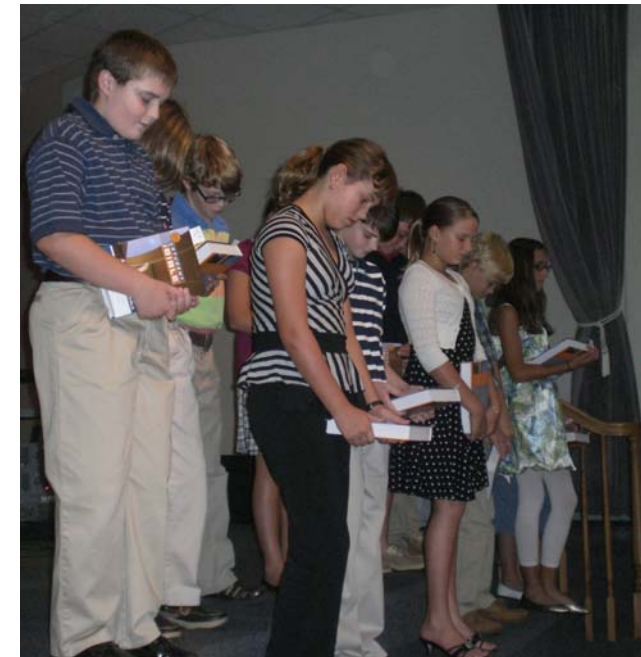


The Messenger



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CFUMC PRESENTS BIBLES TO YOUTH



Sixth graders are shown having received their Bibles during worship last Sunday.

CFUMC presents Bibles each year to 2nd and 6th graders of the church so they will all have the same Bibles and to encourage them to read their Bibles daily.

Second graders who received Bibles last week were Kimmie Bennett, Caroline Carter, Kathryn Carter, Olivia Fannin, Elizabeth Garrett, Isabelle Gustafson, T.J. Middlebrooks, Raquel Perez, Graham Satterfield, Samuel Stone, Molly Tanner, Jay Thomason, Jr., Andrew Threadgill, Lily Turner, and Micah Cochran.

Sixth graders receiving Bibles this week were Maggie Elizabeth Barrett, Robert Russell Bennett, Katie Beth Carter, Norman King Carter, IV, Jameson Clark Cochran, Mamie Kae Crawford, Austin Wilson Garrett, John Columbus Garrett, Heather Abigail Herring, Mary Katherine Hirvela, Hadley Lynn Jakins, Coby Miles, John Martin Pilgrim, Jesse Searcy, Susanna Walden Seeman, William Cruse Smith, Barrett Holt Teague, Lindsey Cole Toothman, Madelyn Mae Tuck, Joshua Pierce Waldrep, Jenna Williamson, and Rebecca Leigh Rooks.



Many thanks to the youth and parents who volunteered their time last Thursday evening to help with the clean up effort at the Solid Rock Cafe. The basement had flood damage and furniture is needed. If you have any sofas, chairs, etc. that you would like to donate, please contact Youth Minister Greg Cochran, 770- 832-7069.

Transitional House needs furniture

Helen and David Cook will move into the Transitional House on Stewart St. They lost everything in the flood. They had lived in the same house for 41 years. It was destroyed in one hour. If you have household items that you can donate to them, please call the church office and give details of items, name, and phone number. They can use furniture, pots, and pans, etc. Someone will contact you when they are ready for the items. You may also contact Laddie Carter or Martha Thurman with info.

Intercessory Prayer

Syble Gilley • Buck Chavies • Frank Ledbetter • Betty Buice
Josh Waldrep • Harvey Copeland
Jan Adams • Bob Sharpless • John Trawick • Carolyn Mason
Kitty Kaylor • Dixie Satterfield • Mildred Lambert
Susan Logan • Clara Norton, staff member
Kathy Hulsey, friend of Michael and Kristin Poss
Tom Harvey, father-in-law of Charlie Hubbard
Don Hayes, father of Cindy Minish
Billy & Preston Dortch, brothers of Kirk Dortch
Tanya Ferguson, friend of the Shunn family
Jason Cates, friend of Kerri Ledbetter
Charlotte Addison, friend of Brooke Mobley
Marla Shettles, friend of Tom & Idys Overton
Mary McGinness, mother-in-law of Merrell Hubbard McGinness
Sparky Lawrence, mother of Suzanne Chandler
Mark Ellis • Shirley Simon, Don McEachin's sister
Betty Loftin, mother of Theresa Davis
Abe Hulsey, friend of Mark Barnes • Mother of Sara Parker
Ashley Turner, family friend of Mark Barnes • Danielle Huff, cousin of John Cook
Frank Satterfield • Allen Payton, son of Eva Haynes
Russ Sharp, friend of Dan Minish and others

Your Staff

Rev. Eddie Herring, Senior Pastor
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Rev. Mark Barnes, Music Minister
Rev. John Cuentas, Hispanic Minister
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Win Pray Give See

World Communion Sunday

This Sunday, Oct. 4, is World Communion Sunday. Christians all around the world will be coming to God's table to take Holy Communion. It will take place in Europe, Africa, Estonia, Carrollton and other parts of the world. On this day, the world comes together to remember that Jesus' body was broken and His blood was shed for the sins of the world. At all services, we will also participate in Holy Communion as we, too, remember what Jesus did for us. I hope you will be able to join the world at God's table this Sunday.

See you at church Sunday, share Jesus, make a difference and have a blessed week.

Eddie

Announcements

UMW NEWS

The Morning Fellowship will meet, Tuesday, Oct. 6, at 10 a.m., in the Gathering Room.

The Katie Downs Fellowship will meet, Wednesday, Oct. 7, at 7 p.m. with Dottie Hamrick, 37 Lynda Circle. Our speaker will be Rev. Karla Otroszko. Please bring any extra beads and embroidery threads as well as scissors that you would be willing to donate to the Kenya Project for use by the women.



In Memoriam

Audrey Albright
September 25, 2009

FISH HOUSE YARD SALE

The Fish House United Methodist Campus Ministry will have a yard sale, Saturday, Oct. 10. Donations are appreciated and may be brought to the Fish House the week before. Everything is needed except clothes. For more information, email uwgwesley@gmail.com or call Karen Kagiya at 678-234-4977.

BOOK CLUB

The next session of book club will be Oct. 20, at 10 a.m. Book: **The Sparrow**.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR READIES FOR CHRISTMAS

Our Kids Choir, grades 1-5, will begin Oct. 11 working on a Christmas musical to present to the church. The musical will provide solo, drama, choreography, and reading opportunities for the kids. This year's musical is entitled "Guess Who's Coming to Bethlehem" and follows a similar format as last year's musical. The rehearsals begin Sunday, Oct. 11, from 3:30 – 4:30 pm. We hope to see 50 – 60 kids in our choir!!!

This Sunday at CFUMC

October 4, 2009

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

Sermon: "How to Be Perfect"

Scripture: James 5:13-20

Rev. Karla Otroszko

Holy Communion

11:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship Service Fellowship Hall

**Sermon: "What Are You Going to Do
with the God of the Universe?"**

Scripture: John 1: 1-3, 10-14, 18

Rev. Eddie Herring

Praise and Worship Music by Crosswalk

Holy Communion

11 a.m. Hispanic Worship Service Chapel

Rev. John Cuentas, preaching

Kids Corner

A volunteer is needed for the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Sundays to help with Kids Church. No preparation or teaching is involved. Please call Amy Harris or Kelly Glanton at the church office, 770-832-7069.



KidZone Mission Project

The 4th and 5th grade KidZone kids are undertaking a mission project for children in need at Carrollton Middle School and need your help. Please bring the following items when you come to KidZone or Sunday school: instant oatmeal, granola bars, canned fruit, canned meat, peanut butter, jelly, peanut butter or cheese crackers, cereal bars, apples, oranges. Each Wednesday, our kids will assemble bags of food and take them to the counselors at CMS who will distribute the bags to children who don't have enough to eat over the weekends.



Salad Luncheon

sponsored by the Carrollton Civic Women's Club

Tuesday, Oct. 6

11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

CFUMC Fellowship Hall

Tickets are \$10. You may purchase your tickets from a club member or at the door. Carryout is available.

Silent Auction and Bake Sale

will be from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Proceeds will benefit the CCWC Community Projects

For more information contact Martha Thurman
(mthurman_1@charter.net) or Susan Smith, 770-838-1016

Our Positive Witness

Sept. 27, 2009
Worship: 632

9 am - 74; 11 am Contemporary - 335;

11 am Traditional - 150;

Nursery - 25; Hispanic - 48;

Sunday School - 10 am - 450

Sept. 22 - 28, 2009

Weekly Revenue Needed \$ 23,000.00

Weekly Revenue Received 13,141.00

YTD Revenue Needed 821,368.00

YTD Revenue Received 744,433.24

Designated Funds:

Memorials: Audrey Albright 150.00

Joan Jones 500.00

Gideons 2,210.00

Nicaragua Mission Trip 145.00

Greg Cochran Love Offering 300.00

Serving This Week

9:00 am Traditional

Ushers: Roy Johnson, Dan McBrayer, David Smith, W.H. Smith

Greeters: Christine Johnson, Barbara Tanner, Myline Chappell

11:00 am Contemporary

Ushers: Derek Smith, Bill Carter, Donnie Dillard, Tee Green, Rayvan Teague, Bill Garrett

Greeters: Nita Barr, George & Jackie Ward

11:00 am Traditional

Ushers: Bruce Lyon, Clay Robinson, Mike Barrett, Bob Germany, Dan Camp, Bob Stone, Galen Hobbs, Jason Harden

Greeters: John Bergstrom, Gherry Gustafson, Jim Swinson

Front Porch Visitation - Angie Cook

Communion Server for October - Susan Helton

Youth Snack Supper - Sunday, Oct. 4 - Karen Newton

Wednesday, Oct. 7 - Brett & Marianna Carter

This Week at CFUMC

Sunday, Oct. 4

9 am - Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

10 am - Church School

11 am - Contemporary Worship, Fellowship Hall

11 am - Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

11 am - Hispanic Worship, Chapel

5 pm - Celebration

6 pm - Men's Ensemble

6 pm - Sr. High youth activities

Monday, Oct. 5

5:30 pm - Guitar Lessons

7 pm - Boy Scouts, InZone

Tuesday, Oct. 6

10 am - Morning Fellowship, Gathering Room.

6 pm - Finance Committee, Library

6:30 pm - Cub Scout Pack

Meeting, FSH

7 pm - Administrative Council, FSH

Wednesday, Oct. 7

9:30 am - Beth Moore Study, rm. 205 (Betty Green)

9:30 am - Beth Moore Study, rm. 210 (Kristi Garrett)

10 am - Disciple III, rm. 206

5 pm - KidsZone

6 pm - Jr. High Youth Activities, Solid Rock Cafe'

7 pm - Chancel Choir rehearsal

7 pm - Katie Downs Fellowship, 37 Lynda Circle

Saturday, Oct. 10

6 pm - Lanier/Justus Wedding, Sanctuary