

Lay Leaders

<u>Worship Leaders</u>	<u>This Week's</u>	<u>Next Week's</u>
Acolyte:	Anna Peters	Anna Peters
Music Director:	Dr. Kenneth Logan	Dr. Kenneth Logan
Ushers:	Bill Wesner Tom John	Bob Wesner Kevin Bailey
Liturgist:		
Greeters:	Patsy Robertson	Patsy Robertson
Sound:	Ray Perkins II	Ray Perkins II
Video:	Amy Berget	Amy Berget
Special Music:	Chancel Choir	Bell Choir
Coffee Hour Hosts Cookies	Amanda & Lenna Powell Chris Peters	Mollie L, Anna Peters

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***** CHURCH OFFICE HOURS*****

Tue., Wed., & Thurs. 9am-2 pm

Please leave a message on the answering machine
if no one is in the office.

(269) 927-3454

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Chapel Hill's New Mission & Vision Statements:

MISSION

*We, the people of Chapel Hill, are called to serve,
share and show Christ's love to the world as disciples of Jesus Christ.*

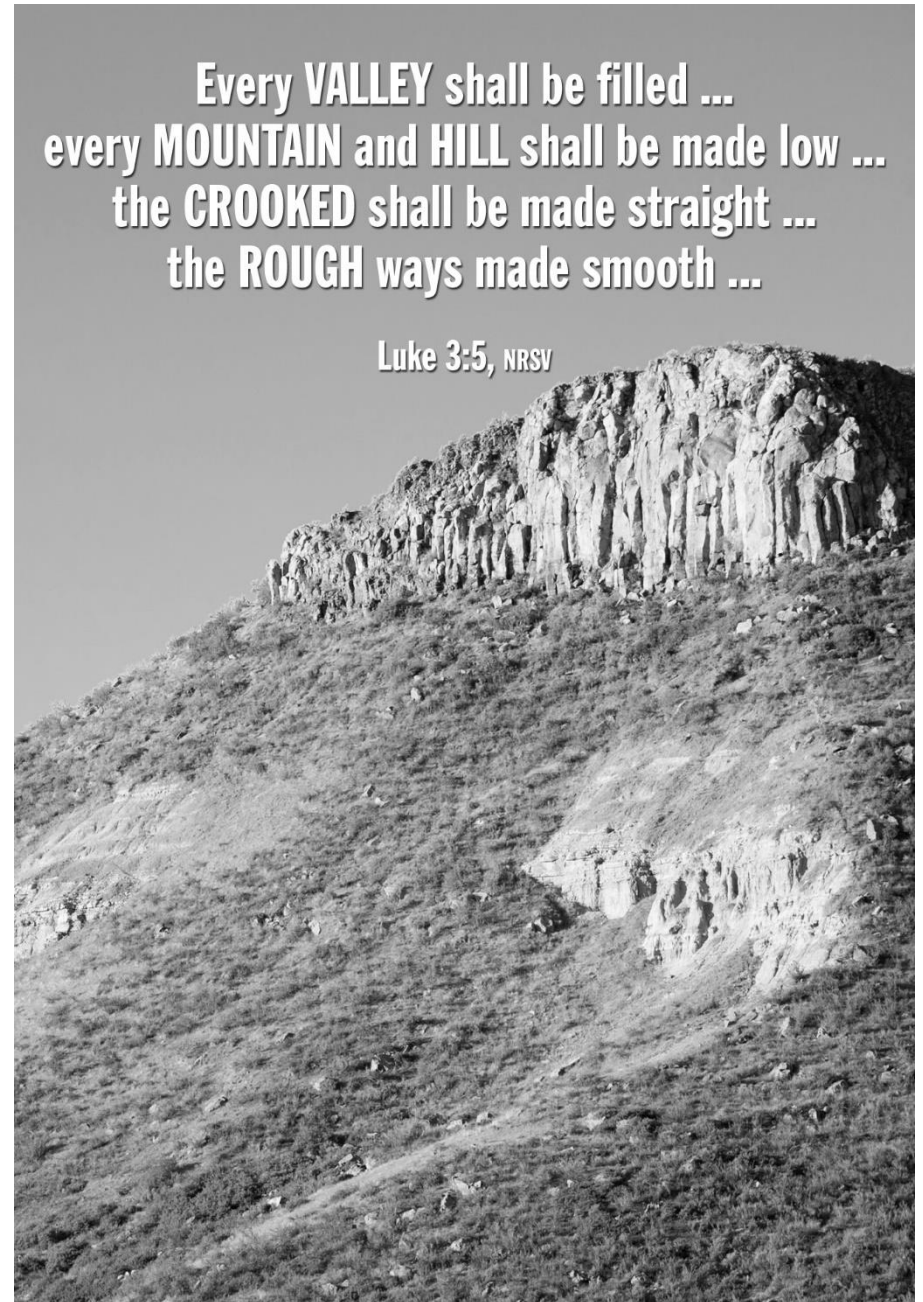
VISION

To actively be engaged in vital ministries as disciples of Jesus Christ

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Music License: #122417

Attendance Last Week: 41 in person 51 virtual



“Enter to Worship – Depart to Serve”
CHAPEL HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*We are so HAPPY you are attending worship service today!
Please sign the Friendship Book found in the pews.*

1st Sunday in Advent

November 28, 2021
All of Us Ministers
Pastor Brenda Gordon

Personal Prayer Request	Pastor Brenda Gordon
Welcome and Announcements	
*Prelude & Bringing in the Light	Kenneth Logan
Advent Candle Lighting	
*Opening Hymn “Come, Thou Long Expected Jesus”	UMH 196
Sharing Our Joys and Concerns	Pastor Brenda Gordon
Prayer	
The Lord’s Prayer	In unison
Special Music “ Chancel Choir	
Hymn “O Come, O Come Emmanuel”	UMH 211
Scripture	Luke 3:1-7
Sermon	“Prepare the Way!” Pastor Brenda Gordon
Tithes & Offering	
Offertory	The Irving Family
*Doxology	UMH 95
*Offertory Prayer	
*Hymn	“Hail to the Lord’s Anointed” UMH 203
*Benediction	Pastor Brenda Gordon
Postlude	Kenneth Logan

UMH = UNITED METHODIST HYMNAL (BLUE); TFWS= THE FAITH WE SING (BLACK); WORSHIP & SONG (ON SCREEN); HFG (Brown) Hymns for the Family of God

*Please stand if comfortably able.

FAMILY CARES & CONCERNS

WEEKLY PRAYER LIST:

Family & Friends of George Skibbe; Elva & Vern Fisher; Elliot Keys; Tom Johns; Calvin Prillwitz; Robert Dunbar; Myron & Maudy Williams; Louise Grosse; Ruth Shuler; Judy Walter; Alivia & August Holmes (Elizabeth & Tom Sapp’s grandchildren) on the death of their father.

KEEP IN OUR PRAYERS:

Operation Christmas Child; Lily Mullen; Jim & Gloria Dibbet; Michelle Dibbet; Elizabeth Sapp; Liz Burkhard; Nathan Lambrecht; Betty Arnt; Don & Norma Goldner; Ed McKenzie; Graydon Pope; Beth & Mike DeCoursey; Isaac Weir; Doris Moore; Bill Teichman; Delores Rogalski (Wally Bennett’s cousin); Charlie Cantrell and Family; Dave & Sharon Henderson; Bonnie Saurbier; Sandy Young; Jean Rakauski; Mary Betz; COVID 19; United States Military and their families; The United Methodist Church; Our Government; victims of violence; individuals and families of those with addictions; people with special needs and those with mental health issues and their families.

FOR PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS: PLEASE CONTACT THE OFFICE DURING OFFICE HOURS, OR PASTOR BRENDA AT THE PARSONAGE.

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General Conference Prayer Time

Focus: **Pray that God will show you how the Church can and should be.**

Receiving Tithes

We appreciate your gifts in the offering plate as they are passed, by mail, or online.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Let's go to Bethlehem for Christmas--virtually. Each chapter read in the Bible counts as one mile. Turn in your name and chapters read in designated container at church, or by phone or e-mail at church office. Miles to Bethlehem as of 11/21/21 we have traveled 3605 miles from Sodus. 187 Miles to go to Tunis, Tunisia. We are a little over half way there.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES –

Liturgist, sign-up sheet available outside the sanctuary. See Pastor Brenda with questions.

Coffee Hour, sign-up sheet available outside the sanctuary. If you would like to provide goodies for the Coffee Hour and not wish to host, Mollie & Anna will host for you.

Greeters, Sign-up sheet available outside the sanctuary. See Patsy Robertson with questions. Two persons needed, at least one at each door.

FRIENDSHIP BOOKS

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH IS GIVING TUESDAY –

Global Ministries: Close to home or around the world, the people of The United Methodist Church transform lives through their gifts in mission. Combined with the contributions of others, your gift can: Support missionaries around the world, make health care accessible to all, help churches sustain and expand ministry, provide material and spiritual relief in the face of disaster, and send help where it is most needed. Give knowing 100% of your gift will be used to help the ministry or missionary you designate. Make a gift today: umcmmission.org/GiveLove.

or

Berrien County Cancer Service: BCCS is nearing it's 75th year of service to Berrien County and will be participating in Giving Tuesday 2021 and need Your help, click this link to give [#bccsawareness](https://www.facebook.com/bccsawareness) Goal is to raise \$2500, gather gift cards for patients in need

UNITED METHODIST STUDENT DAY

A Churchwide Special Sunday of The United Methodist Church. Your generous gift today enriches ministry and connects students to their faith through scholarships administered by the General Board of Higher Education and Ministry.

THE JOY BRINGERS ANNUAL BELL CHOIR PROGRAM

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