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## Pastor Appreciation Meal Sunday October 5th

As part of Pastor Appreciation Month, the church will host a meal in honor of Pastor Goodman and his family on Sunday October 5th immediately following the morning worship service. This meal will take the place of the normal monthly Wednesday night fellowship meal.

# United Methodist Women Fall Yard Sale is Scheduled

The United Methodist Women invite you to come and peruse the offerings of their fall yard sale. It begins on Monday October 6th and ends on Friday October 10th.

### United Methodist Men Invite You to A Pancake Breakfast

The United Methodist Men will host their fall Pancake Breakfast on Saturday October 11th. The meal is from 700 am-1000 am and everyone is invited. The cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children under 12. Take out will be available.

### Kid's In Christ is October 12th

We continue our new ministry to kids up through grade five at our second meeting on Sunday October 12th. We will feed the children immediately following the worship service. We will then have crafts, a Bible story, and other activities until we dismiss around 200 pm Please plan on helping out with this event or bringing children to it.

# United Methodist Men's Meal set for Monday October 13th

The men of the church and community are invited to gather at the church for a 6:30 pm meal on Monday the 13th. Following the meal, we will have our normal business session.

## Put the Home Craft Days Bottled Water Give Away on Your Calendar

On a (hopefully!!!) SUNNY AND WARM Saturday October 18th, we will gather for our third annual Bottled Water Give Away at the Mountain Empire Craft Days. We will need volunteers to assist with set up, giving away water, and closing things down. If anyone would like to bring some bottled water, then please begin to put it in the fellowship hall. We will have quite a bit supplied by Alpha Natural Resources, but there is always room for more water—especially if things turn out warm!!!

### **United Methodist Women Sunday is Set for October 26th**

This month we will celebrate United Methodist Women Sunday on October 26th. We will have a special speaker for that day and the United Methodist Women will be in charge of the service.

# Fall Festival is Set for Sunday October 26th

It is once again time for us to celebrate our Fall Festival. This is another one of those community events at which we invite kids and adults to join us for games and activities and a meal. It will be in the afternoon, so set aside some time to come and join us on that day.



- ⇒ Tues Oct 7th-Finance Committee
- ⇒ Sun Oct 12th—Nominations Committee
- ⇒ Sun Oct 12th—Administrative Board
- ⇒ Board of Trustees—To Be Arranged

## Special Worship This Month-World Communion Sunday

This month, we have the chance to celebrate World Communion Sunday. This is normally the first Sunday in October. However, I am shifting it to the second Sunday in October so that I can finish out my sermon series on October 5th. On World Communion Sunday, I will once again give a short message and then open the floor to questions that deal with the topic of communion. This has proven to be a very interesting service and over the years I have fielded quite a few questions. So be thinking of appropriate questions about Communion and join us for worship on October 12th.



## **United Methodist Youth Invite You** to Join them for Trunk or Treat

On Halloween, you are invited to join the UMYF as they host a Trunk or Treat event in the church parking lot. For those not familiar with one of these events, let me explain. You will pull you car into a slot in the parking lot with the trunk facing the center of the lot. You will pop open the trunk and decorate it with a Halloween them. You will then

stand by your car and pass out candy as the kids from the neighborhood pass by to get their treats. I know that many of you pass out candy at your home, but for those that might be off the beaten path and that want to experience Halloween trick or treaters, this is a good time to come and join others in passing out treats. We also will pass out information about the church and its ministries and we might even have other treats in store.

## **United Methodist Youth Meets Every Sunday Night and All Youth** Grades 6-12 are Invited

Things have started off well with our UMYF under the leadership of Christie Smith. We meet each Sunday night at 5:00 pm for a snack meal. Around 5:30 p.m., the actual meeting begins. Each meeting sort of has a different feel since we are trying to do a



Welcome, youth!

variety of things rather than the same format from week to week. Currently, we are talking a lot about Resurrection 2015 in Gatlinburg. We will be attending on January 16-18th. In preparation, we will engage in a few different fund raising events to help pay for the costs to attend this annual youth event. If you know of a youth in your neighborhood or have a child in your family, then please tell them about UMYF and invite or bring them to a meeting on Sunday night.

#### October

Ministers

#### Announcements

Martha Spurlock

#### Ushers

Ruben Allman, Phil Robbins, Mike Allen, Bill Hendrick

#### Greeters

Nancy Mercer, Jackie Mainous

#### **Scripture Reading**

5-Chris Higgins

12-Diane Botts

19-Rob Moore

26-Pat Bowden

Children's Message

5-Bill Cole

12-Holy Communion

19-Nancy Toney

26-Kim Parsons

**Nursery Workers** 

5-Donna Mahan

12-Cathy Galyean

19-Nancy Allman

26-Kenny Spurlock

Fellowship Supper

Pat Bowden, Angie Clendenon, Kim **Parsons** 

#### **Communion Stewards**

Fred and Susan Herndon, Martha and Kenny Spurlock

Communion Bread **Dell Williams**