

SHILOH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

NOVEMBER 2024

Reach Out, Know, Embrace, Serve

1000 Spring Hill Road, Gilbert, South Carolina (803)892-5656

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

11/1 – Randy Keisler
11/4 – Glenda Hughes
11/4 – Derrell Shipes
11/5 – Dorothy Keenan
11/10 – Lisa Sigler
11/11 – Robin French
11/11 – Jerry Green
11/13 – Michael Mayo
11/13 – Ryan Leaphart III
11/18 – Dee Dee Chewning
11/18 – Clay Shipes
11/21 – Jody Gilden
11/21 – Jala Deep
11/22 – Kaylia Deep
11/24 – Allison Kovac
11/25 – Brad Richardson
11/27 – Kaden Smith

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

11/4 – Clyde & Jim Sanders
11/27 – Jan & Ricky Saucier

PRAYER REQUESTS

The United Methodist Church, our country, Dick Addy, Ebony Bowers, David & Pat Buckley, Joyce Carter, Dee Dee Chewning, Connie Counts, Toby Cushman, Lisa Felts, Eddie Flake, Patty Francis, Betty Gleaton, Jeremy Griffin, Kay Harsey, Laren Hewitt, Margaret Homan, Janice Hunter, Jean Hunley, Mike May, Tim & Annette Mims, Boston Phillips, Gloria & Jimmy Price, DJ Reedy, Jason Rush, Jim & Clyde Sanders, Charles Sedberry, Debbie Shealy, John Smith, Shelly Spurger, Mary Ann Tauer, Steve Taylor, Sandy Till, Paul Williams, Donna Wright, teachers, students, administrators, parents, pastors and our leaders.

Please Join Us on Sundays!
Sunday School at 9:00 AM
Worship Service at 10:00 AM

Weekly Office Hours
Monday, Wednesday, Friday
From 10 AM to 4 PM
803-892-5656
Website:
www.shilohumc.church

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of the Upper Room daily devotion
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ANNOUNCEMENTS & OTHER NEWS

FROM MISSION & OUTREACH

Blessing Box - If you are interested in supporting this ministry, please feel free to put your donated items directly in the blessing box or in the bins on the shelves inside the doors to the Fellowship Hall. We always need the following items:

Bread

Jelly or Jam

Peanut butter

Shelf stable milk (Dollar Tree sells this)

Cereal

Canned vegetables (carrots, peas, green beans, potatoes)

Gilbert Middle School - THANK YOU to everyone who supported our call to replenish the healthy snacks at Gilbert Middle School following the extended power outage many families experienced after Hurricane Helene.

Operation Christmas Child - We have started collecting items to fill shoe boxes. There are bins both inside the doors to the Fellowship Hall and inside the double glass doors between the sacristy and the Fellowship Hall. There are shoe boxes at the entrance to the sanctuary and also on the top shelf just inside the Fellowship Hall if you would like to pack your own shoe box. Otherwise we welcome the donation of any items from the attached list of needed items to fill shoe boxes. We have our shoe box packing party scheduled for Sunday, November 10th immediately following worship service. Pizza and beverages will be served. Please invite your friends and neighbors to join us for this event where we can share the Gospel and shoe box gifts with needy children around the world. We raised \$540 at our September 22nd fund-raiser luncheon to help offset the \$10/box shipping & handling charges. Last year we packed a record 150 boxes.

Thanks & Giving Food Boxes - Each year we pack food boxes for families designated by Centerville Elementary and Gilbert Middle School to ensure that these families with food insecurity will have enough food to see them through the Thanksgiving school break. We will be collecting non-perishable food items to pack Thanksgiving food boxes and plan to deliver them by November 24th. Attached please find a flyer listing the items we would like to collect. If you are interested in supporting this outreach ministry, you can drop off items from this list in the food bins inside the doors of the Fellowship Hall, pack a box on your own or donate money and we will shop and pack for you.

Thank you to our Shiloh community for your continued generous support of our mission and outreach ministries.

Ann Milliken

FROM THE WORSHIP TEAM

November is another busy month in the life of Shiloh UMC.. On Sunday, November 3, we will observe All Saints' Sunday. This is a time to remember and celebrate the lives of our members who have passed away during the past year.

On Sunday, November 10, we will observe Veterans' Day. We take this opportunity to acknowledge the members of our congregation who served in the military, and to thank them for their service to our country.

On Saturday, November 30, at 10:00 am we will decorate the sanctuary for Hanging of the Greens.

On Sunday, December 1, we will observe Hanging of the Greens during our morning worship service.

We look forward to seeing you all there.

Nancy Young

Children and Youth Ministries

Nursery is available every Sunday for Sunday School and Worship

Children's Choir every Sunday at 9:00am, for all ages

Sunday School every Sunday at 9:15am, for children and youth

Children's Church every Sunday for all school age children

Energize Kids - Ages 4 years old through 5th grade. We will be meeting on November 13th from 6:00pm - 7:30pm and November 17th from 4:00pm - 6:00pm. There will be a light supper provided. If anyone would like to help with a meal or sponsor a meal, please reach out to Lisa Daugherty or Stephanie Smith.

Raise Youth - We will be meeting November 3rd and November 17th from 4:00pm - 6:00pm. There will be a light supper provided. If anyone would like to help with a meal or sponsor a meal, please reach out to Lisa Daugherty or Stephanie Smith.

Our Raise Youth and some of our Energize Kids attended the **Casting Crowns** concert on October 24th. Everyone had a really great time together. Thank you to everyone who helped make this event possible!!



Energize Kids and Raise Youth will be selling Poppin Popcorn for \$2.00 at the **Shiloh UMC Bazaar** on November 2nd to raise money for a special trip.

Next, we will have a **Parent's Night Out event** on December 7th from 4:30pm to 8:30pm. We will have a meal and activities for the children. This will be for children from ages 2 to 5th grade. More information will follow on the Facebook page. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Stephanie Smith at (803) 586-8832 or Shiloh.youthcoordinator@gmail.com.

Finally, the **Children's Christmas program will be on Sunday, December 29th** during worship. Raise youth and Energize kids will help us celebrate the birth of our Lord through a skit with Christmas music. Nothing is sweeter than seeing and hearing little ones tell the story of Jesus!

Volunteers are needed for the Nursery during Sunday School and Worship. Stephanie will teach Sunday School and Children's Church and will need someone to volunteer to be in there with her. Even if you can only volunteer for one Sunday every three months, we could use your help. Please contact Stephanie Smith (803) 586-8832 to sign up.

Stephanie Cook-Smith

FELLOWSHIP WEDNESDAY

Thanks & Giving Fellowship Wednesday will be held on November 13 from 5:30 until 7:00 pm.

We will have a ham dinner with green beans and other good fixins, including (as usual) delicious desserts. Come and join us!

FROM FAMILY MINISTRIES

THANKS FOR ALL WHO HELPED MAKE 2024

THE BEST TRUNK OR TREAT EVER!

Lisa Daugherty

FROM NURTURE COMMITTEE

Lunch and Learn for November will meet on November 7th at

12 Noon and will be featuring Amy Reeves, Executive Director of Mission Lexington. Please RSVP by Tuesday, November 5th (803-206-3400). Cost for lunch is \$15.

Donna Griffin

Shiloh United Methodist Church

THANKS FOOD BOXES GIVING

We would love your help in providing
Thanksgiving meals to families in need

We Are Collecting The Following Items:

Canned Ham
Canned Gravy
Canned Veggies
Stuffing Mix
Cranberry Sauce
Corn Bread Mix
Boxed Cereal
Long Shelf Life Milk
Peanut Butter
Jam or Jelly
Bread
Canned Tuna
Jar of Mayonaise

Rolls/Biscuits
White Rice
Canned Yams
Boxed Potatoes
Mac and Cheese
Dessert Mix
Box of Pasta
Jar of Pasta Sauce
Canned Fruit
Multi-Pack Oatmeal
Pie Crust & Filling
Chicken Noodle Soup
Tomato Soup

Boxes Will Be Delivered

NOVEMBER 24

**You can drop off items in
the bins in the Fellowship
Hall or pack your own
box.**



Shoebox Items Needed

Toys

Stuffed Animal
Doll
Foam ball (small)
Jump Rope
Slinky
Yo-Yo
Playing Cards
Coloring Books
Musical Instrument
Toy Cars/Trucks
Playdough

Personal Care Items

Comb
Brush
Toothbrush
Bandages
Stick Deodorant
Lip Balm (solid)
Hair Accessories
Water Bottle w/Lid
Nail clipper/file
Wash Cloth

School Supplies

Pencils
Pencil Sharpener
Crayons
Colored Pencils
Glue Sticks
Solar Calculator
Ruler
Pencil Case
Pens
Erasers
Colored Markers

Miscellaneous

Blanket
Socks
Flip Flops
Sunglasses
Flashlight w/batteries
Sewing kit w/2 yds fabric
Blunt tip scissors
Puzzles
Reusable bowl/plate
Insulated water bottle

What's Going on at Shiloh?

11/1 – All Saint's Day

11/2 – Bazaar with Bake Sale, Fresh Market, and Gift Shop 8 am – 2 pm

11/3 – All Saint's Sunday

11/3 – UMM Breakfast 8:00 am

11/3 – Daylight Savings Time Ends

11/3 – Sunday School 9:00 am

11/3 – Worship Service with Communion 10:00 am

11/3 – Raise Youth 4:00 – 6:00 pm

11/5 – Election Day

11/7 – Lunch & Learn w/Amy Reeves, Executive Director of Mission Lexington 12 N

11/10 – Sunday School 9:00 am

11/10 – Worship Service with recognition of Veterans 10:00 am

11/10 – Shoe Box Packing Party After Worship Service with Lunch

11/10 – United Women in Faith 5:00 pm

11/11 – Veterans Day

11/13 – Energize Kids 5:30 – 7:00 pm

11/13 – Thanks & Giving Fellowship Wednesday 5:30 to 7:00 pm

11/17 – Sunday School 9:00 am

11/17 – Worship Service with Communion 10:00 am

11/17 – Energize Kids 5:30 – 7:00 pm

11/17 – Raise Youth 4:00 – 6:00 pm

11/24 – Thanksgiving Sunday

11/24 – Sunday School 9:00 am

11/24 – Worship Service 10:00 am

11/26 – Deadline for Newsletter

11/28 – Thanksgiving Day

11/30 – Decorate Sanctuary for Hanging of the Greens 10:00 am Saturday Morning

December

12/1 – First Sunday of Advent

12/1 – UMM Breakfast 8:00 am

12/1 – Sunday School 9:00 am

12/1 – Worship Service 10:00 am

12/1 – Hanging of the Greens During Worship Service