

"Faithful servants never retire. You can retire from your career, but you will never retire from serving God." - Rick Warren

First United Methodist Church San Angelo

The Messenger SEPTEMBER 2022

Let us be servants to each other and the world

COMING UP

<u>9/7 to 10/26</u> Refuel Your Faith Dinner @ 5:15 p.m. Bible study @ 6:00 p.m.
<u>9/11</u> Dinner, Show & Silent Auction
<u>9/25</u> Town Hall Meeting @ 5:30 p.m.
<u>10/16</u> Lakeview Lighthouse Clean Up @4:00 p.m.

Services & Sunday School Hour

8:30 The Bridge - Sanctuary 9:30 - Sunday School for all ages 10:45 Traditional - Sanctuary Also available live on radio station KWFR 101.9 (The Fire) 11:00 11th Hour - Celebration Hall Live stream services <u>Firstmethodist.net</u> Tap for Sunday streaming 37 East Beauregard * San Angelo, Texas 76903 325-655-8981 * Fax: 325-655-7039

Email: info@firstmethodist.net

SUMMERTIME FRUIT BEARING AT FIRST CHURCH

PASTORAL STAFF



Rev. Scott Bradford Senior Pastor

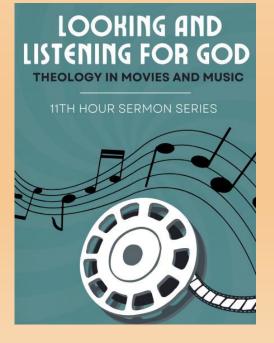
SERMON SERIES

<u>More Than Ever</u> Sept.4th - Kingdom Light Sept. 11th - Jesus is Better Sept. 18th - Believe and Live What You Say Sept. 25th - Comfort, but comfort in not King



Rev. Kristie Crisp Associate Pastor

SERMON SERIES



SERVICE ENHANCEMENTS

- <u>Childcare</u> is available during all services.
- <u>Children</u> are welcome in services. We provide activity bags in the sanctuary (front and back doors) and in Celebration Hall.
- <u>**Coffee**</u> is located in First Place Café outside Celebration Hall.
- <u>Hearing Assistance</u> devices are available in the sanctuary narthex.
- <u>Holy Communion</u> is served the first Sunday of each month in all services.
- Sunday School at 9:30 for all ages. Adult, youth, children, infants & toddlers. See directional signs at church or call the church office at 655-8981 or visit www.firstmethodist.net



Rev. Dale Weise Associate Pastor



Rev. Cyndi Young Associate Pastor

To access the 2022 Methodist Lectionary, go to https://methodist.org.za/wpcontent/uploads/2022/ 02/Revised-Common-Lectionary-2022-Year-C.pdf



BLESSINGS FROM PASTOR SCOTT BRADFORD

On September 11th, 2022, we will hold a dinner, talent show and fundraiser. In addition to the fun and fellowship, we are primarily raising funds for a new altar table and baptismal font

are being designed by Roger Ellison of Fine Heirloom Furniture.

The Altar table will be a live edge wood piece designed by Roger from wood donated by Chad and Stacie Elkins. The Baptismal Font will have a wooden base built by Roger as well.

The bowl for the 11th Hour and a similar baptismal bowl for the Sanctuary will be blown glass bowls created by White Elk Glass in Colorado. A similar (as close to matching bowl) will be utilized for the Sanctuary to go with the existing Baptismal Font.

The 11th Hour Service began in the Fall of 2005. The current altar table was taken from a Sunday School class. This service has never had a Baptismal Font. I would suggest it is long overdue for them to have furniture designed and dedicated for their use.

A \$3,000 initial cost has been paid by Endowment and we will be trying to raise about \$12,000. These items in a design concept have been looked at by the Worship Committee and The Family Faith Formation team. Volunteers are working to bring this event together. It will be an evening to remember.

There will be a silent auction with tables of items for bidding. Even Laurel and I will be donating to the auction. Does anyone like Colorado? How about bidding on a five-night stay at our Pagosa Springs cabin?

You can support this project by:

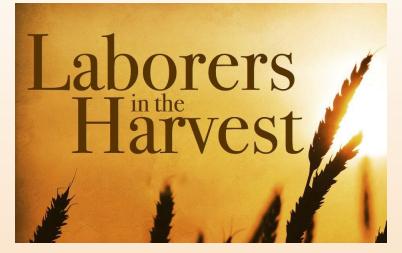
- 1. Praying!
- 2. Donate an auction item if you have one.
- 3. Planning on attending the meal and talent show.
- 4. Participate in the talent show.
- 5. Plan to bid on an auction item(s).

We pray you will help make this a great night.



Pastor Scott

Rev. Kristie Crisp - Directing Ministries Pastor



He said to them, "The harvest is bigger than you can imagine, but there are few workers. Therefore, plead with the Lord of the harvest to send out workers for his harvest." Luke 10:2 (CEB)

God keeps bringing me back to this scripture and after asking and asking, I believe I know why. Over the past

several years, COVID has caused many to pull away from their normal routines, from going to church, to going out and being the Church, and many of the other ways we connected with one another in small groups. How long are we going to stay away and let the world pass us by? How long will we let the work of God go untended? Let our souls thirst for community, church family, and our need for some real soul tending.

I like the CEB translation of this scripture: **"The harvest is bigger than you can imagine..."** It states we must imagine the size of the harvest because we have not been in the field to see the size of the harvest. It is easy for us to say, "The children's ministry has plenty of volunteers" if we haven't been in the children's classes or attended a Wednesday Night session to see their need. Just talk to Chelsea, our Youth Faith Formation director and she will gladly tell you all the wonderful things the youth are doing and learning and how big the harvest is. ... she will also tell you how few are the workers (the volunteers). Ask to join them on a Sunday night or maybe offer to feed them, and you will quickly see how big this harvest is.

We are blessed to have such a big harvest to tend, to be called to such a time and place as right now in San Angelo and at First UMC. Between the children's ministry, youth ministry, from our downtown campus to our new Lake View Lighthouse Ministry, to the fun and exciting events the Family Faith Formation Team hosts, I will say it like the Bible says it. . . **"The harvest is bigger than you can imagine,"** and we need more workers. God needs you!

As your days begin to fill with tasks or appointments or whatever life is throwing at you, I ask you to carve out some time to pray, no plead with me. . the Lord of the harvest will send out workers for His harvest. I pray you hear Him asking you to be one of His workers.

Just Another Worker in the Field,

Pastor Kristie Crisp

Senior Adult Ministries Reverend Cyndi Young - Associate Pastor ONE ANOTHER SHARING MINISTRY



The Gift of Giving Yourself ... Priceless!

"Our greatest fulfillment lies in giving ourselves to others." Henri Nouwen

The people within this wonderful church are exceptional for so many reasons! Each week my list of adjectives for this congregation seems to grow with newfound dimensions: talented, fun-loving, generous, willing, faithful, compassionate, prayer-warriors and humble servants. There is a commitment to God and to caring for one another that permeates the various ministries within this church in palpable ways. What a joy to serve alongside you!

You are a people who unselfishly share Servant-Hearts. The way I have seen this manifested most clearly in recent days has been through the overwhelming response to our new ministry "One Another". There are now thirty-four people who have signed up to call, send cards or visit with those who aren't able to attend the church functions in this season of their lives. I am astounded at this gracious response to intentionally care for the elderly in our congregation. Thank you!

In Colossians, Paul adds a few more adjectives to the list. He writes, "Therefore, as God's chosen people, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience." (Colossians 3:12).

What an honor it is to be the hands and feet of Christ in our world. There are so many around us who face daily needs. Amazingly, it is part of God's plan to use people like you and me to help meet those needs and share His love. A phone call, a plate of cookies or brief visit can literally make someone's day. It costs us a few minutes. It can mean the world to the one who receives such loving kindness!

God might have unplanned "ministry moments" for you this month. May you be surprised with His blessings as you find new "adventures" to make a difference for others. If you would like to be a part of the One Another ministry, please contact me. Giving of ourselves in even small ways will enrich your live in great measure. I cannot explain the equation of how this works, but I have found it to be true over and over again!

May God continue to add new fruitful adjectives to the list as we try to describe the gifts and graces within this church. **"And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased." (Hebrews 13:16).**

Thank you for the creative ways you will bless others this month with the gift of you!

Pastor Cyndi



<u>Methodist Healthcare Ministries</u> <u>Wesley Nurse Health Ministries</u>

lparry@mhm.org

Diaper donations **NEEDED** for Lesa Parry who has a parenting diaper program that provides monthly education and diapers. Her source, the Texas Diaper Bank, does not always have correct brands for babies with severe allergies.

THE SIZES AND BRANDS NEEDED

1. PULL-UPS SIZE 4T-5T FOR BOTH BOYS AND GIRLS.

2. PAMPERS OR HUGGIES SIZE 4

3. HUGGIES - SIZE 5

If you need to reach the Wesley Nurse, please call:

Si necesita comunicarse con la enfermera Wesley, llame al:



Lesa Parry Wesley Nurse



Chelsea Lytle

Director of

Youth

Ministries

<u>Crossroads Youth Sunday School Classes</u> <u>chelsealytle83@gmail.com</u>

Summer is officially over, and I am sad. We had an absolute blast, and I am not ready to see it end. Our summer was full of multiple poolside Bible Studies and many field trips to the movies, bowling, and even Schlitterbahn! We were also able to attend camp where we had five of our students accept Jesus Christ for the first time, several recommit their lives to Christ, and three who accepted their call to ministry. Talk about an amazing summer! We ended it with a Pool Party at the Harrison's house.

We did not just play this summer. We dug deep into scripture where we learned more about Jesus and the plans that He has for

us. Our faith grew deeper; our biblical knowledge expanded. It does not get any better than a summer full of Jesus and fun. September looks like it is going to be a great month! We begin Wednesday night classes on the 7th where we will study *Don't Believe Your Eyes* by illusionist Brock Gill. In addition, several of our youth will be "talent" at Dinner and a Show on the 11th. It is going to be a great night! I can't wait to see what September brings.

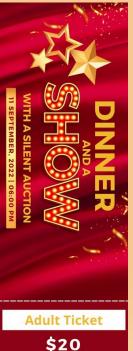


FAMILY FAITH FORMATION TEAM GLADLY PRESENTS

AN EVENING OF FOOD AND FRIVOLITY COMING SOON TO A CELEBRATION HALL NEAR YOU! SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS DUE SEPTEMBER 8TH



Special Thanks & Kudos



Steak bits, mashed atoes, green beans, and a roll

Barbie Hari for coordinating the talent show & Ashley Harper for tending to all the details of silent auction. Chelsea Lytle for advertising and ticket design.

Tickets available on Sundays in First Place Café. During the week, the church office will have tickets available. Adults \$20. Steak bites, mashed potatoes, green beans, and cherry cobbler ala mode. Children \$10. Chicken nuggets or pizza.

To complete a talent show or silent auction entry, forms are located near the elevator on the 1st floor or in the church office.



WITH A SILENT AUCTION

11 SEPTEMBER, 2022 | 06:00 PM



<u>Children's Ministries</u>

laurel@firstmethodist.net





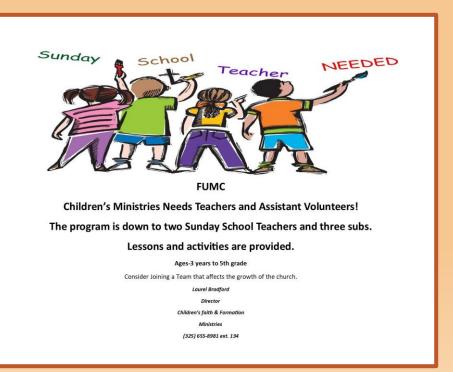
Laurel Bradford Children's Ministries Director



Teachers at Goliad Elementary School enjoyed a free lunch compliments of First Church on August 16th. L–R: Lana Freatman, Marissa Castaneda, Melissa Flores, Misty Kinsey, and Diana Taylor.



Sunday school participants are master builders of their life plan. Proverbs 22:6 states "Train up a child in the way that he should go; even when he is old, he will not depart from it.





READY TO LEARN AT SCHOOL AND CHURCH

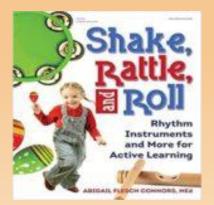


A, B, C, IT'S EASY AS 1,2,3, AS SIMPLE AS DO RE MI, A B C, 1 2 3 – BABY, JESUS AND ME!

The winners of the decked-out backpacks donated by Mr. Harold and Mrs. LaQueta Shelburne are Benjamin Lindsey and Odin Boatright. Benjamin is the son of Keith and Samantha Lindsey. Ben will be nine in December. Odin is five years old and is the grandson of Deborah and Calvin Boatright. The backpack blessing was held Sunday, August 14. If you would like a tag for your backpack, stop by the office and pick one up.

Sunday School starts at 9:30

Ages 4 through 5th grade meet in room E-203 and are currently studying Heroes of the Bible. You can check your child in on the 2nd floor just down the hall from the office!



This class begins Wednesday, September 7th starting at 5:15 p.m. for dinner and then on to a fun class with other children who love shaking, rattling, and rolling.

SEPTEMBER 2022

STIDER TEROES



First Family Faith Development

Opportunities to Grow in Christ Why do we study?



Adult Sunday School Classes

<u>Bayith/Fellowship</u> – Teaching Pure Bible–God's Plan for Mankind led by Buster Peek. Meets in person on the 3rd floor.

<u>Cheers</u> – "The Epic of Eden: Isaiah" by Sandra L. Richter led by John Walker. Meeting live and via Zoom on the 3^{rd} floor.

<u>**Harmony</u>** – God's Psychiatry: Healing for Your Troubled Heart by Dr. Charles L. Allen, led by Janie Schultz. Meets live (3rd floor) and via Zoom.</u>

Journey – The book of James led by Samantha and Keith Lindsey. Meeting live and via Zoom. Meets on the 3rd floor.

<u>Seekers</u> – "You Were Made for This Moment" by Max Lucado led by Alan Gregston. Meets in the church office conference room.

<u>S.T.E.R.</u> – Various topics and to be led by Cathy Hubbard. Meets in person. Current study is on Dietrich Bonhoeffer.

<u>**Union**</u> – The Faithful: Heroes of the Old Testament led by Tim Hunnicutt, meeting in person on the 3rd floor.

Adult Sunday School meet at 9:30 a.m. Need more information? Visit <u>https://firstmethodist.net/adultfaithformation/adult-sunday-school</u>.



Joshua 1:8 "Study this Book of Instruction continually. Meditate on it day and night so you will be sure to obey everything written in it. Only then will you prosper and succeed in all you do."

<u>Classes held during the week</u>

Morning Glories (Women's class): The class began August 30th and is being taught by Pastor Kristie & Jaci Cortes. The book, *Spiritual Warfare is Real* by Jim Cymbala, explores how the power of Jesus defeats the attacks of our enemy. Class meets on Tuesdays @ 10:00 a. .m. in the Journey classroom. Books are available for \$13.00. For additional information, contact Lori Francks @ 325-234-0375. A multifaceted group of ladies ranging in age from their thirties to eighties.

The Friends Group: Begins a new study September 7th Overcomer by David Jeremiah. Class meets at 6:00 p.m. in the Cheers Classroom on the 3rd floor. Books are \$9.00. For more information, contact Sherry Ann Miller (Sherryann.miller @angelo.edu.)

<u>Practices held during the week</u>

Cokesbury Christian Singers

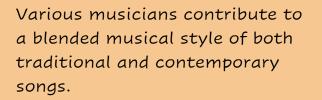
Led by Koste Belcheff. Meeting @ 2:00 p.m. on Thursdays for practice beginning on September 8th. This choir performs periodically during services (10:45 a.m.) and at local care facilities. A steady membership of those in their golden years compose this group. All welcome to join these robust church members that spread the gospel through song.

<u>Wesleyan Handbells</u>

Sanctuary Choir

Led by Laura Burkhalter. Practice is Wednesday evenings @ 6:00 p.m. in the handbell room – 1st floor. Led by Adam Chappel. Practice rehearsals are held Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Choir Room on the 1st floor near the sanctuary.

The Bridge Service



The 11th Hour Band

An eclectic group of various aged musicians who present contemporary music in a casual service.



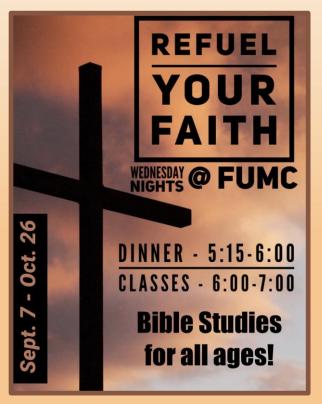
SOUND TECHNICIANS

Will train. Contact Pastor Scott or Pastor Kristie at the church office @ 325-655-8981. This is a <u>paid</u> <u>part-time position</u>. Visit https://firstmethodist.net/careers

<u>KITCHEN HELPERS</u> <u>REFUEL YOUR FAITH</u> <u>9-7 TO 10-26</u>

Helpers needed Wednesday afternoons for Refuel Your Faith meals. Contact Lisa Lesosky @ 325-315-6561 or email at <u>lisalynette4@gmail.com.</u>

First meal on September 7th is a light fair of sandwiches and salads.



<u>Texas Ramp Project</u> <u>Heading to Brady on</u> <u>October 15th</u>

FUMC will be taking the Texas Ramp Project on the road. Contact Pastor Dale at the church office (325) 655-8981. Materials and lunch provided. All skill sets welcome.

Classified Section Servant's Heart Wanted

COMMUNION STEWARDS

Both the 8:30 and 10:45 services can always utilize more folks. If you have already signed up, let Cathy know if you would like to continue your service. Contact Cathy @ 325-450-3590.

<u>REFUEL YOUR FAITH CLASSES</u> <u>Wednesday evenings @ 6:00 p.m.</u>

<u>Kids:</u> Ages 4 through 5th grade will Shake, Rattle, and Roll.

<u>Youth</u>: 6^{th} through 12^{th} grades will discover the truth them.

<u>Adults:</u>

OPTION ONE: Dave Ramsey's *Financial Peace University* course will be offered. FPU is a biblically based course that teaches how to save for emergencies, pay off debt fast, spend wisely, and invest your future. FMI or to register, contact facilitators Harold and LaQuita Shelbourne. (325-944-9447)

OPTION TWO: Heaven-ward: A Case for Living Vertically is being offered on Wednesdays starting at 6pm in the Journey Classroom, Sept. 7-Oct. 26. Teachers are Sharon Kulig and Carolyn Reed Jones. A course overview is available online or by request.

OPTION THREE: Overcomer by David Jeremiah study in the Harmony Classroom. The study examines how we determine our identity and how we can find our true identity in Christ. For more info, contact Sherry Ann Miller (sherryann.miller@angelo.edu)



Chancel Flowers

You can honor or memorialize someone or a specific group by placing flowers at the chancel area in the main sanctuary. Call Dori Wegner (254-718-6189) or email her @ dori@swcia.com.

Lakeview Lighthouse Clean Up Workday

Sunday, October 16th @ 4:00 PM. Some general cleaning so the balance of the construction work can be completed, and the ministries can further aid this small community. Contact Pastor Scott or Pastor Kristie for more information at the church office – 325-655-8981. *Meals For The Elderly*

Meals for the Elderly

First Church will be providing volunteer drivers for deliveries during the weekdays. Contact Sandy Pederson @ 325-234-4834. Drivers are always needed. Current routes for September is sixty. Twenty-seven routes are s are still available.



Sign up to deliver meals during the month of September by contacting Sandy Pedersen at

spdulcimer@icloud.com

Methodist Assistance

In First Place Café, a basket in available to drop off canned foods to be donated to those need who stop by FUMC during the weekdays.

Soup Kitchen

First Family is cooking on the First Fridays of each month. Dates 2022 are: Sept. 2nd, Oct. 7th, Nov. 4th, and Dec. 2nd. Location is Wesley UMC - 301 W. 18th MLK Blvd. 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Contact Beth McCrea at <u>edgemama@hotmail.com</u> or the church office @ (325) 655-8981. A time of fellowship with fun folks who love serving up a hot meal for those in need.

Nursery Volunteers

Sunday mornings and other times as needed. Contact Laurel Bradford for more information @ 325-655-8981.

<u>Kitchen Helpers – September 7th – October 26th</u>

Helpers needed on Wednesday afternoons for Refuel Your Faith meals beginning September 7th. Contact Lisa Lesosky @ 325-315-6561 or email at <u>lisalynette4@gmail.com.</u> First meal on September 7th is a light fair of sandwiches and salads.



Lakeview Lighthouse Update

As school began at Goliad, so did the kid's clothing closet and soon the book room will be in action as well. Look at the pictures below and pray the community will get excited about this new adventure in their neighborhood. For more info, contact Pastor Kristie or Pastor Scott, or Laurel Bradford for items needed..



The Blessing Box

Located in the front of the church outside courtyard. This box is set up for our homeless brothers and sisters to grab a bite to eat. Nonperishable foods can be taken to the church office and dropped in the marked tub. Please only pop top cans and snack size items. **NO FAMILY SIZE ITEMS**.

Somebody's Rusty

Contact Candis Hicks @ <u>heritageparksanangelo@gmail.com</u> or call 325-763-7387 for more information.



Hello Pastor Scott Bradford,

Thank you for your partnership with CPS for community children in need. You and your church have been a blessing to the children, families and even caseworkers in so many ways and have made such an impact.

Child Watch Meals: Sometimes we have a youth who stays overnight due to different circumstances until a safe placement can be located and during this time they feel as though they have little control over everything spiraling in their lives. Your church allows the youth on child watch to choose their daily dinner meal during the week and it is the excitement of their day! Not only does it give them back some of control over their lives as they get to choose what they want, but also the much-needed comfort of eating foods they love and have good memories with. Brenda, (and previously Sherri), are amazing in being the volunteer coordinators for this. In May, we had a teen on child watch who teared up when he knew he was going to graduate. Without family here, it was CPS workers and some FUMC volunteers who attended his graduation party at the CPS office and FUMC volunteers provided a very kind gift. He got the message he mattered and had support from our community. His smile was priceless.

Care Portal: There are times when a caseworker lists a family need on the portal. Most recently it was a family where the mother had worked hard to get to a place of reunification with her children, (a few weeks away), but then bed bugs invaded. She spent all she had getting the home ready for them, but she did not have enough to cover this. You played a big role in this family's reunification by helping make it possible. I cannot put into words the relief provided to the mother and the happiness of the children. This is their world. Helpers like you reminded them that they are worthy and loved. This is only one of so many families which you and your church have impacted.

Thank you on behalf of the children, families and caseworkers as well. You help plant the seeds today in these children in need so that it changes the way they remember this time to a more positive one, therefore helps lower their trauma and gives them a chance for a brighter future. As a community, we are helping break the cycle of abuse and neglect for a better future for all.

Invitation: Please extend an open invitation to you and anyone you would like to join you to visit the CPS office and see the positive changes being made because your partnerships. You make such an impact I would like for you to see the behind the scenes. Anytime that works best for you, even if later this fall or the spring. I wanted to reach out and say thank you. Your dedication and stewardship does not go unnoticed. We are grateful for you, the child watch dinner team and First United Methodist. If at some point you can come by, please let me know and we can plan a day that works best for you.

Thank you again and blessings your way,

Liliana Mata Faith-Based and Community Engagement Specialist, Region 9 Department of Family and Protective Services

Bulletin Board Stickies

CHRIST THE KING RETREAT CENTER SEEKING NEW HIRES.

Christ the King Retreat

Center is a spiritual oasis for those seeking an abiding relationship with God, through Jesus Christ. Many people since 1983 have experienced Christ's love and peace within our walls. In order to continue our mission, we need to hire more people. At present, our Retreat Center seeks people in three critical areas kitchen, housekeeping, and hospitality. If you or someone you know is seeking part-time work in a Christian environment. please call Jo Ann Martinez at (325) 651-5352, or pick up an application at 802 Ford Street, San Angelo, TX 76905.

SOMETHING NEW HAPPENING IN 11TH HOUR



IN MEMORY OF	GIVEN BY	FUND
Rev. Claus Rohlfs, Jr. Zeke Zirkle Dr. Hugh McCrary MD	Birdie Pool Birdie Pool Sharon Goodwin	Costa Rica Costa Rica Methodist Assistance
IN HONOR OF	GIVEN BY	FUND
Rob Sarbach Vicki Draper Billy Tims Rev. Scott Bradford	Mark & Lisa Lesosky Carol Santry Carol Santry Vicki Draper/Billy Tims	Sunday Morning Food Ministry Lakeview Lighthouse Lakeview Lighthouse Lakeview Lighthouse



PRAYER & HEALING SERVICES

Fourth Tuesday of the Month. Led by Pastors Dick West, Scott Bradford, & Kristie Crisp. Services are Sept 27^{th,} Oct 25th, Nov 22nd, & Dec 27th.

UPPER ROOMDEVOTIONALS

copies for September & October are available throughout the church. "Seek and ye will find."

WELCOME HOME!

SERVING IN THE MILITARY

- National Guard: Cody Smith
- National Guard Texas: Daryl
- Bradford
- U.S. Air Force: Tyler Barden,
- Chris Cavaness, Josh Mort,
- Danielle Pozun, Josh Rodriguez,
- Ryan Gandy, Zane Jarvis
- U.S. Army: Johnny Goldthrite,
- Randall Tye Graham,
- Ryan Tallant, Savanah Gideon
- U.S. Coast Guard: Weston McIntire
- **U.S. Navy**: Jason Bird, Mica Greenwood, Matt Kuehhas



HEALTH CONCERNS*

Beppo Speck Beth Kopecky Benny Stuard Consuelo Lopez Cynthia Johnson (recovery from surgery) Gene Kopecky* Lanier (Duder) Duderstadt* LeCroy family Lee Pipkin*

Meleah Plummer* Michelle Long* Polly Waterhouse-recovery from a fall Richard Salmon* Sherrie Walker* Thomas (T-Byrd) Byrd* Veronda Vilmin (daughter of Betty Andrews The Community of Uvalde, TX

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Meg McCracken Transferred from Paul Ann Baptist Church August 2022



PRAYING FOR THOSE WITH CANCER

Barry Kleypas	Jennifer Cooper	Nicole Kleinsmith
Bill Humble	Jerry Tindel	Pamela Adams
Bonnie Kennedy	Joe Lynch	Raul Najera
Briana McCall	Jo Ann Motl	Richard Watts – Hospice
Carol Smith	Jose Perez	Ron Hoelle
Caryl Guisinger	Kevin Halfman	Rosura Gonzales
Connie Weams	Kim Hunter	Roy Shannon
Dawn Jackson	Kinsley Baker	Sherrie Walker
Duder Duderstadt	Linda Rogers	Sheryl Bragg
Ethan Miller	Lynda Hughes	Shirley Kennedy
Fred Buck	Mark Sisson	Susan Armstrong
Fred Gudmundson	Melissa James	Todd Cummings
Jay Moore	Melissa Lippincott	Vernon Fritze
Jeff Peters	Michelle Long	Wendy Slaughter
Jeff Ward	Michaela Rigsby	

IN MEMORADUM

REV. SUZANNE BRANTLEY D.O.D. 8/4/22

"The Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth. He does not faint or grow weary; his understanding is unsearchable. He gives power to the faint and strengthens the powerless." **Isaiah 40: 28-29**

BITSY DURHAM KIRBY D.O.D. 8/27/22

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." **Psalm 46:1**



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Check us out at <u>https://firstmethodist.net</u>