

MEET OUR CHURCH STAFF:

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TUESDAY EVENING SERVICE

Join us each Tuesday evening at 6:30pm in the sanctuary for a traditional worship service! Senior Pastor, Rev. Mack McDowell, will preach and lead the service. You are invited to attend especially if you missed Sunday worship! Dress is casual.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

There will be a meeting of the Church Council on Thursday, July 13 at 6:00pm in Asbury Hall. All Council members please mark your calendars and attend.

JULY WORSHIP SERVICES

July 9: 8:30am traditional worship service

11:00am ANew contemporary service-Heather Connor preaches!

11:00am traditional worship service-sanctuary

July 16: Only 1- 10:00am service-Wesley Hall No Sunday School. No 8:30am service, No 11:00am service in the sanctuary.

July 23: 8:30am traditional worship service

11:00am combined worship service in the sanctuary. No ANew service.

July 30: 8:30am traditional worship service

11:00am contemporary service-Heather Connor preaches!

11:00am traditional worship service-sanctuary



Epworth
Children's Home

EPWORTH CHILDREN'S HOME GIVE "BACKPACK" MISSION!

It's that wonderful time again to kick off our summer Epworth Children's Home Give "Backpack" Mission!! Epworth served approximately 52 girls and 40 boys this year so our goal is to raise money to purchase a total of 92 large backpacks for this summer. The backpacks are approximately \$60 so our goal is to raise a total of \$5,520. Please donate by turning in your donation in your church offering or directly to the church office by labeling your donation and checks to "Epworth" or "Backpack mission". We will then purchase the backpacks and deliver them to Epworth by the beginning of school. If you have any questions, please contact me at ldtorbett@gmail.com or by phone or text to 803-629-7126. Thank you LUMC...you always come through for the kids at Epworth! God Bless and I hope to see you all soon!

Lori Torbett

ALPACA SHOEBOX

For the month of **July**, please consider donating the following: small balls, inflatable beach balls, sand toys, small plastic animals/toys, yo-yos, jewelry/jewelry kits. The collection cart is in the main hallway (look for the cute Alpacas!) Let's make 2023 another great year for Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes--as we share the Love of Christ with children around the world!!

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

MONDAY, JULY 10

2-7PM ASBURY HALL

The next Red Cross Blood Drive will be on Monday, July 10 from 2-7pm in Asbury Hall. Donors can sign up online at www.redcrossblood.org with Sponsor Code "lexingtonumc," or directly at this link: <https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=lexingtonumc>. Please give blood!

CHAIR YOGA SUMMER OPPORTUNITY

Some of you have taken chair yoga with Cindy Smith @ Shepherd's Center. Others of you may have an interest in trying it also. If there enough interest for a summer opportunity, the summer opportunity will be for 6 weeks with one class a week during that session. The cost would be \$30. It would be conducted in Wesley Hall. Let me know as soon as possible if you are interested. Contact Connie Brock @ cibroock@charter.net or 803-269-6803 by text or phone.



For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.
Matthew 11:30



We will all meet at:
3072 US-378, Leesville, SC 29070

PADDLEBOARDING

Paddleboarding is BACK! We meet up at California Republic SUP to head out on Lake Murray! Limited spots are available so make sure you sign up ASAP! Join us TODAY Sunday, July 9th from 4-6pm. See the attached image for sign-up details or [click here](#).

CHILDREN'S CORNER

Please sign up [here](#) to help teach Children's Sunday school. The month of July has lots of open opportunities.

Acolytes are needed, **including this Sunday's services**. Please [Sign up here](#). Is your child interested in acolyting? Let me know so we can get them trained: Heather@lexumcsc.com

Did you receive your Sing! Play! Summer! mailer and email with songs? Challenges are in full swing and I can't wait to see how many of you earn your snoball! If you did not receive your mailer, it's not too late! Reach out to heather@lexumcsc.com.

And don't forget, sign-ups are open for our July 14th drop-off event: **Water, Water, Everywhere!** (3k-5th grade), [click here to register](#). If you'd like to volunteer, please let me know: heather@lexumcsc.com, 4 volunteers are needed.