



First United Methodist Church

Myrtle Beach

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Open Hearts
Open Minds,
Open Doors

The Church with the Heart in the Heart of Myrtle Beach



First Church— The Church with the Heart in the Heart of Myrtle Beach!

The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Welcome to First United Methodist Church of Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. We are glad you're here!

First UMC is the historical downtown church in Myrtle Beach. With roots reaching back to 1915, this church is one of the largest and most active United Methodist congregations in South Carolina. Ever growing and changing, First Church is venturing forth in new ways of sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ both here and overseas. **A church for all kinds of people.**

The doors of First UMC are open to persons who seek fulfilling relationships with Jesus Christ. Regardless of who you are or where you came from, you're sure to find a meaningful place here.

First UMC is a place to learn more about God; a place to experience God's grace; a place to serve God's children.

First Church offers a comprehensive Christian Education program, music programs for all ages, as well as traditional and contemporary worship services. All this takes place in a relaxed "beach" atmosphere where casual dress is always welcome.

Whether you're a sandlapper or you're just moving to our area, we hope you'll make First United Methodist Church a regular part of your week.

Please contact us for more information.

Television Ministry

First UMC makes a strong effort to reach the people of Myrtle Beach and the Grand Strand with the gospel and love of Jesus Christ. We sponsor a television broadcast every Sunday morning on WBTW TV 13 at 8:30 am. This broadcast includes a recording of highlights from the previous week's 11:00 am worship service.

(MP3 downloads available on website www.fumcmb.org)

In addition to the broadcast, we offer an intercessory prayer line, staffed by volunteers for thirty minutes after each program. Prayer line calls are toll-free from anywhere in the WBTW viewing area, which covers most of Horry, Georgetown, Florence, Darlington and Marion Counties.

Adult Sunday School 9:45 am

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| Ark | All ages | Wesley 103 |
| Brittain Fellowship | 40+ | Office Building - Upstairs |
| Faith Connections | Young adult | Wesley 104 |
| Foundations | 20s + | Asbury 203 |
| Grace Fellowship | 35+ | Office Building - Parlor |
| M.D. Moore | 60+ | Wesley 105 |
| Men's Bible | Men/all ages | Asbury 105 |
| New Horizons | 30+ | Asbury 201 |
| New Ventures | 30+ | Music 103 |
| Open Fellowship | 50+ | Music 101 |
| Short Term Study | Various | Library |
| Wesley Fellowship | Women | Wesley 101 |

Children's Sunday School 9:45 am

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| Nursery | Newborns to newly-walking |
| Toddlers | 1 year olds |
| Toddlers | 2 year olds |
| Preschool | 3, 4 & 5 year olds separate classes |
| Children | K-5 year olds separate classes |
| 6 th Grade | Confirmation (Asbury room 204) |
| 7 th -8 th , 9 th -10 th , 11 th -12 th | Separate classes (Youth Annex) |

Kids During Worship

Please Note: First UMC operates under "Safe Sanctuary", following the "Guidelines for Safety of Children and Youth", adopted by our Administrative Board.

Nursery for Infants and Toddlers

The nursery is available during worship for newborns through 3 years old. We request that all parents of infants take a pager. Pagers are also available to visitors, newcomers, and parents of toddlers.

"Little Church" for 3-4 year olds and 5 years - 1st graders

After *Children's Sharing Time*, children are invited to attend Little Church, a child-friendly "mini" worship service.

3-4 year olds room 107 in Wesley Building

5 years-1st grade room 201 in Wesley Building

(Immediately after worship, parents please pick up your children.)

"Big Church" for children 2nd grade and older

Stay in sanctuary for worship.

First Church Missions (Local, National, Global)

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| Bethany Christian Services | Adoption/women's assistance |
| CASA (Citizens Against Spousal Abuse) | Safe shelter for women/children |
| Caring for Kids, SOS Health Care, Cedar Branch Center | Helping to meet the health/welfare needs of children |
| Community Kitchen | Helping to feed those in need |
| Conference Apportionments | Fair share giving to the work of the UMC |
| Corridor of Shame | Helping schools grow beyond "minimally adequate" conditions |
| Disaster Trailer | Sending supplies to disaster areas |
| Epworth | Children's Home in Columbia, SC |
| Gideons International | Places Bibles in hotels, hospitals, etc. |
| Habitat for Humanity | Providing a home for a family |
| Happy Wheels (MUSC) | Brighten days for hospitalized children |
| Haven House of MB | Help homeless families |
| Healed Homes | Home repairs for the disabled |
| Helping Hand of MB | Provides non-perishable food for hungry and shelter assistance |
| Horry Co. Shelter Home | Residential home for neglected and abused, abandoned children ages birth-17 |
| Killingsworth Home | Women's Home in Columbia |
| Mercy Hospice | Provides funds for hospice care |
| Mobile Meals | Funding and delivering meals to shut-ins |
| Rape Crisis Center | Counseling/help for women |
| Scholarships | For colleges, daycare, camps |
| Shared Care | Help with the cost of medical care |
| Shepherd's Child | Outreach to children/families |
| Singing to shut-ins | Youth shut-in visitation ministry |
| Stop Hunger Now | International Hunger Relief |
| Street Reach | Temporary shelter for homeless men/women |
| Tara Hall | Residence for boys in need |
| UMCOR Missions | Health kits following disasters |
| UMVIM (United Methodist Volunteers in Mission) | Foreign and domestic missions—building, teaching, medical attention, etc. |
| Waccamaw Youth Center | Residential home for neglected youth 12-21 |

Program Ministries

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| Acolytes, Bible Bearers, Crucifers | Assist in worship services (8:30 am and 11:00 am) |
| Bereavement | Provide support/meal |
| Bible Studies | Disciple, other long term and short term studies scheduled throughout the year |
| Bulletin Babes & Dudes | Fold/address weekly (mailed) newsletters |
| Campground Ministry | Help with campground worship services |
| Child Development Ministry | Daycare and after school care |
| Clothes Closet Ministry | Distribute clothes to those in need |
| Environmental Stewardship | Caring for God's Creation |
| Flower Ministry | Arrange/deliver flowers to extend love and joy |
| Homebound Ministry | Visit/call/send cards |
| Prayer Groups | Men's group and Women's group Wednesday mornings at 7:15 Meet/pray |
| Missions | Domestic and abroad |
| Prayer Retreat | Annual women's conference |
| Prayer Shawl Ministry | Knit/crochet for love/healing |
| Softball | Church-wide seasonal recreation |
| Snowbird/Seagull | Senior adult worship/programs/meals |
| Sunday School | Adult classes and Children's classes |
| Vacation Bible School | Summer Christian education/fun |
| Wednesday Night Fellowship | Meals, fellowship, Bible studies begins 5:30 pm during the school year |
| Youth Ministry | Christian fellowship for jr. and sr. high students |

Associated Ministries that meet on our campus

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| Coastal Samaritan Counseling Center | Christian counseling |
| Korean Methodist Church | Korean community worship |
| Literacy Council | Teaching non-readers and ESOL |
| Narcotics Anonymous | 12-step addiction recovery program |

Music Ministries

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| Wesley Chancel Choir | Under the direction of Dr. Tim Koch |
| Organist/Pianist | Patrick Downes |
| Contemporary Worship Leader | Norman McQueen |
| Contemporary Worship Musician | John Paul Miller |
| Associate Organist/Pianist | Roselle Williamson |
| Children's Choir Director | Lisa Washburn |
| Adult and Children's Handbell & Handchimes Director | Jayne Smith |

UMYF

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| Youth (Jr. and Sr. High) | Sunday Afternoons (includes dinner) (meets during the school year) |
| Youth Prayer Breakfasts | Tuesday and Wednesday Mornings |
| Youth "Called" | Wed. night Bible study and fellowship (meets during the school year) |
| Youth Choir (Jr. High) | Sunday evenings- Lisa Washburn, Director |

United Methodist Women (UMW)

The organized unit of United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in global ministries of the church.

UMW Circles are Small groups of **United Methodist Women** meet and raise funds by having dinners, work days, "seed money", projects and bazaars. The women raise funds for local and global missions. There are four general meetings a year: February, May, September and November. Added in 2005 was a benefit concert with proceeds going to local missions.

Below is a list of the various UMW Circles.

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| Cloister Circle | Meets 2nd Tues. of the month @ 7:00 pm |
| Evalina Ramsey Circle | Meets 2nd Wed. of the month @ 10:30 am |
| Friday Morning/ Ann Herbert Circle | Meets 2nd Fri. of the Month @ 10:30 am |
| Friendship Circle | Meets 2nd Mon. of the Month @ 9:15 am |
| Lautrelle Merchant Circle | Meets 2nd Tues. of the Month @ 5:30 pm |
| Louise Springs Circle | Meets 2nd Tues. of the Month @ 10:30 am |
| Sisters in Service Circle | Meets 2nd Tues. of the Month @ 5:00 pm |
| Tennessee Collier Circle | Meets 2nd Tues. of the Month @ 11:00 am |

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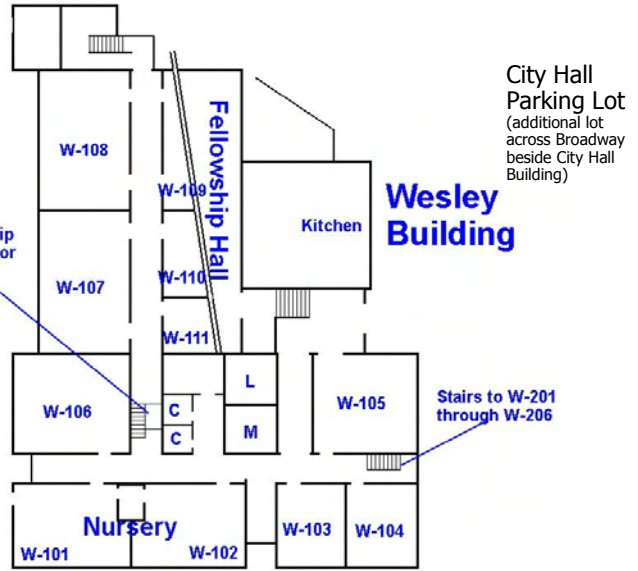
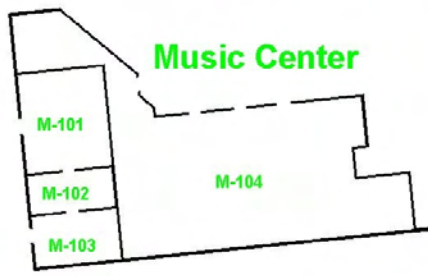
The South Carolina Conference of **United Methodist Men** is committed to strengthening men for the ministry. The organization is a supportive fellowship of men who seek to know Jesus Christ, to grow spiritually and to seek His will daily. ~ South Carolina UMM www.ummsc.org
First UMC UMM meet on the first Saturday of the month at 7:30 am in the Wesley Fellowship Hall for breakfast and Christian fellowship.

First UMC Ministry Team

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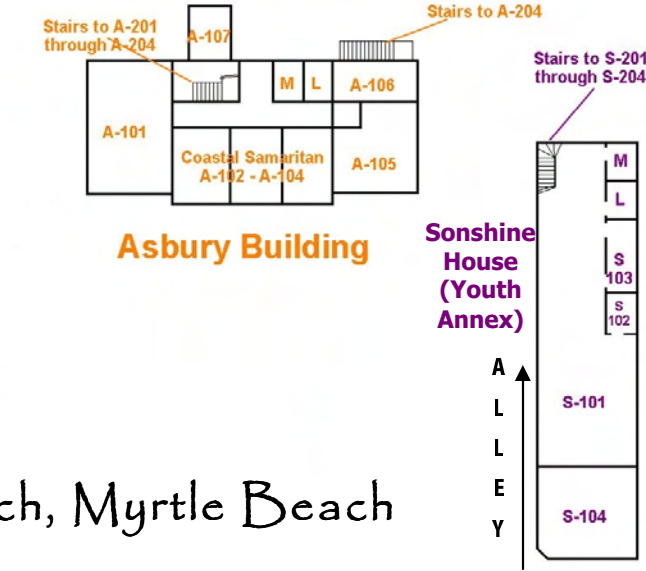
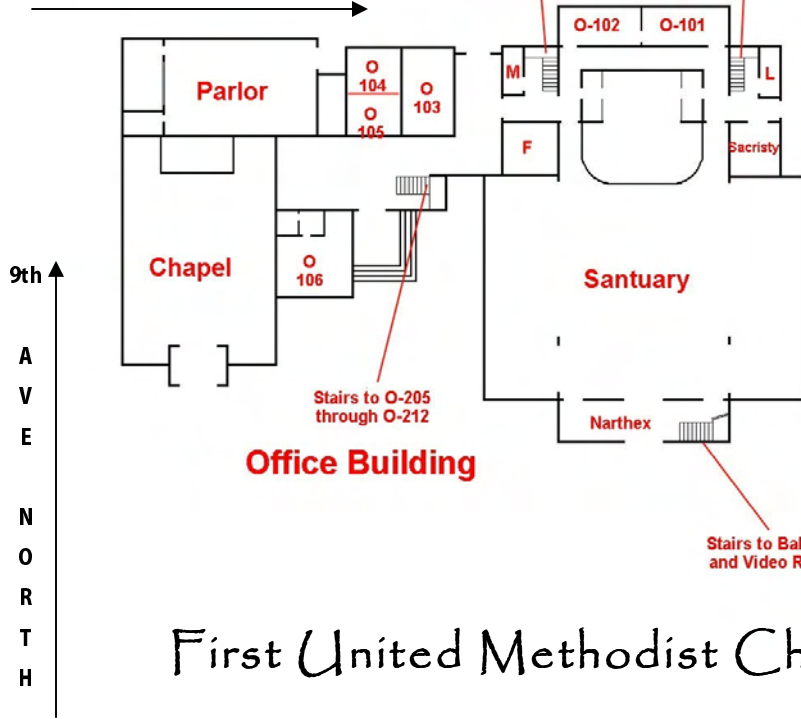
BROADWAY STREET

M - Mens Rest Room
L - Ladies Rest Room
F - Family (Unisex) Rest Room
C - Child's Rest Room



City Hall Parking Lot
(additional lot across Broadway beside City Hall Building)

ALLEY (Handicap Parking)



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Contact Information

Visitor Information

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Rev. Jonathan Tompkins, Associate Pastor
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Friday 8am—12:30pm

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| Coffee & light refreshments | 9:30-9:45 in Parlor, Office Building |
| Handicapped access | Sanctuary/Office Building— enter alley at rear of church off 9 th Ave. N. Wesley Building— ramp at front, handicap lift inside available for access to 2nd floor |
| Hearing devices | Available - ask usher |
| Large-print hymnals | Available - ask usher |
| Nursery | Downstairs in Wesley Building |
| Parking | Marked spaces surrounding church buildings and City Hall, Kings Hwy, 9th Ave. N., Broadway Street |
| Restrooms | Available in all buildings, in main building, behind the sanctuary, and in reception area |
| Sunday School | Various locations (see map) |
| Water fountains | Main building—reception area available in all other buildings |
| Welcome Center | Downstairs Admin. Bldg. |
| Wiggle bags | Available for children - ask usher |