

## **Important Days/Dates to Remember**

### **Each Sunday:**

9:30 a.m. Light Breakfast Fellowship

9:45-10:30 a.m. Sunday Schools (for all ages)

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

### **Each Wednesday:**

4:00-5:30 p.m. Children's Ministries

5:00 p.m. Prayer/Bible Study Ministry

6:00 p.m. Adult Choir Rehearsal

### **April 16, 2010 – Friday:**

6:00-10:00 p.m. – Annual Relay For Life Event  
(Shellman Park. See below for more details.)

### **April 19, 2010 – Monday:**

6:00 p.m. – PathFinders “BINGO!”  
(Bring your favorite covered-dish)

### **May 5, 2010 – Wednesday:**

6:00 p.m. – Light Supper  
6:30 p.m. – Trustees/Admin Council meeting

### **May 9, 2010 – Sunday:**

Mother's Day



### **Last Minute Relay for Life Information** **Friday, 4/16, 6:00-10:00 p.m.**

We will have our campsite decorated in our theme of "Hunting for a Cure". If you have something that you would like for us to use, let me know. We will begin setting up around 4:00, Friday, April 16th. We will also be cooking and selling venison sausage and venison cubed steak on rolls. If you have any "game" that you would like to contribute, let me know. Hope to see you all there to honor our survivors, sit and visit at our campsite and walk with us! Thanks for all you have done to help make our CUMC team successful!

Patricia

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**Scott Tucker, Pastor**

Rev. Shane Green, District Superintendent    Rev. James R. King, Jr., Bishop  
Jimmy Brownlee, Music Director and Business Administrator

(11:00 a.m. Sunday services televised Mondays at 6:00 p.m., cable channel 17)

Asked about the secret to his remarkable energy and productivity, Abraham Lincoln is reported to have replied, “If I had eight hours to chop down a tree, I’d spend six hours sharpening my axe.”

This reminds us that we can only become what we are working to become.

Acts 9 tells a great story from the history of the early Christian movement. It records the conversion of the Apostle Paul—the man who went on to be a great missionary, church planter, and author of a good portion of the New Testament. For us it is impossible to think about the emergence of the church without the story of the Apostle Paul.

But Acts 9 tells us another story also. It is the story of a man forgotten by most of us, a man who was a supporting actor at best, and perhaps just an ‘extra’ or a ‘cameo’ at worst.

But this man’s work in the shadows, in the quiet, sharpened the axe and made Paul’s ministry possible.

Who is this man?

It could be you!

With joy,

*Scott*

**THE LORD'S DAY**  
*Sunday, April 18, 2010*  
*3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter*

PRELUDE Kathy Bantz  
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Scott Tucker  
CHIMING OF THE HOUR  
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES  
THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir  
*Save Us from Weak Resignation (Fosdick/Hughes)*

**\*RESPONSIVE READING:** Patricia Goodman  
*Psalm 30* **no. 762**

**\*HYMN OF PRAISE** **no. 327**  
*Crown Him with Many Crowns*

**\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*The Apostle's Creed*) **no. 881**  
**\*THE GLORIA PATRI** **no. 70**  
**\*THE PEACE**

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS Scott Tucker

**HYMN OF PREPARATION** **no. 377**  
*It Is Well With My Soul*

MORNING PRAYER  
**THE LORD'S PRAYER** (*Back inside cover of hymnal*)  
OFFERTORY  
**\*DOXOLOGY** **no. 95**

SPECIAL MUSIC Chancel Choir  
*When God's Trumpet Sounds (Pethel/Skipper)*

SCRIPTURE LESSON: **Acts 9:1-22** (*NT p. 119*)  
SERMON Scott Tucker

**"The Shadow Revolution"**

**\*CLOSING HYMN** **no. 571**  
*Go, Make of All Disciples*

**\*PASTORAL BENEDICTION**  
**\*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**  
*May the love of God be with us as we go our separate ways,  
Serving God by serving others; finding hope and joy each day.*

POSTLUDE

\*(Those who are able, please stand.)

*The flower arrangement on the altar will be given by  
Emily Winslow Simpson for the glory of God and  
in loving memory of her parents,  
Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Winslow.*

**≈≈ GIFTS RECEIVED ≈≈**

from Margaret Bridges *in memory of: C.D. "Corky" Hamilton*  
from Gerry & Patricia Goodman *in memory of: C.D. "Corky" Hamilton*  
from Anne Moshell *in memory of: Jack Settles*  
from David & Dian Wallis *in memory of: C.D. "Corky" Hamilton*

**BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES**

*April 16* Jason Melton  
*April 17* Jimmy & Barbara Sealy ♥  
*April 18* Sarah Ann Staples  
*April 21* "Tank" Prochaska  
*April 23* Ann P. Bynum  
Walter & Bennie Mattox ♥  
*April 24* Edward & Rhonda Gilbert ♥  
*April 25* Jack Nichols

**COMMUNITY PRAYERFUL CONCERNS**  
*Our friends and Members in nursing homes  
and assisted living facilities:*

Elizabeth Brownlee, Louise Hester, Anne Moshell,  
Donald Parks, Irma Patrick, Ruth Rainey, Sara Roberts,  
Dr. Marjorie Swanson, Elizabeth Wiggins

**Other Prayer Concerns:**

Margaret Bridges, Florence Clarkson, Bill Daniel,  
Jason Faulkner, Virgie Fulford, Ruth Nell Goodman,  
James (Jimmy) Hague, Cassie Hester, Mary Hester,  
Rob Hester, Katie Hoyle, Leonard Lane, Marshall Lindsey,  
Glenda McDonald, Allene Nelson, Herb Nichols,  
Evelyn Peak, Barbara Sealy, Nevaeh Sloan,  
Jimmie Stanford, Debi Wall, Lucy Wall, Grayson Ward

**Sympathy to the family of C. D. "Corky" Hamilton**

*Please call the church office to update our list of  
Community Prayerful Concerns.*

**THOSE SERVING**  
**SUNDAY:**

**Breakfast**  
Jimmy Brownlee  
**The Greeter**  
Patricia Bradley  
**Ushers**  
Tommy Bonner  
Atlas Hester  
**Acolyte**  
Hunter Bantz  
**Worship Leader**  
Patricia Goodman  
**Children's Moments**  
Scott Tucker  
**The Offering Stewards**  
Jimmy Brownlee  
Grace Crittenden

**Worship Attendance**  
**April 11<sup>th</sup>: 65**

**A visitor came to Cuthbert recently.** After she saw our church's commitment to quality children's ministry and the great need in our community, the Lord led her to make an anonymous \$1,000 donation toward our playground project. Maybe her generosity will inspire others.

***During Relay for Life and as we are "Hunting for a Cure," I'd like to remind you that there are a number of us who have faced and are facing the challenge of cancer. It is through the dedicated efforts of many before us that have ensured the medical advances which have made our treatments easier and hopefully made our lives longer. We are: Martha Ann Coffin, Evelyn Hester, Jimmy Brownlee, Marsha Reid, Leonard Lane, John Barge, Ruth Nell Goodman, Elizabeth Brownlee and me. We thank you for your gifts through our church to Relay for Life as we continue "Hunting for a Cure." Hope to see you at the Relay on April 16 at our campsite!***

*Patricia*

**A RECORD OF**  
**OUR STEWARDSHIP**  
**as of April 11<sup>th</sup>:**

**GENERAL FUND**  
**Contributions, 4/11:**  
\$1,462.00  
**Needed YTD (budget):**  
\$39,735.49  
**Collected YTD:**  
\$35,274.98

**CURRENT BALANCES:**  
(not part of GENERAL FUND)

Choir Fund: \$1,322.09  
Faithful Stewards: \$ 451.41  
Methodist Men's: \$1,086.14  
Mission Fund: \$1,064.05  
Parsonage Fund: \$ 206.31  
Relay for Life: \$1,913.63