

November 8, 2021

## From Pastor Matt

My family does not face hunger. My children do not go off to school, and I do not go to work, on an empty stomach. None of us go to bed hungry. Not only that, but on any given day we have extra food in our pantry and refrigerator. I am aware of, and grateful for, our abundance.

I am also aware that many of our neighbors in North Carolina struggle to have enough to eat. Sometimes I wonder: When I live with extra food, why should others not have enough?

Here are some quick facts on hunger in North Carolina from [feedingamerica.org](http://feedingamerica.org) and [foodshuttle.org](http://foodshuttle.org):

- In 2021, almost **1.5 million** North Carolinians regularly face hunger.
- This includes over **400,000**, or **1 in 5**, children.
- North Carolina is the **10<sup>th</sup>** hungriest state in the nation.
- Food insecurity significantly increases the risk of developing chronic illnesses.
- Hunger negatively impacts school performance and the likelihood of high school graduation.

I give God thanks that our church is actively engaged in the work of feeding the hungry. Through financial support, various food collections throughout the year, and active volunteers working throughout our community, we are engaging the issue of food insecurity. Yet, more opportunities for participation exist. For example, on the second Friday morning of the

month, HBUMC church members deliver meals for Meals on Wheels. Currently, more drivers are needed on those Fridays and other days of the week as well. For more information about getting involved, please contact Jane Holding by email at [janeholding1@gmail.com](mailto:janeholding1@gmail.com).

Another opportunity to participate in closing the hunger gap is through our Thanksgiving Food Box ministry. As we prepare our own Thanksgiving feasts for our families, consider those families who cannot afford an abundant Thanksgiving meal. Consider that with schools closed for three days of Thanksgiving week, many children in our immediate area may need meals.

Our Thanksgiving Food Box ministry sign up is currently posted on the church website at [hbumc.org/signups](http://hbumc.org/signups). I invite you to participate by (1) praying about food insecurity in North Carolina, (2) donating toward our Thanksgiving Food Box collection, and (3) participating in sorting, packing, and/or delivering the boxes. Together, we can make a difference this Thanksgiving season.

In His Service,



### Thanksgiving Food Box Needs (sign up at [hbumc.org/signups](http://hbumc.org/signups))

Thank you for your help and support! We aim to feed 300+ local families this year. We have three main areas of need:

- non-perishable food items (by 11/18)
- delivery drivers (11/20 and 11/21)
- money for turkeys.

Every \$20 buys one turkey for a family; please donate here: [hbumc.org/give](http://hbumc.org/give) and select Thanks Food Fund.



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#### Food Needs

- Green Beans (379 of 700 needed)
- Corn (412 of 700 needed)
- Bag of Dried Beans (251 of 350 needed)
- Mashed Potatoes (288 of 350 needed)
- Stuffing (262 of 350 needed)
- Corn Muffin Mix (6 of 350 needed)
- Rice (350 of 350 needed)
- Stew (340 of 350 needed)
- Granola Bars (260 of 350 needed)

#### Other Needs

- Cardboard boxes (350 of 350 needed - Bankers box size)
- Hauling/Moving Boxes (18 of 20 slots needed on Saturday 11/20, 9 - 11AM)
- Group Deliveries to Community Partners (16 of 20 slots needed Saturday, 11/20, 9 - 11AM)
- Miscellaneous Help! (18 of 20 slots needed on Sunday, 11/21, 10AM - 12PM)
- Delivery Drivers (35 of 100 slots needed on Sunday, 11/21, 10:30AM - 12:30PM)

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## Need pastoral assistance or guidance?

- **Pastor David** ([dbeam@hbumc.org](mailto:dbeam@hbumc.org), x1115) provides administrative leadership, staff coordination, worship leadership, and counseling.
- **Pastor Molly** ([mwhite@hbumc.org](mailto:mwhite@hbumc.org), x1114) oversees Christian Education for adults, youth, and children, including book and bible studies, small groups, Sunday School classes, and retreats, and is our NC Conference liaison.
- **Pastor Laura** ([lfinledford@hbumc.org](mailto:lfinledford@hbumc.org), x1120) serves in a half-time capacity to come alongside parishioners who need a pastor to listen, encourage and pray or who are navigating seasons of celebration or struggle. She assists in the navigation of life transitions and challenges.
- **Pastor Matt** ([mashburn@hbumc.org](mailto:mashburn@hbumc.org), x1124) provides pastoral leadership and guidance to the ministries of Outreach within the church and envisions and implements missional activities locally, domestically, and internationally. He also provides pastoral leadership and guidance to the ministries of Support within the church along with Pastor Laura.



### 30 More Parkview Manor Secret Pals Needed

Get in on the fun to make someone feel very SPECIAL and NEVER forgotten. We have partnered again with Parkview Manor apartments for seniors. A monthly gift starting in November (value from \$5-\$10) from a SECRET PAL will be a way of saying SOMEONE CARES and they are a BLESSING.

Sign up to be a secret pal at [hbumc.org/signups](http://hbumc.org/signups)

You'll receive information with your pal's name, address, hobbies, household items needed, favorite color, foods they enjoy, their birthday and other information.

All gifts should be delivered by the 2ND Saturday of the month (11/13, 12/11, etc.) to one of the following 3 places. Each gift should be labeled PARKVIEW MANOR with the FULL NAME of your Secret Pal and their APARTMENT NUMBER.

1. At HBUMC in the large closet in Room 250.
2. The front porch of the home of Janet Gruchacz at 1909 Sunset Drive, 27608; (919) 482-9559.
3. The front porch of the home of Sheila Lee-Carr at 1109 Hemingway Dr. 27609. The door on the LEFT. (919) 819-4777.

## Marketplace Vendors

Birch Hill Candle Company  
Heart Creations Jewelry  
Muddy Dog Roasting Company  
Blue Chip Wood Turnings  
Seton McGlennon - Nostalgia Art  
Midtown Olive Oil  
Julie Mitchell Floral Designs  
The Painted Pearl  
MESsArtwork  
Luz Frye Art  
Have Mercy Gifts  
Pala Village Market  
Courtney Bell Jewelry  
Kenzania  
Creative Clay  
Addis Jemari  
Cleerely Stated  
The Dash Studio  
Surcie  
Sandy Vincent - Artist  
For Your Convenience  
Sassy Goat Soaps  
Ava Celeste Boutique  
Joy B Designs  
Cockamamie Jewelry  
Waccamaw Pearls  
Anchor Beads  
Joy Filled Foods  
Redeemed  
Ginny O's Cheese Straws  
The Salted Tomato  
Crown Lily Designs  
Olive + Harbor  
Embroidery Nurse  
The Flourish Market  
Bordeaux Lane Studio  
Raleigh Orchids



# FYI... All things Bazaar

### Bazaar Lunch Pickup and Delivery Dates (ordering now closed):

Corporate Lunch Delivery Tuesday, November 16th  
Boxed Lunch Pick-up Wednesday, November 17th

### Bake Sale

Online ordering begins Wednesday, November 10th  
Pick-up Tuesday, November 16th...Stone Street church entrance

### Silent Auction

Online bidding begins Wednesday, November 10th through 1pm Sunday, November 14th  
Pick-up auction items Sunday, November 14th after 1pm

### Christian Marketplace

(Shop Local one of a kind gifts and accessories)  
Tuesday, November 16th, 5-8:30pm  
Wednesday, November 17th, 9:30am-2pm

### Holiday Wreath and Poinsettia Sales

Order online through Wednesday, November 17th  
Pick-up at HBUMC the week after Thanksgiving

**Order online at [hbumc.org/bazaar](http://hbumc.org/bazaar)**

Or scan this QR Code:



*The UMW Humble Heart Bazaar is a storied tradition at HBUMC. 100% of the funds raised go back into the community. We hope you will join us!*



## OUR HONORED DEAD

November 1, 2020 – October 31, 2021

Betty Debnam Hunt	Verda Harris "Tommie" Campbell
William Watkins Merriman, IV	Sue Steele Aldridge Perry
Jesse Asher Chappell, Jr.	Betty Fox Ball
Robert Leon Farmer	Dr. Preston Hatcher Bradshaw, Jr.
Wilson Hayman	Nancy Chesson Perry
Stephen Benjamin Collier	Barbara Stutts Freeze
Robin Ligon White	Thelma "Dicie" Ward Davis
Jane W. Shirk	Polly Ann Jarrett
Donna Merrill	Deborah Lambert Sawyer
Kay Tew Bradshaw Gregory	

## New to Hayes Barton?

Please stop by 'Coffee with the Pastors' this Sunday, November 14, at 10 am in the Parlor. If you are curious about membership or what it might look like to find Christ, community and compassion through this congregation, we hope you will join us! RSVP to Pastor Laura ([lfinedford@hbumc.org](mailto:lfinedford@hbumc.org)).

## Advent Joint Adult Sunday School

Advent joint Adult Sunday School begins November 28 at 10am and runs through January 2.

After studying *Lent in Plain Sight* this spring, the pastors will lead sessions using Jill J. Duffield's *Advent in Plain Sight: A Devotion through Ten Objects*. We'll use this book as a church-wide daily Advent devotion AND incorporate the objects for each week into our Elementary Sunday School time during Advent.

We will not meet on Sunday, December 26 – but join us for Carols, Communion, and Cookies as well celebrate the coming of Christ at one service at 10am followed by a sweet reception.

## Green Tip: Switch to e-billing

In the US, paper products make up the largest percentage of municipal solid waste, and hard copy bills alone generate almost 2 million tons of CO2. Save paper by signing up for e-billing.



Thanks to HBUMC for answering the call for furnishings to set up an apartment for an incoming refugee family! Want more information? Beth Baker: [bethbaker1018@yahoo.com](mailto:bethbaker1018@yahoo.com)

## Altar Flowers Needed for November 21

If you are interested in sponsoring the altar flowers, please contact Halie Sue Clifton at [haliesuesmith@gmail.com](mailto:haliesuesmith@gmail.com) or 336-456-1013.

## Charge Conference: Nov. 15 at 6:30 pm

All leaders and members of Hayes Barton UMC are invited to participate in Charge Conference on Monday, November 15, at 6:30pm in the chapel. This annual meeting with our District Superintendent, Rev. Chris Brady, is a time apart for 'holy conferencing' for the purpose of prayer, discernment, and celebration about what God has done over the past year through our faith community. We also look to the future as we elect key leaders, approve pastoral salaries, and hear more about the plans for next year. The meeting will also have an online option for participation. To receive the zoom link, please contact the church office.

## Support the 2021 Wolfpack - Tarheel Rumble

### Support UM Campus Ministry in Raleigh & Chapel Hill

UNC Wesley and Raleigh Wesley (the United Methodist Campus Ministries at UNC-Chapel Hill and NCSU) use the rivalry football game to raise support for these vibrant and vital ministries. Your donation to the Raleigh Wesley Foundation will support the spiritual life of young adults in Raleigh attending NC State, Meredith, Peace, and Wake Tech.

To participate in the showdown match you can give securely online here before the end of the UNC vs. NCSU game on **FRI-DAY, 11/26**, or mail a check and include Rumble on the memo line.

Learn more at [www.tarheelwolfpackrumble.com/](http://www.tarheelwolfpackrumble.com/)

Questions? Email [RaleighWesleyRumble@gmail.com](mailto:RaleighWesleyRumble@gmail.com) or call 850-380-0861.



## Births

- Leighton Scott Cox, son of Michelle & Nick Cox, grandson of Kimberly Roth, great grandson of Mary Elizabeth Gallagher, was born on October 30.
- Hazel Collins Jones, daughter of Caroline & Seth Jones, sister of Weldon, was born on October 20.
- Walker Anne McLeod, daughter of Natasha & Joe McLeod, sister of Reading, granddaughter of Lynn & Joe McLeod, was born on October 21.
- Cora Braxton Wehmann, daughter of Catherine & Johnny Wehmann, granddaughter of Carolyn & John Skowron, was born on October 14.

## Sympathy and Love to

- Allison Eckstein and family on the death of her mother, Jackie Taylor, on October 24. Her service was held on October 27 at Jarvis Memorial UMC in Greenville.
- Jeff Rawls and family on the death of his mother, Virginia Ferrell Rawls, on November 2. Her service was held on November 6 at Garrett-Sykes Funeral Service, Rich Square.

## New Members on October 31

- Carolyn Beam with Addy & Joseph, joined by transfer from Pinehurst UMC, Pinehurst.
- Rodney Ledford with Win & Hank, joined by transfer from All Saints' UMC, Morrisville.
- Jessica & Chris Presnell with Greer, joined by transfer from University City UMC, Charlotte, and Harrisburg UMC, Harrisburg, respectively.
- Brenda Willis, joined by transfer from First Baptist Church, Lexington.

## Baptism on October 31

Theodore J. Harper Wiles, son of Joy & Blaine Wiles

## Memorial Gifts Processed by November 4

In Honor of **Dorothy Caldwell** by HBUMC Circle 7.

In Memory of **Barbara Freeze**, mother of Lori Constantino:  
- to the Stroud Music Endowment by Joyce Stroud.  
- by Bobby & Gail Veasey

In Honor of **Doug Gill and Tricia Ligon** by Sherry Conrad Frye.

In Memory of **Margaret English Lester**, mother of Courtney Bell:  
- to the Music Fund by Becky Thompson.  
- by Bobby & Gail Veasey.

In Memory of **John Mills**, father of Eric Mills, by Bobby & Gail Veasey.

In Memory of **Nancy Perry**:  
- to the Grand Age Fund by Pat Wiles.  
- to the Stroud Music Endowment by Joyce Stroud.  
- by HBUMC Circle 7.

In Memory of **Sue Perry** to the JOY Class Fund by Pat Wiles.

In Memory of **Martha Willy**, sister of Elvey Thomas, by Bobby & Gail Veasey.

## PRAYER REQUESTS: PRAYER@HBUMC.ORG

Prayer Bookmarks: 10-31-21 & 11-07-21

## Deaths

Virginia Ferrell Rawls, mother of Jeff Rawls  
Jackie Taylor, mother of Allison Eckstein

## Births

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## Health Concerns

Betty Angell, Becky Balentine, Dianne Beattie, Malcolm Cass, Rae Jarema, Margaret Wrenn Murphrey, Gladys Rose

## Ongoing Concerns

Andrea Barnard	John Phillips
Tom Blalock	Jane Preiss
Mary Lou Goodrich	Rhumell Ross
Finlay Carter Green	Barbara Smith
Sheila Lee-Carr	Nancy Stamey
Martha Lowrance	Mark Stamper
Margaret Lucas	Elvey Thomas
Mac Newsom	Georgia Webb

## Our Church Leaders

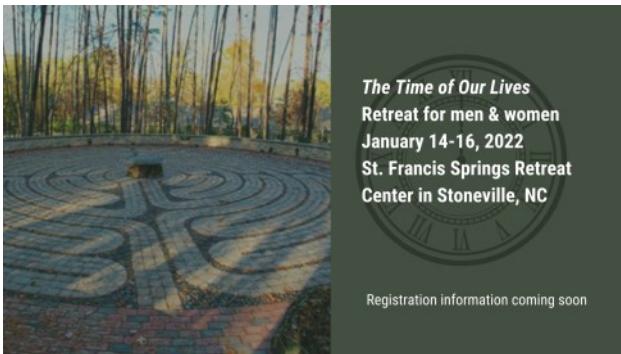
Pastors David, Molly, Matt, and Laura  
D.S. Brady; Bishop Fairley

## Our In-Crowd Members

Those grieving the over 5.04M who have died from COVID worldwide

## Our Leaders at All Levels of the Government

**Hayes Barton**  
United Methodist Preschool  
**OPENINGS:**  
**Tues/Thurs 2**  
**4 day 4s**  
**5 day 4s**  
Visit our website to learn more or tour virtually  
**hbump.org**



Join us at January 14-16 as we gather at St. Francis Springs Prayer Center, just north of Greensboro, for a weekend away after the bustle of the holiday season! St. Francis Springs has deep ties to our HB community and our lay planning group has created a weekend with time for walking, reading, conversation by the fireplace, worshipping, learning, and fellowship.

The theme for our retreat is "The Time of Our Lives." For many of us, time is the one thing we can't control. There isn't enough of it, or there's too much of it on our hands. Retreat with your brothers and sisters in Christ as we begin the new year exploring simple ways to bring Christ into our daily lives and consider a spiritual path to time in our lives.

We have limited accommodations for men, women, or couples. Depending on the number of people who attend, the cost will be between \$100 & \$150 for the weekend – including wonderful meals prepared by the staff at St. Francis Springs! More information including how to register coming soon.

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## HUMBLE HEART HOLIDAY WREATHS AND POINSETTIAS

Get a jump on your holiday  
decorating!

Pre-order your wreaths and  
poinsettias now through  
November 17th!

<https://www.hbumc.org/bazaar>



24 inch wreath with Boxwood, Juniper  
and Frasier Fir- \$50

Small (14" x 14") red, white, or hot pink  
poinsettia - \$15

Large (20"x 20") red, white or hot pink  
poinsettia- \$30

\*Pick up will be at HBUMC the  
week after Thanksgiving



More Bazaar Information on page 3.

## In Person Worship

**8:30/11 am Traditional**

**9 am LightHouse**

(11 am service  
will also be live-streamed)

**Nursery care** for children  
from birth to age 4 available.

**Sunday School at 10 am**

**NOVEMBER 14:**  
**25th Sunday after Pentecost**

**Pastor Matt**

1 Samuel 1:4-20

1 Samuel 2:1-10 or Psalm 113

Heb. 10:11-14 (15-18) 19-25

Mark 13:1-8

**NOVEMBER 21:**  
**Christ the King Sunday**

**Bishop Fairley**

2 Samuel 23:1-7

Psalm 132:1-12

Revelation 1:4b-8

John 18:33-37

**NOVEMBER 28:**  
**1st Sunday of Advent**  
**Pastor David**



Show gratitude to God for who He is and what He does for us. Start your gratitude calendar and play Thanksgiving Charades! To reserve a kit for your family, please email Ms. Karen at [kskaggs@hbumc.org](mailto:kskaggs@hbumc.org)!

## November Family Kits