January 8, 2024

Pastor's Message

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Chapel Hill UMC
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Rev. J.D. Allen Senior Pastor

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The Christmas season has come and gone. Yet the Christ born among us is still present with us and will come again and is calling us today: "Come, follow me, and I will make you fishers of people."

We hear the call, and we yearn to follow, but doubt often causes us to question if we should even bother. This is not an uncommon experience.

Over the next five weeks, we will be exploring some of the most common and deepest questions people have about their faith. We will seek to walk prayerfully through these questions with the understanding that our doubt can bring us closer to God and help us find a more trusting faith, even among all our questions. I encourage you to invite family, friends, and neighbors to join us in person or online for the Wrestling with Doubt worship series as they may have some of the same questions about our faith:

The series runs as follows:

January 14 - The Existence of God

January 21 - Is the Bible True?

January 28 - Is Jesus the Only Way?

February 4 - When Prayers Go Unanswered

February 11 - Why Do the Innocent Suffer?

Grace and peace,

Rev. J.D. Allen



Prayer List

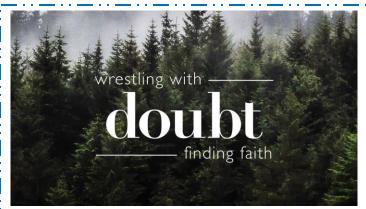
CHUMC Home Bound The Gee Family Tom Sander Grandma Gloria Yvette's kids Edrese Hanigan Judy Bull Jim Cranford Don Oldfield Martha Johnson Mike Hill (Barbara Tatum's son-in-law) Gay Keim (Kandy Burdette's sister-inlaw) Linda Horton Kathy Reynolds (Barbara Tatum's Daughter) Scott Malone (Iris Shivar's nephew) **Evelyn Womble**

Leonard Calverley

Charles Cancellare Iris Shivar's sister Bea Iris Shivar's sister Janet Hiett Aaron Brooks Pat McCourtney Matt McCourtney Doe Payne llene Oldfield Gail Hanigan Nancy Hartman Matthew Shivar Mike Tatum Joanne Marchant Habib Khoury Janis Coggshall The Family of Scott Fletcher The Family of Judy Charvat The Family of Christi Sealy

Mass shooting victims

Israel and Palestine



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Church Office Hours

Regular Office hours are 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!

YouTube: bit.ly/CHUMCYouTube

Facebook: www.facebook.com/chapelhillumc

Announcements

Choir Practice resumes Wednesday, January 10 at 7:30 pm.

Church Council Meeting, Monday, January 15 at 7 pm.

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



Juan	Torres	2-Jan	Jose	Ramirez	17-Jan
Jazmin	DeLeon	6-Jan	Amy	Swanson	18-Jan
Jazlin	DeLeon	6-Jan	Janis	Coggshall	22-Jan
Margarita	Ochoa	11-Jan	Linda	Horton	22-Jan
Sandra	Hammett	12-Jan	Barbara	Tatum	29-Jan
Glen	Womble	15-Jan	Sarah	Bandy	30-Jan