMN No. 622

There Is a Fountain Filled with Blood

CLEANSING FOUNTAIN

*BENEDICTION

Christ Be Beside Me

Christ be beside me, Christ be before me,
Christ be behind, King of my heart.
Christ be within me, Christ be below me,
Christ be above me, never to part.
Christ be beside me evermore.

Gaelic melody
arr. Tom Fettke

POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able.

Recent 1st time visitors: Jim & Carolyn Breitag, 27 Rolling River Dr., Bluffton 29910; Tel: 707-7270
Carl & Eleanor Greenway, 1030 Serenity Pt. Dr., Bluffton
Ivan & Betty Bush, 27 Teal Lane, Hilton Head SC 29926
Forrest Killian & Betty Colletti, 111 Harvest Circle, Bluffton 29910

Alcolyte: **Annabel Court**

Ushers: **Jane & Pat Gurganus, Dian Litster, Linda Shettel**

THE CHANCEL CHOIR: Kathy Allen, Sarah Atkins, P.J. Bair, Toian Bowser-Alexander, John Clingerman, Cecil Corson, Joanne Dahl, Karleen Farris, Ruth Fleming, Natalie Giles, David Hoffman, Marshall Kremers, Paula Kremers, Al Litster, Becky Manley, Dustin Marinucci, Lynn McPheeters, Joan Morris, Lourri Norris-Waite, Mary Ratliff, Ed Sweers, Sarah Sweers, Jeff Williams.

THE PRAISE WORSHIP TEAM: Toian Bowser-Alexander, Cecil Corson, Dustin Marinucci, Lourri Norris-Waite, Rev. Quin Rawls, Craig Washington, Bob Wilson.

FLOWERS

The Altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by **Arlys Mason**
in memory of her daughter, Stephanie and father, Wilbur Harvey.



02/05 – Bob Trainor

02/07 – Shirley Mingleдорff

02/08 – Bea Story, Linda Waugh

02/10 – Kerstin Bennett

02/12 – Andrea Hoffman, Leslie Hunter

02/13 – Beth Simpson

02/08 – Emily & Peyton McLamb

02/10 – Michelle & Kevin Crozier



WELCOME GUESTS!! We are pleased to have you worshipping with us and hope it will be a meaningful experience for you. We believe that our fellowship is always enriched by persons who join us in praise of God. **Please fill out a visitor's card in the pew. Please be sure to sign the attendance book in your row to indicate your attendance today. Include children, your address & phone number.**

PRAYER CONCERNS

Daniel Alba, has completed drug rehabilitation. Continued prayers are requested as he continues to rebuild his life. (Gloria Taylor's son)

Kay Battaglia, medical concerns.

Edith Bedenbaugh, hospitalized with stroke symptoms. (Meredith Schroeder's grandmother)

Nancy E. Brown, suffering from Alzheimer's and is a resident of Palm Meadow Court, HHI. (Skip Brown's wife)

Daniel Currie, newborn grandson of the Kenyon's, having breathing difficulties.

Greg Court, hospitalized for medical concerns (William Court's cousin)

Ruth Dunning, has breast cancer. (dear friend of Althea Hicks & Linda Shettel)

Donna Evans, is doing well and thanks everyone for their prayers. (Sister of VanBuskirk's)

Brenton Green, suffering from depression associated with severe eye disease. (son-in-law of Lourri Norris-Waite)

Cassie Griswold, 4 yrs old, medical concerns and is in hospital in Charleston for tests (friend of Emarie Toirkens)

Jesse Haynes, 24 year old currently in rehab and needs prayers. (close family friend of Sarah Sessoms)

Jim Hegg, 48 years old, recovering from multiple health challenges. (Jim & Jay George's nephew)

Mary Hughes, has congestive heart failure. Undergoing therapy. (Close family friend of Sara Jenkins)

Bob Jansen, diagnosed with Lou Gehrig's disease. (Sarah Sessoms' friend)

Michael Johnson, medical concerns. (close family friend of William Court)

Dorothy Long, 31 wks pregnant & on bed rest. Please pray that she reaches full term. (Kay Long's daughter-in-law)

Louise Maier, suffering from stage 4 cancer. (Allyn Perdue's friend)

Tony Mazza, diagnosed with advanced colon cancer which is also in his liver. He will be starting 9 months of chemotherapy. He is in his late twenty's. (family friend of Laura Marinucci)

Mary McCollum, medical concerns.

Elizabeth McCutcheon, medical concerns. (Althea Hicks' mother)

Don McKelvey, medical concerns.

Greg Moore, since his epilepsy surgery, he's been seizure free. Praise God! Continued prayers requested. (Sara Jenkins' cousin)

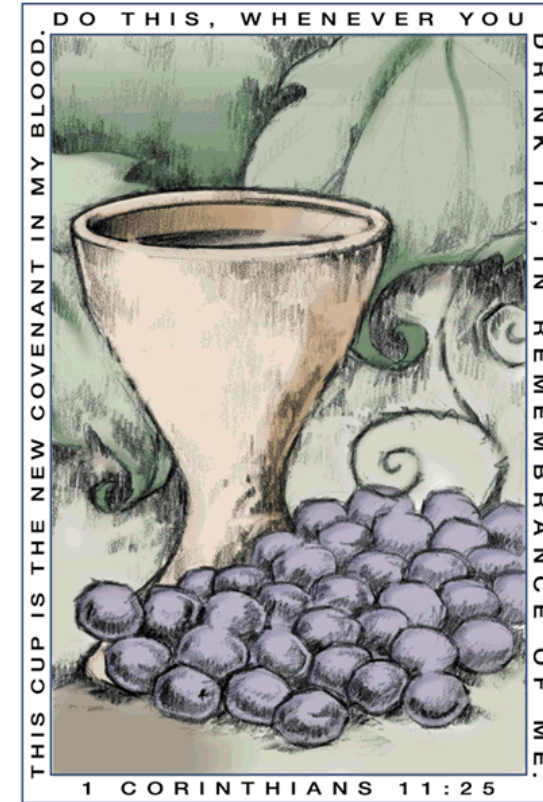
John Perdue, health concerns. (Allyn Perdue's brother)

Greg Shader, recovering from a stroke & additional medical concerns. Thanks for your prayers. (BJ Jenkins' brother)

Josie Snow, digestive problems. (daughter of Ric & Jody Snow)

Hugh Ulmer, medical concerns.

Bruce VanBuskirk, serious medical concerns. He may need open heart surgery. (Brent VanBuskirk's brother)



Ministry of Encouragement – Let us remember with visits, cards and prayers...
Julia Rhoad – She is at Marsh View in Savannah. Tel: 912-354-6185.

Please continue to pray for our young women and men who serve to protect our freedom in this country and around the world.

Logan Corson, PFC, stationed in Afghanistan. (Carlton Corson's grandson & Rich Corson's nephew)

Jared Fouke, is still serving aboard the attack Submarine USS Boise, in Norfolk. He will undergo another surgery on January 5th to repair the re-torn meniscus in his left knee. He is hoping to make a full recovery and be ready for his deployment in the spring of 2012. We would appreciate prayers for him as he undergoes surgery and the subsequent physical therapy. We pray for healing, strength in mind and body and always for his safety.



A D. McElroy, is now home safe. Praise the Lord and thank you for your prayers!

S. Sgt. C. B. Patterson, deployed to Qatar (David Hoffman's stepson)

Worship Hours 8:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.; Adult Sunday School - Children's Church & Men's Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Church Office: 757-3351, Church Office E-mail – blufftonumc@hargray.com; Web Site – http://www.blufftonumc.org
Pastor's Tel: 757-3315; cell– 803-671-1691; email– blufftonumc.past@hargray.com; address: 86 Boundary St, Bluffton 29910
Office hours – Mon–Thurs 9:00 a–2:00 p **Mail address: Bluffton UMC, PO Box 368, Bluffton, SC 29910**

Bluffton United Methodist Church– 1853-2011 – 158 Years

“The Mission of BUMC is to make disciples for Jesus Christ by sharing our loving relationship with Him through all our actions in worship, nurture, education, evangelism and outreach.”

Enter to Worship, Depart to Serve – A “Stephen Ministry” Church

- Pastor – Joey McDonald
- Lay Leader – Marshall Kremers
- Director of Music – Ella W. Davis
- Organist – W. Raymond Ackerman
- Office Administrator – Pat Simmons
- Custodian – Dorothy Ratlif
- Youth Coordinator – Julie Toirkens
- Nursery Attendants – Denise Starykowicz, Hillary Quattropani

NURSERY CARE PROVIDED 8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. EVERY SUNDAY



STEPHEN MINISTRY – We are here for you – In this world we will face all kinds of obstacles, trials and tribulations and we should be wary of any doctrines or teachings that say we shouldn't have to face these things. Why? Because the Lord said we will have tribulations. So the encouragement He is giving is simply this: You're going to face trials, but GOD is greater than any problem you will face in this world!

OUR STEPHEN MINISTERS are ready and available to provide support and caring for you during these challenging, stressful times in your life.

If you are now struggling with a problem, or know someone who is, call one of our STEPHEN LEADERS – **Ruth Fleming – 757-4296** or **Sara Jenkins – 705-2172** – and begin the process of healing through God's Presence and Grace.

Each week, there is a **STEPHEN MINISTER** from BUMC assigned to hospital duty. If you hear of anyone in the hospital this week, **Feb 5th – 11th**, please call **Lee Templeton, 379-6530**.

MIRACLE JARS –January was earmarked for Church of the Cross Food Pantry – **\$449** was raised, thank you. The February Miracle Jars are designated for **Back Pack Buddies**. This charity fills a backpack of nutritious food for children to bring home over a weekend. These are children who otherwise would have nothing to eat. *Again*, thanks for your continued support of these important Mission projects!!



OUR MUSIC MINISTRY – “LET EVERYTHING THAT HAS BREATH PRAISE THE LORD.” The Psalmist declares that everything with breath should praise the Lord. What better way to praise God than through music? Music Ministry continues to provide praise opportunities to God through several ensembles for children, youth and adults.

I invite you to become involved in our Music Ministry as you joyfully give of your time and talent. Below is a description of our music opportunities:

- Cherub Choir, Ages 4-8
Rehearsal: Wednesday, 6:00 - 6:40 PM
- Covenant Choir, Grades 4-7
Rehearsal: Wednesday, 6:00 - 6:40 PM
- Chancel Choir, High School & Adults
Rehearsal: Wednesday, 7:00 - 8:30 PM
- Praise Worship Team, High School & Adults
Rehearsal: Saturday (TBA), 10:00 - 11:30 AM



I and/or my child has interest in the following Music Ministry opportunities:

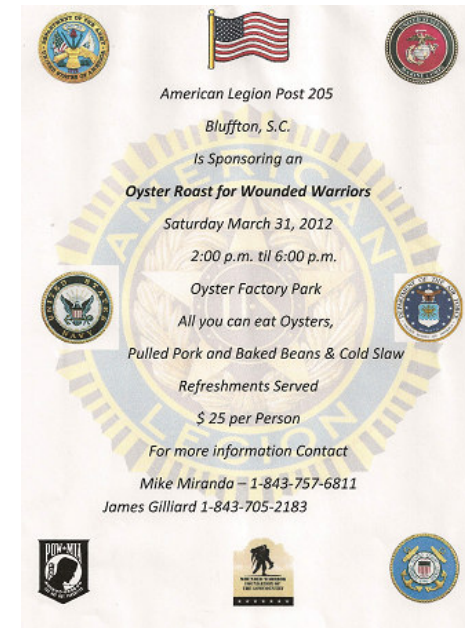
Child/Adult Name _____ Age or Grade _____

Parent's Name _____ Instrument/Voice _____

Tel. # _____ Email Address _____



SUNDAY BRUNCH GROUP – Someplace new! Conture Cafe on The Market Place on Rt. 170 at 278 will be opening for us Sunday, February 12th at 12:30. We tried it and the food is great! Please make reservations with Mary or Bob Powell by email powchesco@yahoo.com or phone 843-757-0164. This is open to all persons; single/ married/ members/non-members/visitors/guests. It's a time to meet someone new or get to know other church family members.



See Tom Story for tickets to this upcoming Oyster Roast!

LENTEN SERVICES ARE BEING SCHEDULED Each Wednesday at noon during Lent, a 30 minute worship service will be held at various churches in the area with a light luncheon following the service. At present, the schedule is as follows: (subject to change – watch your Sunday bulletins)



Feb 22 – Ash Wed – Lowcountry Presby (Hwy 278); Feb 29 – To be determined.

Mar 7 – Ch of the Cross, Calhoun Street; Mar 14 through Apr 4 – To be determined.

BUMC will have a Lenten Study, “Call Him Savior”, each Thursday evening beginning Feb. 23rd through March 29th at 7:00 p.m. If you would like to attend, please call the church office, 757-3351 or place this form in the offering plate.

Name _____ # Attending _____

Lenten Study – “Call Him Savior”



YOUTH & CHILDREN'S HAPPENINGS

Upcoming FUN
FAMILY,
Valentine's
Dance
Saturday, Feb. 11
♡ 6:30pm ♡
Fellowship Hall
You are invited to a night of FUN with family & friends.
• CRAZYdancing • SILLYgames •
• GREATmusic • SWEETtreats •
If you plan to attend, please RSVP to Julie at julieBUMC@me.com.

mark
THE DATES
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feb. 18
RSVP FOR PARENT'S NIGHT OUT
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feb. 25
PARENT'S NIGHT OUT
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FEBRUARY
8 & 15
CHERUB & COVENANT CHOIR
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Every Sunday
[BETWEEN
the services
10-10:45]
Children's Sunday School
Ages 4-6
Jr. Sunday School
Ages 7-10
The nursery is provided for children 3 & under.
FELLOWSHIP & FUN
Ham SERVICE
Following Children's moment *Children 6 and under* can go back to the nursery.



MEETINGS
Sundays @ 6:30 PM
For 6th-12th GRADERS

blufftonumcyouth.shutterfly
Our youth and children's ministry has its own password protected website. EMAIL JULIE at julieBUMC@me.com TO BECOME A MEMBER Include your Name (kids & ages), email and phone #. If you have any questions call me at 700-6698.
www.blufftonumcyouth.shutterfly.com

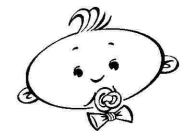
General Budget – Offering: \$5,056; Parsonage Loan: \$645; Altar Flowers: \$50
Designated –Red Bird Mission School: \$10; LAB: \$50; Pillowcase Ministry: \$10; VBS: \$20
Miracle Jars (Church of the Cross Food Pantry): \$449
Attendance: 8:45: 81 11:00: 196 Total: 277 Adult SS: 11 Nursery: 5 (8:45) 20 (11:00)

Of Interest this Week

Today 02/05	8:45 AM	Worship Service
Today 02/05	9:45 AM	Adult Sunday School
Today 02/05	9:45 AM	Men's Bible Study
Today 02/05	9:45-10:45 AM	Children's Sunday School
Today 02/05	11:00 AM	Worship Service
Today 02/05	12:30 PM	SOUPERBOWL Luncheon in Fellowship Hall
Today 02/05	6:30 PM	LAB Youth Group
Monday 02/06	7:00 PM	Trustees
Monday 02/06	6 - 8 PM	Cub Scouts meet
Tuesday 02/07	3:30 PM	Stephen Ministry
Tuesday 02/07	7:00 PM	Finance Committee
Tuesday 02/07	7:00 PM	AA/AI-Anon
Wednesday 02/08	10 AM – 12:00 PM	The Stardust Orchestra Practice
Wednesday 02/08	6:00 PM	The Cherub & Covenant Choirs
Wednesday 02/08	7:00 PM	The Chancel Choir
Thursday 02/09	7:00 PM	Evangelism Committee
Thursday 02/09	7:00 PM	AA/AI-Anon
Friday 02/10	5 – 8:00 PM	Montessori Valentine Dance in Fellowship Hall
Saturday 02/11	6:30 PM	BUMC Family Valentine Dance
Sunday 02/12	8:45 AM	Worship Service
Sunday 02/12	9:45 AM	Adult Sunday School
Sunday 02/12	9:45 AM	Men's Bible Study
Sunday 02/12	9:45-10:45 AM	Children's Sunday School
Sunday 02/12	11:00 AM	Worship Service
Sunday 02/12	12:30 PM	Brunch Bunch @ Conture Cafe on The Market Place on Rt. 170 at 278
Sunday 02/12	6:30 PM	LAB Youth Group

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING is Today after the 11:00 service.



CONGRATULATIONS to Cathy & John Kenyon on the birth of their grandson, Daniel Currie, Jan. 30th. He measured 23 ¾ inches long and weighed 10 lbs. 7 oz.