



SPRING FORWARD
Daylight Saving Time
March 13, 2022

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The Christian 40 Day season of Lent in which we focus on Jesus' life, passion, & death begins. Pictured left: Wooden Cross at Bingen UMC

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Divine Worship
2nd Sunday in Lent
 13 March 2022

SCRIPTURE
 Matthew 5:14-16

SERMON
Letting Your Light Shine
 Rev. Daniel R. Kirkpatrick
 Series: ***Building Your House on the Rock***

HYMNS
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross
Light of the World
This Little Light of Mine

LITURGIST
 Connie Castleberry

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS
 Carol Ackley



The Gideons International



Gideons Love Offering
To be Received Sunday, March 13
 Mitch Leavins, Gideon Speaker

Divine Worship

Mitch Leavins, of the Nashville chapter of Gideons International, will give a brief 5 minute summary of the local and international ministry for the past year in Divine Worship on March 13. We will also receive a 2nd mile love offering for the work of Gideons International who distribute millions of free Bibles nationally and around the world and how lives are changed through coming to faith in Jesus Christ. Please join us in worship March 13 and be prepared to give generously to this outstanding ministry.



Join the Redeemed Sunday School Class for a 6 week video study by Pastor Adam Hamilton of the United Methodist Church of the Resurrection of these simple phrases. They sound Christian—like something you might find in the Bible. We've all heard these words. Maybe we've said them. They capture some element of truth, yet they miss the point in important ways Adam Hamilton searches for the whole truth by comparing common Christian clichés to the message and ministry of Jesus. The clichés include:

- Everything happens for a reason.
- God helps those who help themselves.
- God won't give you more than you can handle.
- God said it, I believe it, that settles it.
- Love the sinner, hate the sin.

Study begins Sunday March 13th at 10 a.m. in the Redeemed Sunday School Class. Anyone is invited to attend. For more information contact Robert Nannemann at 845-1385.





Chocolate Affair

hosted by Howard County Extension Homemakers

Saturday, March 12th
1-3 PM

At the EH Clubhouse behind the Courthouse

Sampling of chocolates, demonstrations, door prizes and recipes.

Must purchase a ticket. Tickets are \$15 each and can be purchased at the Extension Office or from an extension club member.




Next Meeting
March 27
right after
church to
finalize
volunteer list.

We have volunteers for the following:
Director - Lisa Trombley **Puppet** - Dede Robinson
Bible Story - Annie Washburn, Paige Brown, helper;
Music - Jaree Hall **Crafts** - Laura Dupree
Snacks - Susan Nannemann, Gail Milum, helper
Adult Leaders: Tabatha Smith, Chelsea Ewing
Adult Helpers: Vickie Kuykendall, Niki Boyce, Joy Barr, Rhonda Moses
Teen Helpers: Lily Trombley and Wesley Kuykendall
 We still need someone for recreation and science and volunteers to help in all areas.

Greetings OCC Team,

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2022 is now in full swing for most of us --- praying, planning, shopping, and once again attempting to maneuver around COVID! Here's hoping that you are finding many bargains at the various sales.

As you know, our area of Southwest Arkansas packed and sent 20,499 shoeboxes in 2021! To God be the glory!!! Thank you for your faithfulness even during a challenging year. The United States packed and sent 9.1 million shoeboxes, making a total of 10.5+ million shoeboxes from sending countries that were/will be distributed in over 100 countries! What a PRAISE to the Lord!

We have already received several e-mails from recipients that I wanted to share with you. One is from Belize, and I am not sure where the other two are from.

Isn't it exciting to know that the Lord is using the shoeboxes that are sent from our area to expand His kingdom?

1 BOX = 1 CHILD = 1 SOUL --- AND THE LORD MULTIPLIES!!!

Blessings to you,
Beverly Starr
Central Drop-Off Team Leader
Nashville - Southwest Arkansas

Matroop

Mon, Feb 14 at 7:39 PM

Gracias por los regalos, me gustaron mucho.

Translation: (Thanks for the gifts, I really liked them.)

Iglesia Bautista Vida Abundante

Sun, Feb 13 at 12:35 PM

Blessings from Belize! First, I thank God for persons like you who work tirelessly to get gifts to many children around the world. In this instance BELIZE!

My name is Jose Ramos, Lead Pastor at Iglesia Bautista Vida Abundante. I also volunteer at Operation Christmas Child Regional Team here in Belize as the Logistics Coordinator.

Thank you so much for sending these tangible gifts! May God continue to abundantly bless you, family and church.

We are also starting a new church in a much needed area. With these gifts we are able to plant a new church in Belize. As you see attached are photos of where the new church is going to start (we have build temporary benches)

Yours in Christ,
Jose Luis Ramos, Pastor

Lucas Martinez Olivares

Fri, Feb 4 at 8:13 PM

Hi, I'm Lucas Martinez. I am 10 years old and this day I received the gift you sent me. Thank you very much for this detail and also thank God for these moments. 😊

March Birthdays

- March 1 - Kyleigh Kuykendall
- March 3 - Cindy Jackson
- March 3 - Terri Kay Hosey
- March 4 - Emelia Trombley
- March 4 - Louise Hicks
- March 6 - Connie Crisp
- March 10 - Nancy Shanks
- March 11 - Jim Bob Hockaday
- March 11 - Larry Teague
- March 13 - Jacob Martin
- March 13 - Isaiah Martin
- March 14 - Lyndsay Crider
- March 15 - Lillian Trombley
- March 17 - Jeffrey Shanks
- March 18 - Debbie Turbeville
- March 19 - Sara Lynn Jamison
- March 20 - Candy Blackwell
- March 22 - Jodi Troutt
- March 23 - Joe Goodrum
- March 24 - Marti Steel
- March 24 - Jackson Turley
- March 25 - Cindy Willard
- March 26 - Jim Washburn
- March 30 - Jacob Caballero

Ushers for March

- March 6 Redeemed Class
- March 13 UM Youth
- March 20 Wesley Class
- March 27 Redeemed Class

Acolytes for March

- March 6 Dede Robinson
- March 13 Ember Boyce
- March 20 Wyatt Kuykendall
- March 27 Annabelle Schooley

Liturgist for March

- March 6 Mike Myers
- March 13 Connie Castleberry
- March 20 Gerald Moses
- March 27 Wade Eggers

Children's Moments for March

- March 6 Barbara Kirkpatrick
- March 13 Carol Ackley
- March 20 Telia Dunn
- March 27 Judy Cassady

Children's Church for March

- March 3 Alyssa Cupples
- March 13 Vickie Kuykendall
- March 20 Rhonda Moses
- March 27 Barbara Kirkpatrick

Youth Snack List for March

- March 6 Connie Milum
- March 13 Carol Ackley
- March 20 Spring Break No Youth
- March 27 Spring Break No Youth

Money Counters for March

- March 6 Robert Nannemann & Telia Dunn
- March 13 Mary Boozer & Gerald Moses
- March 20 Robert Nannemann & Brenda Washburn
- March 27 Mary Boozer & Gary Dan Futrell

Memorials

In Memory Of

Ann Gathright

Woody Futrell

Mary Bennett

Woody Futrell

J.T. Crisp

Woody Futrell

Sherry Goodrum

Woody Futrell



United
Methodist
Women

March 7, 2022
UMW
United Methodist Women

March 7, 2022 -at 11:30 am
Speakers -Lisa Myers and Laura Dupree
on Mardi Gras .
We will learn information about Mardi Gras,
costumes, beads, King Cake and
first hand knowlege from Lisa.

Love Group at 1:30 pm on March 21, 2022
Joy Group at 6:00 pm on March 21, 2022.
"Let the Good Times Roll."
Laura Dupree

March 2022



First United Methodist Church Nashville, Arkansas Calendar of Events

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
|--|--|----------------------|---|----------------------|-----|-----|
| Sunday Schedule: 9:45am S. S. Class 10:50 am Morning Worship 5:00 pm Youth | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| | | Mother's Day Out 9-2 | Kids Club 3:00-5:00pm Life Share Blood Drive Children's Choir 5:15pm Adult Choir 6:15pm | Mother's Day Out 9-2 | | |
| 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 12 | 11 | 12 |
| Confirmation Class 4:00pm | UMW Meeting 11:30 brown bag lunch, speakers: Laura Dupree & Lisa Myers Jr. Auxiliary 6:00pm | Mother's Day Out 9-2 | Kids Club 3:00-5:00pm Children's Choir 5:15pm Adult Choir 6:15pm | Mother's Day Out 9-2 | | |
| 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 |
| Mitch Leavins, Guideon speaker during Morning Worship Confirmation Class 4:00pm | | Mother's Day Out 9-2 | Kids Club 3:00-5:00pm Children's Choir 5:15pm Adult Choir 6:15pm | Mother's Day Out | | |
| 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 |
| No Confirmation Class No Youth | Love Group 1:30 pm Joy Circle 6:00 pm | No Mother's Day Out | No Kids Club No Children's Choir Adult Choir 6:15pm | No Mother's Day Out | | |
| Spring Break March 21 — March 25 | | | | | | |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 31 | | |
| VBS Meeting 12:00pm No Confirmation Class No Youth Baby Shower for Kristen (Ackley) Hilburn 2:00pm — 4:00pm | | | | | | |



Kids Club February 2nd



Snack Ladies—Kids Club
L-R: Brenda Barber, Niki Boyce, & Joy Barr



Kids Club helps Jazmine Eudy Celebrate her 14th Birthday February 16!



Spanish Sunday School Class
Don & Jaree Hall, teachers



Senior Center Luncheon of Nashville
Left-Right: James Huddleston, Jimmy Gosnell,
and Pete Gathright



Thanks, UM Youth for
hydrating our Champion
Lady Scrappers!



Youth **2022** Update SUPER BOWL

Super Bowl Party! More into socializing and board games than the Big Game, but all had a great time.



Wayfaring Strangers and Super Bowl Party
Eudy Family





Newsletter

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Focus: *The Hope of Spring*

Daylight savings time begins on Sunday March 13—Spring Forward! In the midst of the cold of winter, one of my favorite flowers—Daffodils are coming up . They remind us that spring is around the corner! Spring reminds us of the Christian season of Lent when we sing the great hymns of the Cross. Lent prepares our hearts and leads us to the events of Holy Week as we follow our Savior Jesus to Golgatha and points us to the greatest love the world has ever known — Jesus’ sacrificial death for you, me, and the whole world. It’s easy to love Jesus, because He is the One who “*loved me and gave Himself for me*” (Gal. 2:20).

As the Covid-19 pandemic continues to improve across our town, state, and nations, we have reason for **hope**. February 20th we had 91 persons in worship as we are beginning to safely gather again in God’s loving presence.

I hope to see you this Sunday in worship.

In Christ’s love,

Bro. Daniel



L-R: Rev. Gary, Jesse, Beau, wife Lori, and Jack Harrison

Rev. Gary F. Harrison Appointed as Senior Minister 1st UMC, Nashville & Bingen UMC

Southwest District Superintendent Dr. Ann Ferris met with the Pastor Parish Relations Committee on Thursday, February 3 and announced Arkansas Bishop Gary Mueller has appointed Rev. Gary F. Harrison as senior minister at 1st UMC, Nashville and Bingen UMC for 2022-23 effective July 1. He is currently senior minister of 1st UMC, Warren, Arkansas. His wife is the former Lori Smith and the daughter of Jackie the late Dr. Bo Smith of Nashville. They are the parents of three grown sons: Beau, Jack, and Jesse.

Rev. Harrison is a native of Camden, AR and graduate of Iliff School of Theology in Denver, CO with his Master of Divinity, and Henderson State University in Arkadelphia. Please write a word of welcome to Bro. Gary & Lori to: 210 East Shields Warren, AR 71671, email brogaryh@yahoo.com, or phone or text to 479-216-4199. We are excited to welcome the Harrisons to Nashville! Please pray for them in their transition these next 4 months.



Divine Worship

1st Sunday in Lent

6 March 2022

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 5:1, 2 & 13

SERMON

Out of the Saltshaker, into the World

Rev. Daniel R. Kirkpatrick

Series: *Building Your House on the Rock*

HYMNS

The Old Rugged Cross

Lord, Who Throughout These Forty Days

O How I Love Jesus

LITURGIST

Mr. Michael Myers

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS

Mrs. Barbara Kirkpatrick

2022 Financial Update

As we finish February 2022, we need everyone to take a look at where we stand with our finances.

Offerings can be given during worship, mailed or dropped off. We thank each of you for remembering the Lord with your giving and continue to pray about our finances.

Church Budget needs after 9 Sundays thru February 28

Budget: \$49,041

Received: \$35,939

Difference: **-\$13,102 or -26.72%**

Robert Nannemann, Finance Chair