



## Worship Schedule

Sunday, April 18<sup>th</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, April 18<sup>th</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
 Pastor Greg Rapp

Sunday, May 30<sup>th</sup> 8:00am FSC Sanctuary  
 Sunday, May 30<sup>th</sup> 9:30am FSC Sanctuary  
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## FUMCH Announcement Page

Week: April 18, 2021

**Help Us Beautify Our Church Flower Beds** -Now that Spring has Sprung let's take the opportunity to beautify our flower beds. Donations are being accepted for new shrubs, annuals, and perennials to be planted on Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. If you are able to donate, please place your donation in the offering plate by May 9<sup>th</sup>, Mother's Day weekend. Mulching and planting will take place on Saturday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>.



**Chicken Bar-B-Que**  
**Saturday, May 29, 2021**  
**11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.**



**Sponsored by First United Methodist Men**

**Includes:** ½ chicken, Baked Potato, Applesauce, Roll & Butter  
 Advanced tickets will go on sale **Sunday, April 25, 2021** after each Worship Service. We will also set aside other, **Drive-up, times for advanced ticket sales on Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, from 11:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.**

**Donation: \$9.00 Advanced Sales \$10.00 at the door.**

**Please support us as we try to get events back on schedule.**

### **"Why Climate Change is an Environmental Justice Issue"**

- Earth Day 2021 is Thursday, April 22<sup>nd</sup>. The following paragraph is an excerpt from an article that was posted on the Columbia University Earth Institute blog site on September 22, 2020. The author of the article is Renee Cho. "Climate change is a threat to everyone's physical health, mental health, air, water, food and shelter, but some groups—socially and economically disadvantaged ones—face the greatest risks. This is because of where they live, their health, income, language barriers, and limited access to resources. In the U.S., these more vulnerable communities are largely the communities of color, immigrants, low-income communities and people for whom English is not their native language. As time goes on, they will suffer the worst impacts of climate change, unless we recognize that fighting climate change and environmental justice are inextricably linked." To learn more about climate change and environmental justice and how you can take action, visit <https://www.climaterealityproject.org/>.

**Thank You: From Bob and Peggy Duck** -Thanks to our Church family and friends for prayers, cards, gifts, etc., during my latest hospitalization, and Bob's recent surgery to correct some blockages. We are both doing well with our recovery, and pray, to be back to our normal activities shortly. Special thanks to ESP and the Susanna Wesley Circle.

**United Methodist Men's Mission and Benevolent:**

**2021 Golf Tournament** -Attention all Golfers!!! Our United Methodist Men are once again sponsoring an 18 hole "Scramble" Golf Tournament. The date to reserve for a great time is Saturday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021, teeing off at 8:30am at Flatbush Golf Course. The price of \$70.00 includes continental breakfast, lunch and prizes. [You can also support us by sponsoring a hole for a \\$50.00 contribution. Your sign will be placed on the course. This is a great way to memorialize a loved one, recognize a special event or advertise your business.](#)

For more info, call Dale Gordon 717-637-2987 or Larry Jackson 717-825-9678 or Bob Duck, Jr. 717-515-3422 or Steve Miller 717-515-6267 or just [look for sign-up sheets on the U. M. Men's bulletin board.](#) THANKS!!!



**New Hope: Food Focus** -The need to help the less fortunate in our community is still great. Any food or personal care items can be put in the New Hope box outside of the church office. The food focus for the month of April is soup. Thanks for helping your neighbors in need!

**Share Your Talent!** -Now that we have resumed indoor worship services, on Sundays at 8:00am & 9:30am at FSC, Janis Wagner is scheduling special music for worship. All musicians are encouraged to share their musical talent. Also, if you are interested in recording a solo, duet, etc., for online worship, please contact us. Our church is taking precautions to keep everyone safe. You will need to wear a mask when you are in the church building, but *you may take the mask off while performing, or while recording special music.* We are also using social distancing and disinfecting surfaces in between worship services. Please contact Janis to sign up to perform. Thank you! Director of Music, Janis Wagner email: [janis.wagner@firstumchanover.org](mailto:janis.wagner@firstumchanover.org) or call her home phone: (717) 632-9405.

**Thank You!!!: Gertrude Hawk Candy Fundraisers**

-Thank you all who participated in the Christmas and Easter Gertrude Hawk Candy Fundraisers in support of my Fieldwork Project. We were able to raise half of the expedition expense needed to join the Bighorn Basin Paleontological Institute, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to paleontology and earth science research, education, and outreach, the first week of August. It is headquartered at Red Lodge, Montana. The Bighorn Basin is part of Yellowstone National Park of Montana and Wyoming. My group will focus on hunting and unearthing fossils in quarries and bone beds of the late Jurassic Morrison Formation, 150 million years old, and home of dozens of dinosaurs and other animals and plants. Donations are still being accepted in support of travel and supplies. Crew Members benefit from having a camp cook and on-site research lodge accommodations.

**FUMC Scholarship Applicants** -First Church members who are in college, those who will be graduating from High School this year, and adults seeking financial aid for full-time enrollment to Vo-Tech, Trade Schools, Nursing Schools, Colleges, Universities, or Seminary are eligible to apply for FUMC tuition assistance scholarships. This \$1,500 scholarship is awarded only twice to an individual applicant in order to allow more FUMC applicants to receive a scholarship. Applications are available by e-mailing the church office at [office@firstumchanover.org](mailto:office@firstumchanover.org). To be considered, your completed application must be returned to the church office, including reference letters and grade information, prior to the **May 15<sup>th</sup> deadline!!!**

**Members and friends who would like to support this ministry, may make their tax-deductible donations in any envelope, made payable to First UMC and designated for FUMC Scholarship Fund. May you find great joy and satisfaction in helping to give the gift of education to others!!!**