



# Chapel Hill

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## United Methodist Church

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October 16, 2023

### Pastor's Message



**Chapel Hill UMC**  
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CHUMC family,

As most of you are aware, I have been dealing with the aftermath of a torn biceps tendon for the past month. Injury. Doctor. Surgery. Splint. Brace. Physical therapy. Months more to go.

Many of you can also relate. For you, it's a shoulder, a knee, a hip, migraines, or the like. For others, it's a broken relationship or the loss of a loved one.

It's enough to make you want to stare at the heavens like a member of the Peanuts Gang and shout, "ARGGGGGGGGHHHH!!!!!"

And yet we know we worship a good and loving God who is present with us all through the "ARGH!" inducing journey. God gives us strength and a loving community around us to persist through the long periods and recovery and healing and the long periods of hurt and grief. And scripture reminds us that weeping (or ARGH!'s) may last for the night, but joy comes in the morning.

May we pray for and support one another as we trod on toward that morning of joy.

***Grace and peace,  
Rev. J.D. Allen***



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## Prayer List

CHUMC Home Bound	Scott Malone (Iris Shivar's nephew)
The Gee Family	Evelyn Womble
Tom Sander	Leonard Calverley
Grandma Gloria	Charles Cancellare
Yvette's kids	Iris Shivar's sister Bea
Edrese Hanigan	Iris Shivar's sister Janet
Kevin Patterson	Hiett
Sam Orton	Aaron Brooks
Judy Bull	Pat McCartney
Scott Fletcher	Matt McCartney
Jim Cranford	Rev. J.D. Allen
Don Oldfield	Minister Kate Whitaker
Martha Johnson	Hendrick
Mike Hill (Barbara Tatum's son-in-law)	Nancy Putnam
Gay Keim (Kandy Burdette's sister-in-law)	Barrett Family on loss of extended family member
Judy Charvat	Family of David Oldfield
Linda Horton	Mass shooting victims
Kathy Reynolds (Barbara Tatum's Daughter)	Israel and Palestine



## Announcements

**The Celebration of Life** for David Oldfield will be held at CHUMC on Wednesday, October 18 at 2 PM. Please be in prayer for the family in this time of loss.

### **Pledge Sunday is November 19.**

You will be receiving your pledge packets from Andrea Rains soon. Please be in prayer concerning how you will support the ministries of CHUMC.

## Church Office Hours

Monday through Thursday  
10 AM – 2 PM

For pastoral appointments outside of office hours, you may call the office to schedule.

If you have a pastoral care emergency outside of office hours, please contact our Senior Pastor, Rev. J.D. Allen at (972) 467-7756.

### **Join Us for Online Worship!**

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**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/chapelhillumc](https://www.facebook.com/chapelhillumc)

**BIRTHDAY REMINDER:** Please let our church office know your birthdate, mm/dd/yyyy, so your church family can acknowledge your special day. **Your 'year' will remain private:** [office@chapelhillumc.org](mailto:office@chapelhillumc.org)



George Johnson	2-Oct	Robert Putnam	24-Oct
Doe Payne	6-Oct	Jim Hanigan	25-Oct
Iris Shivar	15-Oct	Jan Wooldridge	29-Oct
Madeleine Davis	18-Oct	Charles Wood	30-Oct
Wilson Moore	18-Oct	Leslie Ochoa-Funez	30-Oct
Christopher Younger	20-Oct	Joe DeLeon	30-Oct
Oscar Lopez	20-Oct	Denise Maxwell	31-Oct
Wesley Freeman	21-Oct		