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The Changing Atmosphere

The dark clouds are beginning to fill the sky. The wind is starting blow. A storm is blowing in and the atmosphere is changing. The family decides they better grab everything for this picnic looks as if it has come to an end. But this storm isn't going to rob this family of its joy. As the rain pelts the roof and splatters on the windshield of the family station wagon, a new atmosphere is stirring within. Mom climbs over from the front seat, reaches over the backseat and grabs the basket of food and creates a memorable adventure. She begins to pass out that 'finger licking good' food



and this picnic lives on. Somewhere in the back of that old station wagon, under the picnic blanket, among the cooler and toys, is a cardboard box containing a treasure wrapped in aluminum foil. The two children dig through the mess in pursuit. "Bingo!" The treasure is found and everyone is rewarded with mom's homemade brownies. This was one adventure and memory that never got washed away.

What's the atmosphere like that envelopes you? Our surroundings have an impact on us and may cause us to have a reaction. If the atmosphere around us is dark and negative, it can change us to be discouraged. If we are in an atmosphere of delight and pleasantry, it's healthy for our soul. Some of us deal with change better than others. Most of us would admit that in all of our surrounds, God is with us. But hopefully as believers in Jesus Christ, no matter the atmosphere around us, we know He walks with us and that His presence gives us hope. So, let Him stir up hope in you, to change the atmosphere around you.

Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good. His love endures forever.' Psalm 136:1.

Have a blessed day in the atmosphere around you. -Pat

News and Announcements



- Set your clocks back an hour tonight. *11-2*
- *11-3* All Saints Sunday & Holy Communion.
- United Methodist Women's Meeting at 10 am. 11-5
- 11-5 Grief Support Group from 10 am 12 noon.
- 11-6 Wednesday Night Bible Study at 6:00.
- 11-7 Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:30.
- 11-11 Happy Veteran's Day! Thanksgiving Day Volunteers Meeting at 6:00 pm
- 11-12 Grief Support Group from 10 am 12 noon.
- 11-13 Wednesday Night Bible Study at 6:00.

- 11-14 Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:30.
- 11-17 Charge Conference at Randall's Chapel at 3:00.
- 11-18 United Methodist Men's Food & Fellowship at 6 pm.
- 11-19 Grief Support Group from 10 am 12 noon.
- 11-20 No Bible Study tonight.
- 11-21 Thursday Morning Bible Study at 10:30.
- 11-24 thru 29 Preparations for our Thanksgiving Day Meal & Cleanup.
- 11-27 & 28 No Bible Studies this week.

All Saints Sunday- Nov. 3, 2019

The Christian calendar designates All Saints Sunday as a day of remembrance for all the saints who have passed on and are now with Christ Jesus and the Church victorious. For this reason, each year we honor the names of persons in our local congregation who have died during the past year. Those who were members that have passed on are: Cary Bolte and Earl Kirby. Non-members: Jean Frazier, Wilma Dean Arnold, Joyce Cunningham, Tony Rossmeier,

Martin 'Barney' Barnhart, Alvin W. Matthews, Beatrice Keel, William 'Mac' Wise, David Hester, C.E. 'Corky' Hester and Charlene Boyd.





United Methodist Women's Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 5th at 10 am.

Grief Support Group -

Theresa Kilgro of Southern Care New Beacon leads a Grief Support Group at Randall's Chapel UMC on Tuesday's from 10 am until 12 noon. If you have had the passing of a love one and would like to find support and encouragement, this group may be for you. If you're interested contact Theresa, or just show up.





Bible Studies

We continue to meet on Wednesday Nights at 6:00 and Thursday Mornings at 10:30. We are currently studying the book of Acts. Come join us and grow in the written word.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Fall Back! Remember to move your clock back one back one hour
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Holy Communion		UMW Meeting 10 am	Bible Study at 6:00 pm	Bible Study 10:30 am		
Daylight Savings Time ends.		Grief Support 10 -12 pm				
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	VETTERANS	Grief Support 10 -12 pm	Bible Study at 6:00 pm	Bible Study 10:30 am		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Charge Conference at Randall's Chapel at 3:00	UMM Food & Fellowship at 6:00 pm	Grief Support 10 -12 pm	No Bible Study	Bible Study 10:30 am	~~	20
24	25	26	27 No Bible Study	28 Thanksgiving Day Outreach Meal 11:00 am- 1:30 pm	29	30

NOVEMBER GREETERS

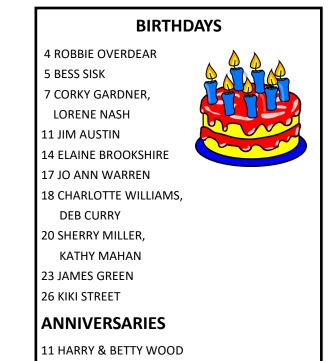
Nov. 3 - John Gerlach Nov. 10 - Eddie Allen Nov. 17 - James Green Nov. 24 - Trevon Smart



Nursery

NURSERY WORKERS

Nov. 3 - Cindy Green Nov. 10 - Madison Wendlick Nov. 17 - Sonya Shook Nov. 24 - Cindy Green





Charge Conference – Nov. 17, 2019

Come join us for Charge Conference, Sunday, Nov. 17th at 3:00 in our Sanctuary as we host area United Methodist Churches from our district. Our District Superintendent Tom Parrish will be conducting some brief business, then following with a time of worship, a short message and Holy Communion. He plans for us to be finished within an hour. Come celebrate with us.

United Methodist Men's Food & Fellowship -Monday night, Nov. 18th, at 6:00. Guys come join us for some good food and fellowship.

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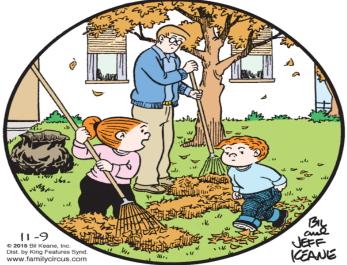


Thanksgiving Day Meal Outreach

Just about everyone at Randall's Chapel knows that we serve the community a meal on Thanksgiving Day. I want to encourage you if you have not been a part of the preparation of meals or helped serve that day, it's pretty amazing. I want to encourage you to give some time on that day as a volunteer. It is truly a day that it is more blessed to give than receive. If you're without company that day, either join

us in serving or come and enjoy a meal. If you can't volunteer that day we could really use your help Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in preparing the food. Also, we could use your help with setting up tables and chairs in the class rooms and fellowship hall along with decorations. We even need volunteers to help in the cleanup following the meals starting at 1:30. Remember, we've been blessed to be a blessing. There are signup sheets in the Narthex and lobby, or see Ralph or Sonya or call the church office to let us know if you can help. Thanks!





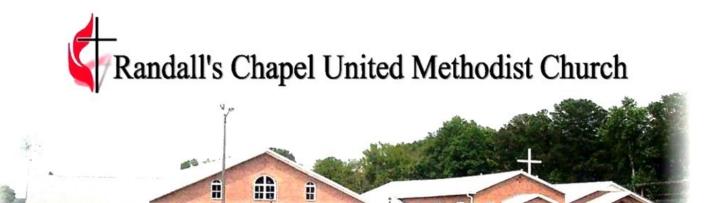
"Help us, Jeffy. We need to move the leaves so the snow has room to fall."

It's not about what's on the table. It's about what's **around** the table.



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WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

SUNDAY

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP 9 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 AM

Classes for all ages - nursery provided

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP 11 AM

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP 6 PM

WEDNESDAY

ADULT BIBLE STUDY 6 PM

CHILDREN 6 PM

THURSDAY

ADULT BIBLE STUDY 10:30 AM