

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

* Nursery Available

Sunday, January 24, 2010

- * 8:55 AM Sunday Morning Praise
- * 9:45 AM Sunday School
- * 11:00 AM Morning Worship
- 4:00 PM Youth Handbells
- 4:45 PM Adult Handbells, Awesome Kidz of God
- 4:45-6:30 PM UMYF
- 5:55 PM Children Handbells
- 6:00 PM Evening Worship

Monday, January 25, 2010

- 10:00 AM Arthritis Exercise Class

Tuesday, January 26, 2010

- 10:00 AM Bulletin Deadline

Wednesday, January 27, 2010

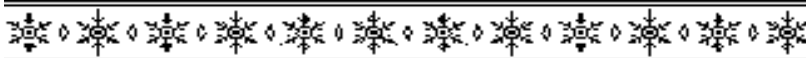
- 4:00 PM Tabitha's Place
- 5:00 PM SOD Meeting
- 6:00 PM Family Night Fellowship
- * 6:45 PM Adult, Youth, & Children Bible Studies and Chancel Choir

Thursday, January 28, 2010

- 8:00 AM Adult Bible Study—Youth Suite
- 7:00 PM Missions Committee Meeting

Friday, January 29, 2010

- PASTOR'S SABBATH
- 10:00 AM Arthritis Exercise Class



Memorials

Donations have been given in Memory of Genia Mae Woolf by M/M Calvin Hayes, M/M Gary Peel, M/M Earl Richardson, Beth Hatton, Grace Schweikart, Joyce Stephens, Polly Cook, M/M Don McGregor

Donations have been given in Memory of Irma Blanton by Joyce Stephens, M/M Foy Thomas, M/M Earl Richardson, Grace Schweikart, M/M Pat Perry

Donations have been given in Memory of Sara James by M/M Calvin Hayes, Beth Hatton, Polly Cook, the Joy Class, Grace Schweikart, Joyce Stephens, M/M Luther Hires, M/M Don McGregor, M/M Dave Harrell, M/M Foy Thomas, M/M Pat Perry, Jerry & Ruby Jean Keith, M/M Doug Sharp, Gene Moody,

Donations have been given in Memory of Beth Lattee by Gene Moody

OUR FAITHFULNESS January 17, 2010

Sunday School	143
Sunday Morning Worship	191
Evening Worship	15
Budget Needs This Week	8,008. 48
Receipts This Week	7,058. 65
Receipts To Date	21,771. 63

Dear Friends,

We would like to extend our profound thanks to all of you for your support during Mark's medical problems, and the sudden death of Maria's sister, Susan. There is certainly great power in prayer, and that has been proven yet again as Mark's situation has improved. We feel blessed to be a part of the FUMC family.

In Christ's Love,
Mark, Maria, and Kevin Johnson

Making Children Mind Without Losing Yours

Come be a part of this study in the First SS Class on Sunday mornings at 9:45

Tabitha's Place

The following items are needed for Tabitha's Place for January 27th: institutional sized green beans or white acre peas and individually wrapped brownies.

If you are able to help with these items, please contact Tommy Causey or Chandra Cox.

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WE LEARN BY DOING

On one of Mother Teresa's visits to New South Wales, a Franciscan was assigned to be her guide and "gofer". He was very excited about being so close to a living saint and dreamed of learning from her as they chatted. However, as the visit progressed, he became more and more frustrated that their schedule had forbidden close conversation. So, when her trip was over, he asked her for permission to accompany her to the next destination at his own expense. She said: "You have enough money to pay airfare to New Guinea?" He said, "Yes." And she replied: "Then give it to the poor. You'll learn more from that than anything I can tell you."

Very few of us could seriously argue about Mother Teresa's concern for the poor, especially those on the streets of her beloved Calcutta. She spent the greater portion of her life loving the unlovely, bandaging the wounded, and feeding the hungry because she understood the nature of Jesus' ministry.

At His home "church" in Nazareth, Jesus proclaimed the intent of His ministry: "To preach good news to the poor, freedom to the captives, and recovery of sight to the blind so that the oppressed could be set free" and "to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor." Jesus was concerned about the hopeless, about the oppressed, about the wounded and hungry and poor.

And so must we if we hope to be like Him

Grace and Peace ... Tucker

Our Mission in the World

God envisions Jesup First United Methodist Church as a vibrant community of faith, courageously bearing fruit for the Kingdom of God, as we Reach out in Christian love to those around us, Welcome everyone into our church family, Nurture one another in Christian faith and love, and Equip God's people for ministry in the church and in the world.



The Worship Of God
Third Sunday after the Epiphany
Liturgical Color: Green
January 24, 2010 11:00 A.M.

THE PRELUDE Johnnie Hayes

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
 Please register your attendance, using the pew pads, during this time

THE RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP (words below)
The Bond of Love
 We are one in the bond of love, we are one in the bond of love;
 We have joined our spirit with the Spirit of God, we are one in the bond of love.

THE CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor TA Lewis

* **CHORUS** (words below)
Holy Ground
 We are standing on holy ground,
 and I know that there are angels all around;
 let us praise Jesus now;
 we are standing in his presence on holy ground

We are standing on holy ground,
 and I know that there are angels all around;
 let us praise Jesus now;
 we are standing in his presence, we are standing in his presence,
 we are standing in his presence on holy ground

* **HYMN** No. 154
All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name (vs. 1, 2, & 6)

* **THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** No. 889
Leader: There is one God and there is one mediator between God and man, Christ Jesus, who came as a ransom for all, to whom we testify.

People: This saying is sure and worthy of full acceptance: That Jesus Christ came into the world to save sinners, was manifested in the flesh, vindicated in the Spirit, seen by angels, proclaimed among the nations, believed in throughout the world, and taken up in glory. Great indeed is the mystery of the gospel. Amen.

* **THE RESPONSE** No. 70
Glory Be to the Father
 Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
 as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
 world without end. Amen. Amen.

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Mark Priester
 Children through Third Grade may attend Children's Church.
 A Nursery is provided for small children.

PASTORAL PRAYER

* **HYMN** No. 170
O How I Love Jesus (vs. 1, & 2)

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY Sonshine
Be Still

* **THE DOXOLOGY** No. 64
Holy, Holy, Holy (v. 4)
 Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.
 Holy, holy, holy! Merciful and mighty,
 God in three persons, blessed Trinity.

THE ANTHEM Chancel Choir
Amazing Grace

THE GOSPEL Rachel Stephens
Luke 4:14-21

THE SERMON Pastor TA Lewis
The Inaugural Address

* **HYMN** No. 396
O Jesus I Have Promised (vs. 1, & 4)

* **BENEDICTION**

* **THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE** (words below)
Go; Tell It on the Mountain
 Go; tell it on the mountain, over the hills and everywhere.
 Go; tell it on the mountain that Jesus Christ is born!

* **THE POSTLUDE** Johnnie Hayes

* *Congregation Standing*

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP
Does Yahweh Bless and Provide?
Tonight at 6:00

WELCOME VISITORS

All who worship here enter into God's presence as family. Worship is designed to honor God and to strengthen us in our faith. We trust your experience has been a blessing and that you will join us again soon.

THOSE ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP THIS WEEK

GREETERS: Drop In Sunday School Class
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Chad & Mandy Burke
ACOLYTES: Rachel Lewis, Taylor Smith, Mia Popkin,
 Madison Murphy, Madison Spradley
ALTAR GUILD: Sally Hires, Amy Blalock, Patti Bryant,
 Kathy McCormick
VISITATION TEAM: 4

School of Discovery Meeting
Wednesday, January 27 @ 5:00 pm
Pairs & Spares Classroom

Missions Committee Meeting
Thursday, January 28 @ 7:00 pm

The Missions Committee will meet on Thursday, January 28 in the Pairs & Spares classroom. Members are encouraged to come with program ideas for 2010.

Education Committee
Tuesday, February 2 @ 6:30 pm

The Education Committee will meet on Tuesday, February 2 to plan for two events: Teacher Appreciation Sunday and Graduate Recognition Sunday. Members are encouraged to come with program ideas.

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE
Wednesday, February 17

Our Ministry of Prayer

Members: Derek Raczkowski, Evelyn Harrell, Mark Johnson, Fred Donica, Larry Collins, John Lee, Kathy McCormick, Layton Martin

Friends and Family: Laura Lynn Nichols in Haiti, Ham & Marianne Hamlet (Pam Carswell's parents), Cecil & Mary Jane Lassiter, Laura Haley (Marianne Patton's niece)

Shut-In's: Lucille Collier, Martha Gibbs, Tom James, Adele Long, Carolyn Littlefield, Ashley Madray