

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES Sunday School

Sunday School Begins Next Sunday, Sept. 10-RALLY DAY!

YOUTH



NEWS

SAVE THE DATES

Rally Day - Sept. 10
Day In Bay All-Day Retreat - Sept. 24
All Kid Worship - Oct. 1, 10:15am
YG Sunday - Oct. 8, 10am
YS Sunday - Oct. 22, 10am

CONFIRMATION DATES

Confirmation Dinner @ the Geise's-Sept. 7, 6:30pm Rally Day-Sept. 10 Confirmation Class: The Growth of Methodism, Sept. 17 Confirmation Breakfast-Sept. 24, 9am Confirmation Class: Who Wrote the Bible?-Sept. 24 All Kid Worship: Communion, Oct. 1

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP



Adult Bible Study

The Adult Bible Study class will meet on **Monday**, **Sept.11**th, in the conference room at **6pm.** We will discuss the first lesson on the 11th and then do the next two lessons on Sept. 18th in order to get caught up.

Seekers Home Group

The Seekers Home Group will be meeting at the home of John and Judy Groeneweg at **7pm on Thursday**, **Sept. 7**th. We will be discussing the first four chapters of our study book, "Founding Faith".

Upper Room Devotionals

Your Sept./Oct. issue of the Upper Room devotional booklet will be available on the tables in the narthex and lower lobby. Look for yours on Sunday, Sept. 3rd.

ALTAR FLOWERS: The altar flowers are given to thank God for his

inexpressible gifts

USHERS: Janet Gore, Sherry Hiltebrant, Jennifer Sauer,

David Thum

HEARING ENHANCEMENT DEVICES are available on the table in the Narthex. If you need one, please pick it up from the basket on the table or ask an usher for help.

Second Blessing and Coffee Hour begin after Rally Day!

WE ARE LOYAL TO BAY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH AND UPHOLD IT BY OUR PRAYERS, OUR PRESENCE, OUR GIFTS, OUR WITNESS, AND OUR SERVICE.

Worship, Aug. 30, 2017 - 99
General Fund Receipts, Aug. 30, 2017 - \$1,689.00

PROPOSED COLUMBARIUM SURVEY

Because of interest by some members of our congregation, leadership is considering a proposal for the building of a Columbarium on church grounds as a service to our members and their families. It will be a permanent structure that would be cared for and maintained by the church for generations to come. There would be no cost to the general congregation and would be financed by the purchase of individual niches (vaults).

Feedback is needed in order for leadership to make the best decision regarding this potential project. Some comments might be:

- ♦ Yes, I support the building of a Columbarium.
- ♦ Yes, I would be interested in purchasing a niche.
- ♦ No, I am opposed to building a Columbarium at BUMC.
- ♦ I neither oppose or support a Columbarium. It is up to the leadership to decide.
- ♦ I would like more information before I make a decision on this proposal.

Thank you in advance for your reply to:

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Or leave your feedback in the mail box outside the office marked IVA DAVID.



United Methodist Church

Ministry Team

Rev. Jonathan McCleery, Pastor Rollin A. Conway, Pastor Emeritus Alfred J. Hubler, Pastor Emeritus Cindy Gulley, Youth Ministry Leigh Ann Spratt, Children's

Ministry Natalie Mealey, Organist

Ronald H. Muth, Director of Music

September 3, 2017
Thirteenth Sunday After Pentecost
*Please Stand If You Are Able

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please be sure to sign the registration pads.

*FELLOWSHIP CHORUS On Eagles Wings

*Time of Greeting

INVOCATION

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PRELUDE

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Jean Liatti

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One: With open hands, **All: With open doors,**

One: The church of Jesus Christ is ready:

All: Ready to welcome us,

One: To gather us in,

All: To lift our spirits
One: And lighten our grief,

All: To double our joy

One: And deepen our awe.

All: Open hands, open arms.

One: Come in. Welcome home!

*HYMN Come, and Let Us Sweetly Join

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SCRIPTURE READING Exodus 3:1-15 P. 50, OT, Pew Bible

CHILDRENS MESSAGE

All children are encouraged to come forward to spend time with Pastor Jonathan. Afterwards, children and youth are encouraged to worship with family. THE GIFT OF MUSIC

Come My Heart and Make Thee Clean

St. Matthew's Passion by Bach

Loren Reash-Henz, Bass Mary Jones, Piano

TIME OF PRAYER

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

OFFERING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

Offertory

*Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

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Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Thanksgiving (Together)

Living God, you miraculously used the burning bush to attract the attention of Moses. Just as the bush was on fire but not destroyed, so you sustain those you call to fulfill your purposes. Thank you for responding to the needs of your people and nurturing new leaders. By your Holy Spirit, help us to trust you completely as we seek to spend our lives following Jesus, your Son. Let us be bold witnesses of your amazing power and love. We offer you these monetary gifts for the work of your church here and around the world, through Jesus Christ. Amen

SCRIPTURE READING

Ephesians 3: 14-21 P. 193, NT, Pew Bible

OUR MESSAGE Underestimated

SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

*HYMN Take My Life, and Let It Be 399

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

HARVEY RELIEF

If you are looking for a way to help with the relief effort, we are collecting monetary donations for UMCOR to benefit those affected by Hurricane Harvey. Leave your donation in the collection plate; checks payable to **BUMC** with **UMCOR/Harvey** on the memo section. There are UMCOR envelopes on the table in the Narthex or use a pew envelope, please mark **UMCOR/Harvey** on the outside. We will forward all money collected directly to UMCOR.

OUR MISSION: TO LIVE THE EXAMPLE OF JESUS CHRIST.

IN OUR PRAYERS

Family and Friend

Robert Amsdell on the death of his wife, Barbara

Jeff Ayers, recuperating at home

Jennie Geise on the death of her mother, Saundra Dolbeer

Al and Lois Hubler, (former Bay Pastor and wife). Lois recuperating at home

Donna and Jeff Sinnema on the death of Donna's mother, Jewel Davis All of our members who are looking for a job

Receiving treatment for cancer

Luke Albright, 6 year old friend of Spratt family, fighting neuroblastoma

Nancy Ashton, mother of David Ashton

Jim Bracken

GG Bray, aunt of Jennie Geise

Beth Charles, daughter of Kip, Ginny and family

David Gomersall, brother-in-law of Sandy Marusa

Alan Jones

Andrew Mills, grandson of Kathi Rayburn

Richard Nelson, brother of Candace Ashton

Linda Papania, sister of Cathy Crabtree, ovarian cancer

Louis Pena, neighbor of Larry Johnson

Tara Via, niece of Jo-Anne Marshall, diagnosed with breast cancer Sandi Willett, family of Steve Willett

Family and Friends serving in the Armed Forces

Major Ryan Christ (USMC)-Son of George and Betty Christ Lt. Jeff Guise (US NAVY)-Son of Frank and Shirley Guise

Petty Officer 1st Class James Ashenhurst (US NAVY)-Son of Virginia Simons and stepson of Steve Flynn

1st Lt. Ryan Goldney (USAF)-Friend of Bill and Sandy Zurkey

St. Eric Goldney (US ARMY)-Friend of Bill and Sandy Zurkey

Lt. Ryan Hudson (US Coast Guard, Bahrain), one year deployment on the USCGC Wrangell-Friend of the Thum Family

David DiMattia (US ARMY) -Friend of the Herbruck and MacMillan Family

The Church's AED is located on the wall next to the Display Case.



THIS WEEK AT BAY UMC SEPT. 3 - 10

Sunday (9-3) 10A-Worship

11:15A-UMW Meeting/CR

Monday (9-4) LABOR DAY-OFFICE CLOSED

7:30P-Al Anon/P

Tuesday (9-5) 7:30A-ToastMasters/P

1:15P-Al Anon/P

Wednesday (9-6) 10A-Staff Meeting

6P-Choir PotLuck Dinner (SEE BELOW)

7P-Boy Scouts

Thursday (9-7) 9:30A-Pre School Gym/FH

1:30P-Pre School Gym/FH

6:30P-Confirmation Dinner at

Geise Residence

7:30P-AA/P

Friday (9-8) 9A-In Spirit Prayer Group/P

7P-AA/FH

Sunday (9-10) 10A-Worship/Sunday School

PICTURES NEEDED WEB UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Our website is under construction. Pictures are needed to bring it to life.

Rally Day, Pageants, Fellowship, Mission, Worship, Home Groups, Choir, Get Togethers, VBS, Cantatas, Baptisms, Weddings, Etc. Etc. Etc.

Any JPEG or PNG pictures you may have that tell the story of our church family. Please be sure that all people in the picture have agreed to be posted!

Please send to Cindy Gulley: youthministry@bayumc.org



Choir Potluck Wednesday, Sept. 6, 6pm

A celebration of our newly remodeled music room will be held featuring a potluck dinner and our first Chancel Choir rehearsal of the fall season.

New choir members are welcome. Please bring an appetizer, salad or dessert to share. Ann's world famous 22 cheese and chicken lasagna will be the featured entrée. You don't want to miss it!