



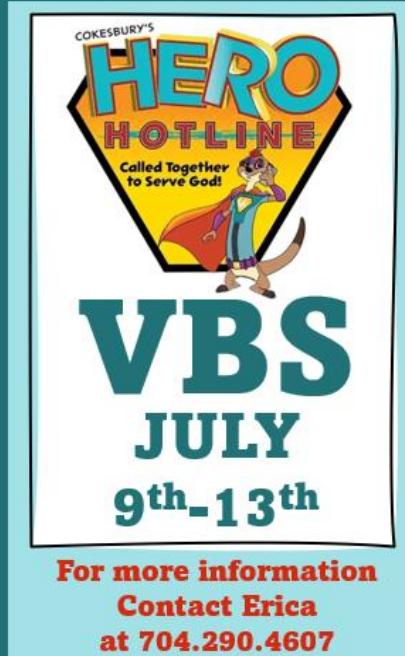
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PLEASE FILL OUT THE CONNECT CARD
TODAY AND PUT IN THE OFFERING PLATE



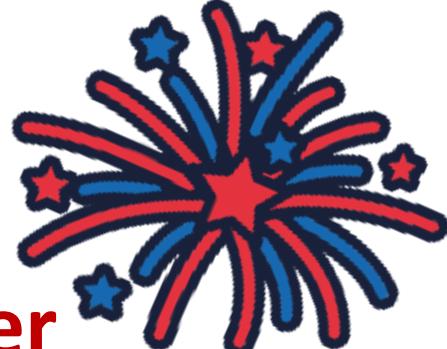
Churchwide 4th of July

Fellowship Meal

July 4th

6 - 7 pm

Family Life Center



Volunteers needed for set-up, clean-up, decorating, and food donation. For more information or questions contact Virginia Duncan: 704.231.8623 or Linda Deese: 704.219.7199.

God Bless America

DONATE BLOOD

Central United Methodist Church
Sunday, July 9
9:30 AM - 1:30 PM

All donors will receive*:
 - **\$20 eGift Card**
 - **Limited Edition T-shirt**
 - **Wellness Checkup** including blood pressure, pulse, temperature, iron count, and cholesterol screening.

Fact: One in three of us will need a blood transfusion.

Appointments are encouraged, please visit oneblood.org/donate-now and use sponsor code 45546

To sign-up click the link on the main eblast page or contact Irene Ward at 980.328.0520

Could we call you to make a dish from our recipe? Then you can deliver it to the church Tuesday at 4-5:30 pm and stay to help serve if you wish.

Please join our Dinner Church Teams as we serve the hungry!

Call Jean Semken (Team 1 Leader) 704.301.0435, Rena McGee-Helms (Team 2 Leader) 704.221.3106, or Grace Snelgrove (Team 3 Leader) 910.693.1019.

Central Kids KIDS Worship
It's Worship Just for Kids

During both services!

Toddlers and children through 2nd grade are invited to Kid's Worship following the Children's Message for a time of follow-up & review, scripture memorization, prayers & praises, God sightings, singing & dancing.

Summer Hymn Sing
Sunday, July 16th
5:00 pm in the Chapel

Clements Music Presents

A Festival Of Psalms

Monday, July 24, 2023
7:00 pm | Pre-Music: 6:45
Central UMC Chapel
801 S. Hayne St. | Monroe, NC | 28112

NC MedAssist
Dispensing Hope for the Uninsured

Friday, July 28, 2023
9 am - 2 pm

Atrium Health Union
600 Hospital Dr.
Monroe, NC 28112

FREE OTC MEDICINE Giveaway

STOCK YOUR MEDICINE CABINET FOR FREE!
Free OTC medicine items include cold, cough, flu medicine, pain relief, vitamins, children's medicine, etc.

HOW IT WORKS:

- Stop by from 9 AM - 2 PM for FREE OTC products.
- If you want to request specific medications, you can pre-order online: www.medassist.org/mobile or scan the QR Code.
- *ONLINE REGISTRATION OPENS - 6/28/2023 @12:00 AM
- *ONLINE REGISTRATION CLOSES - 7/21/2023 @1:00 PM
- You may pick up your pre-order during our event.
- Pick up items for a friend or family member.

NO APPOINTMENT OR PRE-REGISTERING REQUIRED.
If you do not pre-order your medications, you can come by and shop for your free OTCs. All event participants will be able to choose up to eight items, while supplies last.

THIS EVENT IS OPEN TO EVERYONE
All NC residents are welcome. No income requirements to receive products. No I.D. required. Must be 18 years or older. This event is rain or shine.

BROUGHT TO YOU BY:

Atrium Health

FREE ONE-ON-ONE CONFIDENTIAL CARE

PROVIDED BY TRAINED CAREGIVERS

Your Stephen Minister will walk with you, listen to you as you search through the pieces of your heart. To connect with a Stephen Minister email Pastor Sigrid Mottram at smottram@centralumcmonroe.org or call/text 980.240.2370.

Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for YOU!
Christ caring for people through people

STEPHEN MINISTRY

Prayer Requests

Betty Harkness | The Family of Paul Green | Starnes Family | Margaret Furr | John & Kim Cattie | Cynthia Smith | Stegall Family
 Charles Magee | Carson Young | John Young | Joey Buchanan | VBS Programs everywhere | Frank Maynard | Sandie Morrison
 Jay Broom-Praise | Unspoken | Bill Phifer | Mike Taylor | Melody Cordero | Jodie & Family | Erica & Family | Mark Felstow Family
 War & disaster victims | Children of Shriners & St. Jude Hospitals || Kelli Whitaker | Alicia Roberts | Monty Wallace
 Pat & Steve Morgan | Charles Brock | Emily & Family | Ivan & Lou Ellen Secrest Family | Larry Lane
 (Prayer Request's stay on the above list for 2 weeks unless requested to be put on the "ongoing prayer requests")

Ongoing Prayer Requests

Mitchell Taylor (Carolyn Kindley's nephew) | Vanessa Deese & Family (Linda's daughter in law) | Brian Outen | Jeanne Mackay | Gail Klein
 Ruth Mackay | Helen Scarpantoni (Ruth Wall's sister) | Ruth Wall | Steve Engel | Betty Lathan | Jim Gordon | Linda Deese
 Sandy Deskins | Paula Russell | Rosey Olsen | John Tice | Dixon & Elaine Hall | Barbara Pfau | Jimmie Hargett
 Maeson Sutton & Family | Chris Wiggins | Martha Rollins | Elaine & Dennis Lord | Joel Kurtz | Mary Jones | Meghan Broome
 Barbara Horack (Shelley Loberger's mother) | Eldoris Loberger (Dale's mother) | Karen Dyer (Lisa Kania's sister-in-law) | Kappy Giblin
 Doris Wheeler | Jean Semken | Maxine Wally | Jack Harper III | Dillon Brantley | Jason Hill | Jonathan Mackay | Bob Sullivan
 Gareth Simpson | Ronnie Haigler | Darlene Childers (Doris Campbell's sister) | Our President | Our Governor | Our Military
 Our Country | Bishop Ken Carter | District Superintendent Rev. Beth Crissman | Central UMC Staff
 Please call the Church Office at 704.289.3186 or email skeesler@centralumcmonroe.org to add or remove prayer requests.
 If you have confidential prayer request, please email llancaster@centralumcmonroe.org or smottram@centralumcmonroe.org.

Attendance

Week of 6/25/23-474
 8:45 am Service-50
 Sunday School-47
 11:00 am Service-65
 Online Service-243
 Dinner Church-69

Lay Reader

7/2-Nathan Clements
 7/9-Janet Lancaster
 7/16-David Paschal
 7/23-Dale Loberger
 7/30-Eric Shupe



Ushers

8:45 am Contemporary Service
 7/2-Cheri Barker & Amy Garrison
 7/9-Amy Garrison & Denise Rumley
 7/16-Denise Rumley & Cheri Barker
 7/23-Cheri Barker & Denise Rumley
 7/30-Denise Rumley & Amy Garrison
11:00 am Traditional Service
 7/2-Dale & Shelley Loberger and
 David & Amy Paschal
 7/9-Jack & Jackson Hargett and
 Davey & Dale Ann Plyler
 7/16-Ken Neese & Jimmy Parker and
 Sean Daly & Roy Wade
 7/23-John & Mary Ann Burns and
 Robert & Linda Hinson
 7/30-Hank Baucom & James Clements
 and David & Nathan Clements



July
 Nancy Gustafson
 & Mary Engel

United Women in Faith

Circles will not meet during summer, they will start back in September.
 If you have any questions please contact your Circle Leader at their number below.

Lessie Anne Circle meets the 1st Tuesday of each month (September-May) at 10:00 am in the Church Library. Contact Mary Engel for more information at 704.226.1176.

Faith, Hope & Charity Circle meets the 2nd Monday of each month (September-May) at 1:30 pm in the Hospitality Room. Contact Nancy Gustafson for more information at 704.733.8686.

New Beginnings Circle meets the 3rd Monday of each month (September-May) at 6:30 pm in the Hospitality Room. Contact Linda Deese for more information at 704.219.7199.

Grace & Mercy Circle please contact Donna Young at 704.226.5954 if you have any questions or need information.

Men's Breakfast Group
 meets at the
Derby Restaurant

 Thursday mornings
 8:00 am
 Come join us for great food,
 fellowship & a devotion!

Altar Flowers
 Would you like to put flowers on the altar
 in honor or memory of a loved one? Stop
 by the Crossroads and sign-up on the
 flower calendar.

Central Squares Men's Group

Central Squares Men's Group will meet in July on the 8th & 22nd. We start cooking breakfast at 7:30 am with the devotion at 8:00 am. Come join us for breakfast, fellowship, and devotion. For any questions or for more information contact Eric Shupe 803.370.3693 or Gabe Febus 704.774.0342.

Central Calendar

SUNDAY 7/2 Communion
 8:45 am Contemporary Service-Central Hall
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary
 11:00 am Livestream Worship-Online

MONDAY 7/3
 ALL DAY Pastor Lanny on call/Pastor Sigrid's Sabbath
 1:00 pm Set-up for Fellowship Dinner-FLC/Down. Kit.
 5:00 pm Newsletter/Bulletin Deadline

TUESDAY 7/4
 ALL DAY CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
 ALL DAY FLC/Downstair Kitchen Reserved
 6:00 pm Churchwide 4th of July Fellowship Meal-FLC

WEDNESDAY 7/5
 6:00 pm InnerChange

THURSDAY 7/6
 8:00 am Men's Breakfast Group-The Derby
 6:00 pm AAU Basketball-FLC
 7:00 pm Union Big Book-Scout Hut

FRIDAY 7/7
 ALL DAY Pastor Sigrid on call/Pastor Lanny's Sabbath

SATURDAY 7/8
 8:00 am Central Squares-Hospitality/Upstairs Kitchen
 9:00 am FLC Reserved until 12:00 pm

SUNDAY 7/9
 8:45 am Contemporary Service-Central Hall
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Traditional Worship Service-Sanctuary
 11:00 am Livestream Worship-Online

MONDAY 7/10
 ALL DAY Pastor Lanny on call/Pastor Sigrid's Sabbath
 12:00 PM Civitans-Scout Hut

TUESDAY 7/11
 5:00 pm Newsletter/Bulletin Submission Deadline
 5:00 pm VBS Meal
 5:30 pm VBS

WEDNESDAY 7/12
 4:00 pm Knitting Girls-Library
 5:00 pm Community Faith Nurses-Room 115
 5:00 pm VBS Meal
 5:30 pm VBS

THURSDAY 7/13
 6:00 pm Dinner Church (Team 3)-FLC

If you have anything to add to the calendar
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 or call the church office 704.289.3186

