

## SEPTEMBER 2019 DATES TO REMEMBER

- 8<sup>th</sup> L.I.F.E. Session, Fellowship Hall from 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome.
- 8<sup>th</sup> Lillian T. Adams Sunday School Class, Room #3 from 8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Everyone is welcome.
- 9<sup>th</sup> Church for All Generations, Fellowship Hall at 5:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.
- 9<sup>th</sup> Trustee Meeting, Educational Building room #3 at 6:30 p.m.
- 10<sup>th</sup> James H. Spears, Jr. Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room at 11:00 a.m.
- 11<sup>th</sup> Homecoming Committee Meeting, Educational Building at 5:30 p.m.
- 11<sup>th</sup> Bible Study, Educational Building at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.
- 14<sup>th</sup> Women's Empowerment Worship.
- 15<sup>th</sup> L.I.F.E. Session, Fellowship Hall from 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Everyone is welcome.
- 15<sup>th</sup> Lillian T. Adams Sunday School Class, Room #3 from 8:45 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.
- 16<sup>th</sup> Soup Kitchen, Outreach Center at 4:00 p.m.
- 17<sup>th</sup> Church Council Ministry/Committee Reports due in the church's office by 9:00 a.m.
- 17<sup>th</sup> Voices of Inspiration Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room at 6:30 p.m.
- 18<sup>th</sup> Bible Study, Educational Building at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.
- 19<sup>th</sup> Food Bank, Outreach Center at 8:00 a.m.
- 19<sup>th</sup> Finance Committee Meeting, Educational Building at 7:00 p.m.
- 21<sup>st</sup> UMW Unit Meeting / Annual Pledge Service, Fellowship Hall at 10:00 a.m.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- September 23, 2019, Church Council Meeting, Choir Room at 7:00 p.m.
- September 24, 2019, Church Meeting, Sanctuary at 6:00 pm.
- September 29, 2019, Reaching Out at the Outreach, Outreach Center at 10:00 a.m.

### CHURCH CONTACT:

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# Cumberland United Methodist Church

163 South Coit Street  
Florence, South Carolina  
September 8, 2019 - 10:00 A.M.

**Rev. Dr. Anthony Hodge, Pastor**

Cumberland United Methodist Church's vision statement is to be a beacon of faith, hope and love.

**WELCOME**  
*Family & Friends*

*Glorify  
the LORD with me;  
let us exalt his name  
together.*

*Psalm 34:3 NIV*



*“Family is not Always Blood Kin  
Friends Become our Chosen Family”*

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## MORNING WORSHIP

Sunday, September 8, 2019 - 10:00 A.M.

*(Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost – Green)*

Rev. Dr. Anthony Hodge, Pastor

*Friends and Family Sunday*

*Rev. Dr. Anthony Hodge, Liturgist*

### ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude		
Lighting of Candles		Acolytes
Greeting		
The Occasion and Welcome		Mrs. Cynthia B. Davis
*Call to Worship	<i>“Glad To Be In The Service”</i>	
*The Invocation		Dr. Hodge
*** *Opening Hymn	<i>“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”</i>	No. 526
*Responsive Reading	<i>“Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18”</i> (No. 854)	Mrs. Hilda Conner
Response to Welcome		Mrs. Dorothy Richardson, NEBC
Poem		Karla Frierson
Poem		Jaylen Davis
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Passing of the Peace		
Anthem	<i>“For the Rest of My Life”</i>	Voices of Inspiration
Special Reading		Billie Gregg Kelly
Old Testament	<i>“Jeremiah 18:1-11”</i>	Minister Noll Carter, NEBC
*The Gospel	<i>“Luke 14:25-33”</i>	Mrs. Geraldine Brewington
Introduction of Guest Minister		Mrs. ShaTonya R. Nicholson
Special Selection		Ms. Annie L. Gregg, NEBC
The Scripture Lesson		Rev. Sandra “Cookie” Carter
The Sermon		Rev. Carter
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		Dr. Hodge
*Hymn of Invitation	<i>“Have Thine Own Way, Lord”</i>	No. 382

*\*Congregation please stand*

*\*\*\*Worshippers may enter*

*“Enter to Worship, Leave to Serve”*

*Please Silence all Cell Telephones*

Altar Call / Pastoral Prayer		Dr. Hodge
The Lord’s Prayer		
*The Affirmation of Faith	<i>“The Apostle’s Creed”</i>	No. 881
*The Gloria Patri	<i>“Glory Be to the Father”</i>	No. 71
*Offertory		
Offertory Selection		
*The Doxology		No. 95

Health and Welfare Moment		Ms. Iris McDuffie
Announcement / Recognition of Guests		Mr. Lonnie Davis

The Choral Response	<i>“Let The Church Say Amen”</i>	
Extinguishing of Candles		
The Benediction		
The Postlude		
Musicians Serving		Mr. Robert Felder, Mrs. L. Gilliard Johnson
Acolyte		Raven S. Charles
Nursery		Ms. Delores E. Morris

In Our Prayers: Mr. Dennis Sullen, Mr. Zavon Felton, Mr. Melvin Martin, Mr. Derek Allen, Mr. James Harrison, Jr., Mrs. Mary Alexander, Mrs. Gwendolyn Coleman, Mrs. Mary Dimery, Mrs. Beatrice Dowdy, Mr. Alton Glenn, Mrs. Ruth Gurley, Mr. Earvin Hamilton, Sr., Mrs. Janice Hawkins, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Hodge, Mrs. Beatrice A. James, Mrs. Frances Levy, Mrs. Omega Linton, Ms. Clara McGill, Mrs. Rose S. Middleton, Mrs. Williema Sanders, Ms. Earnestine Sargent, Mrs. Pearl Spears, Mrs. Dinah Widder....

### CONTRIBUTIONS

A Contribution of \$5.00 was given to the Miracle Campaign by Ms. Grace Booker in Memory of Mrs. Alberta Cooper.

A Contribution of \$100.00 was given to the Miracle Campaign by Rev. J. A. Wilson, II in Memory of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. (Lillian) Wilson.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Cumberland Chairpersons: The 2020 Program / Event Proposal forms are in the church office. It is necessary to complete and return the form (s) by September 23, 2019. This is for the calendar and budget request purposes. Thank you for your cooperation in preparing for the 2020 church year.

*How good and pleasant it is  
when God’s people live together in unity! Thank You for Worshiping with us!*

*Visitors and Friends of Cumberland are invited to fellowship with our After Church Fellowship Ministry in the fellowship hall immediately following morning worship.*