

**THE MESSENGER**  
**First United Methodist Church**  
*Loving Christ, Loving others, Serving God*  
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May 30, 2019



Join us for VBS  
June 3<sup>rd</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>  
8:30-11:30  
Volunteers needed!  
Contact Angela Hannaford at 662-934-9367 to volunteer.

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Vivian Amelia "Vivy" Tucker will receive the sacrament of baptism Sunday, June 2 at the 10:55 service. Parents are Jared and Abby Hentz Tucker. Her big brother is Jude. Grandparents are Asa and Loree Tucker of our congregation, Jean L. Hentz of Courtland and the late Rodney Hentz. Her great grandmother is Jane Tucker of our congregation.

#### LIBRARY NEWS

Your group may be interested in Out Live Your Life, Joining God's Plan to Change the World, a church Bible study kit by Mac Lucado. The kit includes a book, workbook and 6 twenty minute sessions taught by Max Lucado on DVDs.

#### YOUTH CALENDAR

##### Sunday, June 2

5:00 P.M.-UMY "Connected", Activities Building

##### Wednesday, May 29

5:30 P.M.-UMYF "Rooted", Activities Building

#### YOUTH EVENTS

##### **June 17-20 Operation 206 Mission Camp**

Has God laid it on your heart to serve the needy and help the poor? Here is how you can! Operation 206 is a camp named after exit 206, the exit on I-55 where we will be doing a lot of our service projects. There we will be serving the community by painting, building projects, and by helping with the VBS program at the Boys and Girls Club. We will be worshipping every day at Grenada United Methodist where we will spend the night and eat. The cost for each student is \$100.

##### **July 7-10 M28 at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina**

This is our big summer youth retreat! During these four days we will worship with other churches across the United States and enjoy bible study, games, and fellowship. The deposit is \$100 per student and the remaining cost after the deposit is an additional \$175. The total amount of \$275 is due May 23<sup>rd</sup>. We have a limited amount of youth we can bring, so please sign up for this camp ASAP! You can pay in the offering plate on Sunday Mornings, drop off the money at the church office, or give it to Drew before or after youth activities.

**The Staff-Parish Relations Committee invites you to join us on Sunday, June 9 at 6 PM in the fellowship hall as we celebrate Ed and Edee's retirement.**

**The meal is potluck.**

## PRAYER REQUEST

**MEMBERS:** Bo Hansen, Denise Benson, Jane Hentz, Lee & Anna Chambers, Sara Rogers, Mike Smith, Gloria Baker, Jerry Knotts, Meg King, Patti Flint, Mary Haberman, Betty Flint, Christy Hansen, Charlie Overton, Tommy Greenlee, Collins Bailey, Doris Shields, Amy Franklin, Ann Trusty, Sally Reid, Hazel Weed, Christopher Baker, Bonnie Land, Trey McGovern, Steve Still, Eloise Rollins, John M. Mothershed, Ellis Byrd, Mary Moody  
**FRIENDS:** Durwood Gordon, Lyle Collins (Cindy Jones' uncle), Wilma Hentz, Austin Walthal, Kim Dean, Atlean Holman (friend of Janet Flint), Jim Baronowski & Family (friends of Bill Dugger), Dean Joiner (Ryna Smith's brother), Emma Katelyn Morton (Ryna Smith's niece), Marcia Kilpatrick, David Still, Kim Dean, Dawson Turner, Joey Haire, Chris Jamison, Brenda May (Scoot Wilson's daughter), V. K. Smith (Evelyn Wofford's son-in-law), The Long family, Kristen Flores, Peggy Burnett (Chris Burnett's mom), Lee Garner, Sr., Don Haire, Kevin Gant, Judy Greene, Paige Elmore, Marrette Mills, Carlee Griste, Jimmy Eubanks (friend of Sue Womble), Edna Rice (aunt of Tom & Rosemary Womble), Barbara Meacham (Kate Meacham's mom), Asher Taylor, Amy Mullins, Robbie Stewart (Phyllis Floyd's son-in-law), Mike Kimbriel, Steve Durr, Shelda Murphree (sister-in-law of Vivian Bridges), Bobby Burkhalter  
**Military Call-Up:** Jeffrey Brown, Jordan Kemp, Jessie Stanley, Dennis Adams, Sam Riddell

## SYMPATHY

We express our Christian sympathy and love to Mike and Tracy Dulin and family at the death of their nephew Bryan Tidwell who passed away on May 25.

*Mr. and Mrs. Dale Lloyd  
and  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Magee  
request the pleasure of your company  
at the marriage of their children*

*Mary Catherine  
And  
Michael Jeffery, II*

*Saturday, the eighth of June  
Two thousand nineteen  
at six o'clock in the evening*

*First Baptist Church  
104 Panola Avenue  
Batesville, Mississippi*

*Reception to follow at The Wilbourn  
Building*

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

May 30-Austin Atkinson, Joe Rivers  
May 31-Anne Jordan Gentry, Sydney Hays, Dottie Langhofer  
June 1-Sara Henri Hannaford  
June 2-Courtney Lange Blevins, Mac Rivers, Blake Sergi, Fisher Sullivan  
June 3-Drew Hamby  
June 4-Karen Borden, Howard Shields  
June 5-Neal Beene, Richard Alan Carothers, Jr., Grant Goforth, Leigh Ann McGovern, Andrea Stubblefield

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

May 30-M/M Jim Kelly Miles, M/M Thomas Pipkin  
May 31-M/M Tommy Greenlee  
June 1-M/M Hal Ferrell, M/M Charles Willoughby  
June 2-M/M David Hardy  
June 3-M/M Josh Vick  
June 5-M/M Brooks Poland

### June 2-Acolytes

**8:30 A.M.**  
Ruthie Thomas/Gabriella Russo

**10:55 A.M.**  
Reid Morris

### June 2-Ushers

**8:30 A.M.**  
Stephen Whatley/Stan Smythe  
Fred Womble/Jack King

**10:55 A.M.**  
Ben Flint/Harry Guckert  
Kirk Willingham/Bill Burnett

### Security Team

Ryna Smith/Mike Smith  
Kevin Sayle/Josh Bright

## ALTAR FLOWERS

June 2-Communion  
June 9-Anonymous  
June 16-Anonymous  
June 23-Open  
June 30-Open  
July 7-Communion  
July 14-Open  
July 21-Open  
July 28-Open

If you would like to place flowers on the altar in honor or in memory of someone, please contact the church office 563-4534 or [firstumc@panola.com](mailto:firstumc@panola.com).

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Wednesday, May 29

**5:30 P.M.-UMYF “Rooted”, Activities Building**

**6:00 P.M.-Chancel Choir**

Sunday, June 2

**8:30 A.M.-Early Morning Worship**

**9:30 A.M.-Fellowship with coffee and donuts in the  
Activities Building**

**9:45 A.M.-Sunday School**

**10:55 A.M.-Morning Worship**

**5:00 P.M.-UMYF “Connected”, Activities Building**

**6:00 P.M.-Evening Worship**

Monday, June 3

**8:30 A.M.-Vacation Bible School**

Tuesday, June 4

**8:30 A.M.-Vacation Bible School**

Wednesday, June 5

**8:30 A.M.-Vacation Bible School**

**5:30 P.M.-UMYF “Rooted”, Activities Building**

**6:00 P.M.-Chancel Choir**

### **MORNING WORSHIP**

“Ours the Cross, the Grave and the Skies!”

Acts 1:1-11

### **EVENING WORSHIP**

Ed Temple

### **Financial Report for May 26, 2019**

2019 Budget	\$1,040,865.00
Budget Amt. Needed Weekly	20,016.63
<b>Budget Amt. Needed to Date</b>	<b>403,049.31</b>
Budget Amt. Offering	6,050.00
<b>Budget Amt. Rec'd to Date</b>	<b>281,317.24</b>

“Tell them to use their money to do good. They should be rich in good works and generous to those in need, always being ready to share with others.” ~ 1 Timothy 6:18

### **Attendance for May 26, 2019**

Sunday School	159
Morning Worship	194
8:30 A.M.	128
10:55 A.M.	56
Nursery	6
Security	4