



WESLEY MEMORIAL UMC UPDATE ON ACTIVITIES & PRAYER CONCERNS September 5, 2018

On Sunday, September 9, we will celebrate **Grandparents' Day!** Invite your grandparents, your grandchildren, and all the family for this special worship service followed by a potluck lunch in the gym. If you plan to attend, please sign up on the sheet hanging on the bulletin board outside the office with the dish you plan to bring. The Church will provide chicken and drinks. This will be lots of fun for the whole family!

Sip&Seek Coffee Bible Study will begin their Fall discussions on Thursday, September 6th by studying "A Woman's Heart: God's Dwelling Place" by Beth Moore. This group meets every Thursday from 10-12noon to discuss guided weekly study questions, pray, serve and fellowship. Everyone is invited to join us as we open our hearts for what God has to teach us as a group and as individuals. For more info, contact Jane Newman at cre8dzins@gmail.com

The **Sisters will start a new Bible study**, "Psalm 23, The Shepherd With Me" on Monday, Sept 10. In this 7-session study by Jennifer Rothschild, we will gain fresh insight and encouragement from Psalm 23. Explore the depths of God's compassionate care while debunking the self-reliance myth. Learn how your vulnerability is not a liability because you can trust the Shepherd's goodness throughout each season of life. Please see Pam Varnell if you are interested in participating in this study.

We will have a **church work day** on Saturday, September 15, beginning at 9:30am. The primary project of the day will be to paint the Fellowship Room, but other small projects will also be happening. Please make plans to spend some time giving back to the church as we work to be good stewards of our great facilities!

A new **Financial Peace University class** will be held on Sunday afternoons beginning September 23. If you or someone you know could benefit from Dave Ramsey's proven strategies to get out of debt, make sure to check out this class and get registered. More information can be found on the church website, or by speaking with Suzanne Rogers.

A Meeting of the **Staff Parish Relations Committee** is scheduled for Wednesday, September 26th at 6:00pm in the Bishop Hunt Room.

At the end of September, we will be **collecting shoes for foster children through the Mattress Firm Foster Children Shoe Drive**. Please begin gathering new shoes of all sizes (and keep in mind that most schools require close-toed shoes). We will gather during the Sunday School hour on September 30 to collect the shoes and join together in a time of prayer and devotion.

The HOPE Sunday School Class is currently studying the book of Exodus with the goal of "Looking for Jesus in Exodus." We are discussing the book verse by verse to learn what Jesus meant by "...And beginning with Moses and all the Prophets, he explained to them what was said in all the scriptures concerning himself..." (Luke 24:13-35). Everyone is welcome to join in this quest. The HOPE Class meets in the library beginning at 9:30am.

WiFi is available throughout the building. Login information is posted on the bulletin board in the hallway across from the church office.

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Current Prayer Concerns:

Ginger Jordan, Judy Phillips (Friend of the Blabons), Bishop Mary Virginia Taylor, Deane Barker, Tom Steffner, Janice Coleman, Fred Thomas (Friend of Pam Brooks), Joyce (friend of Ken Levi), Nikki Murdock (Sister-in-law of Martha Blabon), Satori Price (Friend of the Blabons), Steve & Susan Cox (Uncle & Aunt of Pastor Clair), Shellie Thorne (Friend of Karen Mansfield), Gail Hathaway (Sister of Joy Billings)

*We extend our Christian love and sympathy to
Joy Billings and family at the loss of **Dennis Billings**.*



ATTENDANCE & OFFERING

September 2, 2018

Morning Worship	56
Sunday School	33
Offering	\$ 16,075.00