

First United Presbyterian Church

Sunday

February 23, 2025

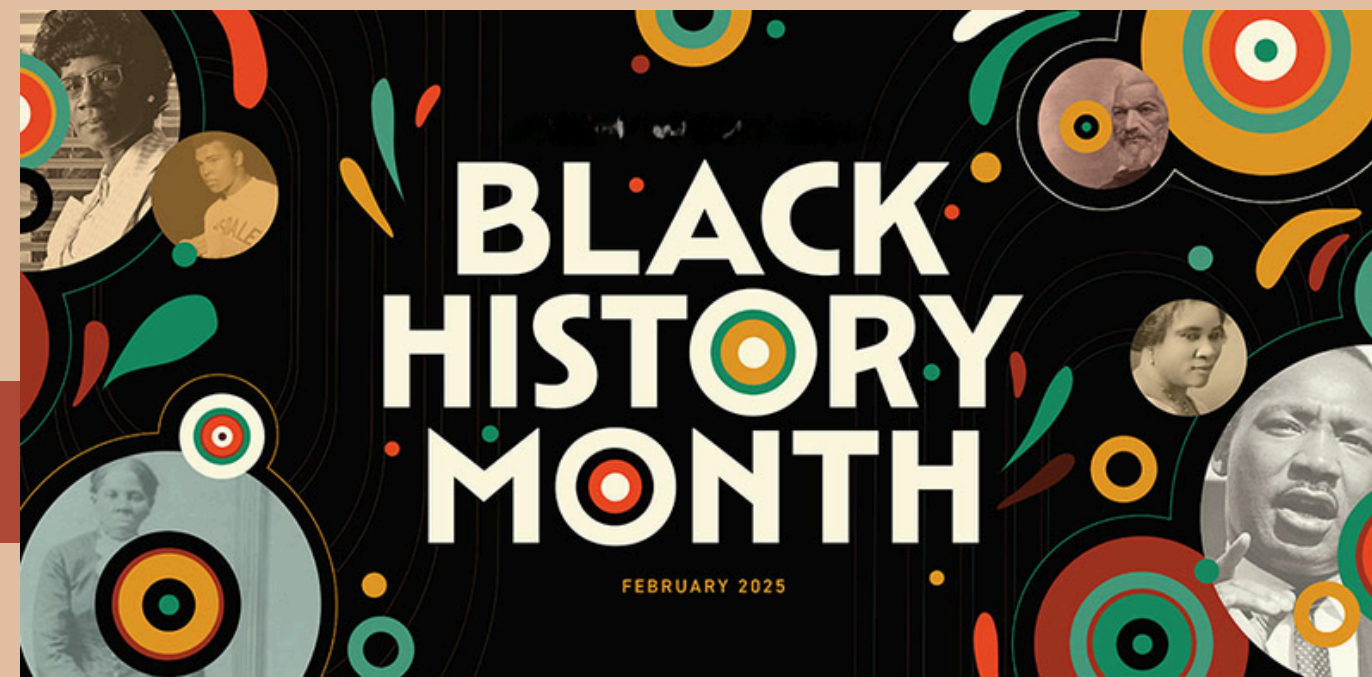
Service starts at 11:00



WHY DO WE CELEBRATE BLACK HISTORY MONTH?

Black history month originally began as a way for us to recognize the African Americans that made contributions to the United States. We use this time to honor black Americans from all times - from people who were brought to the United States on boats as slaves to black Americans living in the United States today.





Black History Month Observance @ FUPC

Sunday, February 9th – Souper Bowl of Caring

Sport your favorite team attire and come prepared to support this youth mission project.

Saturday, February 15th – Liturgical Dance Workshop, 10:00 a.m.

Tap into your creative side and come let the rhythm move you.

Sunday, February 16th – African Heritage Sunday

Pay homage to the ancestors and wear your African attire.

10:30 a.m. - Viewing of the History of the Catawba

Presbytery in the Library.

Sunday, February 23rd - HBCU Sunday

Reflect “Black Excellence” by rocking your favorite HBCU, fraternity or sorority attire.



MADAM CJ WALKER

Civil Rights Trip

**First Presbyterian and First United Presbyterian Church Civil Rights Trip
March 27 –30, 2025**

There will be a Sign-Up Sheet in the church office

Members will embark on a four-day journey to explore the history of the Civil Rights Movement in Alabama. We visit iconic landmarks, engage in meaningful discussion, and share moments of introspection, and connect with fellow travelers as we delve into the pivotal events that shaped our nation



BESSIE COLEMAN



Catawba Presbytery: History and Legacy

As we continue our celebration of Black History Month at FUPC, we wanted to share the video that was produced by the Presbyterian Foundation, Catawba Presbytery: History and Legacy, featuring Rev. Edward Newberry for your edification and historical records. May we all continue to be inspired by our past to seek greater for our future.

Worship Ministry

<https://www.presbyterianfoundation.org/resources/video/catawba-presbytery-history-and-legacy/>



**CLEANSING
WATERS
SHOWER MINISTRY**

**1st & 3rd Sundays
9:00 am - 10:30 am**

Service starts at 11:00 am





**Our mobile food pantry,
in partnership with the
Boy Scouts of America - Troop 34,
is open for business.**

**Please deposit non-perishable
food items.**

**Specifically, food items that
can be eaten right away.**

**For example, pop-top beans
and fruit, breakfast bars, etc.**

**If you are in need,
stop by and withdraw.**

Service starts at 11:00 am





**BT EXPRESS
(Alcohol/Narcotics
Program)**

**Mondays & Wednesdays
at
7:00 pm**

Service starts at 11:00 am

Celebrating
FEBRUARY
Birthdays

Trevarus Byers

Feb. 1

Aviona Digsby

Feb. 13

Rodney Brown

Feb. 2

George Moreland III

Feb. 16

Eric Davis Sr.

Feb. 6

Erika Digsby

Feb. 19

Valerie Tutt

Feb. 10

Trey Rogers

Feb. 20

Brian Young

Feb. 13

Debra Givens

Feb. 21

Charles M. Yongue

Feb. 13

Carlin Taylor

Feb. 22

LET US PRAY

Caryle Blakeney-Bennett
Barbara Cannon
Louise Ezell
Margaret Freeman
Abby Flanders
Shephard Foley
Sandra Govan

Jonette Harper
Dr. Mildred Mosley
Connie Patton
Ms. Jane Reid
Connie Sims
Yvonne Thomas



Angela Davis



Richard Wright



Mae Jemison



James Baldwin

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