

First United

Methodist Church of Cookeville
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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

JULY

- 5 Staff Parish Meeting
- 8-9 UMCOR Early Response Team Training
- July 10 - 16 Youth Mission Trip to Louisville, KY

God's Grace Food Pantry

Thanks to the Society of St. Andrew and a free perishables delivery from Second Harvest. We were able to offer fresh potatoes, carrots and onions to pantry patrons this week.

If you could add any of these to your shopping cart we would appreciate it:

- ~ Pudding Mix
- ~ Household Cleaner
- ~ Baby food - meat products
- ~ Freezer pops
- ~ Carrots

NURSERY AVAILABLE FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL:

8:15 am - 12:15 pm
Children ages: Birth to 4 years

Sunday Services

Worship Service:
8:30, 10:55, and 11:00 a.m.
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
10:55 a.m. Service Broadcast on WATX-AM, 1600

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Due to a wonderful "Angel's Attic Team," and the generosity of our congregation and friends of our church, our inaugural event last Saturday (June 25th) was a smashing success! We were able to give away over 2,000 items of clothing and shoes to our neighbors.

Our next event will be on September 17th, 2011 and we are now accepting items of fall clothing, shoes, and accessories. You may leave your donations in Denna Hornby's office, Mon - Fri, 9 AM - 4 PM, or we will pick them up for you.

For more information please call CaroleAnne Johnson at (931) 432-6724 or Denna Hornby at the church office (931) 526-2177, Ext. 206.

THE ROYAL WEDDING AT JACOB'S LADDER

Here are a few more pictures we wanted to share. What did you do with your invitation to the Royal Wedding of Prince William to Kate Middleton? Since Sally Draper (bottom right), Director of Jacob's Ladder, is originally from the UK - everyone there helped her celebrate by holding their own dress-up Royal Wedding. Even Cathy Randolph (bottom left) from the Church Office joined in the fun and did a great job of impersonating royalty as the Queen Mum with her stylish hat.

Best quote of the morning: ... 2 beautiful princesses were being very competitive and we heard one say to the other: "But he's MY prince!"



By our Presence: Attendance June 26th

8:30 a.m.	1st Service	172
10:55 a.m.	2nd Service	184
11:00 a.m.	Encounter	62

By Our Gifts: Offering: June 26th

Budget Income needed for each week	\$30,385.00
Budget Income received this week	\$14,481.04
Budget Income for week Under	\$15,903.96
Budget Income to date Under	\$134,936.67
Building Fund this week	\$1,477.00

Call LuAnn at the Church office (526-2177, Ext 202) if you are interested in setting up an automatic draft for your contributions.

For updated information, visit us online at www.cookevillefumc.org

A brochure of all of our Sunday School classes is available at the Welcome Center and also in the Church Office.



CFUMC
FOUNDATION

Did you know that an

estimated 70% of all people who die do not have a Will or Living Trust? Without proper estate planning, neither your Church Foundation nor any charity can receive gifts from your estate. Be sure your estate planning is up to date. Do you know who your heirs will be? Is your Church Foundation a beneficiary of your estate?

To find out more regarding the Cookeville First United Methodist Church Foundation, call Drue Huffines, a member of our Church and the Foundation Advisory Team, at 526-3425.

Cancer

Cheryl Schaefer, John Schaefer's sister-in-law
Barbara Loan, Sue Young's daughter
Dr. Sonny Reynolds
Kayla Colson
Jason Crabtree
Cheryl Dohme
Philip McCann
Jonathon Boatwright
Scott Wolf
Charles Bruce, Linda Conley's father

Missionaries

Cherie White Family in Mexico
John Funk Family in Bolivia

Upcoming Surgery

Marlene Zulick-Bessette

Recovering

Carol Fuller
Ken Fuller
Louise Girolomo
Neva Parrish
Jim VanHattum
Rita Craighead
Irene, Jan Fritz's sister
Don Cook
Jeanette Hearn
Lavenia Williams
Ithiel Harrison
Louise Buck
Pat Birsner
Linda Burns,
Cheryl Corder's mother

Dimple Dial
Virginia Plummer

Elder Care Focus

Sparta LifeCare
Residents and Staff

Ongoing

Phyllis Holmes, Lisa Fields' mother
Mary Kay Sergent, Judy Layne's daughter
George & Alma Jean Johnson
Jimmy & Bonnie Martin, Mike & Sue Walker's son & daughter-in-law
Jack Waller, Sue Walker's father
Georgina Race, Ruth Foster's sister
Gilbert Johnson, Karla McKinney's father
Alfreda & Merrill Ford, Ann Karch's daughter & son-in-law
Mary Ann Huffines
Allan Baker & Merilee Langley & family,
Winnie Peterson's children

Charles Vaughn
Sherry Oats
Carole Ayers
Lida Canella
Carol Dysart
Mary Graceffo
Nate Griffis
Katelyn Hensely
Zora Holmes
Doris Linde
Gerene Lee
Mike Lee
Evangeline O'Kain
Donna Sieber

Other Concerns

Families touched by unemployment
Our military and their families
J.O.B.S. Ministry
GriefShare Ministry
Stephen Ministers and their Care Receivers
Jere Whitson Elementary School Ministry
The people of Japan
Those affected by the tornadoes
FUMC Costa Rica Mission Team

Our Sympathy to ...

Jessie Watts and family on the death of her niece's husband, Owen Drake.
Family and friends of Minnie Lena Mullinax.

To request prayer or to add someone to the prayer list, please use the prayer cards in the pew or call the church office.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS:

"Behind the scenes" work preparing for Tuesday distributions. Monday preparation, various food bank pick-ups.

ANGEL'S ATTIC:

Volunteers needed for sorting, organizing, pick-up, and distribution events.

MAGNOLIA PLACE:

Classroom Aids needed for new program beginning in August for mentally challenged adults. Wednesdays, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. See article at right. —>

ROOM IN THE INN :

Volunteers needed for respite program for homeless guests. Nov 1 – March 31. Inn-keepers, hosts, food service volunteers needed.

OFFICE VOLUNTEERS:

People sometimes needed to help prepare newsletter & other misc brochures for mailing. Usually Thursday mornings.

CONTACT DENNA HORNBY FOR MORE INFORMATION

931-526-2177

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR: JULY 3 - 9, 2011

Sunday, July 3

- 8:30 am Worship Service -- Sanctuary
- 9:45 am Sunday School--Classrooms
- 10:55 am Worship Service -- Sanctuary
- 11:00 am "Encounter" Worship Service -- Wesley Chapel

Monday, July 4 - Independence Day

Holiday Jacob's Ladder, Church offices, and all facilities closed

Tuesday, July 5

- 1:00 pm Staff Meeting -- B213
- 2:30 pm God's Grace Food Panty -- Basement, Wesley Chapel
- 6:00 pm Staff Parish Meeting -- B121

Wednesday, July 6

- 11:00 am Picnic & Playtime/Parents & Pre-schoolers -- Gym, B118
- 6:00 pm Fun, Food, and Fellowship -- JWH, Freeman Bldg.

Thursday, July 7

- 1:30 pm Dominos/cards -- B213
- Youth Ladies Bible Study - "So Long Insecurity," -- Poet's
- 5:30 pm Fellowship/Hospitality Committee Meeting -- B121
- 6:30 pm MAT - Music Arts Team -- Wesley Chapel

Friday, July 8

- 8:15 am Men's Breakfast -- Dipsy Doodle
- 3:00 pm UMCOR Early Response Team Training -- JWH

Saturday, July 9

- 8:00 am Continuation of UMCOR Early Response Team Training -- JWH

CALENDAR NOTE:

Magnolia Place will be closed on Tuesday, July 5th.

WEDNESDAY PROGRAM FOR MAGNOLIA PLACE

Starting August 10th, a new program for mentally challenged young adults will begin in Magnolia Place. This program is for young adults who have graduated out of their programs at Cookeville High School or TTU. Carole Rinks will be the team leader for this program. Initially, we will start with a maximum of 4 students. Students will meet on Wednesdays from 9am – 2pm and will work on activities such as: counting money, fine motor skills, cooking, shopping, music, reading, and much more.

We need several volunteers to help run the program. These would be people that are available on Wednesdays and who enjoy working one-on-one with a special needs student. We also need supplies:

- children's books, including picture and sound books
- games such as jenga, whack-a-mole, and toss across
- coloring books including color wonder
- photo albums
- digital camera

Please contact Carole Rinks at 528-0045, or Denna Hornby at 526-2177, Ext 206 for more information.

FUN, FOOD, AND FELLOWSHIP

Continuing on Wednesdays, July 6, and July 13 we will have FUN, FOOD, AND FELLOWSHIP nights. We meet from 6 - 8 p.m. in Jeff Wall Hall to enjoy a pot-luck meal - the church will provide chicken and beverage - just bring a side dish or dessert to share with others.

Once the meal is done the Fun and Fellowship continues with family games and activities in the gym. Contact Drew Shelley if you have any questions.

ATTENTION

PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS!!!

If you have a college student, please send Krislyn Durham their name, the college that they attend, their address at college, year in school, and their major so we can make sure they know what is going on and we can keep in touch with them to know how they are doing.

Email the info to Krislyn Durham at:
krislyn@cookevillefumc.org.



UMCOR EARLY RESPONSE TEAM TRAINING

TO BE HELD HERE AT COOKEVILLE FUMC

FRIDAY, JULY 8: 5:30 - 9:00 PM

CONTINUING

SATURDAY, JULY 9: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Instructors will provide training for persons who want to respond as a part of an organized Early Response Team (ERT) in the early days of a disaster through cutting trees, clearing debris, tarping roofs, and other tasks to help make damaged homes "safe, sanitary, and secure." Without proper training, even well-meaning persons can cause harm by damaging property, jeopardizing insurance/FEMA claims, and hampering the local response effort.

For more detailed information, please go to our website: www.cookevillefumc.org.

A link to Online Registration on the Tennessee Conference website is available from there.

DEADLINE TO REGISTER: JULY 6.

NEWS

FROM OUR MISSION TEAM

IN COSTA RICA

We just want everyone to know that we received a quick phone call from Denna and Max in Costa Rica. They assure us that they all made the trip without incident and everyone is fine. Aside from the difference in the environment, they are keeping very busy with the tasks that need their attention while there.

We know everyone here is anxiously waiting on their safe return. A date to show pictures and share stories will be announced in the near future.



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QUESTIONS – QUESTIONS

- HAVE YOU moved?
changed your phone number?
changed your email address?
- Do You want to help us reduce postal costs and receive the Cookeville Methodist news - letter by email link on the church website and then cancel your paper copy?
- If So please let us know so that we can update our records. We want to make it easy for you to make any changes.
- You can call the church office at 526-2177.

OR

You can send an email to Sherry in the Church Office at:
communications@cookevillefumc.org.



ATTENTION ALL LADIES!

Do you have a creative activity you enjoy? Knitting, card making, cross stitching, jewelry making, scrapbooking? Join the Mother's of Preschoolers (MOPS) for their **Fourth Annual Scrapbooking Luau, Saturday, August 13th from 9am - 8pm!** The Luau is a fundraiser to support MOPS and the monies raised usually provide the funds needed for activities throughout the entire year. The Registration fee is \$50 due by Friday, July 31st. The fee includes: breakfast, lunch, dinner, beverages, snacks, a goody bag for everyone and the opportunity to win door prizes donated by local businesses, a complimentary five-minute chair massage, a chocolate fountain, as well as vendors on hand for purchases, classes, and make and takes.

All this *and* 11 hours to create!

For additional information or to receive a registration form, e-mail Stephanie Shearer at scrapbookingluau@gmail.com.

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