

MEET OUR CHURCH STAFF:

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The flowers on the altar in the traditional service are given to the glory of God and in memory of Judy Hucks by Tom Hucks.

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.

EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM TRAINING (ERT)

Interested in becoming part of an United Methodist Volunteers in Mission that responds after natural disasters? If so, there is a training session scheduled November 18 at Faith UMC in Lexington. For more information on how to register, contact Mike or Terrie Morrison at 803-957-2089.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE MONDAY, NOV. 6 2:00PM-7:00PM

The next Red Cross Blood Drive will be THIS Monday, Nov. 6 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!

CARING CONNECTIONS

Caring Connections is a committee that has been a part of LUMC for many years. The members of this committee send get well cards, sympathy cards, cheer cards, and military cards among others. We keep an updated list of names of shut-ins and those in assisted living in addition to those who have lost loved ones and those serving in the military. These cards mean so much to those we send them to. If you have a loved one who you would like for us to put on our card list, please email their name and address to Sandra Brabham at ssbrabham@icloud.com.

BUTTERBRAIDS!

Butterbraids are in! If you ordered Butterbraids from the preschool, you may pick your order up during preschool hours by contacting Sunshine Tucker at 803-259-6838 or after preschool hours by contacting Julie Robinson at 803-603-0248.

COVERED DISH LUNCHEON & TOWN HALL MEETING NOV. 19 AT 1:15PM

There will be a churchwide covered dish luncheon on Nov. 19 at noon to celebrate our new members including our confirmands! The church will provide fried chicken along with drinks. We ask everyone else to bring a side dish or dessert to share with the entire church. Following the luncheon, at 1:15pm, the 2nd Informational Town Hall meeting will take place. This session is a repeat of the information that was shared in August with question and answer time following the presentation. If you were not able to attend the first meeting it is important that you attend this session so you will be informed concerning the SC Conference's discernment process. Please join us for service at 11am, then luncheon, then the Town Hall Meeting! Please RSVP to todd@lexumcsc.com or heather@lexumcsc.com

ANGEL TREE MINISTRY

Planning for the Angel Tree Ministry is underway. This ministry provides Christmas presents to children whose parents are incarcerated. We are looking for assistance to call families during October & in early November, as well as, deliver presents the week before Christmas. Some of you helped make calls or deliveries in the past. If you want more information on this wonderful ministry, please contact Wanda Pettus (803-447-8945) or Sandy Knight (703-901-4664).



CHILDREN'S CORNER

So exciting! Our children's ministry is growing and we are looking to hire 2 nursery workers, particularly for the 9:45-Noon time frame on Sunday mornings but occasionally for additional dates when available. So, if you enjoy spending time with little ones sharing God's love through play and are interested in applying, please email either Diane, dcrosby@lexumcsc.com, or Heather, heather@lexumcsc.com. All persons must meet safe sanctuary requirements and complete safe sanctuary training, if not already current on their training.



-This Sunday evening from 5-6:30 pm children WILL have programming and we will be exploring Following God Humbly. Attached you will find our other Nov. topics and dates.

-Helpers are needed on Sunday nights for Children's Ministry, [please sign up here](#). Including one additional helper needed this week, Nov. 5th!

-Christmas program practice meets on Sunday mornings, starting promptly at 10 a.m., in the sanctuary. You can pick up your child at 10:45 a.m. Particularly if your child has speaking lines, please make every effort to attend. The program will take place on Sunday, December 3rd at 10 a.m. in the sanctuary. Our Dress Rehearsal will be on Saturday, December 2nd at 9:30 am. The final rehearsal will be at 9 a.m. on Sunday, Dec. 3rd before the program takes place at 10 a.m. The children are doing a wonderful job and we can't wait to share their hard work with the congregation.