

THE MESSENGER

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GREAT AMERICAN PICNIC

Sunday, July 3

The worship service will be followed by a lunch of hotdogs and hamburgers provided by the UMM.

Dress is casual.

The United Methodist Women will sponsor a complimentary breakfast for everyone in honor of Father's Day on Sunday, June 19 from 8:00-9:30 a.m. Menu will include Breakfast Casseroles, Sausage Gravy, Biscuits, Fresh Fruit Cup, Orange Juice, Milk and Coffee.



SPEND A WHILE ON THE NILE: Vacation Bible School will be June 20-24 with dinner at 5:30 p.m. and classes from 6:00-9:00 p.m. There are still a few slots for adult "shop keepers" in the Market Place. Register your children early, space will be limited this year. Contact Nancy Vaughan (863) 532-1618 for more information.



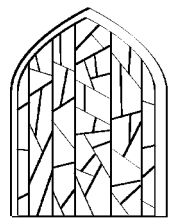
ATTENTION WOMEN: Please mark your calendars for the following dates:

June 8, 12:30 p.m. - UMW Lunch at Nutmeg's
June 19, 8:00-9:30 a.m. - Father's Day Breakfast
July 7-10 - Mission u at Bethune-Cookman
July 13, 12:30 p.m. - UMW Lunch (Place TBA)



The UMM thank everyone who attended the Mother's Day breakfast and hope the new menu was satisfactory. We will continue to evaluate the breakfast. Stella Fuellda was our speaker at the May meeting and spoke on Central Elementary's recycling efforts and the Caps of Love project. At OHS Scholarship Night, the UMM presented \$500 scholarships to Chelsea Walker and Heaven Peacock. Future events include preparing breakfast for the graduating seniors, the Great American Picnic, and cooking smoked chicken for the New Teacher Luncheon. Due to Vacation Bible School, there will be no UMM meeting in June. We will meet again on July 18.

We have received \$28,014 toward our \$80,000 goal for the repair of the small stained glass windows on the east side of the Sanctuary. The Trustees have determined that the brick mortar on the east wall needs urgent attention and are investigating the best way to repair. They hope to have this corrected before repairing the window frames. Thank you for your continued donations to help us maintain these beautiful windows.



**CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
GRADUATES!!**

*Chelsea Walker
Heaven Peacock*

*Angela Mintz
Viveca Guyton*



JUNE

- 2nd - Jacob Coombs, Michael Achy
3rd - Laura Gast, Kay Duke, M/M Robert Thompson, William Chaffee
6th - Mary Alice Bobbitt, Sam Cossaboon, Elizabeth Stefanov, M/M George Passwaters, Betty Head
7th - M/M Randy Burnham
8th - Carla Peck, Savannah Mintz, Kelly Aaron
9th - Joe Ostavitz
11th - M/M Harry Tewksbury, Chad Rucks
12th - Vanessa Watt, M/M Dennis Anderson, Nathaniel Terrell, M/M Joe Juday
13th - Shane Crawford, Doug Wyatt, George Carpenter, Michelle Ostavitz
14th - M/M John Richie, Janet Rowley
15th - Marsha Boatwright, Kayla Harrison
16th - Dennis Breland, M/M John Boak, Samantha Watters
17th - Tammy Broughton, M/M Dan Simmons
18th - Chris Watford, Bill Coombs
19th - Anna Jane O'Steen, Debbie Johnson, Chris Gorham, Kevin Litteral, Donnie Kula
21st - Pat Hall, Renee Hair, Dorothy Anderson, M/M Kenneth Keller
22nd - M/M Darrell Enfinger, Erin Bennett
23rd - Jean Kearney
25th - Christopher Ostavitz
26th - Tom Mix, M/M Oscar Noland, Stephanie Boak
27th - M/M Ray Fuller
28th - Christopher O'Bannon, M/M Joe Spangler
29th - Osann Lowry
30th - M/M Alvin Childs

JULY

- 1st - Christa Luna, M/M Jody Raulerson, Sarah Thompson, Jennifer Marquis
2nd - Eva Richie, Adean Miller, M/M Heath Vliet
5th - Cheryl Peters
6th - Wade Rhodes, Marie Culbreth, M/M Buck Watford
8th - M/M Tommy Raulerson
9th - Katherine Gorham, Shari Thompson, Eileen Mischke

- 10th - Janet Chaffee
12th - Saba Curren, Phyllis Poole, M/M Robert Lampi
13th - Nick Lenfest, Benji Lenfest, Betty Lynch
14th - Les Snider, M/M Billy Terrell, Audrey Metcalf
16th - M/M Doc Thrift, Ben Estey, Max Norman
17th - Annette Shirley
18th - M/M Ed Mucherino
19th - Ann Burnham, Phil Attewell
20th - M/M David Wibbels
21st - Patricia Mederos
22nd - Lister Goble, M/M Roland Mischke
23rd - Nicholas Hayford, Mary Lee Rivenburg
24th - M/M James Hall, Lynda Simmons, M/M Robert Steiner
25th - Conner Hall, Eli Adolphson
26th - M/M Robert Berlew
27th - Gail Knight
28th - Danielle Crane, Jim Threewits
29th - William Hendry, C.W. Simpson
30th - Betty Barger, Mary Beth Cooper
31st - Becky Barnhart, Brittany Haas

If your birthday or anniversary is incorrect or has been omitted, please call the Church Office.

