

**UNION CITY FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ANNOUNCEMENTS – September 18, 2016 (731) 885-3573**

“Every Member in Ministry”

Sunday 9/18

“Prayer for Worship” Sundays @ 8:30 and 10:35 A.M.: Mercy Seat Prayer Room

Children’s Sunday School Classes, 9:45 A.M.: Education Building.

Today is Senior Citizen Celebration Sunday. If you are 70 and older, we will be honoring you during both worship services. Dinner will follow the 10:50 service for our Senior Citizens with prior reservations. Vases of flowers are on the chancel rail with the name of one of our homebound senior members attached. We need volunteers to help deliver these flowers. Your help will be greatly appreciated both by our staff and the recipients of the gift. Thank you!!

UMW Group III Picnic has been changed to the 4th Sunday, September 25th, at 4:00 P.M. in the home of Nancy Richards.

UMYF/YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday School begins at 9:45 A.M., upstairs in the Education Building.

UMYF, 5:00 P.M. Youth Meeting – Youth and Adults: Fellowship Hall

Tuesday 9/20

Prayer for children of our church and community, 7:00 A.M.: Sanctuary

Sing-a-Long, 10:15 A.M.: Magnolia Place

The Holiday Bazaar Work Day originally scheduled for today has been postponed to Tuesday, October 4th, at 5:30 P.M.

Wednesday 9/21

Rhema Bible Study, 9:30 A.M.: Conference Room

Where Moms Connect, 9:30 A.M.: Education Building, Room 15

Calling Moms of all ages!! Join us for “Where Moms Connect”. We will have class for your children. Please contact Sherilyn for more information.

Wednesday Night Together Schedule: Joyringers Practice 5:00 P.M.: Choir Room; WNT Meal 5:00 – 6:00 P.M.: Fellowship Hall; Classes 6:00 P.M.; Sanctuary Choir Practice, 7:15 P.M.: Sanctuary

The doors to the Family Life Center will be unlocked at 5:00 P.M.

Nursery is available for infants through age 3 from 5:00 -7:00 P.M. Ed. Bldg. Noah’s Ark Room.

Wednesday Night Together (WNT) Menu: Reservation Hot Line is 885-1609

Sept. 21st Poppyseed Chicken Casserole, Green Beans, Wild Rice, Salad Bar, Rolls

Sept. 28th Teriyaki Chicken and Vegetables, Asian Slaw, Egg Rolls, Mac & cheese

Costs: \$5.00 for adults; \$2.50 for 7 years and younger, \$20.00 maximum family Meals include beverages and dessert

Adult Classes: Tim will once again be teaching a class in the Fellowship Hall with the adults. Jane Hale’s Bible Study of Beth Moore’s “Daniel” will not meet this Wednesday, but will resume on September 28th.

I would be happy to help a small group get started. If you would like to see a topic or specific Bible Study, please contact me at the church. As always we will need volunteers to help with serving the meal and getting it ready. Please call me at the office if you can help. Sherilyn

Thursday 9/22

First Friends Board Meeting, 1:00 P.M. Church Library

Friday 9/23

Promise Keepers, 6:00 A. M.: Fellowship Hall

Pastor’s Contact Information

Tim’s Cell Number: 901 581-9247

Please call Tim’s cell number whenever you need to reach him. We ask that if you know of friends or family members who are sick, injured, or having a medical procedure and/or surgery, **please call** the church office or Tim’s cell phone with this information. Don’t worry if we already know—multiple calls will be much better than our not visiting someone who is ill at home, in the hospital, or in a care facility. We cannot visit if we are unaware of the situation.

Roots Painting

If you haven’t put your fingerprints on the Roots Painting, please make a special effort to do so. You may come to the Fellowship Hall before Sunday School and also between Sunday School and the 10:50 Morning Worship Service. Thank you for your participation!

UMW General Meeting

The UMW General Meeting scheduled for September 12th has been changed to October 10th at 6:00 P.M. Potluck dinner will be served and the speaker will be Haley McIndoe of Washington, D.C. Hailey works for International Justice Mission, a non-profit organization dedicated to the rescue of persons from human trafficking and slavery worldwide. She will share information with us about this important effort. Haley is the granddaughter of Anna Crocker. Everyone is welcome to attend, not only UMW members, but anyone interested.

“Cize” Class

Our exercise class called “Cize” will not meet the week of 9/19, but will resume the week of 9/26 in the Gym on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday from 1:00 to 2:00 P.M. If interested, just “show up”. Please note meeting in gym.

Sunday School Teacher Needed

We need a teacher for our Kindergarten/First Grade Sunday School Class. Please contact the church office or Paula Houston for more information.

Holiday Bazaar Work Days

Mark your calendar for Tuesday, October 4th, at 5:30 P.M. We will be making a Christmas Ornament to be sold at our bazaar. Please bring a snack to share.

October 28th is the next scheduled day – 1:00 P.M. – Plant gift and Cinnamon Rolls will be prepared on Friday, November 4th, in the church kitchen beginning at 8:00 A.M.

Bazaar White Elephant Room

We will have a white elephant room at our Holiday Bazaar. We are collecting items that can be re-gifted or items in very good shape that no longer fit in your home. You can bring them to the church and we will sell them for profit at the bazaar. Thanks for your support!

All Saints Day Banners

If you would be interested in helping with the preparation of these beautiful and meaningful banners, please contact Lou Joyner. Work will begin very soon.

Children's Handbell Choir

Our children's handbell choir will start up again this Fall. All children in 4th, 5th, or 6th grade in the fall can be a part. We are trying to find out exactly how many children would be interested. If you are interested please contact Glenda Caudle, Paula Houston, or the church office.

Reelfoot Rural Ministries Work Day

Anyone who would like to go to RRM on the fourth Tuesday of each month (9/27) to do volunteer work, please call the church office. We leave the parking lot at 8:30 A.M. and lunch is provided by RRM.

Lifeline Bloodmobile Schedule

Monday, September 26th, 12:00-7:00 P.M. @ Health Quest—Free T-shirt. Please tell the technician that you are giving blood for the credit of Union City First United Methodist Church. Save time, register on-line before your next blood donation, visit lifelinebloodserv.org Remember to bring Photo ID. PLEASE GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE!

Operation Christmas Child - 2016

January: Small Toys - Cars, dolls, games, crafts, puzzles No guns or war toys.

February: Toothpaste, toothbrushes, bars of soap.

March: Combs, girls' hair items, wash cloths.

April: T-Shirts, socks, sunglasses, small purses, hats/caps.

May: Balls, ball caps, jacks, jump ropes.

June: Plastic Boxes (Shoe Size).

July: Small drinking cups, water bottles, small bowls.

August: School Supplies – paper, pencils, crayons, scissors, markers.

September: Noisy Toys, Flashlights, Extra Batteries, Watches

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Today, we welcome you as a guest. You have a claim on the welcome and care of this community of faith. First United Methodist Church has received guests from the first days of its foundation in 1856.

Altar flowers are placed in honor of all our Senior Adults, all Volunteers who teach at Magnolia Place each Sunday morning, and all who participate in the Sing-A-Longs at Magnolia Place on the third Tuesday of each month by Magnolia Place Assisted Living.

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September Van Driver:

Jerry Paschall

September Greeters:

Randy Barnes, Martha Carole Nichols, Lenora Stephenson

Prayer Concerns

Edie Tanner
Ada Reed Rogers
Hunter Corley
Whit Buter
Hailey Jackson
Sandra Harris
Bart White
Myrtle Harton
Emily Elliston
Janice Diane Stephens
Charlene Fowler
Betty Robinson
Paula Breeden
Keith Fisher
Doris Walker
William Crouch
Hal Jernigan
Marion Reithel
Jerry Kuberski
W. T. Hime
Harold Cozart
Rob Joyner
Pat Aldridge
Bob Young

Obion County Nursing Home

Mrs. Myrtle Harton
Union City Manor
Mrs. Jerry Miller

Magnolia Place

Mrs. Lavinia Primrose
Mrs. Margie Revell
The Etheridge House
Mrs. Charlene Fowler
Mr. Roy Wehman
Golden Living Center
Mr. Ed Hill
Mr. Billy Pinder

Prayer Pager

Prayer List September 18, 2016

Special Members

Mrs. Lynda Butler (Ripley, TN) Regina Williams (Eva Virgin's sister)
Mrs. Kitty Cox Debbie Easley (John Easley's sister-in-law)
Mrs. Anna Ruth Dietzel Holly Ledden
Mrs. Ruby McLeary Mike Prince (Becky Baldrige Prince's husband)
Mrs. Jimmie Pearigen (SC) Margie Brooks (Sharon Barnes' sister)

Our Military

Middle East
Maj. Bart Doyle

Our Ministry

Dr. Tim Atkins, Pastor
Rev. Kevin Conrad, D.S.
Bishop Bill McAlilly

Golden Living

Otella Huckaby (Sue Archer's mother)
Obion County Nursing Home
Dovie Cole (Laticia Gray's mother)

Union City Manor

Mrs. Dorothy Emmons
(Jim Emmons' mother)

Other Concerns

Jason Lewis (Linda Lewis' step-son)
Freemon Harris (Dana Coffey's father)
Mary Lynn (Mrs. Marion) Reithel
Joan Brown (Tracy Brown's sister-in-law)
Delores Brown (Tracy Brown's mother)
Jennifer Cox (Cindy Kuberski's daughter)
Jerry McLeary (Ruby McLeary's son)
Wiley Winter (Rita Winter's son)
David Critchlow (Scott & David's father)
Sue Ann Durden (Tim Doyle's cousin)
Marcy Renegar (Larabee Kirkland's mother)
Betty Brown (Dianne Higginbotham's grandmother)
Hunter Winstead (Pat/Ray Capps' grandson)
Corey Wiist (William P. Thompson's gr.son)
Glenda Doss and Millie Brown

Deborah Jolley Johnson
Cheryl Archer Wilson
Mary Ann Scribner
Susan Parr
Barbara Eller
Sherry Wheelis
Jim Kizer
Nanci Daniels Fitz Daniels
Tammy Bone
Bentley Betts
Denise Russell
Elizabeth White
Pat and Beverly Haygood

Corene Dinsmore
Clayton Caldwell
Paula Hutchens
Dalton Owens
Donald Wray
Bentley Smith (Infant)

Sympathy