

VUMC Weekly

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Sunday Worship
9:00am Praise Service
10:00am Sunday School
11:00am Traditional Worship
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A word from Pastor Chris

This week, I simply say thank you.

Thank you for your acts of kindness, your prayers, cards and calls, and your love shown to us during Charles' hospice care and death.

Charles came to live with us a little over five years ago, and it was a time of great adjustment for him. Our VUMC family eased that adjustment as Charles was embraced and loved. He may not have remembered your names every time he saw you, but he remembered your faces and your smiles. He found a home with you, and most comforting to us, he felt safe.

Thank you, dear friends. We love you all.

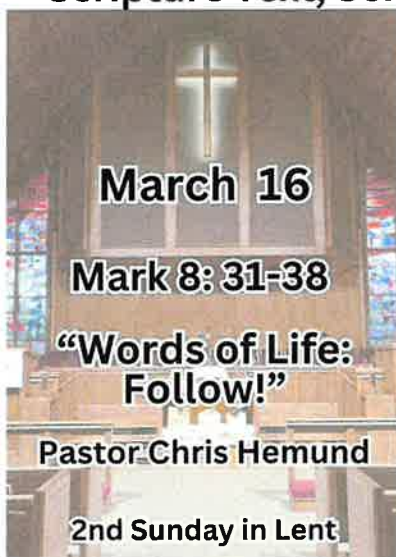
Chris

— WORDS OF LIFE —



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Scripture Text, Sermon Title and Music



Praise Service 9:00 a.m.

*I Give You My Heart
All Things Are Possible
The Power of You Love
How Great Is the
Greatness of God
You Are My King*

**Traditional Service
11:00 a.m.**

*He Leadeth Me: O Blessed
Thought
In the Cross of Christ I Glory
I Have Decided To
Follow Jesus
ANTHEM: Give Me Jesus
arr. Craig Courtney*

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers for Sunday are sponsored by Dan and Roxanne Johnson in memory of Linda Jensen, beloved sister-in-law. Linda passed on into the loving arms of the Lord on January 31, 2015. Sunday, March 16, would have been her 78th birthday.



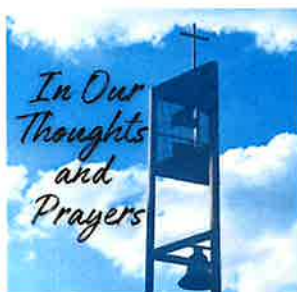
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Radio Ministry

If you would like to sponsor the broadcast of a Sunday morning sermon in honor or memory of someone special, call the church office (501) 922-1030 to reserve a Sunday. The cost is \$75.

Use this [LINK](#) to listen to the radio station anytime. To hear the sermon from the past Sunday, tune in at 11:00 a.m. or 5:30 p.m.

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The funeral service for Charles Mays will be in our sanctuary tomorrow, Friday, March 14 at 11:00 a.m. with visitation before the service, beginning at 10:00 a.m.

Continue to keep Kim Hemund and family, and her sister, Tammy Hernandez and family, in your prayers.

Wednesdays at 5:00 p.m. at Village UMC



March 12
Rev. Bill Fish
Giving Up Control

April 2
Rev. Dr. Art Torpy
Giving Up Enemies

March 19
Rev. Genie Kistler
Giving Up Expectation

April 9
Rev. Chris Hemund
Giving Up Our Lives

March 26
Rev. Therral Wilson
Giving Up Superiority

Holy Week Services
April 17 - Maundy Thursday
April 18 - Good Friday



Happy Anniversary

03/14 Ron & Becki Tetu
03/22 Marvin & Miller Case
03/27 Gary & Genie Kistler



Happy Birthday

03/15 Dana Chaney
03/15 Jami Hemund
03/15 Earl Wilde
03/16 Sue Greening
03/17 Vicki Jennings
03/18 Darrell Adkins
03/18 Chuck Eddy
03/18 Kay Heckelsberg
03/19 Richard Black
03/19 Jim Kincheloe
03/21 Gary Titterington
03/22 Beverly Shaffstall
03/23 Wilma Gunn
03/23 Molly Wilson
03/25 Suzanne Piehl
03/26 Dan Johnson
03/26 Doug MacPherson

Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Worship 10:30 a.m.



Mark your calendar for our next 5th Sunday

**One Worship Service
at 10:30 a.m.**

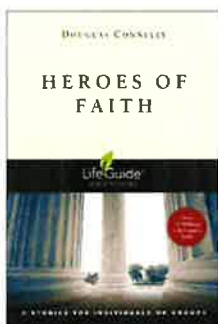
March 30

**POTLUCK LUNCH FOLLOWING
THE SERVICE.**

*Sign up at the Opportunity Center if you are
planning to attend the potluck. An estimate of
attendance helps with planning.*

**Greeters and Ushers Meeting
Thursday, March 20 at 10:00 a.m.**

A meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 20, at 10:00 a.m. for the 1st and 2nd service greeters and the 1st service ushers for the purpose of preparing the schedule for the next three months. The meeting will be held in the classroom by the Chapel, between Sew for Service Room and the Handbell Room. Anyone that would like to become a greeter or ushers is welcome to attend.



MONDAY BIBLE STUDY RESUMES

In memory of Teresa Taylor, an 8-week Spring 2025 study of the book "Heroes of Faith" by Douglas Connelly, will begin April 21. The study will be held at the church and is for all women of the church who would like to participate. Bring a friend, is great, too. Bring a sack lunch at 12:30 p.m. and enjoy a meal together, or come for the study only from 1:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

You will need to purchase the study guide in advance. If you order from christianbooks.com, the cost is \$8.50 plus shipping/tax. For more details, contact VUMC Associate Pastor, Regina. She will connect you with the discussion leader.

OUR BLOOD DRIVE

Our recent Blood Drive had 58 signed up, 46 donations and through these donations, 138 lives have been saved. Thank you for your faithful giving.



PRAYER GATHERING FOR LENT

Are you looking for a spiritual practice for Lent? If so, you are invited to join us at the Prayer Gathering, Tuesdays, 10:00-10:30, on Zoom. The LINK is found by clicking the CALENDAR link at the end of The Chimes. We hope to see you

Tuesday on ZOOM. If you have questions, send an email to Mary Anne Settle, Spiritual Director, at [REDACTED]

FROM OUTREACH COMMITTEE



UMCOR HYGIENE KITS: Please be the hands of Christ by helping provide needed items for the UMCOR Hygiene Kits. During the months of **MARCH AND APRIL** the Outreach Committee is asking for the congregation's help by providing items from the list below. Our goal is to provide at least 100 Hygiene Kits to UMCOR. Please place items in the plastic bins, which are under the Opportunity Table in the Narthex.

Needed items are due no later than May 1, 2025 so sorting can be accomplished.

One hand towel (15 x 25 –17 x 27 inches)-No kitchen, cleaning, or microfiber towels.

One washcloth-No kitchen, cleaning, or microfiber towels.

One comb-Must be sturdy with at least 4-7 inches of teeth-No pocket combs or picks-Rattail and combs without handles are acceptable, but must have at least 4-7 inches of teeth.

One toenail or fingernail clipper-No emery boards or metal nail files.

Bath-size soap (3 oz. bar or larger)-No Ivory or Jergen's soap-Do not remove from packaging.

One adult toothbrush-Do not remove from packaging-Personal advertising not acceptable.

10 adhesive bandages (¾ by 3 inches)-Common household bandages acceptable.

One one-gallon size re-sealable bag

*Do not add toothpaste when assembling kits.

Important Notes:

ALL items must be new.

Do not wash any of the items as they will no longer be considered new.

Contents for hygiene kits should not be imprinted with cartoon characters, advertisements, religious, patriotic, military or camouflage symbols.



LENTEN DEVOTIONAL BOOK ENNEAGRAM NUMBERS

A perfect devotional book for Lent is the "Forty Days on Being a _____ (your number on the Enneagram)". Each book was written by a person who is the corresponding number on the Enneagram and is edited by Suzanne Stabile. You will find these on the Enneagram shelf in the library.

Mission trip to Honduras (April 3 - 10)

The team asks for your prayers as we prepare for this journey. One way groups or individuals can help financially is through sponsorships. We hope to have four dentists working with us, as well as two interpreters and a dental assistant for cleaning dental instruments. A cost breakdown is included below. If you have any questions about sponsorships or the mission in general, please contact Bill Fish, Honduras mission coordinator.

We hope to do clinics for five days.

Dentists - John would like to have four dentists if possible

1 Dentist for one day	\$100
1 Dentist for five days	\$500
4 Dentists for one day	\$400
4 Dentists for five days	\$2,000




One Dental Assistant to Clean Dental Instruments

1 Day	\$30
5 Days	\$150

Interpreters - We would like to have two

1 Interpreter for one day	\$45
2 Interpreters for one day	\$90
1 Interpreter for five days	\$225
2 Interpreters for five days	\$450

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200 Carmona Road
Hot Springs Village, AR 71909




UWFaith @ VUMC Book Club
"Books & Banter"
Thursday, March 27, 2025
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM, Steel Hall

2025 UWFaith Reading Program

START WITH HELLO
(And Other Simple Ways to Live as Neighbors)
SHANNAN MARTIN


"Nurturing for Community"

MONDAY,
APRIL 7, 2025



STEEL HALL
10:00 AM
- 11:00 AM

UWFAITH @ VUMC PRESENTS A SOCIAL JUSTICE
PROGRAM BY PATH (PARTNERS AGAINST
TRAFFICKING HUMANS) INFO @ PATHSAVES.ORG



HUMAN TRAFFICKING
Every life matters. Stand against human
trafficking today and every day.

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**Check out the Pantry's
new "conveyor
system"!**

It's a life saver!

**The outside doors, the
new shelving and tables,
and now the conveyor
system has improved the
efficiency of sacking and
loading of items for our
food pantry. Volunteers
said it made a huge
difference!**

We are blessed!



**Shepherd Group 234 met at Debra's for
"Brunch" on Friday, March 7; we had
16 who signed up but at the last minute
several could not make it due to
illness, doctor appointments or other
commitments. Wilma shared her
"Artic" adventure with us, along with
us along with her other continent**

**excursions she has been fortunate enough to travel over the years.
Pictured standing from left: Jim Duit, Susan Duit, Kathy Lamb, Sandee
Griffith, Gary Kistler, Bettie Land, Diane Upchurch. Seated from left:
Wilma Gunn, Genie Kistler, Ev Smyth.**



Did you miss worshipping with us last week?
Worship any time. Use this link.

[March 9, Praise Worship LINK](#)

[March 9, Traditional Worship LINK](#)

[March 12, The First Lenten Wednesday
Worship Service LINK](#)

Or check the video archives on our website.

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Sing
Hymnal LINK](#)



Schedule of Events and Happenings at VUMC

March 19, 26, April 2 and 9, Wednesday Lenten Services 5:00 p.m.

March 23 - 28 - Sager Brown 2025 Mission Trip

March 30 - One Worship Service at 10:30 a.m. Potluck after the service.

April 3-10 - Honduras 2025 Mission Trip

April 17 - Maundy Thursday at 5:00 p.m.

April 18 - Good Friday at 5:00 p.m.

April 20 - EASTER - Sunrise Easter Service at 7:00 a.m.

EASTER - Praise Service at 9:00 a.m.

EASTER - Traditional Service at 11:00 a.m.



**Schedule of Community Concerts and Activities
connected to the VUMC congregation and Community
Ministry/Mission opportunities**

**THE CHOSEN, Season 5: Episodes 1 & 2, In Theaters beginning March 27.
Episodes 3-5, and 6-8 will be released in April.
A trailer about Season 5 is available on YouTube. It is dated February 20. Search
"The Chosen Season 5 Trailer" to find it.**

[Click this LINK for the March 16 Weekly Calendar](#)

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