

Worship OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday, June 12

4th Sunday after Pentecost

Worship Times

8:30 & 11 AM – Nave

Rev. David Graves

Choosing a Life in Christ

Matthew 15:1-12

Wednesday, June 15

Midweek Communion Service

Noon - Chapel

Rev. Barbara Clark

Lunch will be served afterwards in Parish Hall. Call 524-3048 to make a meal reservation.

Thursday, June 16

Recovery Downtown

6:30 PM - Chapel

Rev. Tim Kobler

Hunger Helper Market

Open Every Sunday

8-11 a.m.

in the Breezeway

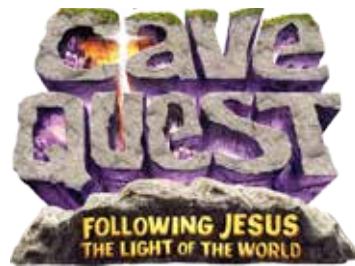
Learn More About General Conference This Sunday

On Sunday, June 12, at 3 p.m. in Parish Hall, Rev. Graves, along with several Holston Conference Delegation members, will share about the recent General Conference in Portland, Oregon. This will be a regional presentation so that others may be informed. We will also hear about the upcoming Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference (July 13-15) at Lake Junaluska, NC, where the election of bishops will take place. As a part of our time on June 12, you will be given an opportunity to offer a gift in support of Rev. Graves, Holston Nominee for bishop, to help in the expenses of this process. If you cannot be present on June 12 and would like to make a contribution (non-tax-deductible) you may send a check to the church office, payable to David Graves.

From our recent General Conference, we will have several discussions as we anticipate the Commission Report of our Bishops about human sexuality matters as a way forward for our United Methodist Church. There is the possibility of a called General Conference in the next two or three years to decide how we proceed.

Last Call for Vacation Bible School Registration

This year's Vacation Bible School begins next week, but it's not too late to sign up. VBS will be held on June 13-16, from 5:15-7:45 p.m. At Cave Quest VBS, children will learn to look for



evidence of God all around them. Cave Quest VBS offers Bible-learning activities, special songs, teamwork-building games and yummy treats. Register online today at the link provided in the Messenger e-mail or on the church website. We hope to see you there!

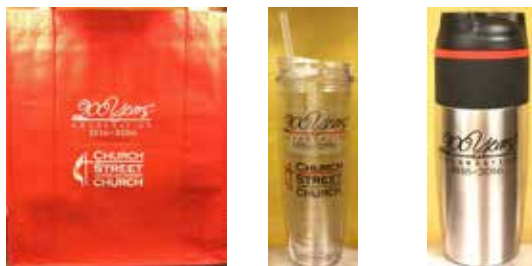


Discover Church Street

The next Discover Church Street class for prospective members will take place on Sunday, June 26, at 4 p.m. in room 120 of the Church Life Center. This one-time class, for persons who have been visiting our church and want to know more, is led by our clergy staff. The session includes information about the beliefs and practices of The United Methodist Church, the mission and ministry of Church Street and how one can become involved. A complimentary dinner, a full building tour and a question/answer time are included in this fun opportunity. If you would like more information, please contact Rev. Rick Isbell, Minister of Discipleship at 521-0266 or risbell@churchstreetumc.org.

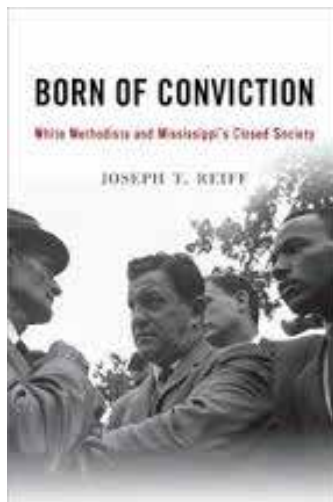
Happy 200th Anniversary, Church Street!

Special Bicentennial items are available for us to help share the news about our year of celebration! Find these CSUMC branded items pictured below (and more!) next to the Hunger Helper tables this week. All proceeds support the Music Ministry. Enjoy using these items and spreading the word about our 200th anniversary.



Summer Elective Series

The Education Committee is happy to announce the summer adult elective series this year. Dr. Joe Reiff, Professor of Religion and Chair of the Religion Department at Emory & Henry College will present a four-week series on his new book, *Born of Conviction*, which shares the story of 28 white Methodist preachers who signed the document offered as an alternative witness to the segregationist party line in 1963. Dr. Reiff's lectures will take place in Parish Hall on July 10, 17, 24 and 31. His book, *Born of Conviction*, is for sale at the church for \$20 so you can purchase it prior to the lectures.



Partners Class invites others to study world religions

The Partners Sunday School class invites other classes to join them during June to study Adam Hamilton's series on world religions. This video-based study will include a presentation by Adam Hamilton followed by class discussion. If you have ever wondered about what other major world religions believe, this is a great opportunity to find out. The Partners Class meets in the church parlor each Sunday. Maybe you are looking for a change of pace during the summer months and this might just be the opportunity! Please call Pat Rule if you might be interested, 414-5430.

Church Street UMC Calendar: June 12-18

Worship

Morning Worship
Sunday, 8:30 & 11 am, Nave
Rejoice! TV Broadcast
Sunday, 8:30 am (WVLT-TV)
Sunday, 2 pm, MyVLT
Midweek Communion
Wed., noon, Chapel
Recovery Downtown
Thursday, 6:30 pm, Chapel

Children

Vacation Bible School Kick-off
Sunday, 4 pm, Gym
Vacation Bible School
Mon.-Thurs., 5:15 pm, Parish Hall

Personal & Spiritual Growth

Men's Bible Study
Tuesday, 10 am, rm 202

Leisure Activities & Fellowship

Bridge
Monday, 6 pm, CLC 124
Yoga
Monday, 7 pm, rm 204

Beacon of Hope

Getting Ahead Class
Monday, 11 am
Benevolence Team
Tuesday, noon
Getting Ahead Class
Wednesday, 11 am
Food Co-op
Thursday, 10 am

Singles

Line Dance Lessons
Thursday, 7 pm, Gym
Game Night
Friday, 6:30 pm, CLC 120

UMW

Circle #6
Monday, 1:30 pm, rm 103
Circle #7
Tuesday, 10 am, rm 204
Circles #4 & #10
Tuesday, 10 am, CLC 14
Circle #12
Tuesday, 10:30 am, off-site
Circle #8
Tuesday, 1:15 pm, rm 201-A
Book Review
Wed., 1:30 pm, rm 103
Izzy's Girls
Thursday, 7 pm, off-site

Meetings & Ministry

Hunger Helper Market & 200th Anniversary Items
Sunday, 8 am, Breezeway
Stephen Ministry
Sunday, 1:30 pm, rm 201-A
General Conference Presentation
Sunday, 3 pm, Parish Hall
Benevolence Team
Monday, Noon, CLC 127
Safety & Security Committee
Wed., 6 pm, rm 201-A
Missions Committee
Wed., 6 pm, rm 204
Soup Kitchen
Thursday, 11 am, Parish Hall

Lectionary READINGS

June 12
1 Kings 21:1-21a
Psalm 5:1-8
Galatians 2:15-21
Luke 7:36-8:3

June 19
1 Kings 19:1-15a
Psalm 42
Galatians 3:23-29
Luke 8:26-39

Bicentennial Sunday School Speakers

During 2016 the Bicentennial Committee has put together a great group of speakers who are available to come to your adult class upon invitation and speak on a variety of topics about Church Street's history. Listed below are the speakers, their contact information and their particular topics. It is up to each class to contact whom they would like to invite and when during the rest of the year. Some classes may consider combining to hear the speaker.

- Allison Ensor has been a member since 1965 and has sung in the Parish Adult Choir since that time. His available lessons are: the development of the music program since the 1960's including consideration, information of choirs, directors, organ, organists, the Master Arts Series and our hymnal. Contact: aensor@utk.edu or 865-584-3396
- Steve Roberts has been a member and in the Parables Class for 32 years and has held various leadership positions. Both of his children grew up at Church Street and were very active. He can speak about the 1928 fire that destroyed the church at its Church Street location. Contact: sroberts1201@comcast.net or 865-256-5597.
- Dwight Wade has been a member for 23 years and is the current chair of the History & Records Committee. He is also working on a book on Church Street history. His two lessons are: (1) Early Methodism in America 1771-1816 which begins with John Wesley, Thomas Coke and Francis Asbury and includes early circuit riders in the Holston Conference; and (2) The Methodist Church in Knoxville 1816-1860

which includes White's Chapel, move to first church on Church Street, the split of 1844 and pre-civil war tensions within The Methodist Church. Contact: drwade2@comcast.net or 865-524-5656.

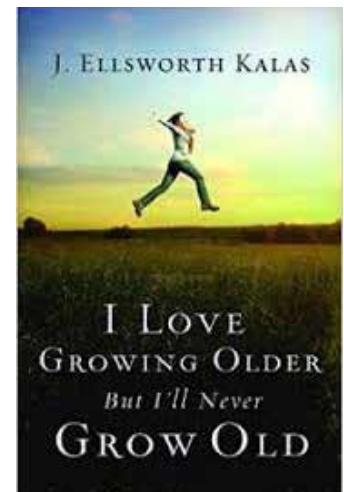
- David Walker has been a member for 40 years and has taught in adult, youth and children's classes. He also taught a previous session in Parish Hall for all adult classes on the history of Church Street. He can teach 1-2 weeks on Church Street during the Civil War and Reconstruction. Contact: david@martinprinting.net or 865-690-3161.

We want to thank these individuals and the Bicentennial Committee for making these informative lessons available to all adult classes.



UMW Book Review

Please join us for our next UMW book club. We will gather in Cox Parlor on Wednesday, June 15, at 1:30 p.m. to hear Verna McLain review the book *I Love Growing Older but I'll Never Grow Old* by J. Ellsworth Kalas. We hope you will join us. All are welcome and you do not need to have read the book to participate.



Save the Date to Celebrate

Join us on Sunday, June 26, for an evening of fun & fellowship as we celebrate 200 years of Church Street with a summer picnic. More details coming soon!

Stewardship

We will be loyal to the United Methodist Church and support it with our prayers, presence, gifts, service and witness.

Our Prayers

In the hospital:

UT: Jennie Poynter

Ft. Sanders: Frances McConnell

Home from the hospital:

Brad Thompson

Our Presence

Sunday Worship	828
Sunday School	385

Our Gifts (5/29)

Received toward budget	\$32,343.75
Capital Campaign	
Contributions	\$63,641.11
Other	\$6,004.34
Hunger Helper	\$161

Drivers Needed

Our Golf Cart Ministry needs immediate support on Sunday mornings from 10 a.m. to Noon! If you are at least 25 years old, and are willing to complete a simple driving test with an experienced driver on our parking lots, please consider contacting Rick Isbell at 521-0266. Golf carts are an essential piece of our Welcome Ministry; and with our Hill Street lot currently under repair, improved accessibility is critical.



Our Church Family

Baptism:

Calloway "Cal" Lyle Harris, son of Andy and Sarah Harris, was baptized on Sunday, June 5, at the 11 a.m. service.

Altar Flowers

June 12

The Chancel Altar flowers are given in honor of the wedding of Caroline Carver and Luke Russell on June 11.

The flowers in the Narthex are from the wedding of Mary Kirby Bell and David Scott Collins on June 10. They are given in memory of the bride's father, Thomas Burns Wynegar and the groom's father, Harry Scott Collins.



Donate and Serve: Hunger Helper Market

The Hunger Helper Market is underway for 2016 and will continue through Sunday, September 11. You can help by donating baked goods, plants or bulbs from your yard, or surplus garden harvests. Baked goods such as cookies, cupcakes, and pies are huge hits! Volunteers are needed each Sunday from 8 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. (two volunteers) and 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. (three volunteers). All proceeds from the Hunger Helper Market benefit Wesley House, Beacon of Hope's Food Co-Op, and Church Street's Sharing Shop.

Contact Us

Church Office (865) 524-3048
Hours: Mon.-Fri., 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Fax number (865) 521-0288
Pastor On-Call Number (865) 320-9100

For emergencies, call the On-Call Number and the pastor on call will answer or you may leave a message and the pastor will return your call.

On the Web:

www.churchstreetumc.org
Watch Rejoice! on our web site.
Follow us on Twitter and Facebook.

Staff Directory

Dial 521-0 + extension

Senior Pastor	David Graves-260
Associate Pastor	Matt Hampton-279
Associate Pastor	Barbara Clark-263
Associate Pastor	Nicole Krewson-298
Minister of Spiritual	
Enrichment	Jan Wade-264
Minister of Discipleship	Rick Isbell-266
Director of Music Ministries	Tim Ward-276
Music Associate/Organist	Edie Johnson-277
Children's Director	Katryn McKinney-282
Child Care Coordinator	Sarah Burtch-290
Youth/College Ministries	Jenny Cross-287
Preschool Director	Beth Libby-524-3511
Church Administrator	Kate Spencer-268
Bookkeeper	Francine Jenne-267
Communications Director	Caroline Lamar-299
Administrative Assistant	Kelly Woods-262
Ministers' Secretary Emerita	Loretta Best-280
Executive Secretary	Doris Lively-271
Receptionist	Brenda Flenniken-270
Food Services	Mike Weatherly-273
Part-time Secretary	-278
Sterchi Lodge Caretaker	Essie Burgin
Building Superintendent	Walt Sands-295
Maintenance	Keith Bailey
Head Custodian	-274
Custodians:	
	Jeffery Rose,
	Gerald Ferguson, Lee West, Ruth Dalton
Beacon of Hope	Dona McConnell 599-5047



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