
August 24, 2023, VUMC Weekly

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Thursday, August 24, 2023 The Chimes Newsletter, Village United Methodist Church



**WALK FOR CANCER RESEARCH OR SUPPORT
THOSE WALKING - See article in The Chimes.**
Our current goal is to have 50 persons to sign up
as part of our 50th Anniversary.
As of moments ago, the count was 39 and WE
HAVE RAISED \$1,895.00 FOR THIS NEED
WHICH WILL BENEFIT SO MANY!
On Sunday, help us reach our goal!

Scripture Text, Sermon Title and Music



Matthew 16: 13-20

Message:

"A Living Question"

Pastor Chris Hemund

9:00

**He Is Exalted (Gathering)
Rock of Ages
Ancient of Days
Awesome In This Place
He Is Exalted**

11:00

**Forth In Thy Name, O Lord
Spirit of the Living God
Take My Life and Let It Be**

Anthem: Christian Soldier Medley

Altar Flowers

Altar flowers this Sunday are given by
Charles, Teresa and David
to the glory of God and in memory of
Dwinelle John Swanson.



Opportunities to Serve

There are more ways to serve than those listed below but take a look at the special ways listed this week. Serving once a month, every week, seasonal; just let us know where you would like to be in ministry at VUMC. Click on the link below to sign up. The sign-up link is checked every few days for any new signups so prayerfully consider being part of one of these special ministries.



Handbells are resuming! Thursday, August 31, at 3:15 p.m.
We have a spot for you! Handbell ringing is an "on the job" training opportunity as reading music, even though helpful, is not required. It would be great to use our 2-octave bell music which needs 8 ringers or even better, our 3-octave bell arrangements which takes 11 ringers. Let August 31 be the timing for you to join this music ministry OR were you a bell ringer from the past? Return to bell ringing on August 31. Contact Stephen Edds at stephen@villageumc.net or call the church 501-922-1030 to claim your spot.

Jackson House Kitchen Ministry

CLICK ABOVE: Jackson House Kitchen Ministry sign-up sheet.

Our church helps with meal preparation on the 3rd Monday of every month (regardless of holidays) from 10:00 A.M.-1:00 P.M. for those in need. Sign-up sheet for the Jackson House Kitchen is still be in the Narthex on the Opportunity Table or sign up by clicking on the link above. It is a rewarding experience, and you are blessed by serving. Thank you so much for volunteering! For any information contact Susan Torpy.

Chancel Choir members for the 11:00 Service

Click above to sign up.

Information:

Chancel Choir rehearsals have resumed on Wednesdays at 3:00

The Good Vibrations Handbell Choir will begin August 31 and will meet on Thursday afternoon at 3:15.

Hallway Bulletin Board for Witness Team

Click above to sign up. Needed for the Witness Team

Greeter for 11:00 Service

Click above to sign up. Greet Visitors in Narthex before 11:00 Service

Candlelighter for 11:00 Service

Click above to sign up. Sundays, 11:00 - 12:00



TWO WORDS

The July 23 sermon, Pastor Chris told of two words that change everything. Those words were "In Christ."

"The Bible in 50 Words" for our 50th Anniversary in ministry. Be looking weekly for a Bible story, a total of 25 stories, with just 2 words. Here is the fourth story.

#4. Abraham split. Genesis 12: 1-4



Happy Birthday

- 8/24 David Childs
- 8/26 Jane Bieber
- 8/26 Dodie Kenney
- 8/27 Madelyn Higby
- 8/29 Jerry Harkleroad
- 8/31 Rosetta DuBose
- 9/01 David Glomski
- 9/01 Margie Rogers
- 9/02 Karis Alderson
- 9/02 Rickie Barnes
- 9/02 Grace Johnson
- 9/04 Bill Heger
- 9/04 Suzie Reed
- 9/06 Mo Coffman
- 9/07 Ed Pittman



Happy Anniversary

- 8/24 Bob & Connie Shoemaker
- 8/27 Carl & Carolyn Kalkbrenner
- 8/29 Eddie & Charlotte McCarty
- 8/31 Gary & Phyllis Titterington
- 9/01 Willis & Karis Alderson
- 9/05 Mac & Debbie Scott



Because of your generosity ...

This month we were able to:

- purchase nearly \$1500 in groceries to distribute through our Mobile Food Pantry.
- purchase and install new visual/TV/video screens for Steel Hall.
- send scholarship money to ten institutions for 11 students, including our first vo-tech award.
- have clean robes for the choir to wear for the coming year.
- support Adult and Teen Challenge of Arkansas.



Enneagram and Me

A few words of what *The Enneagram Journey* means to our congregational family.

"For me it is 'life changing!' I wish I had studied it years ago... it helps to clarify and verify so very much about who I am!"

Connie Shoemaker

The Enneagram Journey

Thursdays beginning

September 7 - November 16

1:00 - 3:00 p.m. - Searchers Classroom

Cost is \$10.00

Sign up with Mary Anne Settle, maryanne@village.net



Four members of VUMC have served as President of the HSV POA Board:

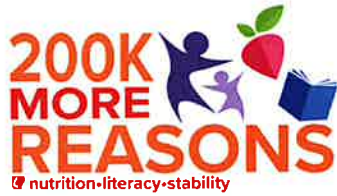
Mike Medica, Mike Misch,
Bob Shoemaker, and Bob Smith

In addition, Dave Johnston was a member of VUMC when he served as the General Manager of the HSV POA for fifteen years.

Hot Springs Village P.E.O. Chapter 08
Deals On Wheels Fundraiser
PEO Deals on Wheels
Canceled for August 25 due
Friday, August 25
9:00 AM to 4:00 PM
to the extremely high
Village United Methodist Church, Sevin Parking Lot
200 Carmona Road, Hot Springs Village
temperature.

Rescheduled for October 20.
MARK YOUR CALENDAR!





Take a moment to watch the 5-minute video from Elm Springs UMC which is on the 200K Reasons [CLICK THIS LINK for info on 200K More Reasons](#)

THIS WEDNESDAY

ATTEND IF YOU CAN

Food Pantry Workshop

with guests from the Arkansas Conference

**Wednesday, AUGUST 30
2:30 p.m. - Steel Hall**

We are hosting a Food Pantry workshop with representatives from the Arkansas Conference of the United Methodist Church: 200,000 Reasons Initiative. They will be helping us brainstorm and create better ways for reaching out into the community with our Mobile Food Pantry. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity.



BIRTHDAY BAGS NEEDED!

We are continuing to collect Birthday Bags to take to Faith Fellowship Church. FFC distributes them at their regularly scheduled food distribution (twice a month on Wednesdays). This is an on-going, year-round, mission opportunity so the children can have a Happy Birthday.

Thank you to those in the past and those in the future who provide this special need!

**Each Birthday Bag should contain the following:
9x12 aluminum baking pan with lid,
one box cakemix and container of frosting,
birthday paper plates, cups, napkins, plastic forks,
birthday candles AND
a large birthday gift bag to put it all in.
Leave the Birthday Bags in the Narthex below the
Opportunity Table.**



**REGISTRATION IS
STILL HAPPENING
IN OUR NARTHEX
ON SUNDAYS**
for the Village Walk for
Cancer Research

WHO IS GOING TO BE #50????

**HELP US MEET OUR GOAL and HELP SUPPORT
THIS GREAT PROGRAM TOWARDS
CANCER RESEARCH!**

**Join the
Village United Methodist Team
As of moments ago, August 23, our count was 39!
Our goal is 50!**
So far, we have raised \$1,895.00 for this special research
program. Helping many through cancer research.
Keep the registrations coming!

**Sign up on Sunday in the Narthex
or during the week at the church office.**

**Walk!
Support those who walk!
Pray for those who walk!**

**Added information: When you register, make sure to sign and
date the Waiver and Photo Release Agreement on the flip side of
the registration form.**

**Cost: \$35 through September 8
ONLY 2 WEEKS till the registration fee increases!
After September 8th, \$40
The Walk is Sept. 30
Our Prayer Booth will be there.**

Look for Betty Gress and Joyce Barone to find it. Stop in for a moment of prayer.
Opening Ceremony on September 30 starts at 8:00 a.m. at Balboa Pavilion.
The walking area is Balboa and Hernando Trails (5 miles).
Rain or Shine. Available will be free fruit, water, coffee, hot dogs and brats.
You will need to get there early. Signing in begins at 7:30 a.m.



**P.S. We are still collecting new or
gently worn sneakers. Put your
donations in the boxes marked for
Sneakers.**

2023
VEIN DRAIN
GOT GUTS?

**Village United Methodist Church
and Knights of Columbus
Blood Drive**

**Tuesday, September 5
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.**

200 Carmona Rd, Fellowship Hall

To schedule an appointment, call
Connie Shoemaker, Primary Blood Drive
Coordinator, at (501) 204-2530,
OBI at 877-340-8777 or visit obi.org.

Appointments are preferred,
but walk-ins are welcome.

Walk-ins Welcome!

**Scan to schedule
your appointment!**



Donors will receive this glow-in-the-dark Vein Drain T-shirt* and one free entry to Little Rock Zoo!



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Photo ID required. *while supplies last



Village United Methodist Church and the Hot Springs Village Rotary Club are hosting a NARCAN training course through the program SOZO. The date is **Friday, Sept. 8, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.**, and held in Steel Hall. Participants will learn how to recognize the signs and symptoms of an opioid overdose, as well as appropriate care to provide, based on the individual's breathing and level of responsiveness. You also will learn how to administer Naloxone, the opioid overdose reversal drug. Each participating family will be given a free nasal spray sample kit. A sign-up sheet is available in the Narthex or you may call the office, 501-922-1030.



[Click this LINK for information about SOZO](#)

Radio Broadcast

The worship service for August 20, will be broadcast on August 27, but did not have a sponsor.



KVRE.com

To be a sponsor for the broadcast on any given Sunday, call the church office at 501-922-1030 to reserve the date; the cost is \$75.

You can hear the sermon on the radio station at 11:00 am and 5:30 pm. on Sundays. Reminder the sermon will be from the prior Sunday. Use the LINK below to listen to the radio online. **[Click this Link for KVRE 92.9 FM](#)**



Watch online anytime!
Click the LINK below.

Click this LINK for the
Contemporary Service.
LINK August 20, 2023,
Contemporary Worship LINK

Click this LINK for the
Traditional Service.
LINK August 20, 2023,
Traditional Service LINK.

Did you miss worshipping with us this past Sunday?

Pastor Regina Turner's message
was based on Matthew 15: 21-28



Planning a Legacy

Rev. J. Wayne Clark will be here
on September 28 for a "Planning
a Legacy" seminar. It will begin at
11:00 a.m. and includes a lunch
provided by The Foundation.

Other United Methodist churches in the surrounding communities will be
invited to join us for this special seminar. Make plans to attend.

A message from Rev. J. Wayne Clark

Click this LINK for a message from The Methodist Foundation

September / October Upper Room available



Some Dates to Remember:

August 25 - POSTPONED: PEO "Deals On Wheels" will be October 20 in our parking lot.

August 30 - Food Pantry Workshop led by the Arkansas Conference 200,000 Reasons

September 5 - Blood Drive

September 6 - Executive Board of UWF

September 7 - UMM resumes

September 7 - Enneagram Journey begins

September 8 - Deadline for early sign up for The Walk (The Walk Sept. 30)

September 8 - NARCAN Training

September 10 - The Chosen, Season 3

September 11 - UWF resumes

September 13 - HSV Community Fair

September 18 - The Golden Rule, presented by The Arkansas Alliance of Braver Angels

September 24 - ONE SERVICE at 10:30 a.m.

September 28 - Planning a Legacy presented by The Methodist Foundation of AR

September 30 - Walk for Cancer Research (Walk or Support those who walk).

Be sure and sign up to support this mission. Be part of the 50!

CLICK [LINK](#) BELOW to see the VUMC Weekly Calendar
[August 27 - September 1 LINK Weekly Calendar](#)

2023 LEADERSHIP TEAM

**denotes Chairperson*

Class of 2023

Linda Black (**Witness*)
Gary Buettner (**Trustee*)
John Whitwell (*L.T. Chair*)
Connie Shoemaker (**SPRC*)

Class of 2024

Debbie Perryman (*SPRC*)
Joe Pollard (**Finance*)
Duane Heckelsberg (*Trustee*)
Gary Mouton (*Trustee*)

Class of 2025

Rosetta DuBose (**Outreach*)
Genell Harris (*SPRC*)
Slade Strickland (*Trustee*)
Mary Hushaw (**Nurture*)

Also with vote: Glenn Wortham – *Lay Leader/Lay Member to Annual Conference*
Rick Perryman – *United Methodist Men*
Betty Weetman – *United Women of Faith (SPRC)*

Without vote: Senior Pastor, Financial Manager/Treasurer, Recording Secretary

CURRENT COMMITTEES: Committee on Lay Leadership; Nurture; Outreach; Witness; and Scholarship.

Rev. Chris Hemund,
Senior Pastor
Rev. Regina Turner,
Associate Pastor
Lee Ann Branch,
Community Life
Mary Anne Settle,
Spiritual Director

Bettie Land,
Administrative Secretary
Lisa Hester, Communications
Nikki Saltmarsh, Finance
Stephen Edds, Music Director
Lisa Hester, Accompanist
Houston Pierce, Audio/Video

SUNDAY WORSHIP

9:00 PRAISE SERVICE
10:00 Sunday School
11:00 TRADITIONAL
SERVICE

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