

### Way to Go!

#### Andy Nelson and Steve Reis!

These two braved quite an uphill climb to bike from FUMC in Johnson City to Lake Junaluska, North Carolina for the Holston Annual Conference. They were raising money for the relief of poverty for teens and children in the Holston Conference. At the time of printing, Steve and Andy had reached their goal of \$1000.00 for this cause. Thanks to those who supported them. And a job well done to Steve and Andy.

### More Conference News

There will be more reports and information to share from our Annual Conference. But here is some great news. FUMC members filled 17 backpacks with school supplies for children in Liberia. Backpacks were assigned to the Johnson City District to be among the many different types of kits (health kits; cleaning buckets, etc.) assigned to various Districts across the Conference which were then collected at Annual Conference. The Conference set the request at 400 backpacks for our District. JC District churches (about 66 churches) responded to the call with 800 backpacks! 😊

### Don't Forget:

You are invited after worship for  
**Lemonade on the Lawn.**

*One Acre Café of Johnson City is in need of "One Hour Volunteers".*

*No experience is required. The Cafe will train you and provide a meal for you. They need volunteers for one hour of your time Monday thru Friday between 10:00 a.m and 3:00 p.m. The church office has volunteer packets available or call Michelle Watts at One Acre Cafe: (423) 483-0517 or email them [info@oneacrecafe.org](mailto:info@oneacrecafe.org).*

### WELCOME 1ST CHURCH GUESTS!

*"We hope you find worship here to be a way to experience the love of Jesus Christ."  
--from pastor Jane Taylor speaking for all in the congregation*

### For Your Information:

**Restrooms** are located directly behind the sanctuary. There is a **nursery** for children (infant to 4 yrs of age). Our ushers or greeters can lead or direct you there **if you desire**.

If you would like to consider **becoming a member** of our church family, we invite you to do so. Please speak to the pastor or indicate so on the attendance slip.

An **AED** is located in the **CONNECTOR; TOP FLOOR**; go through door at the front and to the right side of sanctuary.

### Church Staff:

**Rev. Jane Taylor, Pastor**

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Billy Walker, Dir. of Worship & Music

Kathie Battista, ELC Director

Steve Reis, Dir. Community Outreach/

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Bree Nelson, Dir. of Children's Ministries

Susan Dove Fields, Organist

Rhonda Simmons, Treasurer

David Gbaa, Custodian

Joshua Gbaa, Custodian

Finley Cook, Wednesday Night Chef

Christi Henn, Tabitha Cox, Nursery

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### WEEKLY CALENDAR SUMMARY

JUNE 12 - JUNE 18, 2016

**Youth Summer Mission Trip  
June 12-18**

### SUNDAY, JUNE 12

9:15a Sunday School

9:45a Coffee and Fellowship

Welcome Center at Gym Balcony

10:30a Worship Service (Combined)

2:00p Baby Shower for Bree Nelson

5:00p Possible SPPRC Meeting/Check

(No Evening Worship Service for June)

### MONDAY, JUNE 13

11:00a Full Staff Meeting

7:00p Boy Scouts - Troop #36

### TUESDAY, JUNE 14

5:30p Circle of Friends - Parlor until 8:30p

Sweet Blessings Boutique Party

6:00p Girl's Basketball Team - Gym

6:30p Girl Scout Troop #978

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

5:45p Supper Around Town

7:30p Chancel Choir

### THURSDAY, JUNE 16

7:00p Communications Pillar Meeting

### FRIDAY, JUNE 17

10:00a Melting Pot - FUMC Serving

(Future Calendar items listed inside bulletin)

### SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS for TODAY:

**USHERS:** David Denny, Calvin McMann, Frank Mohap, Roger Bailey

**GREETERS:** Novice Gross, Ann and Frank Mohap, Mark and Polly Crowder, Katie Mahoney

**PRAYER:** Karl Kapoor **CROSSBEARER:** Rowan Mills

**ACOLYTES:** Alex Uelhof **BEADLE:** Sammi Uelhof

**AUDIOVISUAL:** Jeff Crowder



Worship Guide and Church Life Information Bulletin

Welcome to 1stChurch! We are glad you are here!

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

900 SPRING ST. JOHNSON CITY, TN 37604

### THE ORDER OF WORSHIP

JUNE 12, 2016 10:30 AM

### ANNOUNCEMENTS AND GREETING

### PRELUDE

### CALL TO WORSHIP

Liturgist

Leader: By the grace of God, we gather here today at the feet of Jesus.

**People: We are drawn to Jesus because His love is extravagant,**

Leader: And because His mercy is overwhelming,

**People: And because His care embraces us,**

Leader: And because His words of comfort bring healing and peace to our souls.

**People: We come just as we are to pour out our hearts in worship and praise.**

### INVOCATION

**\*HYMN** "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" verses 1, 3, 5 **No. 139**

**NEW TESTAMENT READING** Galatians 2:15-21 Liturgist

### MORNING PRAYER and THE LORD'S PRAYER

**Our Father, Which art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil for Thine is the Kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**

