

HARDIN'S CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
 Oct. 28, 2007 - All Saints Sunday
 Charles DeHart, Pastor; Randy Davenport, Worship Leader
 "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors"

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Theme: A call for humility rings strange in modern ears, but how can any intelligent, perceptive human being stand before their Creator and Judge without it?

Welcome and Visitor Recognition

*Opening Hymn - Are You Washed in the Blood - p. 330 ce

*Hymn – Look for the Beautiful - 198 cb

*Passing the Peace

Call to Order and collecting of prayer cards

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

Pastoral Sharing of Prayer Cards

Pastoral Prayer and invitation to the altar

Choral Music - Mary Alice Song

Wiggle Time with Mrs. D

Responsive Reading - Psalm 37:1-11- p. 772 - David J.

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Offertory Prayer

Collection of Tithes and Offerings - Arnie, John F.

*Presentation of Offerings - Doxology (screen)

Holy Scriptures – Luke 18:9-14

Spoken Word - "A Tree Known by its Fruit"

*Hymn of Dedication – We Are Climbing Jacob's Ladder - p 418

*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.

Upcoming Services

Oct. 28 - evening

Theme: Oh! What a beautiful change that took place!

Scripture: Acts 9:1-20

Sermon: "The Story of the Church"

Oct. 21 - Harlene Ottinger - UMW Sunday - Colossians 3

1. We need reminders that we're going to be all right - where do we look for our comfort and peace?
2. Low self-esteem cripples us and robs God of opportunities for us to be of service to Him and keeps us from facing giants.
3. We become whole persons by learning to trust God, to love our neighbor and to love ourselves.
4. God loves us so much and created us that it's all right to love ourselves but we only do so in order to be better able to reach out to others.
5. We must clothe ourselves in love, seek God in His word daily and put off our old selves in order to grow.
6. We must reach out to a hurting world; actions speak louder than words and we must be our brother's keeper.
7. We must respond in different ways than our old ways.

from previous messages:

Oct. 14 - "Where are the Others?" - Luke 17:11-19

1. Count your blessings and you'll be surprised what you've got.
2. Believe I Thessalonians 5:18 and it will change your life for the better if you live the words.
3. It is important to do certain things to give thanks despite your circumstances.
 - 3a. If you give God thanks esp. when in pain or grief, it gives God the respect and authority to take care of the problems.
 - 3b. Romans 8:28 shows that God wants the best for us.
 - 3c. When in an unsettled situation:
 1. stop and praise God
 2. stop and pray for help
 3. stop and give thanks.
4. Gratitude is a very powerful healing force.
5. We should be sharing what God has given us and we need to spread love and be thankful at all times.

Guide to Hymnals

- 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

This Week's Activities

Today: Reception for Alta, 2:00-4:00 at Community Center; Trunk or Treat, 6:00; Evening Worship, 7:00

Sat.: Youth Rally at "The Hole", at Christ UMC, 12:00-6:00, grades 6-12

next Sunday: Rotation Sunday School begins again!

Today in Sunday School:

Younger Classes - David plays for Saul
Teen Class - Quick Bible Studies on the Gospel of John
New Connections - Difficult Bible passages
Bible Class - Hooray! Still Afloat! - Genesis 7-9
Adult Class - Romans 1 - Paul introduces himself

Announcements

There will be a reception for Alta Walker's 90th birthday from 2:00 to 4:00 today at the Community Center. No gifts, please, but cards are always appreciated.

Don't forget to "Fall Back" an hour next week or you'll be wondering where everybody else is....

Please note the many holes in our November services if nobody fills the empty worship assistant positions: Responsive Reader, Sign Changer, and Visitor Greeter. Everybody says in January that they're afraid to sign up for this late in the year because they might die before then. Well, it's this late in the year and you ain't, so it'd be a good time to volunteer.

We have assistants, but we still need a leader for the Team Kids and Mission Kids in 2008. There's plenty of time to observe the current leaders in action and learn the job before January.

Speaking of Youth, there will be a Youth Rally at Christ UMC on Sat., Nov. 3, from 12:00 to 6:00, for grades 6-12. It will meet in the "Hole."

Please keep turning in Pounds and Talents monies.

It'll be Revival Time in just a couple of weeks. Keep your calendars open for Sun., Nov. 11 through Wed., Nov. 14 for that!

Oh, goody! It's time to start signing up for cooking and working volunteers for this year's Thanksgiving meal. Notice that there's no mashed potatoes this year! But we will need a few strong fellows to be at Trinity early Thursday morning to help with lifting, baking and loading the turkey because our cook has had surgery and still can't lift the pans.

Another oh, goody! The annual Rotation Sunday School will resume

next Sunday and go through the first half of December. All the youth classes will begin studying and learning and working on the story, scripture, songs and crafts needed for this year's Christmas program, set for Sun., Dec. 16, at 2:00.

Speaking of Christmas, if you check your upcoming events on the other side of the page you can see our planned Advent and Christmas activities. There's always room to add a supper or party!

UPCOMING EVENTS!

Sun., Nov. 4 - Time Changes

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

Nov 11-14: Revival w/Jason Roe

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

Thu., Nov. 22 - Thanksgiving

Sat., Dec. 1 - Resurrection 2008 reservations due

Sat., Dec. 8 - Lake Junaluska Singers Christmas program

Sun., Dec. 9 - Christmas lunch

Fri., Dec. 14 - Lamplight Theatre

Sat., Dec. 15 - Father's Place Christmas program

Sun., Dec. 16 - Christmas Program, 2:00

Mon., Dec. 17 - UMW Christmas dinner, 7:00

Sun., Dec. 23 - bring in Poinsettias (?) maybe week before

Mon., Dec. 24 - Candlelighting service at Hardins

Tue., Dec. 25 - Christmas

Sat., Jan. 5 - Epiphany party

Tue., Dec. 25 - Christmas

In case you missed it last week, the Lord's Acre took in about \$13,500 before expenses.

We also took up a special offering at the request of the Food Bank and collected \$723.00 for the woman in need.

Birthday and Anniversaries

29- Alta Walker; Teresa Moore

30 - Brande Tweed; Meg Taylor

2 - Bonnie Debusk; Carolyn Brooks

3 - M/M Erich Winter

Worship Assistants - Nov.

Flowers: Peggy H. **Sign:** Randy

Ushers: Arnie, Shirley R.; **Reading:** Joe A. **Communion:** Renda;

Acolyte: Joe A; **Visitors:** Randy-

Church Prayer Partner: Talley's

Chapel.

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