



The Messenger

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YOUTH TAKE MISSION TRIP TO WEST VIRGINIA

Some 15 CFUMC ninth graders spent a week in West Virginia painting porches, cleaning gutters, doing yardwork, providing daycare to children, and visiting nursing homes. The group of 18 (three chaperones) worked very hard during the day, and each night enjoyed activities in the community. Our youth also enjoyed meeting youth from Ohio, New Jersey, and California, who were also working in the same West Virginia community. The group is looking forward to another trip next summer. Those youth and chaperones who traveled are Bess Glanton, Emma Diment, Sara Ellen Turner, Maddie Batch, Ashley Stevens, Adria Williamson, Michaelia Spradlin, Danielle Garland, Taylor Teague, Lee Drew, Graeme Watson, Alex Lawrence, Sam Reeve, Kendall Pence, Sydney Gaston, David Drew, Dana Reeve, and Kelly Glanton.



Ashley Stevens and Adria Williamson are shown swinging some of the children for which they helped provide daycare during their mission trip to West Virginia.



Emma Diment is shown at left washing dishes during the mission trip. The youth were responsible for preparing meals and cleaning up afterward.

Intercessory Prayer

Jan Adams • Bob Sharpless • Nell Meadows • Barry Griffin
 Judy Skinner • Vann Saunders • Jana Thurman
 Doris O. Kaylor • Kitty Kaylor • E.H. Hearn • Dixie Satterfield
 Linda Bonner Aitken
 Mildred Lambert • Horace Carden • Audrey Albright
 Matt Dixon
 Sam Duffey, son of Mike Duffey • Anita Saunders
 David Shaddix Family, friends of Stan and Leslie Hodgins
 Francisco Calimomo, friend of Tim Hines family
 Frank Satterfield • Dera Simonton • Jordan Hembree, serving in Iraq
 Fred Baity, grandfather of June Moore's grandchildren,
 Laura & Dustin Baity
 Ashley Shaw, friend of June Lumpkin
 Alice Shaw & Barr Wilborn, friends of Shelley Anderson
 Mary Jean Banks, friend of Jerry Eady
 Barney Finlen, uncle of Amy Lane
 Tommie Allen, aunt of Celia Ledbetter
 Willis Boddie, Amanda Hendrix's friend's father
 Shirley Digsby & Allen Payton, friend and son of Eva Haynes
 Tommy McGuire, uncle of Amanda Camp's friend
 Russ Sharp, friend of Dan Minish and others
 Terri & Sara Thurman • Melanie Phillips, friend of Amanda Camp
 Travis McGinnis, family member of Clint & Kathryn Samples

Rev. Eddie Herring, Senior Pastor
 Rev. Karla Oroszko, Associate Pastor
 Rev. Greg Cochran, Youth Minister
 Rev. Mark Barnes, Music Minister
 Rev. John Cuenas, Hispanic Minister
 Ernestine Maddox, Administrator

Angie Chesser, Financial Secretary
 Pat Reynolds, Communications Manager
 Diane Albright, Director of Nursery Ministries
 Tony and Cheryl Childers, Organist/Pianist
 Christopher Thurman, Facilities Manager
 Clara Norton, Eva Haynes Custodians
 Dr. Dean Milford, Minister to Adults

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Win Pray Give Serve Glorify Great Day of Service



Please mark Saturday, Aug. 16, our Great Day of Service, on your calendars. Last year we had a great day with almost 300 people involved. My prayer is that we will have this many or more. If you have a yellow shirt from last year, we will use these again. If you do not, you need to let us know what size you need. We want everyone in a yellow shirt. One of the things I heard from our cluster meetings is for us to have opportunities to do local missions. Our Great Day of Service on Aug. 16 does exactly that. CFUMC will be able to show the love of God in everyday practical ways to the people of Carrollton. This is a great way for CFUMC to reach out to our community and to show them that we care. As we go out into the community, it is my prayer that people will see Jesus in us. You are asked to fill out a form and let us know where you would like to serve. On the back of the form is a list of opportunities to serve. Please give us your 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choices. We will meet at 8:30 a.m. to take Holy Communion. Then you will be sent out to show the love of God to Carrollton. Please mark Aug. 16 on your calendar and join us for our Great Day of Service. See you at church Sunday, share Jesus, meet someone's needs, and have a great week!

Eddie

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Announcements

FLOOD BUCKETS MISSING

There are 60 buckets missing that have been issued at past Flood



Bucket Project times

Please check your garage, utility rooms, etc.

We need the buckets.

Bring full or empty!

Midwest is desperate for

our help. Please return them by Sunday, July 20.

GREAT DAY OF SERVICE

Mark your calendars for the 2nd annual "Great Day of Service," Saturday, Aug. 16. Watch for details.

BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY

A seven-week Tuesday morning Beth Moore Bible study, "Stepping Up, a Journey through the Psalms of Ascent," will begin, Sept. 9. More details will follow.

STRONG TOWER SPONSORSHIP

Thank you to all who stepped up to the sponsor the children from Strong Tower. If you took a sponsorship form and didn't turn it in, please call Greg Cochran or bring it by the church office.

PICK UP DISHES

There are several serving dishes left from Vacation Bible School. If you are missing a dish, you may pick it up in the church library.

This Sunday at CFUMC

July 20, 2008

9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Worship Services Sanctuary

Sermon: "Wherever You Go"

Rev. Karen Kagiyama

Scripture: Genesis 28: 10 - 19a; Psalm 139:1-12; 23 & 24

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Fellowship Hall

Sermon: "The Family Business"

Rev. Karla Otroszko

Scripture: Romans 8: 12 - 25

11:00 a.m. Hispanic Worship Service Chapel

Led by Rev. John Cuentas

Volunteer to Teach!

This past year was our best year for Children's Sunday School and KidZone. Now it is time for us to prepare for the upcoming year. Please prayerfully consider teaching children's Sunday School or being a KidZone leader on Wednesdays. Volunteers don't have to commit to every Sunday or Wednesday.

And you don't have to have a child in the program to volunteer - just ask Laddie Carter! We promise you will have fun and be blessed. Call Amy or Kelly or e-mail kglanton@bellsouth.net.

Amy and Kelly

Children's Ministry upcoming activities

Mystery Night for upcoming 4th & 5th graders

Monday, July 28; 5:00 - 10:00 p.m.

\$5 fee

Bring swimsuit and towel. Reservation is required by July 25. Email Amy at aharris@cfumc.com or call the church office.

Let's Go to the Water Park!!

Wednesday, July 30

Midtown Water Park

10 - 11:30 a.m.

\$3 per swimmer

'Adventuring Ministries' serves all adults

Dr. Dean Milford, minister to adults, has been busy reviving the older adult ministry, now called "Adventuring Ministries." And it's not just for "older adults" anymore. All adult ages are welcome to any of the activities planned.

Formerly the Sunshine Club and the Prime Timers, this ministry serves the senior citizens of the church for years.

"We have had so much interest from adults of all ages, we have expanded the ages to include all

adults," says Milford.

Activities kick off with an ice cream party on July 31, and range from a trip to the Fox Theater for "Les Miserables" to a night in Cedartown for "Davy

Adventuring Ministries Ice Cream Party and Sing-a-Long

July 31

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

All adults invited

Our Positive Witness

July 13, 2008

Worship: 512

9 am - 63; 11 am Contemporary- 234;

11 am Traditional - 181; Nursery - 20;

Hispanic - 14

Sunday School:

10 am - 314

July 8 - 14, 2008

Weekly Revenue needed to meet 2008 Budget \$19,968.00

Weekly Revenue Received 21,097.67

YTD Revenue Needed to meet 2008 Budget 532,909.00

YTD Received 575,303.53

Designated Funds:

Memorials: Tom Reeve 250.00

Dan Jordan 50.00

Shelby Rhodes 50.00

"New Building Fund" Memorial:

Elizabeth Browne 350.00

Missions 145.00

Hispanic Ministry 50.00

Youth Building Renovation 135.00

Jones and His Monkee Memories and Dinner."

More information on other activities will be available at the ice cream party, during which time reservations will be taken. CFUMC members and attendees will be given first priority but then it will be open to any others at a stated date.

For more information on "Adventuring Ministries, contact Milford, cdeanmilford@bellsouth.net or call the church office.

Serving This Week

9 am

Ushers: Milton & Susan Berry

Greeters: Jim & Carolyn Sneddon, Dan & Sue McBrayer, Nancy Tunnell

11 am Contemporary

Ushers: Tony Newman, Lee Barr, Joe McGinnis, Travis Rogers, David Godwin, Paul & Patti Allen

Greeters: Paul & Charlotte Penland, Patsy & Bill Rhodes

11:00 am Traditional

Ushers: Jeff Gordon, Ben Gordon, Gary Cottrell, Ernest McClendon, Charlie Murrah, Bobby Sanders, Cal Johnson, Warren Daubenspock, Mark Gustafson

Greeters: Peggy Gordon, Chuck & Michelle Conerly, Robin & Matt Street

Front Porch Visitation - Idy s Overton

This Week at CFUMC

Sunday, July 20

9 am - Morning Worship, Sanctuary

10 am - Sunday School

11 am - Contemporary Worship,
Fellowship Hall

11 am - Traditional Worship, Sanctu-
ary

11 am - Hispanic Worship -
Chapel

6 pm - Youth Activities, Solid Rock
Cafe'

Monday, July 21

7 pm - Missions Committee,
rm.207

Tuesday, July 22

9 am - Yoga, InZone

Thursday, July 24

9 am - Yoga, InZone

Note to **Hispanic congregation:
TIME CHANGE: worship will
now be held at 11 a.m. in the
Chapel.