Record of Attendance
11/29/2026

Name(s)
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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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Mobile Phone
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Email Address
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- ❑ Sign me up for the "Happenings on the Hill"

- ❑ 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's/Women's Fellowship
- ❑ Family Ministries
- ❑ Senior Adults
- ❑ Bible Studies
- ❑ Other: _____

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

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Jonathan Welch,
Director of Music Ministries
Lizz Newing,
Director of Children's Ministries
Anna Clark, Director of Preschool
Mary Lee Blackwelder,
Church Administrator
Wanda Garmon-Price, Secretary

CHURCH MUSICIANS
8:45am Service
Guitarists - Mike Smith, Rob Crews
Drummer - Geoff Gray
Keyboardist - Marie Broome

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
the first Sunday of each month
at both Services

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

IT'S TIME TO ORDER POINSETTIAS!
Please complete the ***Tear and Share*** and place it in the offering plate. Orders and payment must be received no later than December 6.

NEW PHONE SERVICE
Pleasant Hill is changing its phone service provider. The date for the switch is scheduling for Monday, November 30th. During that day you may not be able to reach us by phone, but rest assured we will be here working. If you need to get in touch with us by phone, you may contact Mary Lee or Pete via cellphone:
803-984-4946 - Mary Lee 843-694-7447 - Pastor Pete

THANK YOU!
The special offering received during our Community Thanksgiving Service totaled $630, which will be given to the Rock Hill Epworth Center.

NEW SUNDAY SCHOOL BOOK STUDY
If you are interested in a study of the book, "He Speaks to Me: Preparing to Hear from God" by Priscilla Shirer, please complete the ***Tear and Share***. This will be during the Sunday School hour.

NIGHT WITH SAINT NICHOLAS
On Saturday, December 5, at 5:30 p.m., come hear the real story of Saint Nicholas. To assist and/or attend, please sign up on SignUpGenius or the ***Tear and Share***. A meal will be provided. There will be crafts, Christmas carols, and pictures with Saint Nicholas!

COOKIE EXCHANGE/UGLY SWEATER CONTEST
On Sunday, December 6, at 3:00 p.m., bring your favorite Christmas cookies and enjoy tasting everyone else's favorite cookies. Take home a box of assorted Christmas cookies. Whether you participate in the Cookie Exchange or not, come wearing your favorite ugly Christmas sweater and enter the contest to see whose is the ugliest!

CHRISTMAS KARAOKE/SING-ALONG
At 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 6, after the Cookie Exchange and Ugly Sweater Contest, we'll participate in karaoke and a sing-along. If you want to sing a song yourself, come prepared to sing karaoke. If you'd just like to sing with the group, come prepared for that. We'll sing Christmas songs and other favorites.

GLORIOUS NIGHT...WHEN CHRIST WAS BORN-CHRISTMAS CANTATA
Saturday, December 19, 2026 at Woodland United Methodist Church Sanctuary, 801 N Cherry Road, Rock Hill, SC. The Cantata begins at 4:00 p.m. with a reception to follow.

SAVE THE DATE:
Indian Land Christmas Parade……...December 12……...4:00 p.m.
Jean Thompson Celebration of Life……...December 13……12:00 p.m.
Game Time……December 13……..2:00 p.m.
New Year's Eve Watch Party……December 31……..8:00 p.m.

CHECK THE "HAPPENINGS ON THE HILL" FOR MORE INFORMATION!
If you aren't currently receiving the "Happenings on the Hill", please indicate you want to receive it and provide your email address on the ***Tear and Share***.

Linktr.ee/Pleasanthill is the link to all things Pleasant Hill UMC, including SignUpGenius

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.

If you're new with us, we have a small gift for you. Please see an usher.

Hanging of the Greens

First Reading:	Jeremiah 23:5-6 Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming	Cedar Branch UMH 216
Second Reading:	Isaiah 9:2,6 I Want To Walk As A Child Of The Light	Evergreen Wreath UMH 206
Third Reading:	Isaiah 61:1-3 Hail To The Lord's Anointed	Mistletoe UMH 203
Fourth Reading:	Isaiah 53:1-6 Of The Father's Love Begotten	Holly and Ivy UMH 184

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

Our Prayers

Argabright Family
Juda Benton
Pete & Kathy Berntson
Mark Bombardier
Cullen Carter
Claire Cauthen
Mary Cunningham
Arthur Dale
Kay Devinney
Michael Graham
Faye Griffin
James Harrelson

Baby Charlie Huskey
Israel
Cathy Joens
Lonnie & Ann Knabel
Steve Lineberger
Ashely Mauney
Beverly McCormick
Helene McNally
Karen McNally
Ryan McNally
Military & Families
Those Missing Loved Ones

PHUMC
Suzanne Pike
Bobby Poole Family
Clayton Powell
Tom Robideau
Anna Marie Smith
Bob Tompkins
All those traveling
Marilyn Turner
Ukraine
USA
Susan Watson
Tony Zblewski

Our Presence

ATTENDANCE LAST WEEK— 11/22/2026
8:45 am *50* 11:00 am *64* Sunday School *30*

Our Gifts

WEEKLY OFFERING

Budget amount per week	$ 9,214.10
Received 11/22/2026	$ 5,554.12

YEAR-TO-DATE

Needed for budget	$ 479,133.20
Received through 10/31/2026	$ 394,504.19
Expenses through 10/31/2026	$ 391,456.80

BUILDING FUND (MASTER'S PLAN)

Total Donated as of 10/31/2026	$2,627,683.93	Received 10/2026	$ 11,664.71
Bank Balance as of 10/31/2026	$ 94,719.43	Payment 10/2026	$ 10,847.28
Mortgage Balance on 10/31/2026	$1,260,701.78		

Our Service

SERVING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2026—8:45AM
Ushers Kevin Heberle, Barb Heberle
Lector Lesley Blackwelder
A/V Tech Adam Forbis, Wanda Garmon-Price

SERVING SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2026—11:00AM
Ushers Jim MacMillan, Jeff Hightower
Lectors Kate Odukalets, Joyce Harper
A/V Tech Zachary Blackwelder, Troy Blevins

SERVING SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2026—8:45AM
Ushers Flip Bombardier, Mary Bombardier
Lector
Communion Assistants Emma Shipes
A/V Tech Adam Forbis, Wanda Garmon-Price

SERVING SUNDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2026—11:00AM
Ushers John Irvin, Jan Irvin
Lectors
Communion Assistants Greg Bates
A/V Tech Zachary Blackwelder, Troy Blevins

First Sunday of Advent *Color of the Season: Blue*

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** Waiting Here For You
Hanging of The Greens See Front of Bulletin
***Praise Music** Come Thou Long Expected Jesus
+Children's Message *(Children are excused to Children's Church)* Lizz Newing
Scripture Mark 13:24-37
Sermon Series Make Room
Today's Message Make Room to See Rev. Pete Berntson
Lighting Of The Advent Candle Advent Song
***Praise Music** Make Room
Invitation to Sharing
***Praise Music** Build Your Kingdom Here
***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--Waiting Here For You (Charlie Sinclair) Jonathan Welch, Lesley Blackwelder, Stephen Blackwelder, Chris Davis, Lizz Newing
Hanging of the Greens See Front of Bulletin
Psalm Reading Psalm 80:1-7, 17-19
***Opening Hymn** Shine, O Light (Terre Johnson) See Insert
***Call to Worship**
L: In a world of uncertainty, God calls us to remain watchful.
P: Open our eyes to see the light of Christ.
L: As Advent begins, let us prepare our hearts to welcome Emmanuel.
P: Make room in our lives for God's presence and grace.
L: Come, let us worship the God who brings light into darkness!
P: With hope and expectation, we worship and praise God!
+Children's Message *(Children are excused to Children's Church)* Lizz Newing
Scripture Mark 13:24-37
Sermon Series Make Room
Today's Message Make Room to See Rev. Pete Berntson
Lighting Of The Advent Candle Advent Song TFWS 2090
(Congregations sings refrain only)
***Hymn** View The Present Through The Promise (W&S 3048) See Insert
***Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed UMH 881
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer UMH 895
Offering/Offertory Thou Didst Leave Thy Throne (TFWS 2100)
***Doxology** UMH 95
***Sending Hymn** Shine, Jesus, Shine TFWS 2173
***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.

**Please stand as you are able* *+Sing "Jesus Loves Me"*

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, November 29, 2026
No Afternoon Activities

Monday, November 30, 2026
9:00am Minds Matter (Café)
6:00pm Parade Decorating (Youth Room)

Tuesday, December 1, 2026
7:30am Solid Grounds (Café)
10:00am Prayer Team (Library)
2:15pm Exercise Class (FLC)
3:00pm Parade Decorating (Youth Room)
7:00pm ADHD Support Group (Cafe)

Wednesday, December 2, 2026
6:30pm Choir Practice (MR)

Thursday, December 3, 2026
2:15pm Exercise Class (FLC)
6:30pm Band Practice (FLC)

Friday, December 4, 2026
7:00pm Living Water Fellowship (FLC)

Saturday, December 5, 2026
7:00am Uplevel Martial Arts (Gym)
5:30pm Night with Saint Nicholas (FLC)

Sunday, December 6, 2026
3:00pm Cookie Exchange/Ugly Sweater Contest (Cafe)
4:00pm Cemetery Committee (Library)
4:30pm Christmas Karaoke/Sing-Along (FLC)
5:00pm Trustees' Meeting (Library)

Birthdays This Week

Troy Blevins	11/30
Barbara Laffan	12/01

Anniversaries This Week

John & Jan Irvin	12/05

ANGEL TREE GIFTS
The Angle Trees are located in the Family Life Center. Please choose your angel as soon as possible. Gifts must be returned by December 7 to the church office. Please contact Peggy Gray, 704-577-0951, if you have any questions. Thank you!

TEAR AND SHARE

Name:_____
PLEASE DO NOT TEAR APART THIS SECTION

I'm interested in a study of "He Speaks to Me: Preparing to Hear from God"
Name(s)_____
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Night with Saint Nicholas
#_____Attending
Name(s)_____
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Night with Saint Nicholas
I can help_____
(Supply Cookies, Set-up, Prepare Baked Ziti, Van Driver, Food Server, Be Saint Nicholas, Reporter, Photographer, Craft Leader, AVL Operator, Music Leader, Clean-up)
Name(s)_____
_____

Poinsettia Order - $25.00 each
In honor of (#____) _____
_____
In memory of (#____) _____
_____
Given by:_____
_____
Total: $_____ ***Order by December 6***

Prayer Request

If possible, please give a brief description of the prayer need.
Thank You!
Please include first & last names!

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(list additional prayer requests below)

Notes for the Church Office
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