

### **VUMC Weekly**

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Thursday, September 21, 2023, The Chimes Newsletter, Village United Methodist Church



DID YOU READ THE Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday EMAILS with the Staff baby pictures?

One more reminder:
September 24
ONE WORSHIP SERVICE
at 10:30 a.m.



#### FROM YOUR PASTOR

I hope you've considered attending the workshop next week, Planning a Legacy. We will host this event next Thursday, September 28, in Steel Hall. Program begins at 11:00, and a FREE catered box lunch by Melinda's will be enjoyed.

Planning a Legacy includes very helpful information about wills, funeral and memorial services, end of life planning, and legacy gifts. The goal for this event is to help you take the next steps in planning as part of your legacy. Many of you have already taken some of these steps, but perhaps there is additional information that will prove useful for you.

Whether you have already begun to plan for the future, or you're unsure of where to begin, I believe this workshop will be a great resource for all of us. I'm grateful for the Methodist Foundation of Arkansas for sponsoring this event. Sign up Sunday in the narthex or by calling the church office. Deadline for registration is Tuesday at 9 AM.

Chris

## Scripture Text, Sermon Title and Music

1 Peter 4:10-11

Message

"We All Have A Part"

**Chris Hemund** 

ONE WORSHIP SERVICE

10:30 a.m.

Come, Christians, Join to Sing A Charge to Keep I Have

> Anthem: Psalm 139 Arr. Allen Pote



CHECK ARTICLES IN THE CHIMES FOR DETAILS

## Have you signed up?

Tuesday Great Future Faith Kids at 2:00 (you are needed a little earlier)

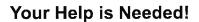
Planning a Legacy Workshop Deadline Tuesday 9:00am

Village Walk for Cancer Research

**Jackson House** 

50th Anniversary Potluck with Former Pastors

OR Provided Birthday Bags



We are looking for volunteers for our Great Futures Faith Kids ministry beginning Tuesday Oct 3 from 2 PM - 3 PM. We'll need a teacher and an assistant, and two crossing guards for each week. Crossing guards will not have to stay. If this is your calling and you would like to be of help please sign up in the Narthex, and if you have any questions, you may contact Linda Black, Susan Holick, or Pastor Chris. Please consider this ministry, as it is so important and so very rewarding.

Thank you and God bless. Any questions, call Linda at 501-209-5830 or email me.



## 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.

### Jackson House Kitchen Ministry

**CLICK ABOVE:** Jackson House Kitchen Ministry sign-up sheet. 3rd Monday each month from 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. at Jackson House for helping during the lunch time. Sign up with LINK above or the sign-up sheet in the Narthex on the Opportunity Table.

#### 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. *Put your smile to good use*. Be a greeter in the Narthex before the 11:00 Worship Service

#### Candlelighter for 11:00 Service

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

### **Altar Flowers**

Altar flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God by the VUMC SPRC Liaisons to honor our wonderful staff.





#### KVRE.com

## **Radio Ministry**

If you would like to sponsor the Radio Ministry in honor of or in memory of a friend or family member, call the church office (501)-922-1030) to reserve a Sunday. The cost is \$75. The sermon for Sunday, September 17, will

be broadcast on the radio station KVRE 92.9 on September 24.

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 station anytime.

Click this Link for KVRE 92.9 FM



## **Happy Birthday**

9/21 Rick Perryman

9/23 Barbara English

9/24 Mike Fleming

9/25 Sherry Evans

9/26 Shirley Breedlove

9/27 Genie Kistler

9/27 Shirley Tailby

9/28 Albert Higby

9/28 Jim Morris

**9/29 Jim Duit** 



## **Happy Anniversary**

All the September Anniversaries

# THIS SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 24 @ 10:30 a.m.

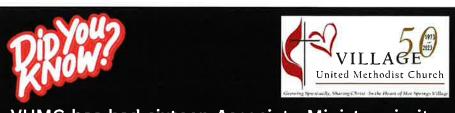
Did you receive an email on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with a baby picture of all 10 staff members? (Those without email ... you received all 10 staff pictures in one mailout.)



This Sunday the "Who is Who" will all be REVEALED!

MAKE PLANS TO ATTEND WORSHIP AT 10:30 a.m. and come early to attend Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

The following Sunday, October 1, is World Communion Sunday.
We return to our regular worship schedule:
Contemporary Worship Service 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Traditional Worship Service 11:00 a.m.



VUMC has had sixteen Associate Ministers in its history. Of these, three have been women. The first, Linda Fox, served from 2006-2009. Wanda Murray (2010) and currently Regina Turner, who began July 1, 2023. You may also remember that Regina was with us for a short moment during the beginning of the Covid-19 pandemic.

## **Planning a Legacy**

## Thursday, September 28 11:00 a.m.

(includes a box lunch from Melinda's)

### Steel Hall

Deadline to sign up is this Tuesday, Sept. 26 at 9:00 a.m.

## New information, updating and includes a Q&A time with an attorney.

The Methodist Foundation for Arkansas

Planning a Legacy:

How faithful people prepare

The Methodist Foundation for Arkansas has designed a new "Planning a Legacy" holistic estate planning seminar for our local churches. This complimentary seminar includes hearing information and receiving a binder of resources on basic information about wills, funeral and memorial services, end-of-life planning, and legacy gifts. The goal of the seminar is to inspire participants to take their next steps in their estate planning and to see it as a part of their legacy. For some that may be an initial trip to an attorney, for others it may be a follow-up appointment, sharing their funeral plans with a loved one, or adding their church to their will.

A sign-up sheet is available in the Narthex or call the church office (501) 922-1030 by 9:00am Tuesday, Sept. 26.



## The rehearsals for the Christmas Cantata "Come to the Manger" by Mark Hayes, have begun!

The Wednesday choir rehearsal schedule - 3:00 - 4:00: Sunday morning anthems

Currently 4:00 - 4:15: Cantata

Come join for all anthems or just the Cantata.

The Choir room is located in the upstairs area of the church building, East wing.

The Good Vibrations Handbell Choir rehearsals are on Thursdays at 3:15 p.m. The Handbell room is located in the upstairs area of the church building, East wing. Contact Stephen Edds at Stephen@villageumc.net or call the church office (501-922-1030) to be transferred to his office, for details and to claim your spot.



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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 each. Here is the eighth story.

#8. Pharoah plagued. Exodus 3: 20, 19-20

Have you been following the Two Words? God made; Adam bit; Noah arked; Abraham split; Jacob fooled; Joseph ruled, Bush talked.

## 50th Anniversary Celebration Former Pastor Appreciation Potluck Lunch

## Sunday, October 8, 2023 Noon to 2:00PM Steel Hall

Reminder: One Worship Service 10:30 a.m. on October 8

#### **Mark Your Calendars Now!**

Make plans to attend the Village UMC Potluck Lunch on Sunday, October 8th from noon to 2:00PM in Steel Hall. There will be only one service that Sunday beginning at 10:30am. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex and will be there for the next two Sundays.

As part of continuing our 50th Anniversary Celebration, we will honor former Senior Pastors and Association Pastors who have served Village UMC. Let's all show our appreciation for their service at this special Potluck Lunch.

The meat entrees of ham and turkey will be provided by the church so bring your favorite casserole dish, side dish, salad or dessert and enjoy fun and fellowship with your church family. Remember to affix a label to your dish and bring it to the kitchen on Sunday morning before the service. Church dinnerware will be used, so there is no need to bring your own. Coffee, tea and water will be served.

Join The Celebration!

August 24 - Count 39
August 31 - Count 68
September 7 - Count 101
September 14 - Count 103
Amount raised for Cancer
Research over \$4560

THE WALK IS SEPTEMBER 30



## THIS SUNDAY (September 24) IS THE LAST SUNDAY TO REGISTER AT THE CHURCH

The church still has forms available. The registration cost is now \$40. Need help finding them or filling them out, check with the office (501-922-1030) or see Joyce Barone or Gwen Davis this Sunday.

P.S. The Love Circle of the United Women in Faith have completed the project of sneakers donations.

Thank you to those who have donated. The final count was 80 pairs.



## TO THOSE WHO HAVE REGISTERED FOR "THE WALK"

It is a week away, on Saturday, September 30

Signing in begins at 7:30 a.m. Opening Ceremony 8:00 a.m. Balboa Pavilion

WEAR YOUR BLUE 50th ANNIVERSARY SHIRT. If you forget to wear your blue, don't worry and just come be a part of this special morning.

GROUP PICTURE is after the Opening Ceremony and will be in the grassy area on the waterside of the pavilion.

Just look for a lot of blue shirts.

#### **OUR PRAYER BOOTH will be there.**

INFO: PICK UP YOUR WALK T-SHIRT September 25 or 26 (Mon or Tues)
1-3 p.m. at Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church parking lot,
295 Balearic Road (at Fresno Road).

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.

## Faith, Fellowship, Fun and Food



Pictured: Dennis Piehl, Susie Piehl, Debrah Cole, Trent Cole, Duane Heckelsberg, Brenda Tarno, Arlene Platz, Colleen Bland, and Jim Bland. Shepherd Group 31 gathered Wednesday, September 6, at Dolce Vita, for a wonderful dinner and a good time visiting.

A wonderful and fun time was had by all.

Shepherd Group 35
met for their monthly
breakfast and fellowship at
Debra's on Tuesday 19
September. Many of the
conversations were about
the upcoming pot luck and
which of our previous
pastors would be present.



In attendance at Shepherd Group 35 Tuesday morning breakfast.

Paul and Shelly Cantwell, Bill and Sherry Evans, Jim and J'laine Fox, Tom and Loraine Melcher, Joe and Mary Lynn Pollard, Richard and Gerrie Sanders, Bear Starr, Jim and Marilynn Tanner, Zack Taylor, Ed and Randy Wallace, John and Darlene Whitwell and Glenn Wortham.



#### ITEMS FOR BIRTHDAY BAGS

Each Birthday Bag should contain the following:
9x12 aluminum baking pan with lid,
one box cake mix 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.



## Did you miss worshiping with us this past Sunday?

Pastor Chris' message "Forgiveness Doesn't Keep Count"

## Watch online anytime! Click the LINK below.

Click this LINK for the Contemporary Service. LINK September 17, 2023, Contemporary Worship LINK

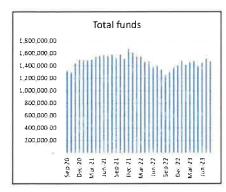
Click this LINK for the Traditional Service.

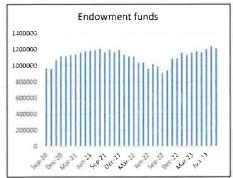
LINK, September 17, 2023, Traditional Service LINK.

The scripture for last Sunday was Matthew 18:21-35.

#### Village UMC Financial Report Year to date as of August 31, 2023

	Month		Year to date	
	<u>Budget</u>	Actual	Budget	<u>Actual</u>
General Fund: (checking account)				
Receipts	\$ 50,645.92	\$ 48,920.03	\$ 405,292.36	\$ 421.252.04
Transfers for capital/Capital donation 1	or carpeting			\$ 78.549.58
Disbursements	\$ 50,252.74	\$ 51,303.00	S 395,174.78	\$ 391.391.63
Capital Expenses	\$ -		\$ 17,600.00	\$ 87,649.58
Designated funds: (checking and savings account)				
Receipts		\$ 2,469.60		
Disbursements		\$ 12,978.64		
Checking and Savings Accounts Balance				\$ 110,627,83
Special funds:				
Arkansas Methodist Foundation Bldg/Prop Reserve Fund			S 31.676.71	
Arkansas Methodist Foundation Endowment Fund			\$ 1,209,561.80	
Arkansas Methodist Foundation Endowment Income Fund			\$ 9.069.63	
Arkansas Methodist Foundation Galloway Bequest/Mobile Food Pantry			\$ 105,934.60	
Total special funds	-			\$ 1,356,242.74





Detailed report available in church library.

### Some Dates to Remember

(check articles for more information):



**September 24 - ONE SERVICE at 10:30 a.m.** Staff Appreciation Sunday

September 27 - Leadership Team Meeting

September 27 - Staff Luncheon

September 28 - Planning a Legacy presented by The Methodist Foundation of AR (Sign up by 9:00 Tuesday-lunch is provided)

September 30 - Walk for Cancer Research

October 1 - World Communion Sunday Special Giving Sunday

October 3 - Great Futures children's ministry begins. This is weekly on Tuesdays at 2:00 p.m.

October 8 - ONE SERVICE at 10:30 am with Potluck Luncheon. Former Pastors & Associate Pastors will be here.

October 15 - Pledge Commitment Sunday

October 20 - Deals on Wheels

October 31 - Community Trunk or Treat at Ponce de Leon Center. Village UMC will participate.

## CLICK LINK BELOW to see the VUMC Weekly Calendar September 17 - 24 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) e) 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 Katie Goodwin, Custodian

### SUNDAY WORSHIP

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

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