Choices, we all have them. We all make them. From the most mundane, “What should I put in my oatmeal?” To the most profound, “To what will I give my life?” We are faced with choices every-day, all day long. When it comes to our faith, we have choices to make as well. Will we choose God’s ways over our own? Will we follow God even when we are uncertain? Will we trust God to provide?

This Lenten Season we are going to look at these choices laid before us. We will examine them, discuss them and see what God’s word says.

FUMS—Dr. Seuss’ Birthday Week
Come read the week we celebrate Dr. Seuss’ birthday, March 2nd thorough March 6th. We have a variety of books available for you or you may bring one of your favorite books. Come by the school anytime between 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. We will have children eager to listen. The children would love having you in their classroom anytime. Call the school office at 243-0431 if you have any questions.

Student Ministry
1st - youth
8th - youth
15th - No Youth
18th - No Youth
22nd - youth
Guys who lunch
29th. Girls who lunch

Music Ministry
This spring, First UMC will be hosting a Wednesday Afternoon Guest Artist organ series. Come hear our fabulous guest organists play some beautiful sacred music!
- Wednesday, March 4, 1:00 p.m.: David Finch Program: Works by Boellman, Bach, Wright, Widor and more.
- Wednesday, March 18th, 1:00 p.m.: Jim Conely Program: Mendelssohn and more.

Monthly Prayer Focus
March Prayer Focus: Pray for Missions and Missionaries around the world.

Walk, Walk, Walk
Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 9:00AM to 10:00AM in Fellowship Hall. ALL activity levels. Wear comfortable clothing and tennis shoes and don’t forget your water.

First Friends/Winter Residents Hyundai Plant Trip—March 4th
First Friends will be going on a 1.5 hour tour of the Hyundai Plant in Montgomery on Wednesday, March 4th. Winter residents are invited to attend also. We will watch the process of building over 1500 cars! Our tour guide will drive us through the manufacturing plant and explain the steps involved with making a car. There is walking involved also. We will leave at 7:30 a.m. and have a picnic lunch along the way. We plan to stop at Priester’s on the way home. We have a few spots left. Please call the church office at 243-9292 to reserve your place.

Cub Scout Pack 527
Cub Scouting is fun for the whole family. In Scouting, boys and girls start with their best right now selves and grow into their very best future selves. It’s fun, hands-on learning and achievement that puts kids in the middle of the action and prepares them for today - and for life.
March 1—1st Pack mtg - Blue & Gold Banquet @5pm, Fellowship Hall
March 27-29th—Camping @ Woodland Trail
March—31st Committee Meeting

2020 Sanctuary Flower Calendar
We still have the following dates available: May 31; July 12; August 2, 16; September 13; October 25; November 8, 22, 29. If you would like to furnish an arrangement, please contact Becky Edge at Pavlic Florist at 837-6941.

Prayer/Breakfast—Wednesday mornings
Every Wednesday morning, a Prayer Group meets in the Chapel at 7:30 a.m. to pray for our Congregation and concerns, then afterwards, meet at a local restaurant for breakfast and fellowship. All are welcome to join!
March Birthdays

1- Denise Severson 15- JC Mayfield
2- Betsy Thomas 16- Lydia Goodman
3- Kathy Freeman 17- Ellen Todd
4- Karen Jones 20- Ben Hinton
Dave Worrall 22- Don Anchors
4- Sue Hamilton  Sherri Chavez
6- Buddy Barnes  Kim Duncan
Frank Butler 23- Donna Chapman
Brittany Redmon 24- Donald Dunham
8- Jason Rankin 25- Steve Arrowsmith
9- Kathy Wilsie  Craig Clemons
10- David Arrowsmith 26- Priscilla McAlister
      Jack Garrick 27- Christine Porter
      Bill McInnis 28- Carter Zorn
      Stacey Winburn 29- Clair Pratt
11- Frances Crissman 30- Carol Hayes
      Charles Rhoads 31- Charlotte Goodman
13- Mollie Parkton  Sean Lopez
14- June Walker

March Anniversaries

1- Monty and Joyce Landingham
4- Stephen and Candace Arrowsmith
11- Greg and Tina Goodman
15- James and Denise Whited
16- Kelly and Stacey Izer
17- Bill and Kathy Freeman
19- Ederick and Rachel Santiago
20- Bob and Linda Whitney
25- Jim and Caren Davis
31- Sam and Susan Weston

Important Upcoming Dates

Click **What’s Going On** link for a full list of announcements.

Mar. 1  Cub Scouts Pack Meeting/Banquet, Fellowship Hall, 5pm
Mar. 2  Staff prayer/staff meeting—Chapel/Parlor 12:00 pm
Mar. 4  First Friends—Hyundai Plant Tour, 7:30 a.m.
Mar. 4  Wed. Afternoon Guest Artist, Sanctuary—1:00 p.m.
Mar. 5  Women’s Bible Study starts “The Easter Experience” Parlor—6:00
Mar. 10  Finance Meeting, Fellowship Hall—5:00 p.m.
Mar. 10  Evangelism Meeting, Library—5:30
Mar. 16  Trustees Meeting, Parlor—5:30
Mar. 17  TLC Meeting, Parlor—10:00 am
Mar. 18  Wed. Afternoon Guest Artist, Sanctuary—1:00 p.m.
Mar. 23  Church Council Meeting,
      Chapel—6:00 p.m.
Mar. 24  Cub Scouts Camping @ Woodland Trl.
Mar. 31  Cub Scouts—Committee Meeting

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