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April 27, 2011

FIRST UMC REACHES OUT THROUGH MISSIONS

Sunday Evening Worship

May 1 7 pm

Family Life Center

Relief for Victims of the



Earthquake in Haiti

Haiti mission team members: Kevin Neal, Ed Haire, Dean Hendrix, Rocky Johnson, Joel Edwards, and Rev. Don Routh will share some of their experiences while participating on a Building Team trip to Haiti in March 2011. The team members will give some information on the country and tell about future trips to Haiti.

Mission Trip



Disaster Relief Team Members: Shirley and John Cottle, John Huneycutt, Cathy and Taylor Slye, David Cozart, Gifford Basham, Wayne and Sonya Russell, Dave Salmon, Phil Smith, and Kristin Howard will leave May 1 on a Disaster Relief Team trip going to the Nashville, TN, area. 31 counties of the TN United Methodist Conference were affected by floods in May - August 2010. Disaster teams volunteer in various work projects while living in a church. Great fellowship, lots of fun, and an enrichment of the heart, knowing that FUMC is in mission for Christ during these mission trips.



Dr. Joel Edwards, Donald and Wanda Bowles, Margaret Graves, and Amy Wood will be leaving for a Medical Mission Trip to Honduras on Friday, April 29. Please keep them in your prayers and they travel and while on their time spent in medical service to the folks in Honduras. They will return on Monday, May 9.

PROMISES TO KEEP: PRAYERS

(Please let us know of any additional names to be added or any names which should be removed. We wish for our Prayer List to be current and correct. Thank you. **To contact the prayer chain with a prayer request or to be part of the prayer chain, please contact our prayer chain chairperson, Millie Modlin, 998-1797.**

Kara Anderson

(Granddaughter of
Von & Madeline Shelton)
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Burt Barger

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(Diane Crotts' Granddaughter)

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(DJ Stine's Sister)
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Von Shelton

153 Woodhaven Drive
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D.J. Stine

515 Sain Rd.
Mocksville, NC 27028

Our Armed Forces

Who protect our country

Bradley Graves

(Margaret Graves' Grandson)



Our thoughts and prayers are with the Lucille Brown family. Lucille passed away on Saturday, April 16. Condolences may be mailed to Charles Brown, 4222 US Hwy 64 N, Mocksville, NC 27028.

May 01 Charles Crenshaw
Ruth Davis
Scott Gantt
John Walker
Matt Walker
May 02 Patti Forbes
Mike Deal
May 05 Bob Jordan
Sam Redman
May 06 Jake Barnhardt
Russ Clarke
May 07 Leon Jones
May 08 Philip Cartner
Nancy Clarke
Carl Wicker
Kelly Hobbs
May 10 Charlotte Miller
Marshall Southern
May 11 Anne Jones
May 13 Kathy Boger
Emma Eckart
Sidney Howard
Kelly Sales
Parker Shelton
May 14 Christopher Boardwine
Sara Campbell
Jill Gaither
Barbara Laymon

May 16 Jackie Nicholson
Alyse Bowden
Woodridge
Tatum Edwards
Marie Roth
May 17 Will Rooney
May 18 Nathan Barnes
May 19 Mary Hendrix
Toni Phillips
Emma Boardwine
May 20 Bob Daniel
Quin Holland
Rose Marion
May 21 Mackie Deadmon
Gaye Smith
May 22 Donnie Lakey
Mike Shaw
May 23 Thomas Corriher
Andrew Daniel
May 24 Joyce Peak
Emery Rosenbaum
Jeff Wyke
Weldon Yates
May 25 George Haire
Tess Miller
Ryan Wyke

May 26 Carol Dunn
Jason Jordan
Bob Ritz
Bill Sell, Jr.
Sarah Wood
May 27 Perie Howard
May 28 Amber Finney
Paulette Hendrix
Dillon Smith
Sally Brill
May 29 Lynn Howard
Katie Hendricks
Jonathan Motsinger
Linda Trudgeon
May 30 Chance Anderson
John Brock
Lewis Hall
Robert J. Hendricks, II
Glenn Miller
Mariam Wright
May 31 Erin Johnston
Davy Marion



Happy May Birthdays!

IN MEMORY OF ..
IN HONOR OF ...

BIANCHE EATON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

In Memory of Sam Monroe Matthews
By: Barbara Walker

CHANCEL CHOIR

In Memory of Ed Short
In Memory of Lucille Brown
By: Charles and Patsy Crenshaw

GERNERAL FUND

In Memory of Lucille Brown
By: Georgina R. Wattts
By: June and Bill Johnson
By: Jimmy and Linda Melton

In Memory of Sam Monroe Matthews
In Memory of George Auman
By: Bayne and Inez Miller

PRAYERS AND SQUARES

In Honor of Linda Leonard
By: Mocksville Marvels RHS Chaper

Davie Domestic Violence Luncheon

On Friday, May 6 our UMW will provide the meal for a luncheon/workshop for Davie Domestic Violence. One person from each circle is needed to set up for the meal and one person from each circle is needed to help clean up afterwards. Also UMW volunteers are needed to help prepare/serve the meal. Let Paulette know (email pet@yadtel.net) or 751-5222.

JOIN US!

UM Women Day Apart/
Prayer Breakfast
May 7 at 9 am

Liberty United Methodist Church
Mocksville, NC
Speaker: Rev. Tony Jordan



WOMEN'S RETREAT

Spiritual Growth Retreats
will be at Lake Junaluska
June 17-18. Contact Paulette
Hendrix if you are interested
in attending.

Thank you for the financial donation from the chili cook off. We very much appreciate your gift that will go towards the Ghana van. God Bless.

— A Storehouse for Jesus



UMM BICYCLE TRIP

The United Methodist Men will be taking a bicycle trip on **Saturday, May 14, 2011** We will be leaving the Church at 8:30 am, to go to the New River Trail near Galax, VA.

Call Walter at 782-9646 or email at whwilson@yadtel.net.



Leave Your Mark" **UMC Youth Rally** is May 1 from 3-6 pm at Camp Walter Johnson, Denton. Cost \$10. UMYF will depart at 2 pm and return at 7 pm



The UMYF are invited on Saturday, April 30 at 6:30 pm to the home of Johnny and Charlotte Miller for a Wedding Shower for John and Tracy Huneycutt.



YOUTH FUNDRAISER

Following 10:55 am Service
May 22 in Family Life Center
SPAGHETTI Dinner and

[Contact John if you are willing
donate baked item(s)]



**Baked
Goods Auction**



Confirmation Sunday

MAY 1
10:55 am Service
Confirmands:
Charlie Chapman
George Haire,
Liam Jennings,
Sam Jordan

SR. HIGH YOUTH

On Saturday, May 21 we will have a "Tool Competition", lunch and shopping trip for Work clothes in preparation for our Mission Trip. Plan to meet at FLC at 11:30 am. Contact John if have questions.

Dear sisters and brothers across the Western North Carolina Conference

I am confident that there were joyous celebrations of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ on Easter Sunday, and that the echoes will continue to resound in our hearts and souls. It is my hope and prayer that as we sang and heard the great good news that *"he is not here"* our hearts burned within us and we now carry the glow of the Easter story with us into the world. The next 50 days give us an opportunity to reflect on the way in which the Gospel spread from a handful of frightened believers to the coming of the Spirit on Pentecost to very center of power in that part of the world, Rome.

These 50 days take us to the celebration of Pentecost, and this year we get to share that day together at the closing session of our Annual Conference on Sunday, June 12. In preparation for Annual Conference this year I have invited everyone, not just the elected members of the Conference, to engage in intentional prayer, study, and sharing leading up to our gathering at Lake Junaluska. As we start this 50-day journey together, let me remind you of some of those invitations.

Read and study the Book of Acts. As part of your daily Scripture reading and meditation, I have invited you to join all United Methodists across the conference in this study. Posted on the Conference web site is a 50-day reading plan that will take us through the Book of Acts during this season. We all participate, and we all are prepared for a holy conference with Acts as our common ground.

Sermons and Lessons from Acts. I have invited our clergy to preach and teach from the Acts during this season of the year, and I am grateful for those who have prayerfully joined in this challenge. I have read in newsletters, bulletins, and other sources that sermon series or Bible studies are focusing on Acts. James Howell (Myers Park UMC) is blogging in a very helpful way, and you can access his blog through our web site link. Others are invited and encouraged to do the same.

Mission Offering. Following the example cited throughout the early church, we are listening to the cries and needs from across the connection. All of the offerings at Annual Conference this year will be designated for the Central Conference Pension Initiative (CCPI), an effort on the part of our denomination to assist those pastors in other parts of the world (primarily Africa) with some income after they retire from years of service.

"Inspire the Living Faith!" This line from Charles Wesley's hymn to the Holy Spirit is the theme for our Annual Conference gathering this year. I am urging every church, every pastor, and every member across Western North Carolina to join in this celebration of God's empowering gift and our missional response to be the church that is inspired by that living faith, anchored in the Resurrection story.

Bishop Larry M Goodpaster



"Acts of Kindness Day"

during the Daniel Boone Festival in Mocksville.
10 am until 12 noon

ACTS OF KINDNESS DAY

The Evangelism Committee will be hosting an "Acts of Kindness Day" (giving out free snacks and refreshments) on Saturday, May 7

Hospice & Palliative Care Center presented the **FAITH AWARD** to First United Methodist Church who represents the support of faith communities to Hospice Patients and families. The award was present on April 26 at a luncheon. Jack Corriher and Dorothy Hemrick accepted the award for FUMC.

ATTENTION PARENTS OF HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS:

As part of the Annual Graduation lunch for our graduating high school seniors, we need pictures of your child throughout the years for our video presentation. If you DO NOT have your pictures in DIGITAL form, please take your pictures to WALGREENS and they will assist you in putting your regular pictures in a digital format.....either on a disc or a flashdrive. We ask all pictures, on DISC OR FLASH DRIVE be submitted in an envelope marked with the senior's name and contact information, NO LATER THAN MAY 1, 2011. We will return your disc/flashdrive to you. If you have any questions, please contact Charlotte Miller at 998-5770.

FUMC OPPORTUNITIES CALENDAR

Sunday, May 1 (Confirmation Sunday)

8:45 AM Early Light Service
9:50 AM Sunday School
10:55 AM Traditional Worship
Confirmation Sunday
5:00 PM Men's Study Group
7:00 PM Sunday Evening Worship - FLC
7:30 PM Praise Band Practice

Tuesday, May 3

7:00 PM Christian Believers - FH

Wednesday, May 4

9:00 AM Prayers and Squares
9:30 AM Staff Meeting
5:30 PM Fellowship Meal -
Faithful Workers
7:00 PM Chancel Choir

Friday, May 6

Domestic Violence Meeting

FUMC softball season begins on May 10.
Contact Gary Hatley for details.

Storehouse for Jesus **Variety Show**, Sunday, May 15,
FLC. Proceeds for Ghana Trip.

UNITED METHODIST MEN meets
Sunday, May 8 at 7:30 a.

Youth planning to attend SpiritUS Retreat
On Oak Island August 13-15 should
Contact John .

Staff-Parish Committee Meeting

Sunday, May 22 at 7 pm
FLC Conference Room
David Blalock, Chairperson



Vacation Bible School Meeting
A meeting for all those interested in
helping with VBS in July.

Monday, May 16
7:30 pm FLC

"Serve Joyfully"

Invitation to the 46th Gathering— August 12, 13, 14, 2011
Come join laity from around the Western NC Conference and
beyond for a time of spiritual growth, renewal, and revitali-
zation in the beautiful NC mountains.

FUMC OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

8:45 AM Worship

May 01, 2011

Ushers: John Sykes, Charles Evans
Greeters: Karen Sykes, Jean Evans
Children's Moment: Judy Bailey
Children's Church: Christie Russell
Infant Nursery: Wink Hendricks
Refreshments: Doris and Glenn Miller
Circle Opportunities: Hannah Circle
Youth Meal: Hannah Circle

May 08, 2011

Ushers: Chris Hanes, Frank Payne
Greeters: Alice Hanes, Nancy Payne
Children's Moment: Debra Stanley
Children's Church: John Huneycutt
Infant Nursery: Wink Hendricks
Refreshments: Alice and Chris Hanes
Circle Opportunities: Hannah Circle
Youth Meal: No UMYF

10:55 AM Worship

May 01, 2011

Ushers: *Charles Crenshaw, Lucia Ellis,
Steve Laymon, Mike Harrison
Greeters: Amy and Gary Hatley
Acolytes: Robert Hendrix,
Kathryn Bradley Anderson
Children's Moment: Elizabeth Rosenbaum
Children's Church: Carrie Sakia
Infant/Toddler Nursery: Jenny Turner
Circle Opportunities: Hannah Circle
Youth Meal: Hannah Circle

May 08, 2011

Ushers: *Charles Crenshaw, Lucia Ellis,
Steve Laymon, Mike Harrison
Greeters: Amy and Gary Hatley
Acolytes: Zack Shuskey, Lachlan Jennings
Children's Moment: Paulette Hendrix
Children's Church: John Huneycutt
Infant/Toddler Nursery: Carrie Sakai
Circle Opportunities: Hannah Circle
Youth Meal: No UMYF



MOTHER'S DAY
MAY 8

Recognition
for
Mothers

We wish all our
Mother's a
Special Mother's Day.

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Return Service Requested



The Piedmont Chapter of the American Harp Society will present Jan Jennings in a solo harp concert on Saturday, May 7, 2011, at 7:30 pm. The performance will be held in our Family Life Center. The Piedmont Chapter is a 501(c)3 not for profit organization.

The concert is open to the public and no reservations are necessary. A suggested donation of \$10 will be accepted. The program will feature both classical and popular music. Miss Jennings is a noted performer and arranger and her concerts feature a segment in which she accepts requests from the audience.



Fellowship Meal

Wednesday, May 4 at 5:30 pm

Family Life Center

MENU: Chicken Dumplings, Green Beans,
Marinated Carrots, Cole Slaw, Rolls,
And Desserts.

Sponsored by Faithful Workers Class
Proceeds for Class Mission Projects

STOREHOUSE FOR JESUS VARIETY SHOW

Sunday, May 15
in Family Life Center at 3 pm
Proceeds for Ghana Trip