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Sunday, August 12, 2018

11:00 a.m.

Fort Walton Beach First UMC: Prayerfully making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world by Connecting with people, Teaching God's word, and Living our faith through service.

Welcome Guests,

We hope that you feel warmly welcomed and that you experience the power and presence of God as we praise God's name, pray for God's world, and listen to God's voice together. All ages are welcome in our service! There are activity bags available for children in the narthex, located in the back of the sanctuary. A nursery is provided for children, infant to three years old. Please ask an usher if you need assistance. Please let us know if there is anything we as a church can do for you!

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Click [What's Going On](#) link for a full list of announcements.

Important Dates This Week

- Aug 12 Blessing of the Back Packs
- Aug 12 Praying for our Schools, 3:00 p.m.
- Aug 12 No Youth activities tonight
- Aug 13 Okaloosa County, first day of school
- Aug 13 UMW General Meeting, 10:00 a.m.—Parlor
- Aug 13 Trustee's meeting, Parlor—5:30 p.m.
- Aug 14 TLC Meeting, Parlor—2:00 p.m.
- Aug 15 No Youth activities tonight

Important Upcoming Dates

- Aug 20 UMW Sarah Lowery Love in Action circle, 10:00 a.m.—Parlor
- Aug 20 Administrative Board meeting, Chapel—6:00 p.m.
- Aug 21 SPRC Meeting, Parlor—6:00 p.m.
- Aug 22 Life Together Wednesday starts
- Aug 23 Mat Crocheting meeting, 10:30 a.m.—G123
- Aug 27 COM Meeting, Parlor—6:00 p.m.
- Sept 8 Church Work Day
- Sept 16 Family Fun Night, 5:00—7:30 p.m.

Mission Moments—We have a number of on-going Mission projects that would appreciate your support. If you have any of the following items you no longer use, please put them in the Donation Station in the Narthex.

Each month we will focus on one item for our Shoebox Ministry.

August Items- Big Needs! Washcloths (you can sometimes find packs of 18 for \$4.00), Soap—look for the packs of 3/\$1.00, Toys; Boys ages 5—8, Girls ages 2—4.

Plastic Grocery Bags—will be crocheted into mats for the homeless.

Yarn—will be crocheted into children's hats.

Sewing Notions— fabric, thread, buttons, embroidery thread and anything that can make a sewing kit. These donated items are used to make dresses for little girls around the world.

Pop Tops from cans and Box Tops for Education Labels—will be used to support UMW mission projects.

Opportunity Place Meal Volunteers

On the fourth Monday of each month, an individual, family, or class from FWBFUMC is responsible for preparing and taking dinner to Opportunity Place. Opportunity Place is an emergency shelter for families with children and single women. If your Sunday school class, Bible study, or group of friends would like to prepare and take a meal, please contact Denise Whited adults@fumcfwb.org, or you can sign up on the back of the connect card. The church kitchen is available for the cooking of the meal as well. *Date Available: August 27, October 22, November 26, and December 24.*

August Prayer Focus

Reach out to your prayer partner and wish them a successful back to school year and positive study habits.

Summer Clothing Donations and Eye Glasses

We are welcoming donations to help those in need of spring and summer clothing such as gently used shorts, t-shirts, jeans, flip-flops, closed toe shoes, belts, underwear and ball-caps. We are especially in need of Men's pants and shorts, sizes 32-40, and shirts sizes L, XL and XXL. We are also collecting used eye glasses, sunglasses, sunscreen, razors, toothbrushes, toothpaste, and mosquito repellants. If you are able to help, please drop off your donations in the bins outside of the Maintenance office or at the church office. Thank you for the generous donations collected thus far.

My Story, God's Glory

Come hear the testimonies of fellow church members as we begin a new worship series August 19th.

**mystory
His Glory**
Every • Story • Matters

Congregational Cares and Concerns

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*Marla Blontz
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*Denise Chipley
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*Becky Edge
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*Mazie Glover
*Jane Greene
*Helen Hayles
*Foie Hicks @
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*Billie Howell
*Ken Jones
*Annie Johnson @
*Judy Klug
*Joseph Lorenz
*Frankie Middleton @
*Gail Polomski
*Victoria Palmer
*Mary Pope
*Stephanie Prine
*Keith Quinn
*Betty Rivers
*Pat Robertson @
*Jim Robinson
*Diana Salmon
*Garlena Smith @
*Jean Smither @
*Lon and Margaret Spivey @
*Larry and Suann Thrall
*Bill Todd
*Aubrey Vaughn
*June Walker
*Violet Webster
*Kathleen Wetzel
*Gary Ziegler
*Jan Zlata
Tatum Andrews (Billie Howell)
Catherine Elizabeth (Suzi Deskins)
Gail Barber (Duane & Aurine Barber)
Elliott Brown (Joy Brown)
Peggy Burnham (Margaret Clements)
Bob & Laurie Jo Bryant (Doug Wagner)
Gloria Carter (Delores Wernet)
Jackie Chambers (Steve Chambers' mother)
Ruby Delaney (Lorenz family)
Mike Ellis (Bill Doolin)
Bobby Etheridge (Tom & Jenna Hood)
Shawn Fields (Brian & Jeffie Hage)
Mr. Gilly (Ilene Bailey)
Kathy Hebert (Margaret Clements)
Andrea Garrett Helms (Tom & Jenna Hood)
Colby Horne (Tom & Jana Hood)
Ruth Ann & John Jay (Caren Davis)
Keiko Jones (Ken Jones)

Gina Lallone (Ann-Marie Rider)
Jan Leonard (Patsy Robbins)
Carey McWhorter (Mary Pope)
Frank Melvin (Jerry Melvin)
Linda & Lyle Miller (Charles & Joan Moody)
Sharon Miller (Charles & Joan Moody)
Stephen Miller (Charles & Joan Moody)
Carolyn Moody (Charles & Joan Moody)
Michelle Moody (Charles & Joan Moody)
Nancy Morrison (Dick Nieber)
Moss family (Tom & Jenna Hood)
Mother (Sydney Rollins)
Charlie Niel (Rev. Dave Barkalow)
Art and Faye Norton (Wes Norton)
Parents (Teresa Groat)
Marla Olmos (Margaret Clements)
Fred Ousley
Joscelyn Parish & Baby Finn (Tom and Jenna Hood)
Jacque Phillips (Jim and Jacque Ifland)
Cliff Ramos (Brian & Jeffie Hage)
Harold Ramsey (Quinn's brother-in-law)
Jerry Ramsey (Kathleen Wetzel)
Clayton Redmon (Redmon & McGrail family)
Robert (Mary Hill)
Mark Rollins (Bobby Rollins)
Rod & Becky Sorrell (Jeffie & Brian Hage)
Tracy Speer (Tina Rodriguez)
Denise Stanley (Earl & Lizz Stanley)
Bailey Weisser (Larry and Suann Thrall)
Karen Wetzel (Kathleen Wetzel)
Jayme Wilson (Anne Aderholt)
Douglas Young (Kathleen Wetzel)

Unspoken Prayer Requests
Our Leaders, Military and Country
Our Law Enforcement Officers
Firefighters / First Responders

Belvedere Commons

*Mary Lou Goodman @
*Jean Kendall @
*Margaret Worrall @

Sterling House

*Sybil Fikes @

FWB Rehab. Center

*Ellen Lancaster @
*Ruby Wells @

The Meridian at Westwood

Ken Clemons
Norma Jennings (Kim Risalvato's mother)
Margaret Lisenby (Helen Hayles' mother)

Windermere Pensacola

*Gayle Young @

@ TLC Ministry
* Church member

If you wish to have a person remain on the Concerns List after one month, please notify the church office.

Happenings at Fort Walton Beach FUMC | FWBFUMC.org

Children's Ministry

The Children's Ministry needs help in the following areas for the fall:

- 2 preschool Sunday School Teachers
- 1 Wednesday night small group leader
- 2 Children's Church leaders @ 8:30 service

Materials and lessons are provided. Please see Cathy if you are interested or have any questions.

Student Ministry

There will be no Sunday night or Wednesday night Youth activities this week. We hope everyone has a great first week of school. We will resume normal youth activities on Sunday August 19th.

Rock the Universe, September 8–9

Rock the Universe sign-ups are underway! This years price is \$90.00 which includes a ticket to Universal Studios and your hotel room (does not include meals.) We will leave Saturday morning, September 8th and will return Sunday afternoon September 9th. You will need money for two lunches and one dinner. Make sure to sign up soon, as spots will begin to fill up fast. Please contact the church or visit our website at www.fwbfumc.org for more information.

Back to School Sunday/Blessing of the Back Packs

On Sunday, August 12th during the morning worship services, we want to recognize students and anyone who works within a private or public school system as teachers, teacher's aides, administrative staff, specialists, and all other support staff. Students, please bring your school back packs for "Blessing of the Back Packs." Please join us on this very special Sunday!

Praying for our Schools

We will meet on Sunday, August 12th at 3:00 in the fellowship hall to form teams to go out to each school in the county to pray over it for the children, staff, and safety of each one. If interested, please sign up on the Connect Card.

Life Together Wednesday Meal Teams

Coming Soon!! Our Life Together Wednesday meals will begin on Wednesday, August 22nd at 5PM. As we are meeting and preparing for this, we have seen a need to expand our weekly teams. Has God been laying on your heart to join Him in serving others? This is a great way to do that and work alongside your awesome church family. If you are interested and would like more information, check the box on the Connect Card and we will contact you. Thanks in advance!

Grow: How do you use your words, to tear down or to build up?

Is there someone you are angry toward and need to talk with them?

How can you show kindness, tenderheartedness, and forgiveness this week?

Pray: Pray for all those who are going back to school this week and for yourself to follow the teachings given to the church in our Scripture today.



Life Together Wednesdays

Ezra

Wednesday at 6:00PM beginning August 22 (Fellowship Hall)

No cost, bring your Bible Facilitator: Joan Smith 7 sessions

Praying Circles Around Your Children

Wednesday at 6:00PM beginning August 22 (B110)

Cost: \$10 / per person Facilitator: Rev. Dave Barkalow 7 sessions

Women's Bible Studies

Mom to Mom Bible Study

What Matters Most - A Study of Philippians by Karen Ehman

Wednesday at 9:00AM beginning August 22 (Room B110)

Cost: \$14/ per person Facilitator: Linda Whitney 7 sessions

Job by Lisa Harper

Thursday at 6:00PM beginning TBA (Room B110)

This study will last for an 1 ½ hour

Cost: \$14/ per person Facilitator: Delores Wernet 7 sessions

Men's Bible Study

Character Study - David

Thursday at 6:00PM beginning TBA (Room G123)

Cost: \$9/ per person Facilitator: Lockwood Wernet 12 sessions

Covenant Bible Study

Covenant: Creating (Module 1)

Tuesday at 10:00AM beginning September 4 (Room B110)

Cost: \$35/ per person Facilitator: Maggie Courtney 8 sessions

Wed AM and Thurs PM studies: Nursery provided (Infant to Pre-K)

Wed PM studies: Dinner at 5:00PM; Children's & Youth Bible Studies at 6:00PM;

Nursery provided (Infant to Pre-K)

Sign up for a study at FWBFUMC.org or on your connect card.

First United Methodist Church

11:00 Traditional Worship

August 12, 2018 - Twelfth Sunday in Kingdomtide - Color: Green

Gathering *I've Got Peace Like a River* C. Berry

Welcome / Announcements

Prelude *I Want to Be Where You Are* M. Hayes

Call to Worship *To Him Who Sits on the Throne* D. Graafsma

**To Him who sits on the throne and unto the Lamb...
Be blessing, and glory, and honor, and power forever.**

Words and Music by Debbye Graafsma © 1984 Integrity's Hosanna! Music ccli456495

Prayer of Invocation

Hymn *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* 1,2,4,6 No. 154

Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Greeting

Greeting Song *Come and Fill* J. Berthier

Come and fill our hearts with your peace; you alone, O Lord are holy.

Come and fill our hearts with your peace, Alleluia!

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Hymn *Lord, Speak to Me* No. 463

Receive the Bell / Blessing of the Backpacks

Response Song *Young* J. Houser

Tori, Xander, and Stephanie Wheat

Joys and Concerns

Prayers of Intercession and Prayers for the World

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory Prayer / Offering Usher

Offertory *Draw Me Close* M. Hayes

Offering Response *Doxology*

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise God, all creatures here below,
Praise God above, you heavenly hosts, Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.**

Favorite Hymns

Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:25-5:2

Sermon "Back to School" Rev. Barkalow

Hymn of Response *Take My Life and Let it Be* No. 399

Benediction

Postlude *I Will Celebrate* C. Tornquist