

October 4, 2023



Clemmons

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

ACTS... All Care to Share

CUMC KIDS

Trunk or Treat Fundraiser
October 25, 5:30 –7 p.m.



The fun kicks off at 5:30 p.m.

- Games and prizes
- Open playground
- Hot dog supper for \$4.00 per person which includes chips and a drink

At 6:00 p.m.

- Costume Parade over to the Trunk or Treat area
- Children can visit trunks and fill their candy bags until the candy runs dry
- Donations accepted to benefit the Children's Ministry and the Church Preschool programs.

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

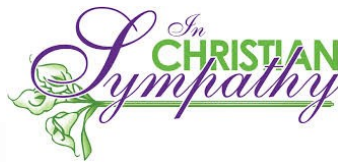
We need candy! Please donate bags of candy to help with our Trunk or Treat event. Candy Collection bins are located in the Commons Area and at the entrance of the Ministry Center.

Host a Trunk! We are looking for families or groups to host trunks for our costumed little ones. Email Chris Fitzgerald at fitzgeraldc@clemmonsumc.org or sign up on the CUMC website ([link](#)). Candy will be provided.

Volunteer to help by signing up on the church website ([link](#)) or by emailing Chris Fitzgerald at fitzgeraldc@clemmonsumc.org.

Sunday Preaching Schedule

October 8	"A Knock at Midnight"	Rev. John Fitzgerald Luke 11:1-13
October 15	"The Rock"	Rev. John Fitzgerald Matthew 16:13-18
October 22	"Many Gifts, One Spirit"	Jennifer Rogers 1 Corinthians 12:4-31
October 29	"Examples of Faith"	Rev. John Fitzgerald 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10
November 5 communion	"Together with the Lord"	Rev. John Fitzgerald 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18



We extend our Christian sympathy to the following upon the death of a loved one:

- Shannon Ford and family upon the death of her husband, Steve Ford, on August 25.
- Nancy Bellamy and family upon the death of her brother, Kirby Jernigan, on September 10.
- Jim Bovendar and family upon the death of his brother, Buddy Bovender, on September 10.
- The family of John McPherson upon his death on September 15.

Pledge Card Reminder

Thank you to those of you who have submitted your pledge cards for 2024. For those of you who have yet to send in a pledge card, it will be most helpful for planning purposes if pledges can be submitted by Monday, October 30, the culmination of our Stewardship Campaign. You may place your completed card in the altar plate at a worship service, drop it by the office, or mail it to the church office at P.O. Box 829, Clemmons, NC 27012. You may also submit your pledge through Realm's giving option. If you need a pledge card, you may find them in the Narthex, on the Commons Area table, and at the entrance to the Ministry Center.



ALL CUMC VETERANS!

SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY COMMITTEE 60+ INVITES
CUMC VETERANS OF ALL AGES
TO THE THIRD ANNUAL

Chicken Stew, Fellowship and Tribute
Saturday, November 11, 2023
12 noon–2 p.m. in the Ministry Center

Sign up in the Commons Area until Sunday, October 29.

We will again honor and feature ALL Clemmons United Methodist Church's veterans! With that in mind, we would like to invite YOU to take part in our celebration by sharing any memorabilia you may have, and/or share YOUR story with the group during the celebration. The sign-up sheet in the Commons Area has space to tell us if you need a table or a portion of a table for your memorabilia.

Please bring canned food donations for the Clemmons Food Pantry!

Sisters in Christ



Sisters in Christ is a women's group that meets on Wednesdays at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They participate in many community service projects as well as Bible study. Their current study is "Irresistible: Reclaiming the New that Jesus Unleashed for the World" by Andy Stanley. On October 25 they will begin "Signs and Wonders" by Amy-Jill Devine, a study about the miracles of Jesus. Call Linda Morgan at 336-416-6814 to join the group or for more information.

Watchmen of the Streets Item for October: AA and AAA Batteries



Our homeless friends still need batteries for lanterns, flashlights, and hand-held fans, so we're repeating September's Item of the Month. The Watchmen teams give out approximately 500 batteries each trip! Please consider helping this ministry by purchasing a pack or two and dropping them off in the Watchmen of the Streets bin in the Fellowship Hall under the Mission Impossible sign.

Adult Opportunities

Organized by GAP (Generally Adult People)



Ladies, the weather is perfect for joining us on Friday mornings at 9 a.m. at Be Kind Coffee for Friday Fill Up! If we're not outside, we're inside in the back room and would love for you to come kick off your weekend with some great coffee, fellowship, and a devotional. Hope to see you there!



Breakfast for Dinner, anyone? Join us October 17 at 6 p.m. at IHOP in Clemmons for our monthly dinner meetup!



5th Sunday Serving. On October 29, please join us as we head to [The Dwelling](#) in Winston-Salem to worship with friends there and serve lunch. We will leave the church around 10:15 a.m. to be there for their service at 11 o'clock. Any and all are welcome to come!



A big shoutout to CUMC Media Ministries' Ed Fisher for providing GAP with a presence on the church website! You can keep up with all the GAP happenings by visiting our new page on the church website under Get Involved ([link](#)), or by liking our new Facebook page: GAP @ Clemmons UMC.

Clemmons United Methodist Church 2023 Financial Update Operating Fund Account

Donations Received through 9/29/23	\$713,560
Expenses Paid through 9/29/23	774,987
Net Loss 9/29/23	-61,427

For more detailed information on the church's finances, please visit our website to see the current Treasurer's Report. This report will also show balances of Special Funds.

Living the Fullness of Christ

Calendar of Events

<p>Wed, Oct 4 10:00 a.m. Sisters in Christ Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Children's Choir 7:00 p.m. Divorce Care 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. PAL Meeting</p> <p>Thurs, Oct 5 4:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study</p> <p>Tues, Oct 10 9:00 a.m. Quilting 7:00 p.m. Women's Book Study 7:00 p.m. Pastor John's Bible Study 7:00 p.m. 150th Committee Meeting</p> <p>Wed, Oct 11 10:00 a.m. Sisters in Christ Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Connect Rehearsal 6:00 p.m. Children's Choir 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. PAL Meeting 7:00 p.m. Divorce Care</p> <p>Thurs, Oct 12 4:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study</p> <p>Mon, Oct 16 7:00 p.m. Worship Committee Meeting</p> <p>Tues, Oct 17 9:00 a.m. Quilting 6:00 p.m. GAP Dinner at IHOP/Clemmons 7:00 p.m. Women's Book Study 7:00 p.m. Pastor John's Bible Study</p> <p>Wed, Oct 18 10:00 a.m. Sisters in Christ Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Children's Choir 7:00 p.m. PAL Meeting 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Divorce Care</p> <p>Thurs, Oct 19 4:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Communications Committee Mtg.</p>	<p>Tues, Oct 24 9:00 a.m. Quilting 6:30 p.m. Stephen Ministry 7:00 p.m. Women's Book Study 7:00 p.m. Pastor John's Bible Study</p> <p>Wed, Oct 25 10:00 Sisters in Christ Bible Study 5:30 p.m. Trunk or Treat Fundraiser 6:00 p.m. Children's Choir 7:00 p.m. PAL Meeting 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. Divorce Care</p> <p>Thurs, Oct 26 4:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study</p> <p>Tues, Oct 31 9:00 a.m. Quilting 7:00 p.m. Women's Book Study 7:00 p.m. Pastor John's Bible Study</p> <p>Wed, Nov 1 10:00 a.m. Sisters in Christ Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Children's Choir 7:00 p.m. Divorce Care 7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m. PAL Meeting</p> <p>Sun, Nov 5 7:30 a.m. Methodist Men Breakfast & Program</p> <p>Mon, Nov 6 7:00 p.m. Leadership Board Meeting & Charge Conference</p> <p><u>Sunday Service Times</u> 8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service ~ Sanctuary 9:45 a.m. Connect Worship Service ~ Ministry Center 9:45 a.m. Sunday Schools 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship Service ~ Sanctuary 11:00 a.m. Sunday School ~ Room A-103</p> <p>Clemmons:One Youth: stay connected with our youth at their via their social media pages (Facebook: Clemmons:One / Instagram: clemmonsoneyouth).</p>
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CHILDREN'S CHOIR HAS BEGUN GRADES K-5

Wednesdays from 6–6:45 p.m. in the Choir Room

Please join us!



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The next newsletter will be sent out Nov. 1 and the deadline for articles to be submitted is Monday, Oct. 23. Please bring your articles by the Hunter House or email them to griffinA@clemmonsumc.org. If you would like to receive the newsletter, please email office@clemmonsumc.org with "ACTS" in the subject line. In the body of the email indicate how you would like to receive "ACTS" by writing "email only," "postal mail only" or "both email and postal mail." Remember that receiving email copies saves the church postage and helps us all be better stewards of the resources that God provides.

Clemmons: One Pumpkin Patch is Open!

Monday–Friday: 11 a.m.– 7 p.m.
Saturdays: 9 a.m.– 7 p.m.
Sundays: 1– 7 p.m.

Proceeds from our pumpkin patch support youth summer missions.



MEN'S
**GUATEMALA
WORK TRIP**

April 6-14, 2024
Register by Jan. 1

Contact Bart Shaw
(336) 817-7325

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