

WESLEY'S REMINDER AND HIGHLIGHTS
WE LOOKING AHEAD

Noon Bible Study will meet on Wednesday. Book-"We are the church, let's act like it"...a study on the book of Acts.

Finance Committee will meet on tomorrow at 6:30 pm.

Pastoral Visitations on March 17th & 20th .

Women in Faith Bible Study will be held on Monday, March 17th at 6:30pm. Lesson 10: -Philemon-"Bridging Barriers to Brotherhood" The zoom link :(Meeting ID: 873 6791 0051-- Passcode: UMC271. United Women In Faith, you may pay your 2025 pledge when paying your financial givings.

Women In Faith will observe Women Day (Woman In The Pulpit) on Sunday, March 23rd during the morning service. Our speaker is Evangelist Darlene Simmons-Brown of W.O.R.D. Ministries of Summerville. All ladies are asked to please wear white with (purple or white accessories-purple corsages will be provided) Women Choir will render the music.

Methodist Men financial dues are due monthly. You may make your payment using the Tithe and Offering Envelope. Any questions, see Glenn Robinson or Darryl Anderson.

Outreach and Witness Ministry will continuously be in contact with our sick and shut-in members to make sure their needs are being met.

The Temple Take Out Ministry of Wesley UMC invites seniors 62 or older (who meet low income guidelines), caregivers, homebound, persons with mental or physical limitations, to an afternoon meal on the second Sunday of each month. If interested, please call Debra Bloom at 843-569-7811 or Christine Williams at 843-860-9390 and provide your name, address, and telephone number.

Attention Members: If your contact information needs updating please give these information (address, telephone number, email address and, anniversary information) to Sis. Bettye Legare.

The Georgetta Jenkins Memorial Endowment Scholarship Application for high school Seniors, students attending Undergraduate and Trade School can be obtain on the Wesley's Webpage www.wesleyumcjohannisland.org. The Student or parent must be a member of Wesley. Please see Sis. Bettye Legare if you have any questions. Deadline to return application is no later than April 1st

Wesley will resume assessing the processing fee for all electronic payments beginning April 1st. In-person fee will be \$2 and online will remain at 2.5%. Please reach out to the Finance Committee with any questions or concerns. Thank you!

Charleston District Clergy Gathering will meet on March 13th from 10:00-12:00 noon at Wesley.

The Trustees will meet on Tuesday, March 18th at 6:30pm.

Camp Hi Hopes will meet on Thursday, March 20th at 6:30pm.

The Lay Servants will meet on March 27th @ 6:30pm.

Maundy Service will be held On Thursday, April 17th at 7:00pm.

Chairperson:
Mrs. Vernell Brown
843-559-3801

Trustee on Duty
Mr. David Bloom

Health Ministry
Ms. Whitney Patterson, FPN

Women History Month

Kamala Harris was the 49th Vice President of the United States, serving in the White House from 2021 to 2025. She stands as the first female Vice President in American history, the highest-ranking female official in US history and is the first Black and Asian American to hold the position. She also ran for President of the United States in 2024.

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Motto

"The church on the Island
where everybody is somebody and
GOD Is ALL"

Mission

"Wesley United Methodist Church's mission is to make Disciples of Christ by being a Christ-centered beacon to all people

Vision

"The vision of Wesley is to teach, educate, and advocate in the areas, of spiritual growth, literacy, social justice, and relationship building to promote discipleship in the building of the kingdom of God."

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Rev. Doris Bright, Pastor

Wesley United Methodist Church

1st Sunday of Lent

Color/Purple

Sunday, March 9, 2025

Sunday School: 9:00 am (Adult)

Worship Service: 10 am

Sunday School-Youth/Children (4th Sunday -8:45am)

Worship Leader: Bro. Jason Legare Sr.

Director of Music: Sis. Carrie Brown

Drummer: Bro. Darius Brown

Guitarist: Bro. Sandy Mack

"Women History Month"

~We Gather to Worship God~

*Processional

Lighting of Candles.....Acolyte

Call to Worship:

Leader: On this first Sunday in Lent, we join Jesus in the wilderness, a place of wild and dangerous thin of testing and temptation away from the security of home.

People: God, rescue us in the wilderness!

Leader: Once again, we watch and listen as Satan throws out temptation upon temptation, and we find our security in Jesus, who does not waver from the truth.

People: God, rescue us within the wilderness!

Leader: Once again, we face our own frailty and realize that the wilderness is not nearly as dangerous as our choices to prioritize selfish gain and hoarding of power.

People: God, rescue People: God, rescue us in the wilderness!

Leader: Once again, we call upon God in the wilderness of our lives, and we trust God's faithful reply:

People: Those who love me, I will deliver; I will protect those who know my name. When they call to me, I will answer them; I will be with them in trouble; I will rescue them and honor them. Thanks be to God!

Amen!

Opening Hymn....."This Is The Day"#658

Morning Prayer.....Bro. Jason Legare Sr.

Response.....Wesley's Ensemble

*Affirmation of Faith....."The Apostles' Creed"

*Gloria Patri

~Walk Of Faith~

The Offertory (It's Giving Time)~ Hymnal #95

"Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

"Dedication of Tithes and Offerings "

"All Things come of Thee, O Lord, and of thine own have we given thee. AMEN"

Parish Notices/Recognition of Visitors.....Sis. Shekinah White

Proclamation and Response/We Listen for God's Word

Lessons from the Holy Scriptures:Sis. Pamela Robinson

Old Testament..... Deuteronomy 26:1-11(ESV)

*New Testament.....Luke 4:1-13(ESV)

The Word of God for the People of God.

Thanks be to God

SelectionWesley's Ensemble

The Message.....Rev. Doris Bright, Pastor

Invitational/ Altar Call.....Wesley's Ensemble

~We are Sent Forth to Serve~

*Song of Sending Forth

*Go Forth with Light

*Benediction.....Rev. Doris R. Bright

*Please Stand as you are able

~ Together We Do More~

Please remember in Our Prayers This Week:

Sick & Shut Ins & Home bounds

Sis. Emma Brown-NHC Bro. Stanley Earl Buncomb	Bro. Abraham Fields Bro. Robert Fields Jr. Harvest Health & Rehab	Sis. Sadie Gethers Sis. Eartha Goodwin
Sis. Oree Green Harvest Health & Rehab	Sis. Mary Hill Kempton of Charleston	Bro. "Teddy" Frank Hymes Riverside Rehab. Center
Bro. Abraham Jenkins	Bro. Alonzo Pinckney	Bro. James Pinckney Harvest Health & Rehab.
Sis. Ella Richardson	Bro. William Saunders Sis. Emily Simmons	Sis. Albertha Wise

Prayers Goes to:

Sis. Ethel Boyd	Bro. Christopher Brown Bro. Henry Brown	Rev. Major Brown Sis. Louise Buncum
Sis. April Cruz Kaisen Amir Scipio-MUSC	Bro. James Drye, Jr.	Sis. Marna Fields-Stanley
Sis. Mary Frazier Bro. Anthony Gethers	Sis. Sonja Gethers Sis. Janie Ruth Givens	Bro. Tyler Givens
Bro. James Grant	Bro. Lewis Grant	Sis. Quintella Grant Sis. Sharon Grant
Sis. Betty Ann Legare	Bro. William Hymes	Sis. Marjorie Hammond
Bro. Phillip Johnson	Sis. Evonne Legare Bro. Pierre Legare	Bro. Richard Legare
Sis. Shouvantae Legare	Sis. Kristal Lumley Sis. Shawanna Mackey	Bro. Glenn Robinson
Sis. Josephine Robinson	Sis. Lorretta Saunders	Sis. Arlene Simmons Sis. Delores Smalls
Bro. Kevin Stanley	Sis. Joell Wigfall	Sis. Debra Wine

~ Weekly Givings ~

We are generous givers.- Thank You!

Online Giving:- www.wesleyumcjohannisland.org

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Capital Campaign 2025

Capital Campaign 2025 has been launched to help pay down the mortgage on our Fellowship Hall. Our mortgage balance is estimated at \$850,000 and our goal is to raise \$285,00 per year for the next three years! Therefore, we are asking each member to trust God and pledge \$1,500.00 or more over the remainder of 2025. The pledge can be made weekly, bi-weekly, monthly, quarterly, or one-time. We also realize everyone will not be able to pledge \$1,500.00 yearly; therefore, we are asking everyone to pledge as much as you can. We thank all members for the support always provided to Wesley.

