

Love God, Love Others, Love All to Jesus

WORSHIP OUR HOLY GOD!

Join Us Weekly | Sunday Mornings at 10am

In-person (nursery available) or livestream by going to our website at
www.HudsonFirstUMC.org

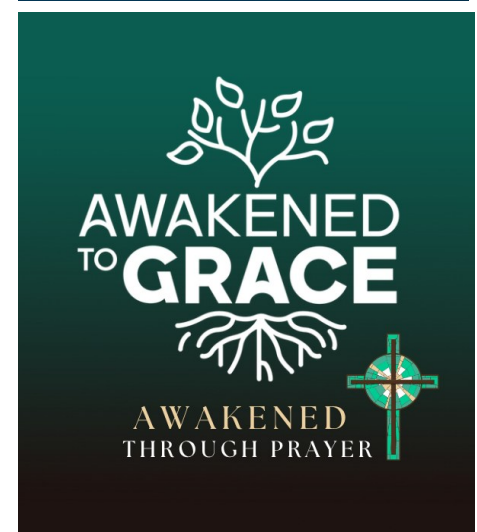
We light the candles on the altar to represent the presence of Christ in our worship

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship “Shine, Jesus, Shine” (arr. Cracraft)	Choir
Welcome	Pastor Matt Wallis
Centering Music	Pat Deighton/Nancy Cox
*Opening Song: “Take Time to Be Holy” (UMH #395 v. 1,2,3) Congregation	
*Affirm our faith with the Apostle’s Creed	
*Glory Be to the Father	
Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer	Pastor Matt Wallis
Anthem: “Down to the River to Pray” (Eric Bright)	Choir
Worshipping God through Giving	
*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow	Congregation
*Song: “Sweet Hour of Prayer” (UMH #496)	Congregation
Scripture Reading: Luke 11:1-4	Lora Willaman
Message: “Awakened Through Prayer”	Pastor Matt Wallis
*Song: “Every Time I Feel the Spirit” (UMH #404 v.1)	Congregation
Blessing	Pastor Matt Wallis
Closing Music	Pat Deighton/Nancy Cox
<i>*please stand as you are able</i>	
<i>UMH is the red book in front of you</i>	

As the candles are extinguished, we take the light of Christ into the world.

HEARING DEVICES AVAILABLE IN THE SOUND BOOTH
 (located in the back of the Worship Center)



THIS WEEK'S SERMON:

"Awakened Through Prayer"

Luke 11:1-4

Pastor Matt Wallis

Down to the River to Pray (Eric Bright)

As I went down to the river to pray,
studyin' about that good ole way
and who shall wear the starry crown,
good Lord, show me the way.

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good Lord, show me the way.
O sinners, let's go down.
let's go down, come on down,
Come on, sinners, let's go down,
down to the river to pray.



*This week
at church...*

Today: Sunday, June 28th

8:30am Living Love Sunday School—CR5

9:30am Choir Rehearsal—Choir Room

10:00am Worship-WC

Monday, June 29th

10:30am Native American Flutes Practice —WC

Tuesday, June 30th

8:30am Stitches—CR1

10:00am Brass Rehearsal-Choir Room

1:00pm Tuesday Al-Anon—CR10

3:30pm Bible Study-Fran Scerbo—CR1

6:30pm Walkie Talkie Group (Sun West Park)

7:00pm Scouts-FH

Wednesday, July 1st

9:00am Food Pantry Distribution

7:00pm ASW band practice - Choir Room

Thursday, July 2nd

10:00am Bible Study—Holy Spirit—CR 5

Friday, July 3rd— OFFICE CLOSED

10:00am Bible Study—Holy Spirit—CR 5

Saturday, July 4th—Independence Day

CR1-CR10 Classroom
FC - Fellowship Center
WC - Worship Center

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- Pastor Matt Wallis.....matt@HudsonFirstUMC.org

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Thursday: 8:00am –4:30pm

Friday: Office Closed

THRIFT STORE HOURS

Tuesday—Saturday

9:00am to 3:00pm

Donation Drop-Off (Tuesday –Friday)

10:00am to 2:00pm



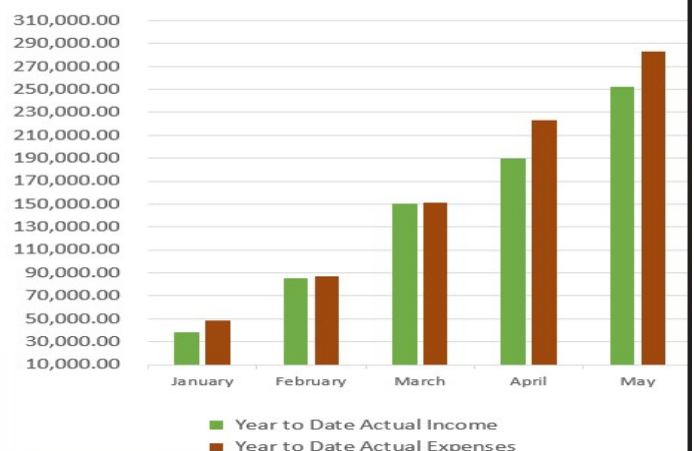
**BIRTHDAYS
THIS MONTH**

06/29 Nadia Willette

07/02 Melanie Crawford

Corrections: 727-868-6178

Year-to-Date Actual Income vs.
Actual Expenses





Hudson First
United Methodist Church

Mission Statement

Love God, Love Others, Love All to Jesus

VISION STATEMENT: *We strive to be a loving, and open family experiencing and sharing God's love for all people by generously serving Hudson and beyond.*

*Taking a moment to pause & champion the grounds improvement projects led by our Board of Trustees. The most recent undertaking was the canopy for our Food Pantry. Weekly, Hudson First UMC serves hundreds of families in need in these Florida weather conditions. This canopy allows us to provide safer, cooler conditions for our volunteers and staff as they serve. Consider signing up to volunteer or add a special donation in your giving to support our church's mission... **Loving God, Loving Others... Loving all to Jesus!***



**STEPHEN
MINISTRY**

If you are in need of a Stephen Minister and prayer, contact one of the people listed below:

Yvonne Noel, 727-863-5118
Paulette Wetmore, 727-808-6076

It is much easier to recognize error than to find truth: "*For error lies on the surface and may be overcome; but truth lies in the depths...*"Goethe

I am often more willing to recognize error in a friend, Lord, than to come alongside and walk with the friend toward truth. This day please help me make the right choices. Amen

WHEN YOU REACH THE END OF YOUR ROPE

IF you're at the end of your rope, Stephen Ministers can help you tie a knot and hang on. For someone who will listen and help you find the resources you need to get through the tough time, talk with one of our leaders. Yvonne Noel, 727-863-5118 or Paulette Wetmore, 727-808- 6076.

Please remember to notify the church office or Yvonne Noel whenever you or a loved one is hospitalized locally so visitation can be made by a Stephen Minister.

Yvonne Noel,
Stephen Ministry Leader



CONNECTIONS

SPIRITUAL GROWTH GROUPS



The Thrift Store
NEEDS You!
We are in need of:

- Clothing
- Jewelry
- Children's Clothing

Contact: Robin at
352-584-4641

**EVERY THURSDAY
& FRIDAY AT 10AM**
Facilitator: Nancy Neumar
CLASSROOM 5



ADAM HAMILTON
Author of *Crucible*, *Wrestling with Doubt*, and *The Message of Jesus*



THE
HOLY SPIRIT
GOD'S PRESENCE AND POWER
AT WORK IN US

The Hospitality Team is
looking for energetic,
friendly volunteers to join the
team. For more info, please
contact the church office or
see a member of the team.

**EVERY SUNDAY
8:30AM**
Classroom 5
Facilitator:
Doug Doan



Choir Rehearsal
EVERY
Sunday
9:30 am



Explore the Bible



*An engaging and enriching
adventure in God's Word*

Tuesdays, 3:30pm

*For more info: Contact Fran Scerbo or
the office at 727-868-6178*

STITCHES

Tuesdays, 8:30am - 10:30am

Join the fun & fellowship with
Stitches: making lap quilts and
walker bags for nursing homes.

Ministry Contact:
Becky Fisher
727-513-0495



**VOLUNTEERS
NEEDED**

CONTACT the church office for an application.

Hudson First UMC 
God's Food Pantry 

SUPPORT GROUPS

Faith Community Nurse Services



Faith Community Nurses help educate and assist to resolve problems by providing information and education about health issues and community resources.

- Support groups (see below)
- CPR/First Aid
- Cares Health & Wellness Expo

For more information, contact:
Melanie Crawford at 727-863-9815
Pam Jacobson at 727-267-0068

**HEART TO HEART
WOMEN'S MINISTRY**



**3rd Saturday of the month
10:00-11:30am
Room CR1**

Fellowship with other women and support women and children in our community.
For more information, contact Susan Rowley at (904) 608-0634

DEMENTIA SPOTLIGHT FOUNDATION



**1st Tuesday of the Month | 10:30am
Room CR10
Linda Sudano 727.277.6922**

walkie talkie
Sun West Park



Tuesdays at 6:30pm
A Wellness Group

Contact: Billie Wallis
mamawallis@gmail.com

Scouting America
Tuesdays | 7pm
PACK & TROOP S6



Prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices by instilling the values of the Scout Oath & Scout Law

**FOR MORE INFO:
Call our church office at
727.868.6178**

CAREGIVERS Support Groups



**3rd Tuesdays of the Month | 10:30am
Room CR10
Linda Sudano 727.277.6922**

PRaises | ANSWERED PRAYERS

Safe travels, God's creation, Successful surgery and procedures, God's mercy

PRAYER CONCERNS

Mason Steele; Rebecca Barrack and family; Ann Heckman; Beverly Kirves; Kenneth Erb Madelon Martin; Joe Mason Siera Hall; Chris Uher; Steven Greg; June Alexander; Theresa Siconolf; Clarence and Becky Fisher; Carol and Ron Mishler; Tristan; Children and grandchildren; those with drug addictions; James Schlieger; Nancy Gilfillan; Jacklyn Bredlau; Shirley Rodriguez; Scot Meister; Loraine Cors; Ted Lowenberg; financial situation, family difficulties; Jim Hoover; Bev Abante; those dealing with stress; Jean Alderman; Season Prewitt; Lois Mattix; Carl; Alexis Grenny; Beverly Mattix; Dalton; Norma Boffa; Jan and Dave Renwick; Jayne Hawthorne; our pets; Yvonne Noel; Ron and Carol Mishler; Michelle; Jerry Witte; Patty Bryant; Jeana; anxiety; Margarette; Shirley Geyer; Lois Phelps; Scott; Geo and family; Linda Erb; Barbara Keener; Joanne Kelly; Paula Routten; Carl and Mindy Pacini



THE UMC & LEADERS; OUR CHURCH FAMILY AND STAFF; LDRS. & MINISTRIES

Pastor Matt and Billie Wallis; Pastor Ken & Dawn Vanderlaan; Pastor Yania Ciero and husband Armando- our sister church in Cuba, Julio Reyes Methodist Church; those who protect us & defend our country; our leaders, country & government. Those who mourn; homebound; caregivers; those with chronic illnesses; victims of fires natural disasters; random crimes and shootings; persecuted Christians; World Peace; Japanese Mission; Middle East Wars; those who don't know Christ; establishing a youth group; volunteers are needed; teachers and students.

Active Military: Major James Cashwell; Jennifer Cashwell; Taylor Downing; Emerald Fernden; Derek Gauldin; Master Sgt. Ryan Hughes; Stephanie Hughes; Mark Orio; Pvt. Brian Power; Lt. Col. Michele Suggs; Bryce Ward; Airman Christian Foote; Sgt. Victor Bacerra; Alex Wallenberg; PO3 Julian Allen, US Navy; Navy 3rd Class Seaman Mason Briggs; Colby Drescher;

PLEASE NOTE: In an effort to keep our list up to date, names with no updates are deleted monthly. As prayers for your loved ones are needed, please feel free to complete prayer requests slips on Sunday morning and place in the offering boxes or email the office at adminassist@hudsonfirstumc.org.



Shoe Us the Love!



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 Donate your gently worn, used, and new shoes to help build a local community center!

Help us raise funds just by clearing out your closet!

Be sure to ask, friends, family, neighbors and co-workers to donate too.



Dates

Hudson First UMC

Now through August 2, 2026

Collected shoes not only help support us, but they will be reused and given a second life to those in need through microenterprise. It's a WIN-WIN



Contact

Hope in Motion Inc.
www.HopeinMotionInc.com

352-322-6176
HopeinMotionLLC@gmail.com

You Are NEEDED



The Worship Committee is looking for members of the congregation to join the worship committee. Meetings are monthly. For more info or to join contact Nancy Hoyer (727) 514-0914



MELANIE'S MEDICINE

by Melanie Crawford, Parish Nurse



Family Health and Fitness Day is in June and June is also Men's Health Month. With everything going on, it is a good reminder to get back to or to continue getting Physical Active. The Go4Life campaign from the National Institute on Aging (NIA) has tips for staying active and healthy as you get older, and also good tips for everyone else.

Physical activity can make daily life better, and can help you stay independent as one gets older. You also have more energy to do what you want to do and reduce fatigue. Your balance is improved and the risk of falls of lowered. Physical activity can help manage and help prevent some diseases such as heart disease, stroke, diabetes type 2, osteoporosis and 8 types of cancer among others. Sleeping is improved along with reducing stress and anxiety. Physical activity can help maintain a healthy weight and help prevent those pounds from adding up. It also supports emotional and mental health. Kids and teens need physical activity also. Activity can help with better sleep, better mood, and better grades. When you move with your kids and /or grandkids it helps you too.

The biggest barrier I hear and have said myself is "I just don't like exercise". Good news! You don't have to run a marathon or go to the gym all the time to benefit from being active. To make physical activity more fun, try something you enjoy doing, such as dancing to the radio or taking a yoga class with friends. Many people find they start to like exercise better the more they do it.

Please check out the websites for information and fun activities. <https://odphp.health.gov/our-work/nutrition-physical> . National Library of Medicine www.medlineplus.gov . YMCA <https://www.ymca.net/>

Please check with your Physician before starting any activities and here are some questions you can ask: Are there any exercises or activities I should avoid? Is my preventive care up to date? How does my health condition affect my ability to exercise? Information from the Department of Health and Human Services obtained for this article.

The Emotional Benefits of Exercise— Feel Good with Go4Life®

Research shows the benefits of exercise go beyond just physical well-being. Physical activities—like walking, biking, dancing, yoga, or tai chi—can help:

