Registration



Thursday, November 5, 2015 • 8: 30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

	First United	d Methodist	Church
	101 East 1st North	th Street • Morristown	TN 37814

Name					
Address					
Church					
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e-Mail Address Workshop Preference: Please list 1st, 2nd and 3rd choice by indicating workshop letter					
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Deadline: Monday, October 26, 2015

Two Ways to Register:

Online with Credit Card at:

http://WildWonderful.Holston.org
Online Registration fee: \$13.00

OR

By Mail

Mail-In Registration fee: \$12.00

Total payment enclosed \$ _____

Please make check payable to:

Morristown District UMC

and mail, along with this form, to:

Morristown District UMC

P.O. Box 1592 • Morristown, TN 37816

Please feel free to duplicate this form for additional registrants and/or groups

– please list each registrant.

Schedule

8:30 a.m. Registration and Fellowship

9:00 a.m. Gathering and Worship 🖈

9:45 a.m. Storytelling

10:45 a.m. Break

11:00 a.m. Workshop(s)

12:00 noon Lunch

(Thanksgiving Meal by Jersey Girl Diner)

★ Offering will be taken for Jubilee Project, Inc.

Please bring the food for the month of November for Jubilee – canned ham.

Cokesbury Book Store will be on-site.

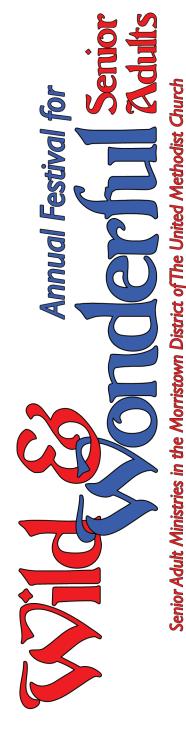
Please join us on Thursday, November 5

- Singing WorshipStorytelling Food
- FellowshipInformationMore

Directions

First United Methodist Church

101 East 1st North St. • Morristown,TN 37814 (Corner of 1st North and Cumberland.)



Methodist United

Workshops

A FAITH JOURNEYS:

The Story of Methodism in Holston Conference

Have you ever wondered where and how Methodism began and spread across the bounds of Holston Conference? If so, this workshop will provide you with information about the roots of Methodism in Holston.

The Reverend Charles Maynard, District Superintendent of the Maryville District, who is also a well-known storyteller and author, will inform and entertain you with his stories about the history of the spread of Methodism in this region of the country.

BTHE MOSAIC OF ISLAM:

Across the Burning Sands of Time

Dr. Fred Kellogg, retired professor in the Department of Religion at Emory & Henry College, presents an objective view of Islam within its historical and contemporary context. This workshop will reveal the mysterious life of Muhammad, basic Muslim beliefs and the Muslim lifestyle as it seeks to relate to the modern world. Participants will have ample opportunity to ask questions as they enjoy Dr. Kellogg's dynamic lecture approach.

HEALTH CARE COVERAGE FOR SENIOR ADULTS

There is so much to learn about health care coverage for senior adults and their families. **Tonya Sweet,** who is a Certified Application Counselor with Cherokee Health Systems, and **Kim Ward,** a representative from SHIP (State Health Insurance Assistance Program), will help you understand the Affordable Care Act, Medicare, other insurance programs and will also talk about the need for the Medicaid expansion program (currently being called Insure Tennessee).



Our Storyteller

The Reverend Charles Maynard, a native of Signal Mountain, TN, and a graduate of Emory & Henry College and Candler School of Theology at Emory University, is an ordained United Methodist minister, a well-known storyteller, and an author. Charles has served in the Holston Conference of The United Methodist Church for over 30 years. He currently serves as the District Superintendent in the Maryville District.

Known for his telling of traditional Appalachian Mountain tales, stories of American history, and personal narratives of growing up in the Cumberlands of TN, Charles has also authored or co-authored 30 books, including 21 children's books. He worked as the first executive director of Friends of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park and as the director of advancement at the International Storytelling Center in Jonesborough, TN.

Charles is married to Janice, his high school sweetheart and a well-known novelist, and has two daughters, Caroline and Anna, sons-in-law, Jamie and Chris, and four grandchildren. He and Janice enjoy writing, hiking, traveling, and spending time with their family, especially their grandchildren: Anastasia, Ainsley, Allie, and Levi.

Our Worship Leader

The Reverend Dr. Cynthia Thompson will serve as our worship leader. She recently retired after serving in the Morristown District for three years as the pastor of First UMC, White Pine, TN. Cynthia is also a Certified Director of Christian Education and a gifted musician.

Our Preacher

The Reverend Linda Stransky will be our preacher. She was appointed in July 2015 as a Church and Community Worker to serve as the Executive Director of Jubilee Project, Inc., in Hancock County, TN. Linda comes to Jubilee following a year as the pastor of Aldersgate United Methodist Church in Bristol, TN. From 2007-2013, she served as a Church and Community Worker with Project Crossroads in Marion, VA, where her husband, Mark, serves as a Church and Community Worker.

Linda is a native of California and a graduate of Methodist Theological School in Ohio. She served from 1998-2007 as an elder in full connection in the Iowa Conference prior to coming to the Holston Conference to serve as Church and Community Worker in Marion.VA.

Our Musical Guests

Karen and Tom Shupe, our gifted musicians, are back by popular demand. They are both active in First UMC, White Pine, TN and in numerous other musical events in the Lakeway area. They own the Trade Center in Morristown.

Ben Stapleton, Director of Music Ministries at First UMC, Morristown for the past 2 years, will serve as our music leader. A native of Crossville, TN, Ben moved to Morristown from a church in Somerset, KY.