

First United

Methodist Church of Cookeville

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS

JUNE

- 20 UMW Picnic -- JWH
- 25 Angel's Attic Clothing Distribution
- 27 Finance Meeting
- 28 Church Council Meeting

GOD'S GRACE FOOD PANTRY FANS NEEDED

Several families who frequent God's Grace Food Pantry have no air conditioning and have expressed the need for fans. Please contact Denna Hornby if you have fans to donate.

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

- ~ SALTINES
- ~ DISH DETERGENT
- ~ TOILET TISSUE
- ~ SWEET PEAS
- ~ INSTANT OR CANNED POTATOES

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

Phone: 931-526-2177

Fax: 931-372-9905

Email: office@cookevillefumc.org

MARY ALICE GRAN TO SERVE AS INTERIM DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We are pleased to announce Rev. Mary Alice Gran will be serving as our Interim Director of Children's Ministry. Mary Alice is a retired Deacon in the United Methodist Church. Prior to moving to Cookeville with her husband Rev. Brad Gran, she served as the Director of Children's Ministries at the General Board of Global Ministries for 16 years. Her past experience also includes Director of Children's Ministries at a 3,000 member congregation. This is a part-time position. She will begin Monday, June 13th. We welcome Mary Alice and are very grateful for her willingness to serve within our church.

Max Mayo



Saturday, June 25, 2011

10 AM - 2 PM

Church Parking Garage
(For our Food Pantry Guests)

Thank you for such a wonderful response to our call for giving to the new "Angel's Attic." We have a wonderful congregation of giving and caring people and we have been amazed at the response. At this point, though we are still accepting items of clothing for this SUMMER distribution on June 25th, we are in special need of men's and children's clothes and hangers. We will have another distribution day in the fall for which we will announce when we will accept fall/winter clothing donations.

If you would like to donate, please drop your items off in Denna Hornby's office, Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Perhaps you'd like to help serve that day. If so, please call: CaroleAnne Johnson at: (931) 432-6724 or Denna Hornby at: (931) 526-2177, Ext. 206.

Thank You for helping our neighbors here in Cookeville.

By our Presence: Attendance June 5th

8:30 a.m.	1st Service	170
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School	309
10:55 a.m.	2nd Service	179
11:00 a.m.	Encounter	70

By Our Gifts: Offering: June 5th

Budget Income needed for each week	\$30,385.00
Budget Income received this week	\$36,500.35
Budget Income for week Over	\$6,115.35
Budget Income to date Under	\$101,539.68
Building Fund this week	\$2,897.00

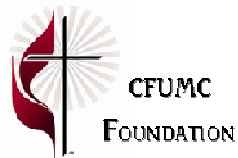
Call LuAnn at the Church office (526-2177, Ext 202) if you are interested in setting up an automatic draft for your contributions.

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.

BACKSLIDERS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Dave Thomas will be the speaker for the next Backslider Sunday School Class. He is a fellow Backslider and returning speaker. His motto will be "Hanging Out With The Sheep." Please come by for a visit and some fellowship. See YOU @ Jeff Wall Hall at 9:45 a.m.



If a special friend or relative precedes you in death, consider commemorating this individual through a memorial gift to your Church Foundation. This will show your appreciation for this treasured relationship and help the Church's ministries. An acknowledgement card will be sent to the surviving family, letting them know of your gift, without disclosing the amount.

To find out more regarding the Cookeville First United Methodist Church Foundation, call Walter Keith Crawford, a member of our Church and the Foundation Advisory Team, at 526-8098.

Cancer

Barbara Loan, Sue Young's daughter
Thelma Robbins
Dr. Sonny Reynolds
Kayla Colson
Jason Crabtree
Cheryl Dohme
Philip McCann
Jonathon Boatwright
Scott Wolf
Owen Drake, husband of Jessie Watts' niece, Kathye
Charles Bruce, Linda Conley's father

In Hospital

Dianne Lennox, Linda Lisic's mother
Kim Thompson
Louise Girolomo
Dan Smith
Tom Nixon

Elder Care Focus

Masters Healthcare
Algood
Residents and Staff

Recovering

Neva Parrish
Jim VanHattum
Rita Craighead
Irene, Jan Fritz's sister
Don Cook
Jeanette Hearn
Lavenia Williams
Mary Ann Huffines
Ithiel Harrison
Louise Buck
Pat Birsner
Linda Burns,
Cheryl Corder's mother
Dean Worley
Dimple Dial
Virginia Plummer
Paul, Ella Fletcher's brother

Missionaries

Cherie White Family in Mexico
John Funk Family in Bolivia

Wedding Blessings

Derek & Ashlee, friends of Sue & Ed McKibbon
Heather & John Fisher
Angie & Brian Griffin

Ongoing

Phyllis Holmes, Lisa Fields's mother
Mary Kay Sergent, Judy Layne's daughter
George & Alma Jean Johnson
Brandon & Carol, Emerson, and Miriam Baxter
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
Allan Baker & Merilee Langley & family, Winnie Peterson's children
Sherry Oats
Zora Holmes
Carole Ayers
Doris Linde
Lida Canella
Gerene Lee
Carol Dysart
Mike Lee
Mary Graceffo
Evangeline O'Kain
Nate Griffis
Donna Sieber
Katelyn Hensely

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.

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

FUMC TO HOST YOUTH CHOIR FROM ORANGE PARK UMC

PERFORMANCE IN SANCTUARY NEXT WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15TH - 6:30 P.M.

Next Wednesday, June 15th, it will be our honor to host the Orange Park UMC Teen's Loving Christ Student Choir as they perform in our sanctuary at 6:30 p.m. Twenty-four middle and senior high school students from Jacksonville, Florida will share a part of their music and scripture program entitled, "FREE," written & created by one of their youth around the popularity of the TV hit "GLEE" under the choir director, Dr. Mark Stallings.

Musical styles will range from sacred traditional to secular country, classic rock, to Top-10 hits. Their tour is a faith-building mission with the goals of becoming a more caring Christian community to one another and being worthy ambassadors of Jesus Christ and strong representatives of the broad ministry of their church.

Please come out to support these youth on tour as others have supported our youth while they were away from home.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR: JUNE 12-18, 2011

Sunday, June 12 - Youth Week

Tennessee Annual Conference - Brentwood

- 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
- 5:00 pm Youth Week (Grades 7-12) Sundaes @ Gaw Farm

Monday, June 13

Tennessee Annual Conference - Brentwood

- 1:00 pm Staff Meeting B213
- 5:30 pm Stephen Minister Group Supervision -- B213
- 6:00 pm Youth Week - Pool Party @ Lawrence's Home
- United Methodist Men -- Bowling's Farm

Tuesday, June 14

Tennessee Annual Conference - Brentwood

- 9:00 am Adult Daycare -- Magnolia Place
- 2:30 pm God's Grace Food Panty -- Basement, Wesley Chapel
- 5:30 pm Children's Council Meeting -- B121
- 6:00 pm Youth Week - Kickball Tourney -- Cane Creek Park
- 6:30 pm Order of St. Luke -- B213

Wednesday, June 15

Tennessee Annual Conference - Brentwood

- 11:00 am Picnic & Playtime/Parents & Pre-schoolers -- Gym, B118
- 12:00 pm Youth "Embracing the World," Bible Study -- Poet's
- 5:00 pm Youth - Dinner -- CLC, Freeman Bldg, JWH
- 7:00 pm Performance by visiting Youth Choir -- Sanctuary
- OPUMC -- See story on bottom of Page 2
- 7:30 pm Youth - Bowling

Thursday, June 16

- 1:30 pm Dominos/cards -- B213
- Youth-Ladies Bible Study "So Long Insecurity," -- Poet's
- 3:30 pm Stephen Minister Supervision, B. Tolleson -- B121
- 5:30 pm Stephen Minister Supervision, S. Tolleson -- B121
- 6:00 pm Youth Week - Messy Night -- Lake Lodge
- 6:30 pm MAT - Music Arts Team -- Wesley Chapel

Friday, June 17

- 8:15 am Men's Breakfast -- Dipsy Doodle
- 6:00 pm Youth Week - Capture the Flag/Overnight Camping
- Bowling's Farm

CALENDAR NOTE: The United Methodist Men's meeting on Monday, June 13, will be a fish fry at Kevin Bowling's farm.

SAVE THE DATE

Our church retreat will be held from Friday, September 30, to Sunday, October 1, 2011 at Beersheba Springs Assembly. This year we will have hilarious stories told by The Bear Creek Tellers. Our speaker will be Rev. Maurice Moore. It will be a weekend to rest, play, eat, and come together for spiritual growth.

Watch for a brochure in the mail. If you plan to attend, it is advisable that you reserve your room(s) NOW!

See Denna Hornby for further details.



Jere Whitson Elementary School Ministry

Throughout the year volunteers have supported Jere Whitson Elementary in a variety of ways, and some worked in specific classrooms on a weekly basis. They established warm relationships with both teachers and children. These volunteers are as follows:

Pre-K:

Rachel McCarter, Lynne Maddux

Kindergarten:

Elizabeth Hutchins, Karla Bennett

First Grade:

Carole Rinks, Denna Hornby, Tom Petty

Second Grade:

Frances Crawford, Winnie Peterson,
Lynne Maddux

Third Grade:

Patsy Yates, Nita Whitfield, Kay Greenwood,
Frances Crawford, Elinor Ross

Fourth Grade:

Debra Boles, Pat Rodgers, Larry Epps,
Hatty Gill, Jennie Ivey

Library:

Sandy Gordon

Music:

Jan Fritz

Here are a few comments from the teachers regarding the volunteers in their classrooms:

"Wonderful!"

"You are such a blessing!"

"You all are the best!"

"You are always there just when we need you the most!"

"Jere Whitson is very blessed to have the extra hands from FUMC."

"Your church helps us make a difference."

"Super!"

"They were great - reliable and helpful."

These "regulars" deserve special recognition for their faithful participation. Thanks to all!



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. There is an early registration deadline of June 24th and the fee is \$40. After that the Late 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.

Better Moms Make A Better World



United Methodist Women

MEETING LOCATION CHANGED

The United Methodist Women will hold their next general meeting on Monday, June 20th at 10:55 a.m. The program will be led by Jennie Ivey. ("Go Green" Retreat will be later on in the year.) This was originally planned to be the annual picnic at the Lake Lodge, but with the hot weather it has been relocated to Jeff Wall Hall. We will not have reports such as Minutes, Treasurer's Report, etc. -- just fun and fellowship!

Drinks and meats will be provided by UMW - bring your favorite potluck dish to share.



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Our Mission: Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

KALEIDOSCOPE MUSIC CAMP

A TECHNICOLOR PROMISE

Told through the skillful pen of Allen Pote and Carole McCann, "A Technicolor Promise" brings to life the story of Noah, his wife and sons, and the ark full of animals. The campers will spend four action packed days learning the music and drama, building the sets and props and experiencing music through instruments, movement, games, and dance.

We welcome all students who have *completed* grades 1-6 to participate in the *2011 Kaleidoscope Music Camp the week of June 27-30th*. Also, new this year is a half-day session for 4 and 5 year olds. Participants must have had their 4th birthday prior to September 30, 2010. These campers will experience all of the camp offerings in a shorter day and will be a part of the Closing Celebration on Thursday, June 30th.

The mission emphasis of Kaleidoscope Music Camp will be God's Grace Food Pantry.

Leadership for Kaleidoscope Music Camp will be provided by staff and volunteers of FUMC. For more information, please call the church office: 931-526-2177.

To insure adequate music and supplies for your child, the *registration deadline will be June 15, 2011.*

A Technicolor

Promise

