## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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March 15, 2022 - Church Office Hours M-F 9am - 2:00pm

"... You are the salt of the earth... You are the light of the world..."

Update #98

~Matthew 5:13-16

We'd Love to have you in the Adult Choir at 10:30 Worship! Interested? Sign-Up at the Info Table Shoprite Cards available after 9am Worship & before 10:30am worship on 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays

6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade Sunday School starts THIS **SUNDAY** (3/20) at 10:30am in Thompson Hall Spread the word!

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1. Worship THIS Sunday (March 20) at 9am in the Family Life Center 10:30am in the Sanctuary

Our College Ministry meets on Fridays at 6pm and the **Youth** Ministry meets on Sundays at 6pm both in Thompson Hall. Questions? Contact our co-directors Matthew Fullerton and Bob Ferrara at matthew@fumctr.com and bob@fumctr.com

## **Crafters**

meet on Monday, March 21 9-12 Noon in Thompson Hall

Soup Kitchen Ministry

Today! @ 3-4:30pm Dine-In

\*Both services will be streamed at https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJkwm89jruog2fhd7BP aJA

\*Please note this is a NEW LINK – it will take you to our YouTube Channel. After clicking on this link, scroll down to find the service you want.

- 2. Confirmation Class begins on Sunday, April 24 at 4:00pm in Thompson Hall ©
- 3. The **Lent Study** *CONTINUES TOMORROW* at 10am and 6:45pm in the Sanctuary. If you haven't signed up, no worries - just come to the Sanctuary and get your book.
- 4. Would you like to help keep in touch with our First Church Family? The **ACTS** MINISTRY may be for you. Each ACTS team member would touch base with 8-12 of our church members so that (eventually) all of our members will have a contact a couple times a month. Interested? Contact Pastor Ed at ed@fumctr.com or the church office (732-349-8155).

The Church Family Breakfast is Back!

> April 9 8-10am in the FLC Stay Tuned for Details!

5. Thank you, First Church for your faithful giving in these crazy times. If you haven't started giving yet, check out the box below with all the giving information. Has God blessed you lately? Please consider a special gift over and above what you normally give. You are making a big difference ©

## **March Birthdays**

Loris Pelkey (17) BetteAnn Seiffert (18) Joyce Carter (20) Victoria Smialkowski (20)

Ashley Mann (21) Jason Spears (21)

Arnold Egeland (22)

## **March Anniversary**

Sue & Dennis Malinowski (19)

**Electronic Giving Address:** 

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**To Mail Your Offering** (thank you for the gift of a stamp!) ATTN: Financial Secretary, First UMC 129 Chestnut Street, Toms River, NJ 08753

**In Person**: We pass the plates/baskets during worship or you may drop off your offering to the office during the week.

I love you, Pastor Ed (cell: 609-617-5182)