

*Christ Cares...
and so do we.*

We are your neighbors at the First United Methodist Church of Shelton. We are a welcoming family of God, committed to becoming more and more like Jesus Christ. Together we are growing in faith, knowledge and love of God. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, we serve God by serving others throughout the community and the world.

We invite you to renew yourself spiritually with our warm and friendly church family. Take time for yourself and time to be with Christ.

In today's unpredictable and turbulent society, we realize that our success and security can only be achieved when we live the Gospel message in our care for one another. Our human need to be loved and to find happiness is fulfilled when we seek Christ first and shine His light unto the world.



Open hearts. Open minds. Open doors.

The people of The United Methodist Church™

SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:30 AM

Worship Service with Holy Communion
(Nursery care provided)

10:45 AM

Time of Fellowship

11:15 AM

Christian Education for All Ages
(Nursery care provided)

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Methodist Church...
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Jesus.*

Rev. Heather McClendon Sinclair, Pastor
Ximena Varas, Certified Lay Minister
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*We are located on the corner of
Rocky Rest Road & Long Hill Avenue*

Loving God

SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:30-10:45 AM

Worship Service with Holy Communion

FELLOWSHIP TIME

10:45-11:15 AM

Join us for coffee and fellowship!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

11:15 AM-12:15 PM

(nursery care provided all morning)

Sunday School classes for children ages 3 and up, including Junior and Senior High school groups. Our goal is to teach the Word of God in a safe, loving and fun environment. Nursery care for younger children is available.

Adult Classes provide the opportunity for Spiritual growth and greater closeness to our Lord. There are several classes to choose from each Sunday, with topics changing throughout the year.

WEEK NIGHT BIBLE STUDIES

ADVENT & LENTEN STUDIES

Prayer

UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONAL

10:00 AM Thursday mornings

PRAYER CHAIN John Mead 375-6096

Loving One Another

PARISH FELLOWSHIP

Sunday breakfasts, potluck luncheons, Lenten Fish Fry, Retreats, Tag Sale, Victorian Tea, Rally Sunday picnic, God's Gardeners Harvest, New Year's Eve Family party, Community Dinners and so much more!

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

A church volunteer program providing visitation, food and transportation for those in need of short-term assistance.

Communion visitation provided.

If you would like a visit in the hospital or at home, please call Pastor Heather.

METHODIST YOUTH MINISTRY

Activities for youth that include mission projects, fellowship, learning and fun.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Chancel Choir, Chimes, Guitar Ensemble, Youth praise band and more!

METHODIST WOMEN'S GROUP

Meetings and retreats centered on missions, fellowship and keeping Christ in our lives and families.

MISSIONS TEAM

Special projects supporting world-wide ministries.

Loving the World

SOME OF OUR MISSIONS

AmeriCares Projects—improvements to the homes of needy members of our community

Ladles of Love & Shelton Food Bank—monthly food collection for those in need within our community

Spooner House—we provide a monthly meal for the residents

Area Congregations Together (ACT)—supporting Spooner House in providing food and shelter for the homeless

Youth Mission—home improvements for needy communities in the U. S.

United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR)—responding to emergency needs throughout the world

Souper Bowl Sunday & the 30 Hour Famine—youth programs to combat world hunger

Emmaus—spiritual retreat for youth throughout Connecticut

UMARMY—Christ centered youth work camps that serve people in need.

UMC Black College Fund, Mission Priority Fund, Hispanic Ministry, Africa University Fund & Church World Service, UMC Homes

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Boy Scout, Cub Scout and Girl Scout meetings

ACOA—every Saturday at 10:00 AM

Wonder Years Learning Center—preschool and before and after school care. Call Laura at 929-0708