

**Record of Attendance  
2/22/2026**

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Visitor Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Member Address (or other info) Change \_\_\_\_\_

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Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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- Member
- Visitor
- 1st time Visitor

**PLEASE CHECK ALL THAT APPLY**

- Looking for a Church home
- Interested in membership at PHUMC
- Desire a call from the Pastor

How did you hear about PHUMC?

- Friend
- Newspaper
- Location
- Website
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Would like more information about...

- Sunday School
- Music Ministries
- Children or Youth Ministries
- Men/Women Fellowship
- Family Ministries
- Senior Adults
- Bible Studies
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

(Please complete the above form and place in the offering plate.)

**PLEASANT HILL  
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Church Administrator

Wanda Garmon-Price, Secretary

**CHURCH MUSICIANS**

**8:45am Musicians**

Guitarists - Mike Smith, Rob Crews

Bass Guitarist - Steve Cauthen

Drummer - Geoff Gray

Keyboardist - Marie Broome

**11:00am Musician**

Saparbek Amanbaev

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS**

Monday-Thursday: 8:00am to 3:00pm

Friday: 8:00am to 12:00pm

**SUNDAY SCHEDULE**

Modern Worship—8:45am

Traditional Worship—11:00am

Sunday School for all ages—10:00am

**Holy Communion** is the  
first Sunday of every month

**Do you wish to make a gift to PHUMC?**  
For your convenience, you can text "GIVE"  
to (844) 992-1405 and follow the prompts.  
You can also give through our website or  
your bank's bill pay option!

**Announcements and  
Upcoming Events**

**UPPER ROOMS DELAYED**

The regular size Upper Room Devotionals for March and April have apparently gotten lost in the mail. The large print copies have arrived and will be available this weekend for pick-up. The Upper Room is resending the regular print booklets and assures us that we should have them in 3-5 business days. That said, they should be available on Sunday March 1. Thank you for your patience.

**M&M's FEBRUARY FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON**

The M&M's will meet at the Ambriant at Avondale on February 26 at 12:00 p.m. for a luncheon and a tour of the facilities. Please sign up on SignUpGenius or the *Tear and Share*.

**MID-WEEK LENTEN SERIES**

You are invited to pause midweek for a quieter, reflective time of worship as we gather for a Wednesday Lenten series titled "Turning Again: Practices of Grace in the Season of Lent." Rooted in the United Methodist understanding of Lent, these services focus not on earning God's favor but on responding to the grace already at work in our lives through prayer, Scripture, and intentional reflection. Each 30-minute Wednesday service will be followed by a casual luncheon. Services will be held on February 25, March 4, 11, 18 and 25 at 12:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

**BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY AND COMMUNITY  
EASTER EGG HUNT**

Please join us for Breakfast with the Easter Bunny and an Easter Egg Hunt at Pleasant Hill UMC, 238 Fort Mill Hwy in Indian Land on March 28 from 9:00 am until 10:30 am. We will have a free pancake breakfast where your child will have an opportunity to take photos with our Easter Bunny. We will also have story time and crafts before the Easter Egg Hunt on the lawn at 10. Bring your Easter baskets and be prepared for fun. Open to all ages.

**SEEKING TUTORS**

The Indian Land Middle School is looking for folks interested in being tutors to some of their students. If you would be interested in helping out, please contact Pat Phillips in the school office at 803-578-2500. Pat called Pleasant Hill specifically so let her know that is how you heard about this need!

**MISSIONS COMMITTEE VOLUNTEERS**

The Missions Committee's goal is to make a difference by providing help and resources to others in need. We are a very small group and would love for you to join us. Please call the church office at 803-548-4922 for more information or to sign up for this vital committee!

**CHARLOTTE KNIGHTS FAMILY AND FRIENDS DAY**

We have an opportunity to attend the Charlotte Knights' Family and Friends day on May 2, 2026. There will be a pre-game Christian concert. The game starts at 6:05 p.m. and the time for the concert hasn't been set yet but it will be right before the game. The artist hasn't been announced yet. If we purchase 20 tickets, they are \$16 per person. If you're interested in watching a Knights game in the company of others from Pleasant Hill, please let us know by the *Tear and Share* or SignUpGenius.

We have to pay for our tickets in 2 installments before the game, so let us know as soon as possible if you want to go.

**EXTRAORDINARY LIFE CLASS STARTING NEW STUDY**

Extraordinary Life class will be studying Rev. Adam Hamilton's latest study. Published in December 2025, the title is "WHY DID JESUS HAVE TO DIE?" "The meaning of the crucifixion". The lessons explore multiple New Testament metaphors explaining the crucifixion's meaning and how Jesus's death brings salvation, helping us understand its impact on daily life. Purchasing the book is not required to attend. The book is available on Amazon. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**PLEASANT HILL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (EST. 1880)**



*Through dedicated WORSHIP to GOD, Pleasant Hill seeks to:  
**REACH** out with the love of God and Good News of Jesus Christ,  
**GROW** through worship and the study of God's Word,  
**SERVE** God and our neighbors in all that we do.*



**WELCOME to  
Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church**

We are happy you have chosen to worship with us this morning. If this is your first time with us, we are especially happy to welcome you and hope you will feel right at home. Please complete the *Record of Attendance* tear-off portion of this bulletin so that we may send you information about the ministry and mission of PHUMC. We hope that you will worship with us again soon. Our goals this morning are to worship and praise God, to listen to God's Word speak to us, and then to go out into the world *changing lives by offering Christ*. Please see the ushers if you have any questions or need assistance.



[Linktr.ee/PleasantHill](https://linktr.ee/PleasantHill) the link to all things  
Pleasant Hill UMC, including SignUpGenius



As members of Pleasant Hill UMC,  
we faithfully participate in its ministries by . . .

**Our Prayers**

*\*Please stand as you are able*

Bennett Cale	Dale Lehman	Betty Russell
Brian Carnes	Emily Little & Family	Brian Shipes
Brooklyn Carnes	Lindsey Mager	Anna Marie Smith
Cullen Carter	J. J. Marcovich	Everett Stiegler
Claire Cauthen	Gary & Diane Masiroff	Randy Stogden
Will Cupp	J.O. McCorkle	Ashley Sullins
Janet Gault	Helene McNally	Steve Talbot Family
Sam Geurtin	Karen McNally	Charlene Thornburg
Shirley Ghent	Ryan McNally	Amele Tindal
Fletcher Honeycutt	Missing Children &	Bob Tompkins
Israel	Families	Ukraine
Linda Jester	PHUMC	Unspoken
Shirley Kennedy	Mark Riggs	USA
	Tom Robideau	Haley Woolford

**Our Presence**

**ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK— 2/15/2026**

8:45am 37 11:00am 61 Sunday School 44

**Our Gifts**

**WEEKLY OFFERING**

	YEAR-TO-DATE	
Budget amount per week	\$ 9,214.10	Needed for budget 2026 \$ 479,133.20
Received 2/15/2026	\$ 6,780.00	Received through 1/31/2026 \$ 47,218.95
		Expenses through 1/31/2026 \$ 41,268.05

**BUILDING FUND (MASTER'S PLAN)**

Total Donated as of 1/31/2026	\$2,513,794.70	Received 1/2026	\$ 7,439.99
Bank Balance as of 1/31/2026	\$ 94,411.48	Payment 1/2026	\$ 10,847.28
Mortgage Balance on 1/31/2026	\$1,326,690.16		

**Our Service**

**SERVING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2026—8:45AM**

**Ushers** Brian Carnes, Pam Carnes

**Lector** Suzanne Pike

**A/V Tech** Adam Forbis, Wanda Garmon-Price

**SERVING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2026—11:00AM**

**Ushers** Al Norment, Ruth Norment

**Lectors** Judy Faulkner, Jim MacMillan

**A/V Tech** Zachary Blackwelder, Troy Blevins

**SERVING SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2026—8:45AM**

**Ushers** Bob Tompkins, Chuck Yost

**Lector**

**Communion Assistants**

**A/V Tech** Adam Forbis, Wanda Garmon-Price

**SERVING SUNDAY, MARCH 1, 2026—11:00AM**

**Ushers** Jack Mager, Linda Hart

**Lectors**

**Communion Assistants** Donna Myers

**A/V Tech** Zachary Blackwelder, Troy Blevins

**First Sunday in Lent**

*Color of the Season: Purple*

**Order of Worship—8:45 a.m.**

*As you enter, please feel free to greet one another with the peace and love of Christ.*

Gathering Time

Welcome and Greeting in Christ

**\*Praise Music** Lord, I Lift Your Name On High  
Lamb of God  
It Is Well With My Soul

Children's Message *(Children are excused to Children's Church)* Lizz Newing

**\*Scripture** Matthew 4:1-11

Sermon Series Mercy In the Wilderness  
Today's Message Tested and Tended Rev. Pete Berntson

**\*Praise Music** The Word of God Has Spoken

Mission Moment Salkehatchie Chris Davis

Invitation to Sharing

**\*Praise Music** Lord, I Lift Your Name On High

**\*Sending and Dismissal**

**Order of Worship—11:00 a.m.**

*As you enter, please feel free to greet one another with the peace and love of Christ.*

Chiming of the Trinity

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude and Centering

**\*Opening Hymn** Rejoice, Ye Pure In Heart UMH #160

**\*Greeting (Leader / People)**

*L: The Lord be with you.*

*P: And also with you.*

*L: This is the day that the Lord has made.*

*P: Let us rejoice and be glad in it!*

**\*Call to Worship**

*L: The Spirit leads us into wilderness places, yet we are not abandoned there.*

*P: Temptation surrounds us and tests our strength.*

*L: God is our hiding place, surrounding us with songs of deliverance.*

*P: Though we stumble and fall, God's mercy tends us and lifts us up.*

*L: Be glad in the Lord and rejoice, for God's steadfast love meets us here.*

Psalm Reading Psalm 32

Choir Special You Are My Hiding Place

Children's Message *(Children are excused to Children's Church)* Lizz Newing

Special Music Goodness Of God Stephen & Lesley Blackwelder

**\*Scripture** Matthew 4:1-11

Sermon Series Mercy In the Wilderness  
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Hymn of Response Have Thine Own Way, Lord UMH #382

Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed UMH #881

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer UMH #894

Mission Moment Salkehatchie Chris Davis

Offering/Offertory

Doxology UMH #95

Ritual of Farewell

**\*Sending Hymn** Lord, I Lift Your Name On High TFWS #2088

**\*Benediction** IRISH BLESSING

*May the road rise to meet you, May the wind blow at your back, May the sun shine warmly on your face. May the rain fall softly on your field; And until we meet again, until we meet again, May God hold you in the palm of His hand. Amen.*

**Sunday Worship Times:**  
8:45 & 11:00 a.m.  
**Sunday School for all ages:**  
10:00 a.m.

**This Week at Pleasant Hill UMC**

**Sunday, February 22, 2026**

12:15pm FLC Reserved  
5:00pm Salkehatchie Committee (Library)  
7:00pm Men's Fellowship (FB 2103)

**Monday, February 23, 2026**

9:00am Minds Matter (FLC)  
10:00am Alzheimer's Support Group (Library)  
7:00pm Matthew Bible Study (Café)

**Tuesday, February 24, 2026**

6:00am Solid Grounds Coffee (Café)  
10:00am Prayer Team (Library)  
12:00pm Lunch Bunch (Café)  
1:00pm Acts Bible Study (Café)  
2:15pm Exercise Class (FLC)  
7:30pm Living Water Fellowship Prayer Meeting (Library)

**Wednesday, February 25, 2026**

12:00pm Lenten Worship Service (FLC)  
6:00pm Messy Church Planning Meeting (FLC)  
6:30pm Choir Practice (MR)

**Thursday, February 26, 2026**

12:00am M&M's Fellowship (Avondale)  
2:15pm Exercise Class (FLC)  
7:00pm Band Practice (FLC)

**Friday, February 27, 2026**

7:30pm Living Water Fellowship (FLC)

**Sunday, March 1, 2026**

5:00pm Trustees' Meeting (Library)

**Birthdays This Week**

Judy Spitzer 02/22  
JoLynn Dougherty 02/26  
Mary Hardgrove 02/28

**Anniversaries This Week**

None

**TEAR AND SHARE**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please do not tear apart this section)

**M&M's Fellowship Luncheon**  
# \_\_\_\_\_ Attending

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**Are You A Veteran of, or Currently Serving in, Any Branch of the Military?**

If so, please enter your name and the branch you served/are serving in:  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Branch of Military \_\_\_\_\_

**Charlotte Knights Tickets, Yes, I'm interested in going**

# \_\_\_\_\_ Attending  
Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_



If possible, please give a brief description of the prayer need.  
Thank You!

**Please include first & last names!**

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**Notes for the Church Office**

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