

**UNION CITY FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ANNOUNCEMENTS – February 26, 2017 (731) 885-3573**

“Every Member in Ministry”

Sunday 2/26

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

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

Honduras Mission Trip Meeting, 12:00 P.M.: Conference Room

Anyone interested in going on the Honduras Mission Trip, please meet right after the 10:50 Service. Date for the trip is June 27 – July 3, 2017.

UMYF/YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

UMYF will not meet tonight due to the participation in the 30 Hour Famine from Friday 2/24 – Sunday, 2/26.

Monday 2/27

UMW Group II Meeting, 9:30 A.M.: Hostess-Anna Crocker

Lifeline Bloodmobile, 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!

UMW Group I Meeting, 2:00 P.M.: Conference Room Hostess-Doris Veatch
Program-Pat Calhoun

Missions Team Meeting, 6:00 P.M.: Conference Room

Tuesday 2/28

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

Reelfoot Rural Ministry Work Day, 8:30 A.M.

Anyone who would like to go to RRM on the fourth Tuesday of each month to do volunteer work, please call the church office. We leave the parking lot at 8:30 A.M.

Wednesday 3/1

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.

Ash Wednesday Service, 6:15 A.M.: Sanctuary

Traditional Service will follow our WNT Meal. There will be no adult, youth, or children’s classes. Sanctuary Choir practice will follow the service.

Wednesday Night Together Schedule: Joyringers Practice, 5:00 P.M.: Basement Choir Room; WNT Meal 5:30 – 6:15 P.M.: Fellowship Hall; Sanctuary Choir Practice, 7:15 P.M.: Sanctuary

The doors to the Family Life Center will be unlocked at 5:30 P.M

Nursery is available for infants through age 3 from 5:30 -7:00 P.M. Ed. Bldg. Noah’s Ark Room.

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

March 1st Country Fried Chicken Patty, Scalloped Potatoes, Lima Beans, Mac & Cheese, Salad Bar, Biscuits

March 8th Hamburger Steak and Mushroom Gravy, Baked Potatoes, Mac & Cheese, Salad Bar, Rolls

March 15th Spaghetti, English Peas, Salad Bar, Garlic Bread

March 22nd Poppy Seed Chicken Casserole, Wild Rice, Green Beans, Salad Bar, Rolls

March 29th Beef Stroganoff, Steamed Broccoli, Salad Bar, Rolls

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

Friday 3/3

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

Book Club Meeting, 1:15 P.M.: Church Library

We will be talking about the book Because You’re Mine. Thanks, Sherilyn

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. **THANK YOU!!!!**

Centurian

Centurian is an original play by veteran actor Richard Garey. It is based on extensive research into the life of the Roman army 2000 years ago. It is the story of a boy captured by the legions, trained to fight, schooled to be an officer and hardened as a veteran of the frontier wars. It is also the story of an observer sent to Judea by the Emperor himself. It is the report of the keenest of observers who stood at the very crossroads of human history. It is the story of a soldier who meets a King, and the story of a warrior who meets a Man of Peace. It is the story of a convicted man, a cross, and a centurion. After that weekend in Judea, nothing will ever be the same. Play Time will be 6:00pm in the Sanctuary, Sunday, March 26, 2017. We will have a pot luck supper starting at 4:30pm. Invite your friends for this special performance!

Bridal Tea

You are invited to The Bridal Tea honoring Rebecca Easley on Sunday, the fifth of March, 2017. From 1:30 until 3:30 in the afternoon in the Conference Room.

Spring Cleaning

Spring is on its way! And that means everything should be fresh and clean. So... we are going to spring clean the Fellowship Hall, Conference Room, and the Kitchen! We will gather at 8am on Saturday, March 11, 2017. Bring any supplies that you think will be helpful to CLEAN.

Pack the Pantry Program

You can pick up a bag (from the Mission Niche or from the table in the Narthex), fill it up and return it, then sign the back.

We have a few food pantries that the Mission Team will be helping out with this campaign: Helping Hands Ministry, Reelfoot Rural Ministry, Shiloh, Pleasant Valley, and the Schools Back Pack Program.

Our current mission will be the Back Pack Program for the county school system.

The program sends food home in back packs to ensure children have enough to eat during the weekend. Microwave foods, individually wrapped foods and snacks, and packaged drinks are best to bring. Thank You for your continued support!! LET'S FILL THEM UP!!!

Helping Hand Ministry

Donation Baskets are located in Mission Niche. Especially needed Food Items: Canned Meat, Spam, Tuna, Corned Beef, Beef Stew, Oatmeal, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Mac & Cheese

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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 loving memory of Mr. Fred Wilkinson and our parents by their family.  
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February Van Driver: Jim Thompson
February Greeters: Rob Joyner, Amy and Kevin Paschall, Martha Rippy

Prayer Concerns

Edie Tanner
Ada Reed Rogers
Hunter Corley
Whit Buter
Hailey Jackson
Bart White
Peggy Burnett
Betty Robinson
Hal Jernigan
Paula Breeden
Doris Walker
Harold Cozart
Keith Fisher
Marion Reithel
Katherine Wright
Jere Baldrige
Hal Rice
Tommy Chrisp
Amanda Carruth Peevyhouse
Nancy Richards
Barbara Smiley
Jeremy Crenshaw
Joyce Overall
Ray Capps
Dorothy Butler
Tommy Triplett
Lionel Wheeler

Union City Manor

Mrs. Jerry Miller
Mrs. Joyce Overall

Magnolia Place

Mrs. Lavinia Primrose
Mrs. Margie Revell

The Etheridge House

Mrs. Charlene Fowler
Mr. Roy Wehman
Mrs. Katherine Wright

The Waters

Mr. Billy Pinder

Prayer Pager

None at this time

Prayer List February 26, 2017

Special Members

Mrs. Lynda Butler
Mrs. Kitty Cox
Mrs. Anna Ruth Dietzel
Mrs. Ruby McLeary
Mrs. Jimmie Pearigen (SC)
Ms. Janice Diane Stephens

Other Concerns

Patricia Cooper (Terry Caudle's sister)
Jesse Hayes (Natalie Glover's relative)
Larry Pirtle (Teresa Atkins' cousin)
Brad Smithburg (Sherilyn Brown's nephew)
Hollye Jones (Brian Jones's mother)
Mary Lynn (Mrs. Marion) Reithel
Mike Prince (Becky Baldrige Prince's husband)
Joan Brown (Tracy Brown's sister-in-law)
Marcy Renegar (Larabee Kirkland's mother)
David Critchlow (Scott & David's father)
Jerry McLeary (Ruby McLeary's son)
Wiley Winter (Rita Winter's son)
Hunter Winstead (Pat/Ray Capps' grandson)
Sammie Walker
Gail Latimer
Holly Ledden
Bentley Smith (Infant)

Our Military

California

Maj. Bart Doyle

Our Ministry

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

Obion County Nursing Home

Dovie Cole (Laticia Gray's mother)

Millie Brown
Billy Gene Grisham
Cheryl Archer Wilson
Paul Young
Susan Parr
Barbara Eller
Sherry Wheelis
Jim Kizer
Nanci Daniels
Tammy Bone
Bentley Betts
Denise Russell
Elizabeth White
Pat and Beverly Haygood
Randall Mann
Jimmy Whitby
Clayton Caldwell
Deborah Jolley Johnson
Dalton Owens

Sympathy

The Family of Mrs. Freddy Oliver
Al [Laura] Oliver and Kelly Kings's mother