ALTAR FLOWERS HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY...

Rodger Cripe in memory of his wife Jan; and

Sean Pollock in honor of his wife, Ellen Pollock, celebrating her Commissioning as Deacon in the United Methodist Church.



Methodist Elders and Deacons

Many of you may wonder what is a Deacon, and what is the difference in the Order of Deacon and the Order of Elder?

Order of Deacon and Order of Elder Similarities

- The candidacy process is the SAME for both Orders.
- · Elders and Deacons both interview with the Board of Ordained Ministry to be Commissioned.
- Once Commissioned, candidates...
- > are granted PROVISIONAL Conference membership.
- become Residents in Ministry and meet together in cluster groups.
- > become eligible after two (2) years to be considered for election to FULL Conference membership, and Ordination.

The Order of Elder and the Order of Deacon are parallel in status, as both are clergy.

Ordained Elders and Ordained Deacons are members of the Annual Conference, rather than members of a local church.

Order of Deacon and Order of Elder Differences

The Order of Elder and the Order of Deacon differ in function.

- Elders are Ordained to: Order, Sacrament, Word, and Service.
- Deacons are Ordained to: Word, Service, Compassion, and Justice.

Ordained Elders are itinerant. Deacons find their own placement, and then request the Bishop's approval and appointment to that placement.



Name Badges

During the summer months, we have family members and other folks visiting the Sunshine State and attending our worship services. We want to extend a warm welcome to all our visitors, so please, identify yourself by wearing your name badge.

If you forget your badge, stop by the Welcome Center to request a temporary badge.



West Parking Lot Renovations

We are working on improving the West Parking Lot. In order to ensure the grass has time to "take," we have blocked off these areas and are not allowing car or golf cart parking for three months.

There is plenty of parking during this time in the East Parking Lot and still a lot in the West Parking Lot. We appreciate your cooperation during this time. Thank you.



Holy Land Trip 2020

Join Pastor Harold as he takes a group to the Holy Land from March 16 to 25, 2020. If you would like more information and/or plan to join him on the trip, please email Jo Jones at jjones@ncumcfl.com so she can forward information to you and add you to the communication list.

The Ticket Kiosk has closed for the season, but will reopen this fall. As we move into the fall, prayerfully consider if you would like to become a part of this team of volunteers.

SPIRITUAL REFLECTIONS...

"God does not change; he is Love, ever and always. In himself, he is communion, unity in Trinity, and all his words and works are directed to communion." —Pope Benedict XVI

I am leaving you with a gift — peace of mind and heart. And the peace I give is a gift the world cannot give. So don't be troubled or afraid. Remember what I told you: I am going away, but I will come back to you again. If you really loved me, you would be happy that I am going to the Father, who is greater than I am. —John 14:27–28

REMINDER: Please take your weekly newsletter home as you leave today. Use it as a prayer guide for the scheduled activities and the ministries of our church.

Please wear your name tags! It helps all of us to remember names! If you don't have one, please go to the Welcome Center and pick one up!

Sunday Christian Education Classes			
7:45 a.m.	Early Risers	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
9:15 a.m.	Childcare	Children ages newborn to 5 years old	Children's Room
9:15 a.m.	Faith Bible Class	The Book of Philippians	Classroom 2
9:15 a.m.	Pathfinders	The Epistle of James	Classroom 11
9:15 a.m.	Faith Finders	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
9:15 a.m.	ANEW	Living in Covenant	Classrooms 6/7
10:30 a.m.	Apologetics	Learn How to Share Your Faith with Others	Classroom 6/7
10:30 a.m.	Spirited Singles	Genesis	Classroom 3
10:30 a.m.	FaithLink	Fantasy and Faith	Classroom 14
10:30 a.m.	The Searchers	Hebrews: Near to the Heart of God	Chapel
10:45 a.m.	Wesley Class	Dr David Jeremiah: Time, Talents, and Treasures	Classroom 11

Please see the "Discipleship" section of our website for information on classes at our Lake Deaton Campus.

NEW COVENANT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

SUMMERHILL CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SATURDAY 5:00 P.M.

> SUMMERHILL BLENDED WORSHIP SUNDAY 7:45 • 9:15 • 10:45 A.M.

SUMMERHILL CHILDREN'S ORCHARD WORSHIP SUNDAY 10:45 A.M. (CHILDREN'S ROOM)

LAKE DEATON SUNDAY WORSHIP BLENDED 9:30 A.M. • TRADITIONAL 11 A.M. MAILING ADDRESS FOR BOTH CAMPUSES: 3470 WOODRIDGE DR. THE VILLAGES, FL 32162

> PHONE: 352-750-4529 FAX: 352-259-2971

EMAIL: NCUMC@NCUMCFL.COM WEBSITE: WWW.NCUMCFL.COM

FACEBOOK: NEW COVENANT UMC, SUMMERHILL CAMPUS

5. ACCESSIBLE • HEARING ASSISTIVE DEVICES ARE AVAILABLE AT THE WELCOME CENTER. HANDICAP SEATING IS AVAILABLE THROUGHOUT THE CHRISTIAN LIFE CENTER.

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK: NEW COVENANT UMC, SUMMERHILL CAMPUS WE REGULARLY UPDATE OUR FACEBOOK PAGE WITH PHOTOS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, AND EVENTS.

LAKE DEATON PHYSICAL ADDRESS: 6500 WESLEYAN WAY (FORMERLY COUNTY ROAD 143), 34785

Worship Attendance for Last Week: 2,203 (Summerhill Saturday) 279 · (Summerhill Sunday) 7:45-220 · 9:15-610 · 10:45-448 (Lake Deaton) 9:30-340 · 11:00-111 (Orchard Worship) 14 · (Grounded Youth Group) 29 (Celebrate Recovery) 23 · (Fresh Expressions) 129

SUMMERHILL CAMPUS



Our Mission: To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the World.

Our Vision: To be a thriving body of Christ by being His hands, feet, and voice in the World.

Our Core Values: Spiritual Growth ~ Hospitality ~ Generosity ~ Community ~ Invitational ~ Service ~ Caring

JUNE 15 & 16, 2019

Rev. Harold Hendren, Senior Pastor Rev. Jim Divine, Lake Deaton Pastor Rev. Ellen Pollock. Summerhill Discipleship Pastor

Rev. Kristyne Young, Lake Deaton Discipleship Pastor

Rev. Marilyn Anell, Visitation Pastor



Middle School Mission Trip!

UDUTHUURK5 is a summer mission program dedicated to connecting teenagers and communities to God. Through this amazing organization, young people and adults alike have the opportunity to worship, serve, and build lifelong friendships, while also growing in their relationship with the Lord. This program is the epitome of what helping others is all about, and our middle school youth have the chance to experience it all first-hand.

This summer our middle school youth have the opportunity to travel to the North Carolina Blue Ridge Mountains to help and serve alongside other youth members in the surrounding community. The young teens will volunteer at various service sites, including the local soup kitchen, food

bank, group-led community cleanup, thrift stores and more. The middle school mission team will also participate in the YOUTHWORKS organization's ministry programs, their exciting praise and worship nights, and even experience some great fellowship at a community BBQ! Along with all the fun activities, games and songs, our young people will become more knowledgeable of God's word, and how to apply those teachings to become the hands, feet, and voice of Jesus in the world. We give thanks to the parents for allowing their youth to join us on this mission experience, and to our amazing trip leaders, who are helping to spiritually guide them on this journey.

Members of the Mission Team

Don Buckey,

Chaperone

· Laura Pearson,

· Kayla DeSimone,

Family Minister

OUTHWORKS

- Skyla Bluste
- Natalee Elstad
- Chris Garvey
- Ryan Garvey
- Mava Kindle
- Grace Macinness
- Ella Menefee
- Megan Mylott
- Gabby Olive
- Ravleigh Pounds
- · Ciersha Verzaal
- Kavla Verzaal





Ushers Needed for ALL Worship Services

We need Ushers to fill vacancies for all of our Worship Services

If you are interested in serving, please contact Leon Schien at (352) 245-6615 or leonschien@gmail.com.



Greeters Needed for 7:45 a.m. Worship Service

If you are interested in serving, please contact Kathy Shivery at (352) 638-5248 for more information.



Wildwood Mentor Program

Is there anything better than to mentor a child?

Our current Mentors will be "moving up" with their Mentees, but because of how well-received the program has been, we have more students asking for Mentors. We are looking for adults who have a heart for teenagers and a sincere desire to provide love, patience, guidance, and support over a five-year period as your Mentee journeys from eighth grade through graduation.

Our Program focuses on three foundational areas: physical, spiritual, and academic/career needs. A training session will be held in August and the Mentor Program will kick off in September.

If God is leading you to this, please contact Anne Foote Hill, Director of Church Administration, at afootehill@ncumcfl.com or (352) 750-4529 for an application.

Applications are due on Friday, June 28.



Connectional Ministry Volunteers Needed

If you can spare an hour or less a week to help us, we would be very appreciative. We have openings as phone callers, Welcome Center volunteers, attendance books, coffee bar, etc.

If you are interested, please contact Barb Prindle at (352) 750-4529 or bprindle@ncumcfl.com.



Media Volunteers Needed:

We have an exciting opportunity to use or learn technical skills by assisting in the A/V booth with lights, sound, cameras, or ProPresenter. No experience required! Training will be provided.

If interested in learning more about these areas, please contact David Berardi at dberardi@ncumcfl.com for camera operators and ProPresenter opportunities, or Jim Petrone at jpetrone@ncumcfl.com for lights and sound.



Volunteers Needed for Family Ministry

If you have experience working with kids, we invite you to become a volunteer in our Family Ministry. We have opportunities from Orchard Kids Worship to Grounded Youth Group to our Performing Arts after-school program.

If you're interested or would like more information, please contact Kayla DeSimone, Family Minister, at kdesimone@ncumcfl.com.

Time, Talents, and Treasures



Stewardship

Did you Know that Generous People are Typically Happy People?

You would be hard-pressed to find a generous person who is grumpy and negative. People who are willing to share of their time, talent, and treasure are often some of happiest people around. They have a great sense of contribution to the world in which they live.

All of us seek to have meaning in life and to feel that we matter to the world. For generous Christians, happiness comes from sharing the fruit of God's harvest.

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Connect Small Group

If you want to enrich your relationship with God through Christ-Centered study, be part of a safe, confidential discussion environment, connect with and care for 10-12 others through the highs and lows of life, and reach outside the group as the hands, feet, and voice of Jesus in our local Community, then you should be part of a Connect Small Group.

Groups are available for couples, men, and women. To learn more about connecting in a group, please contact Ginny Davis at <u>vdavis@ncumcfl.com</u> or (352) 750-4529.



North Central District Lay Servants Training Event

Saturday, August 3 from 8 a.m.–6 p.m. — Lake Deaton Campus

New Covenant is hosting the upcoming North Central District's Lay Servant Ministries Training Event at our Lake Deaton Campus. This training prepares the laity to be in ministry through caring, communication, and leadership.

Registration forms are available at the Welcome Center in the East Narthex. The deadline to register is Wednesday, July 23.

A Lay Servant Is...

- An active, supportive member of a United Methodist church
- · Eager to serve through the church
- Well informed on Scripture, and on the doctrine, heritage, and organization of the United Methodist Church
- Committed to witnessing through church and community leadership, care-giving ministries, and spoken communication
- · Willing to improve his/her skills through training

A Certified Lay Servant serves the local church or charge (and/or beyond) and...

- Provides program leadership, assistance, and support
- Leads meetings for prayer, training, study, and discussion
- Conducts, or assists in conducting, services of worship, preaches the Word, or gives addresses
- Provides congregational and community leadership and fosters caring ministries
- · Assists in the distribution of the elements of Holy Communion
- · Teaches the Scriptures, doctrine, organization, and ministries of the United Methodist Church

If you have any questions, please contact Jack Tarburton at (352) 406-8155 or Walter Dry, North Central District Lay Servant Ministry Coordinator, at drysr@tampabay.rr.com.



YOGA!

Mondays at the Lake Deaton Campus

The Intermediate class begins at 4 p.m. and the Beginner class begins at 5 p.m. A suggested donation of \$3 per class supports our Congregational Health Ministry. We encourage you to bring a yoga mat and a water bottle, however, there are extra mats and blocks available.

For more information about classes, please contact Karen Hughes at twofortydesign@hotmail.com.

Please Note: The Summerhill classes have ended for the season. We will resume classes in the fall.



Pastors' Sermons are on Our Website

Just a Reminder: If you are unable to attend weekend Worship Services, you may still hear our pastors' weekly message on our website!

Log on to <u>www.ncumcfl.com</u>, hover over the "Media" button, click on "Sermon Series," and select the campus you wish to watch. Then you may choose the sermon series and date.

In consideration of allergic reactions of some worshipers, please refrain from wearing strong fragrances to Worship Services.

Congregational Care



Beyond the Broken Heart

July 8-August 26 from 10-11:30 a.m. — Classroom 3

Beyond the Broken Heart is a grief support group offered by our Congregational Care Office during the summer — in-between our GriefShare® Sessions. We meet together in a confidential and caring group setting, discussing such topics as: Naming and Understanding Grief, Adjusting and Moving Forward in Grief, and How our Faith Impacts and Aids Us in Our Sorrow.

We understand the difficulty of dealing with times of loss, and it helps to know we are not going through these times alone. Please join others who are also hurting yet seeking a way to find healing and peace. As scripture offers in 1 Thessalonians 4:13, "We do not grieve as those without hope."

For more information or to sign up for *Beyond the Broken Heart*, please call the Congregational Care Office at (352) 750-4529. There is a \$15 charge for our cost of the book we use in our sessions.



Alzheimer's Care Give Support Group

Every Thursday from 10-11:30 a.m. — Classrooms 1, 2, 3, 6/7, 10

We are happy to provide respite care for loved ones, as well as support groups for families dealing with Alzheimer's and dementia.

Because of the popularity of the ministry and space limitations, anyone newly seeking respite care for a loved one will be placed on a waiting list. The need for the waiting list is to be the most effective, safe, nurturing place of care.

For more information, please call Congregational Care at (352) 750-4529.



Prayers & Squares Prayer Quilt Ministry

Prayer quilts are made by a dedicated group in our church who envision these being a special gift of love for: sick babies; those dealing with cancer, in hospice, or other terminally ill patients; adults and children facing surgery; or people facing difficult family situations — for many different reasons — but each for someone in special need of prayer.

For Prayer Quilt requests, please visit our website at www.ncumfl.com, select the "Portal" tab at the top of the page, click the "Congregational Care" button, then the "Submit a Prayer Quilt Request" button, and select Summerhill. You may also get a "Prayer Quilt Request Card" in the Attendance Pads, at the Welcome Center, Congregational Care Office, or the Administration Office.



Stephen Ministry is Here for You

If you are in a crisis and could use some help from a trained, caring Christian friend, please consider requesting a Stephen Minister.

Please call the Congregational Care office at (352) 750-4529 to receive more information on this caring ministry and to receive support. A Stephen Minister will walk with you through a crisis, listening, and praying for you all the way.



The Gift of Prayer

The prayer quilts on the altar rail are for: Joyce Kirkman who had a bad fall with a head injury; Sally Avery who has cancer; and Ritchie Fishburne who has bladder cancer and is undergoing radiation & chemo. Prayers are requested for peace, comfort, hope, and healing.

Our Christian Love and Sympathy are Extended to...

Barb Prindle (Summerhill, Coordinator, Connectional Ministries), family and friends on the passing of her husband Bob.

For dates and locations of memorial services, please check our website: www.ncumcfl.com.

New Concerns

Dorothy Adcock, Hailey Holder Allen, Janet Bishop, Judy Blucker, Ann Field, Jungwirth Family, Joyce Kirkman, Dan List, Robert Masson, Keer'sten McMullen, Peggy Cardea-Momer, Mary Mueller, Karen Nelson, Dale Newland, Sue O'Brien, Our Country, Jim Russo, Linda Shipic, Ron Sickles, Michael Sink, Caroline Stammler, Shirley Weaver