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Randall's Chapel United Methodist Church

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New Beginnings

In 1620 a group of 102 pilgrims stepped onto the decks of the Mayflower, setting sail for the New World. At the heart of their journey was an excitement, and a sense of hope. For them this was not a leaving behind of the old ways as much as it was an embracing of something new. New possibilities led to a new hope for the future. Life before them may not always be easy, but it was something that they embraced with a fervent spirit; they embraced their new beginning.



On July 4, 1776, a gathering of representatives from the 13 colonies signed a simple statement of purpose. They chose to declare themselves a nation united, independent, and free from what held them back. They saw laid out before them a future of hope and freedom. The men and women of this new nation embraced the possibilities and the hope. Yes, there would be difficult times and challenges; battles would be fought. But this was their chance to see the land they loved move into a bright future, and so they embraced the possibilities; they embraced their new beginning.

We may not always look forward to change in our lives. And that certainly can hold true with the coming of a new pastor. This new pastor will have different ways of doing things. Our new pastor will have a different personality than we are accustomed to. Sometimes we will not agree. At times we will find ourselves having to make difficult decisions. Yet our future is filled with possibilities, and God places before us a hope for what He can do in our midst. This is our future, our journey together; so, we choose to embrace our new beginning.

I am excited to see what God will do in our midst in the days, weeks, months and years to come. I am honored to join Randall's Chapel in the beginning of a new journey, with all of its possibilities. I encourage you to dream and envision what God can do in our midst as we experience our own new beginning.

Your Co-Laborer in Christ
Bro Joey.

BIRTHDAYS

2 Julie Richey
 9 Dianne Grider
 13 Tina Guess
 14 Jim Snyder
 26 Brett Grider
 27 Jerome Richey
 28 Jason Talley
 29 Benton Culpepper
 30 David Sisk
 30 Sharon Millican



ANNIVERSARIES

3 Gary & Gina Riggs
 4 Robert & Sonya Shook

News and Announcements



- 7-4 Happy Independence Day
- 7-6 United Methodist Women's Meeting, 10 a.m.
- 7-7 Bible Discussion at 6:00 p.m.
- 7-11 Savannah Morris Wedding Shower 2-4
- 7-14 Bible Discussion at 5:00 p.m.
- 7-18 WMW Recognition Sunday
- 7-18 Leadership Team Meeting
- 7-20 UMW Salad Day 11-12:30
- 7-21 Bible discussion at 6:00 p.m.
- 7-25 UMM Red Cup Missions Offering
- 7-25 Church Town Hall Meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Worship Center
- 7-28 Bible Discussion at 6:00 p.m.



LEADERSHIP TEAM MEETING
 Sunday, July 18th
 immediately following the
 Worship Service.

United Methodist Women's Recognition Sunday is July 18th



United Methodist Women's Meeting – Tuesday, July 6th at 10:00 a.m. in the choir room. Looking forward to seeing all who are able to come.

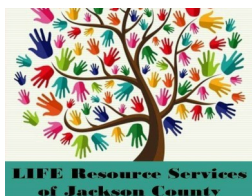
Bible Discussion -

Come join us on Wednesday Nights at 6:00 p.m. as we get into the Bible and discuss the answers to our questions. It's laid back and you're welcome to join us.



Volunteers Needed

Looking for volunteers to work with Children and Youth Ministries. If you would like to be a part of this blessing please call the church office.



Life Resource Services of Jackson Co.
 We are open Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

JULY Collection:

Peanut butter, jelly, bottled water and anti-bacterial wipes. We can always use volunteers to help. Thank You for your support.

Grief Support Group



Theresa Kilgro has been leading a great support group for a couple of years here at Randall's Chapel. If you have had the passing of a love one, let me encourage you to check out this ministry and group to find some good support and encouragement.

They have temporarily postponed weekly meetings but are having monthly luncheons. If you are interested contact Theresa or the church office.

Children's Message -



Once again, we are providing a Children's Message during our worship time. Thanks to you ladies who are being a part of this team.

July Leaders -

7-4 Janet Matthews, 7-11 Lisa Lusk, 7-18 Kelly Ellis, 7-25 Sheila Morris
 Sonya Shook is also our backup leader.

United Methodist Women's Salad Day 2021 – To-Go Boxed Lunches

RANDALL'S CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

SALAD DAY!

SAVE THE DATE. On Tuesday, July 20th, from 11:00 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Randall's Chapel UMW plans to host its annual SALAD DAY – but with a difference! Instead of a buffet, the UMW plans to offer ready-to-go boxed lunches containing chicken salad on greens, pasta salad, and strawberry pretzel salad. The box will also contain disposable flatware, napkin, and saltine crackers.



Because of long-lasting Covid-19 challenges and safety measures, both Salad Day 2020 and Soup Day 2021 were canceled. As you may know, donations from these two annual fundraising events have for many years provided UMW with the financial means to help several non-profit organizations.

Tuesday, July 20, 2021
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Among these organizations are the Jackson County Children's Advocacy Center, St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, the Nourish One Child Backpack Food Program, Turning Point Pregnancy Center, and the Ben Sanford Boys & Girls Club. In addition, with your help UMW donates to the Upper Sand Mountain Parish for back-to-school supplies, provides a summer scholarship for a student at Northeast Alabama Community College, provides copies of The Upper Room daily devotionals to members of the congregation, donates to the Pastor's Discretionary Fund to help the needy, and adopts two foster children in the annual Christmas Angels Program. With all donations entrusted to UMW, members strive to practice good stewardship.

Randall's Chapel UMW appreciates the many ways that you have supported the organization throughout the years. You have helped set-up and take-down tables and chairs, made and delivered vegetable soup and cornbread muffins and desserts, prepared salads, served as greeters and hostesses, bussed tables, washed dishes, and much more. Without your support, the mission outreach of UMW could not have happened.

This year there will be a Salad Day -- but with a difference. You will NOT be asked to prepare food or do any of the other tasks you have volunteered to do so well in the past. Instead, UMW members, with the help of honorary member and resident chef Tom Brewer, plan to do the work of preparing, boxing, and distributing lunches. Guests simply come prepared to make their donations and pick up their lunches to go.

YES, YOU ARE STILL NEEDED. Although we will spread the word inside and outside of church as much as possible, we still need you to spread the word to your family, friends, and co-workers. If you do Facebook, whenever you see the Salad Day notice on the church website or Facebook page, please repost or share it with your Facebook friends. If you don't do Facebook, please call or text your friends and acquaintances and tell them, and then remind them. Above all, please stop by to pick up boxed lunches or ask someone in your workplace to take orders and pick up lunches. A donation of \$8.00 per boxed lunch is appreciated.

To facilitate the process, tables will be set up in the hallway inside the entrance of the new building wing. To streamline the flow of foot traffic in the area, one door will be marked ENTER, and the other door will be marked EXIT.

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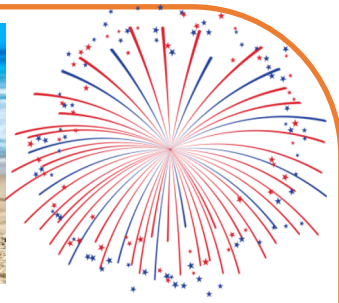
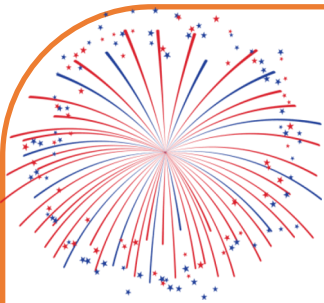
"Change for Missions"



Get your Red Missions Cup and start collecting your spare change to offer on our Mission's Sundays. These Red Cups are available in the Lobby.



Mission's Sunday will be the last Sunday of every other month. Our next collection will be **July 25th**. So, start saving your spare change and put it in that Red Cup. Thanks for supporting this mission of the United Methodist Men.



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Happy
4th
of July

United
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Women's
Meeting 10:00

Bible
Discussion
6:00 p.m.

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Savannah Morris
Wedding Shower
2-4 p.m.



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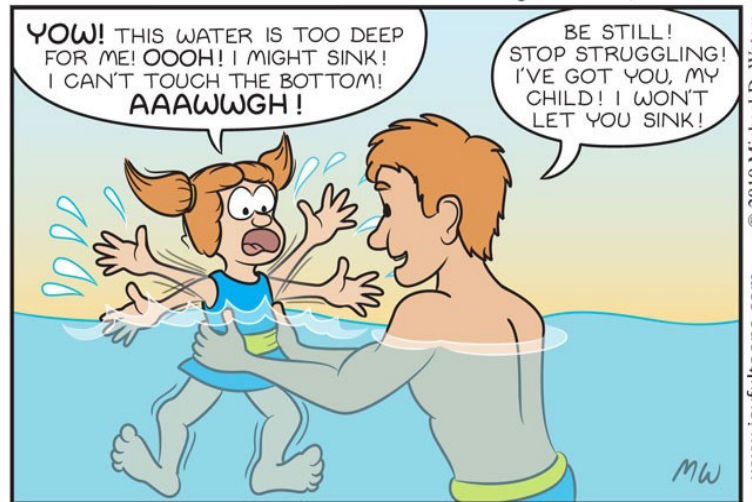


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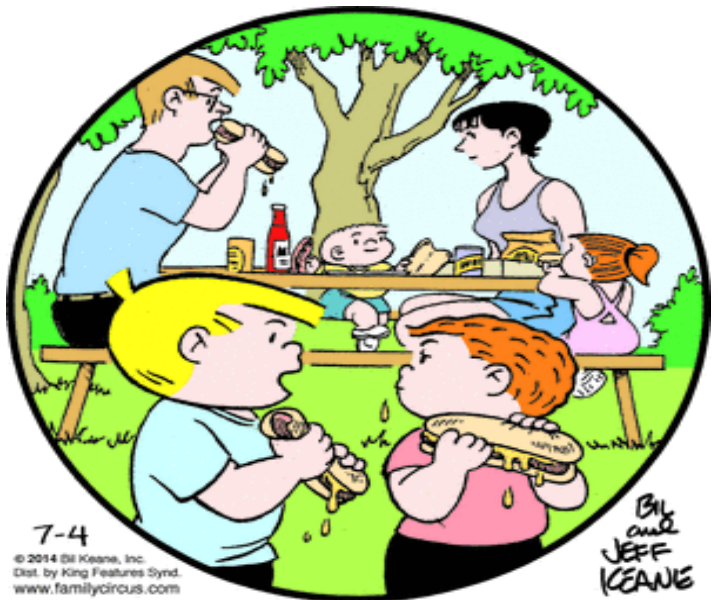


BE STILL

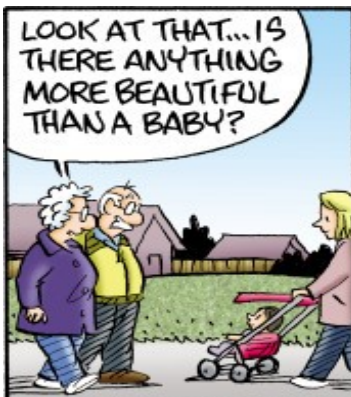
A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



"Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth."
— PSALM 46:10 NIV



"Today's a good day to eat hot dogs, 'cause that's what our fourth fathers always ate."





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WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

NEW TIME
WORSHIP 10:00

WEDNESDAY

ADULT BIBLE STUDY 6 PM