

## CORONAVIRUS UPDATE

Hey White Bluff UMC family!

Like everyone, we are closely monitoring the corona virus situation. I know that we are all a bit anxious about all of this. During this time, remember the words of Jesus, “Don’t be afraid.” The Prince of Peace is with us through it all. May that knowledge grant you peace. Perhaps your non-anxious presence will be a witness to someone else.

With that said, we want to take every precaution that we can to do our part with containing this virus as well as keeping our vulnerable members safe. **As of now, we are still planning to have worship and Sunday School each Sunday. However, all other activities through March have been canceled.** This includes Wednesday morning Bible studies, Wednesday night suppers and Bible study, committee meetings, etc. If you have UMW or other individual group meetings planned, I strongly encourage you to cancel those meetings through March. In addition, Ken and I will be doing limited pastoral visitations unless absolutely necessary. However, we are both available by phone.

As we are planning for Sundays, I wanted to make you aware of some changes and some instructions for worship.

1. If you are sick and have a vulnerable immune system, please stay home and worship with us in spirit. The sermon will be available on our church’s website at [wbumc.org](http://wbumc.org).
2. Hand sanitizer stations will be available at all entrances.
3. Our greeters and ushers will have our doors open for you as you enter. Please greet each other in ways other than shaking hands.
4. We will discontinue the passing of the peace for the time being.
5. Instead of passing around the offering plate, we will have offering stations throughout the sanctuary for you to place your offering.
6. Instead of shaking hands, let’s nod, wave, or bow to each other or bump elbows. Be creative!

To our elder church members: If you are afraid to go outside and need something from the store, please give the church office a call. We can’t guarantee that we’ll get it to you immediately, but we’ll do our best to help you. If the church office closes, the pastors will be available by phone.

Josh’s cell: (912) 347-7860

Ken’s cell: (912) 656-1524

“May the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.” 2 Thessalonians 3:16

Pastor Josh

## GET CONNECTED!



## MISSION OF THE MONTH



The Living Vine is a residential facility is for pregnant women in crisis. White Bluff United Methodist Church is collecting packaged foods (like cereal and children’s snacks) trash bags (both Kitchen and 30 gallon trash bags), mailing envelopes (both #10 and #6) and Postal Stamps. Volunteer opportunities are available. See Judy Fonner. (912) 222-0206





CONNECTION CAFÉ



Join us after the worship service in the fellowship hall for doughnuts, coffee, and great conversation!

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS!

We are delighted that you have joined us for worship! We hope that you have experienced a friendly welcome during your time with us. Please fill out the connect card so that we can get a special gift to you! We also have a small gift in the narthex for you to pick up. Just see one of our greeters in the Narthex to say hello and receive your gift.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN JOINING OUR CHURCH?

If you would like to know more about church membership contact:  
Rev. Josh Duckworth, Senior Pastor at (912) 925-5924 or email: [pastor@wbumc.org](mailto:pastor@wbumc.org)

VISIT OUR WEBSITE  
[www.wbumc.org](http://www.wbumc.org)

You can access the sermons of each week and find information on upcoming events and archives of our bulletins and newsletters.

Assisted Listening Headsets are available and are located in the Narthex.



Sanctuary Flowers

The flowers are given in honor of  
Frank and Kathryn Murray's  
Anniversary

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

March 15, 2020

Third Sunday in Lent

Chiming of the Trinity		
Greeting		Rev. Josh Duckworth
Prelude	"Lift High the Cross" Arranged by Fred Bock	Jane Beare Suzanne Woodrum
*Opening Hymn of Preparation No. 381	"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"	Congregation
*Apostles' Creed/Gloria Patri	No. 881 and 71	Rev. Ken Sharpe
Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer		Rev. Ken Sharpe
The Children's Sermon		Bill Briggs
Offertory Hymn No. 314	"I Come to the Garden" (Stanzas 1 thru 3)	Congregation
Offertory Prayer		Kay Williamson
Offertory	"The Potter's Hand"	Jillian Kemp Soloist
Doxology	95	Congregation
*Scripture Reading		Romans 5:6-11
Anthem	"The Lord is a Mighty God" (Ps 95)	Chancel Choir
Sermon	"We're The Same"	Rev. Josh Duckworth
*The Hymn of Invitation No. 382	"Have Thine Own Way Lord" (Stanzas 1 thru 4)	Congregation
*The Benediction		Rev. Josh Duckworth
The Light of Christ carried into the world		
*The Postlude	"Grace Greater than Our Sin" Arrangement by Smith/Hustad	Jane Beare Suzanne Woodrum
You are invited to be seated for the postlude. *Those who are able, please stand		

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