

**Pastor Goodman On Spiritual Retreat This Week**

Pastor Goodman will participate in the Upper Room Five Academy of Spiritual Formation this week at Emory & Henry College. The retreat begins this afternoon at 5:00 pm and ends on Friday at noon. He will not have his car with him, but can be reached by phone in the event of an emergency. He will be examining spirituality from a Celtic perspective. Please keep him in your prayers this week.



**Join the Pastor for Prayer Each Sunday Morning**

Anyone that is interested, is invited to join the pastor in the Wicker room each Sunday morning at 10:50 for a brief (5 minute) time of prayer for the worship service and for the leaders of the worship service. Wrapping our service in prayer is a good way to get God’s Spirit free and moving in our midst on Sunday morning.

**Don’t forget to Use the Disciple Life Inserts Each Week**

Not much is said about them, but each week in our bulletin, there is an insert called Disciple Life. This is a brief teaching on some aspect of discipleship. More importantly, it includes a “provoking” question that is designed for you and another Christian to use as a conversation starter. To grow stronger in our walk with God, we sometimes need to “provoke” one another in love and share how God is moving or has moved in our lives. If you have not already done so, I prayerfully request that you begin to regularly use this resource.

**Trailer Mission Summer Food Program**

The Mission Trailer will be at the front of the church on **Monday July 31 from 12 pm to 2 pm**. This will be the last date we will be handing out the food bags before school starts back on August 3. Everyone is invited to come help handout the bags of food. Donations would also be greatly appreciated. If you would like to make a food or monetary donation, please drop the items off at the church office during normal hours. Any food that is leftover after this last date will be taken to Union Primary School to help assist with the Backpack Program.

**Change in Office Hours**

Beginning Monday July 31, 2017 the new office hours will be as follows:

**Tuesday—9 am to 3 pm**

**Thursday—9 am to 3 pm**

**Friday—9 am to 3 pm**

If you need to reach Ashley outside of the new hours, please feel free to contact her on her cell phone at (276) 365-4415.



**Here’s What’s Coming Up**

There are a few things happening in the next few months that you need to make sure get on your calendar or at least your radar:

**August Fellowship Meal:**  
Wed 2nd: David Barker will be hosting the meal at his home.

**Homecoming Sunday—**  
August 20th: Luke Spurlock will share his testimony and we will have a pot luck dinner after the service.

**Ice Cream Social:** Date is not yet set, but we are looking at Sunday September 10th. May be inviting other churches.

**MECC Craft Days Bottled Water Give Away:** Sat Oct 21st: Once we have someone that agrees to lead this project, we will begin collecting items and give away water.

**Fall Festival:** Sun Oct 29th: Time for our annual event for the individuals and families of the church and our community.

**3rd Annual Trunk or Treat Event:** Tues Oct 31st: Last year we had about 600 kids and filled the entire sidewalk with cars. This year, lets fill the other side of the street as well and see how many contacts we can make with folks in our community.

**4th Annual Great Cookie Caper: Dec 3 & 4:** Cookies for the community.

**Christmas Parade Hot Chocolate Give Away:** In early December, we hope to revive a previous outreach ministry and give away hot chocolate at the town Christmas parade.

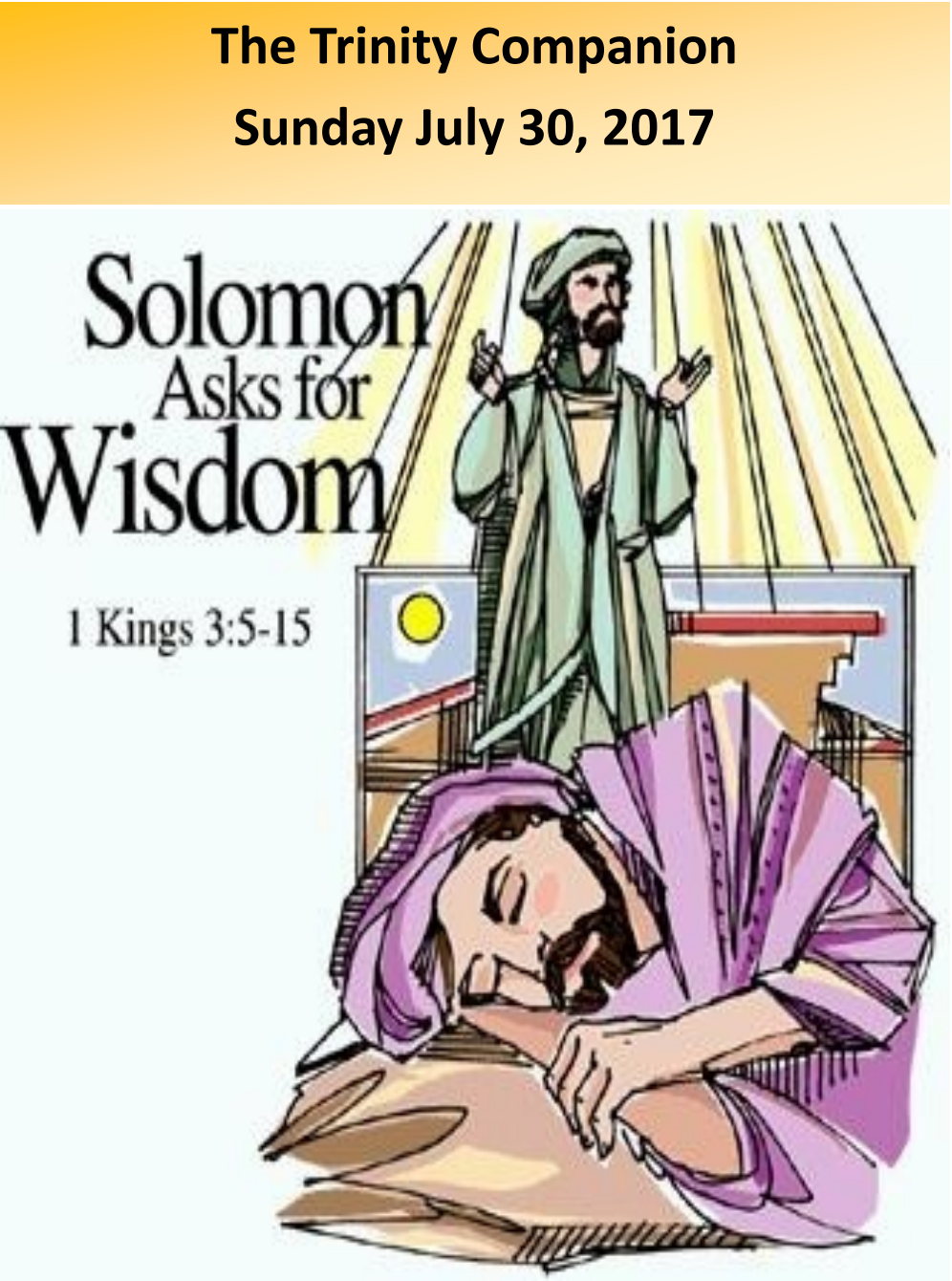
**Feeding Children on Half Day School:** Fri Oct 6th, Fri Nov 17, Tue Dec 19: Don’t know which of these dates we will choose. But whichever one it is, we will probably need between 550-600 bagged lunches made for the kids at Union Middle School.

**Food for Union Primary Back Pack Project:** ongoing. This project is an ongoing project that you can contribute to at anytime. We are always accepting donations and single serve food items.

**Thanksgiving Boxes:** We will be putting together food boxes for families at Thanksgiving.

You can sponsor a bulletin. For \$15, we can put color on one side and for \$25 we can put color on both sides. Contact the office to see if the Sunday you want is available.

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Let me tell you how glad we are to have you at our worship service today. We hope that you will encounter the presence of the risen Christ. We'd really like to get some contact information. Would you please text your email and name to 80123 and we'll get back in touch with you.

**Greeters:** Patty Robbins and Sandra Rich

**Announcements:** Christy Smith

**\*Prelude:**

**\*Call to Worship:** "This is the Day"

**\*Opening Hymn:** "He Lives" No. 310

**A Sharing of Our Joys, Concerns, and Thanksgivings**

*(Please raise your hand and an usher will come by with a microphone so that everyone will be able to hear your joy, concern or thanksgiving.)*

**The Lord's Prayer** (as found at No. 895)  
**Gloria Patri** No. 70

**Children's Message:** Christy Smith

**The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings**

**Ushers:** Patty Robbins, Sandra Rich, Donna Mahan, Christy Smith

**\*Offertory:**

**\*The Doxology:** No. 95

**\*Anthem:**

**The Presentation of God's Word**

**Scripture: 1 Kings 3:5-12** Kenny Spurlock

Lector: The Word of the Lord for the People of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

**Sermon: "Ok YHWH"**

**\*Closing Hymn:** "My Hope Is Built" No. 368

**\*Pastoral Benediction:** "God Be With You Till We Meet Again"

**\*Postlude:**

***\*Please stand, as you are able***

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**August 2017**

Sun	Mo	Tue	We	Thu	Fri	Sat
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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27	28	29	30	31		

**July Events and Activities**

♦ **Sunday July 30, 2017—5th Sunday**

- ♦ 5:00 pm—UMYF

**August Events and Activities**

♦ **Wednesday August 2, 2017**

- ♦ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
- ♦ 6:30 pm—Fellowship Supper
- ♦ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

♦ **Thursday August 3, 2017**

- ♦ 10:00 am—Susanna Wesley Circle
- ♦ 12:00 pm—Wesleyan Circle
- ♦ 6:30 pm—NOW Team

♦ **Sunday August 6, 2017**

- ♦ 5:00 pm—UMYF

♦ **Wednesday August 9, 2017**

- ♦ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
- ♦ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

♦ **Sunday August 13, 2017**

- ♦ 5:00 pm—UMYF
- ♦ 7:00 pm—Administrative Board Meeting

♦ **Wednesday August 16, 2017**

- ♦ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
- ♦ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice

♦ **Sunday August 20, 2017**

- ♦ 11:00 am—Guest Speaker: Luke Spurlock
- ♦ 12:00 pm—Potluck Dinner
- ♦ 5:00 pm—UMYF
- ♦ 5:00 pm—Asbury Circle

**Prayer Time for the Worship Service**  
**10:50 am in the Wicker Room**



**August**

**Van Drivers and Riders**

6—Christy Smith/Diane Botts  
13—Christy Smith/Donna Mahan  
20—Kenny & Martha Spurlock  
27—Pat Bowden/Diane Botts

**Money Counters**

6—Pat Bowden, Kim Parsons  
13—Christy Smith, Diane Botts  
20—Kenny & Martha Spurlock  
27—Bill Cole, Ashley Turner

**Children's Message**

6—Diane Botts  
13—Nancy Toney  
20—Andrew Holyfield  
27—Diane Botts

**Greeters**

Jack Williams  
Ruben Allman

**Announcements**

Bill Cole

**Ushers**

Phil Robbins, John Hagan, Ruben Allman, Spencer Quesenberry



"I HAVE NOT STOPPED GIVING THANKS FOR YOU, REMEMBERING YOU IN MY PRAYERS."  
EPHESIANS 1:16, NIV

**For Those with Cancer:**

Robin (Rita Nash's Daughter); Debbie Cooper; Phyllis Gilley; Melody (Mellie) Gilley; Denise Qualls; Kathy Hirsch (Larry & Teddy Bland's daughter); David Burke (Bubba Burke's Dad); Karrie Compton (Randy & Phyllis Compton's daughter); Zack Carter; Carey Mills; Steve Clark; Robert Holbrook; Kamyryn (Patsy Mutter's great granddaughter's sister)

**Facing/Recovering from Surgery/Hospital Stay**

Helen Cochran; Mary Warner; T.R. Davidson; Melanie Sturgill; Mark Nickels; Jim Cooper; Ronnie Phillips (Patty Robbins' brother); Elizabeth White; Terry Goodman; Karen West; Dotty Allen; Dell Williams; Peggy Beverly

**Non-Specific Prayers for:**

Geneva Allen; Jennie Shupe; Matt Carroll; Bill & Jean Hendrick; Peggy Bates; Marion Kocher; Bob Horne; Beth & John Hagan; Debbie Goodman; Sarah Shores; Elmer Lowe; John Wheelley; Louise Wright; Joyce Ann Harver; Dustin Cooper

- Pray for our Pastor and the Leaders of our church.
- Pray for the Leaders of the United Methodist Church.
- Pray for those in the Church in need.

If you know that someone on the prayer list has passed away, please contact the church office.