

HARDIN'S CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 August 19, 2007
 Charles DeHart, Pastor; Randy Davenport, Worship Leader
 "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors"

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Theme: Christ brings fire to the earth; but the best is the fire of love that Christ kindles in our hearts for God and one another

Welcome and Visitor Recognition

*Opening Hymn - How Firm a Foundation - p 529 um

*Hymn – As a Fire is Meant for Burning - 551 wr

*Passing the Peace

Call to Order and collecting of prayer cards

Musical Interlude - (Let the People be in Silent Meditation and Prayer)

Celebrations and Praise

Pastoral Sharing of Prayer Cards

Pastoral Prayer and invitation to the altar

Choral Anthem - He is Here medley - ce

Wiggle Time with Mrs. D

Responsive Reading - on screen - Cindy

Offertory Prayer

Collection of Tithes and Offerings - Arnie, John F.

*Presentation of Offerings - Doxology (screen)

Holy Scriptures – Luke 12:49-56

Spoken Word - "Red Sky in the Morning"

*Hymn of Dedication – I Have Decided to Follow Jesus - p. 344wr

*Benediction

*Indicates congregation standing as they are able

See you next Sunday!

Please be reminded of the prayer cards at each pew to record prayer concerns and requests and give to the ushers during the call to order.

<u>Guide to Hymnals</u>
um - United Methodist
cb - Cokesbury
wr - Worship & Rejoice
ce - Celebration Hymnal
sm - Simple Melodies
dj - Dennis Jernigan
gr - Gray Book
lh - Lift Him Up
mp - Mt. Pleasant book

To Help You Prepare for Upcoming Worship Services

August 26

Theme: Jesus stood the woman up straight. May we also be like her.

Sermon: Reaching for the Higher Branch"

Scripture: Luke 13:10-17

Hymns: Tell it to Jesus, 92 cb; My Faith has Found a Resting Place, 406 wr; Pass Me Not, O Gentle Savior, 149 cb

September 2

Theme: Always be ready to show hospitality

Sermon: "Sacrifice? Who, Me?"

Scripture: Hebrews 13:1-8,15-16

Hymns: We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise/He Has Made me Glad 213-14 ce; We are Called to be God's People 415 ce; Blest be the Tie that Binds, 557 um

September 9

Theme: The sharing of our love and faith brings joy

Sermon: Volunteering Makes a Difference

Scripture: Philemon 1-21

Hymns: Since Jesus Came into my Heart, 84 cb; Help Somebody Today 67 cb; An Evening Prayer 120 cb

September 16

Theme: Even the vilest person on earth may receive the richest blessing of all -- God's Mercy

Sermon: "How Precious Did that Grace Appear"

Hymns: Showers of Blessing 430 ce; Amazing Grace 378 um; Come, Ye Sinners Poor and Needy, 340 um

from Previous Messages

You are part of the community of faith, the family of believers, you must love and forgive.

Let everything we do reflect "Ruach Hessed" - a spirit of lovingkindness

August 5 - Luke 12:13-21

1. Life doesn't consist of possessions.
2. Keep your priorities in right place
3. Include God in every time in life: good and prosperous as well as bad.
4. We all have plenty - share!
5. Seek the Kingdom first and you'll have plenty because God wants to share.

August 12 - Hebrews 11:1-3,8-16

1. Faith is being sure of what we hope for, certain of what we do not see.
2. If faith doesn't cause you to get ready for what you believe in, then you have no evidence of real faith.
3. Faith and hope can't be separated and must look forward.
4. Faith makes obedience, obedience makes righteousness, and righteousness makes one a friend of God
5. Faith is staying attached to the True Vine.
6. Faith is manifested in love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, self-control, thoughtfulness and generosity.
7. We need to be challenged in our faith life to keep us from being sloppy and lazy in our faith.

August 12 - evening service

Jesus attracts the lost sheep; seeks out the lost sheep; finds the lost sheep; and rejoices over the lost sheep

This Week's Activities

Today: choir practice, 6:00;

District Revival begins - schedule below

Sun. 19th, Trinity UMC, Morristown

Mon. 20th, 1st UMC, White Pine

Tue. 21st, Parrotsville UMC

Wed. 22nd, Christ UMC, Greeneville.

Monday: UMW meets at 7:00

Thursday: Board Meeting at 7:00

Today in Sunday School:

Younger Classes - TBA

Teen Class - TBA

New Connections - Difficult Bible passages

Bible Class - Genesis 5-6 - "How High's the Water, Mama?"

Adult Class - John 19 - Christ Crucified - "It is finished"

Announcements

You're invited to a tea honoring Jason and Candace Gass today from 1:00-2:30 at the home of Gordon and Mary Alice Jones

If you'd like free tickets to the Astro's ballgame on Tuesday night, see Ken Rader today.

TIME IS RUNNING OUT: Pounds and Talents projects should be being announced and bought and sold. Katie and Susie can only make so many cookies; they need the help of the adults to make this year's Pounds and Talents a success.

Now that the United in Love fundraiser is over, please continue working on Lord's Acre projects and begin considering what you're going to cook. October is just around the corner.

We will be taking up a special offering next week to help post-Katrina rebuilding in the Gulf Coast. Please see bulletin insert.

The Food Bank need volunteers, especially to help pack food, a few days each month on Wed., Thu., and Fri. Please contact Carmen Ricker at the Food Bank if you can help.

The Bible Class is looking for donations of sugar and pint jars for their annual Blackberry Jam making.

The Pastor and the Mrs. will be in Chattanooga visiting the grandson

on the weekend of Aug. 26. Randy will be speaking at evening worship and the morning service is a soo-prize!

Lisa Durham will make a special presentation regarding Home Health Care and Hospice Care on Wed., Aug. 29 at 7:00 at Mosheim Central.

The Lay Leadership Committee (old Nominating Committee) will meet on Thu., Aug. 30, at 7:00 at the church.

There will be a fundraiser for the medical expenses of Shawn Cutshaw on the 29th at 6:30 at the Lick Creek Race Track.

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Sun., Aug. 26 - UMW Children's Sabbath

Sun., Sept. 2 - S.S. promotion

Sun., Sept. 16 - Churchwide picnic at the park

Fri., Oct. 12 - Bowling Trip

Sun., Oct. 14 - turn in Pounds and Talents money

Sat., Oct. 20 - Lord's Acre

Sun., Oct. 21 - Laity Sunday

Oct. 26-27 - Fall Retreat at Locust's Springs

Sun., Oct. 28 - UMW Sunday; Trunk or Treat

Sun., Nov. 4 - Time Changes

Fri., Nov. 9 - "Let's go to the Gym evening"

Nov. 11-14 - Revival with Jason Roe

Sun., Nov. 11 - Veteran's Day; Organ and Tissue Donor Sunday

Birthday and Anniversaries

19 - Louise Jones; Melissa Ricker

20 - *Guy Cox

21 - John Fillers

23 - Michelle Proffitt

24 - Linda Kite; *Ray Tate

25 - Janine Keith; *Dot Smith

26 - *Charles Jones

Worship Assistants - Aug

Flowers: Joe A. **Sign:** nobody

Ushers: Arnie, John F.; **Prayer:**

nobody **Reading:** Cindy **Communion:** Hyltons; **Acolyte:** Tina J.;

Visitors: nobody **Church Prayer**

Partner: Talley's Chapel;

Contact Information

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Sun. Van Ride: 639-5534; rcdavenport@vaughnmelton.com (Randy/Renda)

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Home Mission Fund: 639-5534 (Randy)

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