

Church Seeks Piano Accompanist

If you know of someone who may be interested in becoming our new piano accompanist for the choir, please have them contact either Ashley at the church office at 276-523-0789 or Rick Galyean at 276-275-0992. The person must be available for Wednesday choir practice and Sunday worship services. Pay will be based on experience and abilities. The applicant must submit a resume, be interviewed, and audition for the position. Resumes may be emailed to trinityumc.bsg@gmail.com.



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.

UMYF Snack & Paint

The Youth will be hosting a Snack & Paint on Thursday July 27 at 6:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. The event is \$25.00 per person and space is limited. Please contact the office at (276) 523-0789 as soon as possible to reserve your space. You must be pre-registered in order to participate. The funds raised will be put toward the UMYF Resurrection 2018 Fund.

Trailer Mission Summer Food Program

The Mission Trailer will be at the front of the church on **Monday July 24 from 12 pm to 2 pm, Thursday July 27 from 12 pm to 2 pm, and Monday July 31 from 12 pm to 2 pm.** 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 the last date will be taken to Union Primary School to help assist with the Backpack Program.



Here's What's Coming Up

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, let's 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 the 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.

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.

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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The Trinity Companion

Sunday July 23, 2017



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Worship begins at 11:00 am


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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:** “Angels We Have Heard on High” No. 238

***Opening Hymn:** “Joy to the World” No. 246

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: Andrew Holyfield

The Presentation of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

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

***Offertory:**
***The Doxology:** No. 95

***Special Music:** “O Holy Night” - David Goodman

The Presentation of God’s Word

Scripture: Psalm 86:1-10, 16-17 Bill Cole

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

People: Thanks be to God

Sermon: “Perks of Serving God”

***Closing Hymn:** “What Child Is This” No. 219

***Pastoral Benediction:** “Silent Night, Holy Night” No. 239

***Postlude:**

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

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July 2017

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July Events and Activities

- ♦ **Sunday July 23, 2017**
 - ♦ **NO UMYF**
 - ♦ 6:00 pm—Church Picnic at Bullitt Park
- ♦ **Wednesday July 26, 2017**
 - ♦ 6:00 pm—Prayer Team
 - ♦ 7:00 pm—Choir Practice
- ♦ **Thursday July 27, 2017**
 - ♦ 6:00 pm—Snack & Paint
- ♦ **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

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



Van Drivers and Riders

2—Christy Smith/Diane Botts
9—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
16—Pat Bowden/Donna Mahan
23—Christy Smith/Cathy Galyean
30—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
Children’s Church
Children’s church will be put on hold until further notice. Thank you to everyone who assisted with this ministry.

Money Counters

2—Christy Smith, Diane Botts
9—Kenny & Martha Spurlock
16—Bill Cole, Ashley Turner
23—Chris Higgins, Paul Clark
30—Pat Bowden, Kim Parsons

Children’s Message

2—Bill Cole
9—Nancy Toney
16—Mary Beth Allen
23—Andrew Holyfield
30—Diane Botts

Greeters

Patty Robbins
Sandra Rich

Announcements

Christy Smith

Ushers

Patty Robbins, Sandra Rich,
Donna Mahan, Christy Smith



“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.