

Looking Ahead

05/24 - Offering Counters - Owen Parks and David Parker

05/31 - Offering Counters - Wahnee Stallings and Millie Burnham

05/24-05/31 - UMM 8 am breakfast and Bible study.

05/25 - Aerobics Walking Class will not meet, will meet again Weds & Fri.

Weds. 05/27 - **Short Choir Practice after Becky Harrell's presentation.**

Weds. 05/27 - Becky Harrell our Missionary to Chile will present a PowerPoint on her Ministries. At 6:00 pm in the Sanctuary.

Weds. 06/03 - Movie Night 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm!



Happy Belated Birthday to Nancy Jackson (May 14th)

Announcements

Office hours for Pastor Robin are Mon. thru Thurs. 9 am to 12:00, or call the parsonage anytime day or night, leave a message and your call will be returned.

"Mission San Saba", it is that time of year again, to give your time and energy to work on a house in San Saba. The address this year is 403 N. 8th St. They will start a little demolition on Sunday June 7th, but they will really start working on Monday morning June 8th and finish Sat. June 13th. Breakfast will be at **The Father's House at 7:00 am, lunch 12:30 and supper 6:30, (all meals at The Father's House)**. Donna Blossman said they would love to have everyone come out to help, she said come an hour, a day or stay all week. If any group would like to prepare a meal, or donate anything call Amanda Brand 325-205-0708.

The Wesley Nurse does not have an office in the Courthouse this was a misprint in **the paper. The Wesley Nurse's (Kaye Clancey) office is located at the back of the Sanctuary.** Please call ahead for an appt 372-3149.

Prayer Concern

Landon and Lyle Yarbrough and Fam., Trish and Henry Warren and Fam., Daniel Smith, Kolby Reavis, Kaye and Doug Clancey and Fam., Peter Hald, Howard and **Sherry Reddick, Jeck White, Sonya (Ted Red's daughter), Michael Pullen and Fam,** Jeannette Toole, Johnnie Thornton, Pete and Sue Hemenway, Mark Owens, Elaine Lansford & husband John, Dr. John and Pamela Bannister, Natalie Yu and Fam., James & Pat Reavis, Jean Miller, Jason, Jana and Seth Teague, Patrick Francis Gates, Nick Stripling, Mitchell, Johna and Matthew Moss,

In Our Military

(Alex Dove, Eric Booker, Matthew Barrier, Cory Clendennen, Andy Smith)

Please Remember to Pray for Our Troops, All Our Military Men and Women, Our Nation, Our Church.

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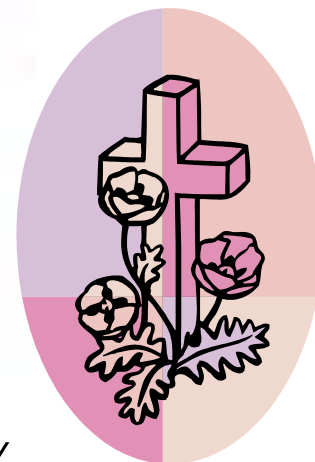
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Pastor's Cell (325) 205-0515

Wesley Nurse (Kaye Clancey) cell (325) 205-2442

Sunday School 9:00 am

Worship 10:00 am



Memorial Day
A Day of Remembrance
Welcome to Worship
May 24, 2009

Offering Christ to All

We Gather as Those Who Have Experienced Divine Glory

Prelude

Pastor's Welcome

Opening Worship:

*“A Thousand Tongues”
“How Great is Our God”*

A Prayer for Aldersgate Day:

“Almighty God, in a time of great need you raised up your servants John and Charles Wesley, and by your Spirit inspired them to kindle a flame of sacred love which leaped and ran, an inextinguishable blaze. Grant that all those whose hearts have been warmed at these altar fires, being continually refreshed by your grace, may be so devoted to the increase of scriptural holiness throughout the land that in this our time of great need, your will may fully and effectively be done on earth as it is in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord.”

Amen

Children's Message

Scripture Lessons:

Acts 1: 15 - 17, 21 - 26 (Pew Bible (NT) pg.110)

Psalm 1 (Pew Bible pg.463)

1 John 5: 9 - 13 (Pew Bible (NT) pg.227)

Gospel: **John 17: 6 – 19** (Pew Bible (NT) pg.105)

Sermon:

“Aldersgate Day and Heritage Sunday”

Affirmation of Faith - UMH # 885

“Gloria Patri”

Joys and Concerns

Prayer in Unison:

“Almighty God, you have raised up servants to proclaim the gift of redemption and a life of holiness. For our spiritual forebears, Susanna, John and Charles Wesley; Barbra Heck, Jacob Albright, Philip William Otterbein, and Martin Boehm, inspired by your Spirit, we give thanks. In their ministry, through their difficulties, and in spite of their weakness, you were their hope and their salvation. You led them and their followers to create the heritage that is ours. We praise you for the women and men, young and old, who follow them, who gave themselves unselfishly for the welfare of the Church, whose commitment and vision encouraged and supported the Church. Their talents, enthusiasm, idealism, and dedication infused the Church with energy. Their outstanding gifts and witness shaped our thought and life. We praise you for these countless members of your Church,

Silence is kept to remember the name of saints

And we give you thanks for the place of our rich tradition among the churches which comprise the Body of Christ. With all your people throughout creation, give us a new vision, new love, new wisdom, and fresh understanding, that we may serve you more fully; through Jesus Christ our Lord.”

Amen

Offering Doxology

Altar Call

Hymn of Invitation:

*“Heaven Came Down”
“Glory Filled My Soul”*

Benediction

Welcome to worship, one and all! If you are a visitor, thank you for sharing this morning with us. If you have questions, or would like to join our Church, please feel free to talk with the Pastor, or an Usher, before or after Worship. Along with our members, we ask that you would register your attendance on the “Visitor” form in the black booklet located in each pew. May you experience God's Presence and Blessing.