

## Worship OPPORTUNITIES

### Sunday, July 24

10th Sunday after Pentecost

#### Worship Times

8:30 & 11 AM – Nave

Rev. Matt Hampton

*Fortunate Misfortune*

Luke 11:1-13

### Wednesday, July 28

#### 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, July 29

#### Recovery Downtown

6:30 PM -Chapel

Rev. Matt Hampton

### Save the Date

The Bicentennial Committee  
presents

#### Coming Home

Sunday, September 18

Combined Worship at 10:30 a.m.

Lunch at Noon

## Rev. David Graves Elected Bishop

On Wednesday, July 13, at the Southeastern Jurisdictional Conference held in Lake Junaluska, NC, our senior pastor, Rev. David Graves, was elected on the fourth ballot as a bishop of the United Methodist Church. We rejoice with David & Nancy as they begin



this exciting new part of their ministry. David has been assigned to the Alabama-West Florida Conference and will begin there on September 1. If you would like to make a donation in honor of David & Nancy, please give to the Soup Kitchen or Benevolence Ministry here at Church Street. **From Staff-Parish Relations:** The Staff-Parish Relations Committee congratulates David Graves on his election as a Bishop in the UMC. It has

been a pleasure working with him over the past year. SPRC will be in communication with Bishop Taylor concerning the transition in leadership at Church Street. In the meantime, we are confident that the congregation remains well served by our talented associate pastors and the whole staff.

## Missions Committee Sponsors School Supply Drive

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a School Supply Drive for the students served by Beacon of Hope. Please bring any of the items listed below to the Breezeway on Sundays, July 24, and 31, between 8:30 and 11 a.m. Let's help these students get off to a great start this school year! **Student Items:** # 2 Pencils (Teachers prefer Dixon Ticonderoga), Box of 24 Ct Crayola Crayons, Glue Sticks, Wide Ruled Loose leaf Notebook Paper, Composition Notebooks, Wide Ruled Spiral notebooks, 2 pk Cap Erasers and/or pink erasers, Scissors, Dry Erase markers (black) **Teacher Wish List:** Paper Towels, Hand Sanitizer, Kleenex, Clorox Wipes, Ziplock Bags (any size)

## Summer Elective Series Continues

This Sunday at 9:40 a.m. in Parish Hall, Dr. Joseph T. Reiff will continue his lecture series on his current book, *Born of Conviction*, published by Oxford University Press. He currently is Professor of Religion and Chair of the Religion Dept., Emory & Henry College. *Born of Conviction: White Methodists and Mississippi's Closed Society* is the story of the 28 white Methodist pastors who signed and published the "Born of Conviction" document in the Mississippi Methodist Advocate in January, 1963.

**July 24:** "What Became of the 28" will focus on what happened to the signers of the statement.

**July 31:** "Born of Conviction: Memory & Legacy" will focus on assessing what the statement actually accomplished.

## Sign Up Now for Camp Hogwarts

Join us August 2 & 3 as kids with a love of the books, movies, or the world of Harry Potter are invited to attend Camp Hogwarts. The camp extends from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and includes assembly in the Great Hall, Hogwarts-inspired classes, a magical lunch, and afternoon activities of crafts, music and recreation. The



camp is for children who have completed kindergarten through fifth grade and are Harry Potter fans. The cost of the camp is \$30 per child. Register now online at [www.churchstreetumc.org](http://www.churchstreetumc.org). Contact children's director Katryn McKinney for more information at [kmckinney@churchstreetumc.org](mailto:kmckinney@churchstreetumc.org).

## UMW Book Review

Please join us for our next UMW book club. We will gather in Cox Parlor on Wednesday, July 20, at 1:30 p.m. to hear Susan Dominick review the book *Coffee, Tea, and Holy Water* by Amanda Hudson. We hope you will join us. All are welcome and you do not need to have read the book to participate.

## Pathfinders Plan Fall Trip

Members of the Pathfinders Sunday School class are planning a bus trip to Charleston, SC, Savannah, Ga. and St. Augustine, Fl., departing on Monday, Sept. 12, and returning on Saturday, Sept. 17. Some of the activities planned include touring Charleston and visiting Ft. Sumter and other historical points of interest, touring Savannah and enjoying a riverboat dinner cruise along the Savannah River. While in St. Augustine we will tour the old city, using a trolley, and visiting other points of interest. Total cost (plus meals) will be approx. \$795 (single person-double motel occupancy), \$1,135 (single person-single occupancy) or \$1,585 per couple. At the present time, there are remaining spaces available. If interested, contact Bill Roberts at 694-5071 or 771-2906.

## Marriage Enrichment Retreat

You and your spouse are invited to a two-day marriage enrichment retreat at Church Street coming up in August. Couples of all ages and all stages of marriage are encouraged to participate. Throughout the weekend you can invest in your marriage relationship in an enjoyable and comfortable setting with other couple friends.

The retreat begins on Friday, August 19, with dinner at 6 p.m. and continues on Saturday, August 20, from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. The cost is \$35 per couple and includes two meals. Childcare is available at no cost. Call 524-3048 or e-mail [reservations@churchstreetumc.org](mailto:reservations@churchstreetumc.org) to sign up.



## Church Street Calendar: July 24-30

### 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

### Sunday School 9:40 AM

### Beacon of Hope

Getting Ahead Class  
Monday, 11 am  
Benevolence Team  
Tuesday, noon  
Getting Ahead Class  
Wednesday, 11 am  
Sharing Shop  
Thursday, 10 am

### Meetings & Ministry

Hunger Helper Market  
Sunday, 8 am, Breezeway  
Benevolence Team  
Monday, noon, CLC 127  
Records & History  
Monday, 5:30 pm, rm 201-C  
Singles Council  
Monday, 6 pm, rm 119  
Outreach & Welcome  
Monday, 7 pm, off-site  
Church Council  
Tuesday, 6:30 pm, CLC 120  
Building Committee  
Wed., 5:30 pm, rm 201-A  
Soup Kitchen  
Thursday, 11 am, Parish Hall

### Singles

Volleyball  
Wed., 6:30-9 pm, Gym  
Line Dance Lessons  
Thursday, 7 pm, Gym

### Leisure Activities & Fellowship

Bridge  
Monday, 6 pm, CLC 120  
Yoga  
Monday, 7 pm, rm 204  
Men's Basketball  
Tuesday, 6 pm, Gym  
Wednesday Lunch  
Wed., 12:30 pm, Parish Hall

### UMW

Service Circle  
Tuesday, 10 am, Parish Hall

### Personal & Spiritual Growth

Women's Bible Study  
Monday, 6:30 pm, rm 201-A  
Pastor's Bible Study  
Wed., 7 pm, rm 202



### Lectionary READINGS

**July 24**  
Hosea 1:2-10  
Psalm 85  
Colossians 2:6-19  
Luke 11:1-13

**July 31**  
Hosea 1:2-10  
Psalm 85  
Colossians 2:6-19  
Luke 11:1-13

## Reflections

*-Bishop David Graves*

Over the last week, my life has taken a major shift. On July 10, I arrived at Lake Junaluska as your Senior Pastor and returned this past Sunday elected as a Bishop in the United Methodist Church. What does all of this mean? It means that on Friday, July 15, I was consecrated as a Bishop, lost my membership in the Holston Conference, and my appointment as your pastor.



Effective September 1, Nancy and I will be in Montgomery, Alabama where I will serve as the Episcopal Leader for the Alabama/West Florida Conference. We are so excited for this opportunity, but it is hard leaving you who have loved and supported us this past year. Church Street is a great church with such a wonderful future in front of it.

I will pack up my office this week and spend the next few weeks preparing to move. Nancy will be winding down her job at the Maryville City Schools System. Since I am no longer appointed here, I am not to have any pastoral responsibilities, and this part is kind of tough on all of us, especially the staff. You have a great staff. They will do an amazing job until a new Senior Pastor is appointed. Your Bishop, Mary Virginia Taylor, and District Superintendent, Nathan Malone, will be working with the Staff-Parish Relations Committee to name and appoint a new Senior Pastor. An announcement should be coming in the near future.

Please be in a spirit of prayer for all concerned as an abrupt change in leadership is never easy.

Last week was surreal for my family. To be elected second on the 4th ballot was a huge honor. I have received hundreds of texts and emails. The multi-media posts are in the thousands which is overwhelming. I feel like the most blessed person in the world. We prayed for God's will, and I feel that God's will has been done. So it is all good.

My last Sunday to be with you is July 31, at both morning worship services. I look forward to preaching and greeting you following the services. There are lots of emotions right now, but I live knowing that the best is yet to come!

Thank you beautiful Church Street people!

In Christ,  
David

## Jack Neely Lectures Begin August 1

Join us this August as the Bicentennial Committee presents local author and historian Jack Neely who will share a four-week lecture series on the history of Knoxville. The lectures will be held in the Nave on Sundays, August 7, 14, 21, and 28, from 2:30-3:30 p.m. We hope you will join us for these free events.

- August 7- Architecture
- August 14-Literature
- August 21- Immigration
- August 28- Music

## UMW news

We hope you will join us in Parish Hall on Tuesday, August 9, for the UMW Picnic. Everyone is invited to the potluck dinner that starts at 6 p.m. in Parish Hall. Please bring your favorite potluck dish to room 118 by 5:50 p.m. After the meal, David Walker will present our program as he shares about the history of the United Methodist Women at Church Street. We hope you will join us for this summer tradition as we continue celebrating 200 years as a worshipping congregation.

## WESLEY house

The 11th Annual Wesley House Friends and Donors Breakfast will be held on Friday, July 29, at Middlebrook Pike United Methodist Church. Doors will open at 6:45 a.m. with the program beginning at 7:30 a.m. and concluding by 8:30 a.m. This fun event is a great way to learn more about the ministry of and happenings at Wesley House.

There is no cost for attending the breakfast, but they do ask for reservations by contacting Ryan Parker at the Wesley House by calling 524-5494.

## MUSIC news

We invite you to be a part of the Come & Sing Choir. All singers are welcome to "Come and Sing" at the 8:30 a.m. worship service on Sundays, August 7 & 14. Please meet in the choir loft at 8 a.m. for a brief rehearsal with Tim & Edie. We will not wear robes so dress appropriately.

## BEACON of hope

Beacon of Hope (BOH) needs lunchtime meals for its Getting Ahead class, held on Mondays and Wednesdays. You may prepare the meal and bring it to Vestal or make a monetary donation and BOH will buy the food. BOH is also grateful for nursery volunteers during the class. Call 599-5047 for details.

## 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: Drew Gentry

#### Christian Sympathy:

To Drew Spalvins, on the death of her husband, Karl Spalvins, on July 14.

To the family of Louise Zirkle on her death on July 16.

To Marion Bloomer on the death of her brother, J. Findley Robbins, Jr., on July 14.

The family of Weems Foster on his death on July 18.

Linda Smith on the death of her father, John Trundle, on July 18.

### Our Presence

Sunday Worship	563
Sunday School	266

### Our Gifts (7/10)

Received toward budget	\$59,506.10
Capital Campaign	
Contributions	\$8,137.77
Other	\$11,470
Hunger Helper	\$157.24

## Altar Flowers

July 24

The Chancel Altar flowers are given in loving memory of Emmett Hubbard by Ella Mae Hubbard.

The Chapel Altar flowers are given by Mae Swanner in memory of her parents.



*In Memoriam*

**Weems Foster**

Joined: 6/11/1961 Died: 7/18/2016

*In Memoriam*

**Louise Zirkle**

Joined: 7/15/1950 Died: 7/16/2016

## Our Church Family

Birth:

**Easton Kate Beeler**, daughter of Patrick and Mandie Beeler, was born July 9.

## Honorariums

*In Honor of:*

- **Rev. Cabel Trent**

Soup Kitchen: Dr. Martha Jane Smith Fallis

- **Soup Kitchen Workers**

Soup Kitchen: Barbara Shipley

## Memorials

*In Memory of:*

- **Frank Bell**

Soup Kitchen: Nancy Banks

Soup Kitchen: Carol Trevathan

Soup Kitchen: Mary Crone

- **Patricia (Carol) Black**

Memorial: C. Lowry & Helen B. Holt

Accessibility Fund: Ed & Valerie Nicholson

Capital Campaign: Bill & Jane Dempster

Capital Campaign: Joanna M. Montgomery

- **Velma Howell**

Capital Campaign: Dave & Betty Craig

Music Ministry: Marilyn Ivey

Capital Campaign: Bill & Sandra Roberts

Soup Kitchen: Dan & Julia Kelley

Capital Campaign: Frank & Elaine Ralston

- **Bennett Horton**

Capital Campaign: Bill & Sandra Roberts

Memorial: Carolyn Busby

Soup Kitchen: Frank & Elaine Ralston

Soup Kitchen: Theresa B. Wright

- **Janice Kidd Kennedy**

Capital Campaign: Dave & Betty Craig

Music Ministry: Marilyn Ivey

Capital Campaign: Frank & Elaine Ralston

- **George Legg**

Capital Campaign: Bill & Sandra Roberts

Capital Campaign: Barbara Collins

- **Ralph & Jane Smith**

Sterchi Lodge: Dr. Martha Jane Smith Fallis

- **Bud Stowers**

Memorial: H. E. & Anna Christenberry, III

Memorial: Bill & Jane Dempster

Memorial: William H. Gardner

- **Brian Trammell**

Soup Kitchen: Sue Hung

Memorial Garden: Rick & JoAnn Armbrister

- **Larry Winters**

Soup Kitchen: Sue Hung

Capital Campaign: Bill & Sandra Roberts

Soup Kitchen: Barbara Collins

Memorial: Paula Landreth

## Contact Us

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## Staff Directory

Dial 521-0 + extension

Senior Pastor	–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	Eileen Weber–278
Sterchi Lodge Caretaker	Essie Burgin
Building Superintendent	Walt Sands–295
Maintenance	Keith Bailey
Head Custodian	–274
Custodians:	
	Jeffery Rose, Jacob Lively, Jason Smith
	Lee West, Ruth Dalton
Beacon of Hope	Dona McConnell 599-5047



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