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UPCOMING DATES

Sunday June 25, 2023

9:00 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
10:10 am SMALL GROUPS
11:11 am THRIVE WORSHIP
YOUTH ARE ON MISSION TRIP
6:00 pm WE ARE AMERICA

Monday June 26, 2023

8:00am SACK GROCERIES

Tuesday June 27, 2023

6:30 pm MOVE FORWARD TEAM

Wednesday June 28, 2023

9:00am FOOD PANTRY

Thursday June 29, 2023

9:00 am NIFTY/FIFTY
9:00 am FOOD PANTRY
6:00 pm PAINTING CLASS

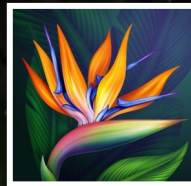
Friday June 30, 2023

Saturday July 1, 2023

YOUTH RETURN FROM MISSION
8:00am MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Sunday July 2, 2023

9:00 am TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
10:10 am SMALL GROUPS
11:11 am THRIVE WORSHIP



THURSDAY NIGHT PAINT CLASS. 6:00pm

6/22/23

YOU ARE INVITED. 6/22/23 and will
be creating a "BIRD OF PARADISE"
using a templet. Come join in the
fun! Call 205-401-3124

In Touch

WEEKLY

JUNE 19, 2023

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH of HUEYTOWN



GLOBAL
METHODIST CHURCH

NEWSLETTER

FUN TIMES AT VBS LAST WEEK



A PATRIOTIC NIGHT

JUNE 25th, 6:00

**Teddy Roosevelt and
Samuel Clemens**

First Methodist Church presents,
"We Are America: A Discussion
with Teddy Roosevelt and Samuel
Clemens". We are excited to wel-
come Mr. Darrell Revell as Samuel
Clemens and Mr. Johnny Curry as
Teddy Roosevelt to First Methodist
Church for a night of Theater Dia-
log. The nights gathering will be in
Theater format in discussion of
America. Tickets for the night are
**Adults \$20, Youth (13 and below)
\$10.** This is a public event. Make
plans to attend this great night of
history, and invite your friends to
join you in an entertaining night.

SERMON & SCRIPTURE INFORMATION

JUNE 25th

Acts 2: 1-8

"The Advent of the Holy Spirit"



Attendance & Contributions

June 18, 2023

Traditional Service	89
Online Traditional	294
Thrive	28
Online Thrive	102
Budget 6/18/23	\$6,092.00
Total as of 6/18/23	\$299,865.60

Special Prayer Request

Nancy Goodwin	Alan Douglass
Chris Cater	Beverly Lawley
Kay Vines Huey	Shirley Jones
Jan Towers	Karen M. Parsons
Dale Sellers	
Wayne Mink	

IMPORTANT DATES IN 2023

- ✓ We are America, A Discussion with Teddy Roosevelt & Samuel Clemens, June 25, 2023
- ✓ Back to School Sunday, August 6, 2023
- ✓ World Communion Sunday, October 1, 2023
- ✓ Blessing of the Animals, Sunday, October 1, 2023
- ✓ Trunk or Treat, Tuesday, October 31, 2023
- ✓ Community Thanksgiving Service, Nov. 19, 2023
- ✓ First Sunday of Advent, Sunday, Dec. 3, 2023
- ✓ Christmas Eve Services, Sunday, Dec. 24, 2023

Our Christian love and sympathy are extended to the Jack Hendricks family at his recent passing. Visitation is 6/21/23 @ 1:00 with service @ 2:00. Cullman United Methodist Church.

Our Christian love and sympathy are extended to the Floyd Lunsford family at his recent passing. Visitation is 6/22/23 @ 10:00 with service @ 11:00. People's Chapel in Hueytown.



June 19, 2023

Hello Friends! May the riches of God's love and grace find you as you receive this week's Newsletter from First Methodist Church. Wow...what a last few days we've had with weather around our area. I was recently watching a story on the news about what's been happening to cause a month of June storms to break out. It seems that the Jet Stream changed/ shifted positions, or dropped further South, than is its historic positioning. The drop in the Jet Stream, coupled with moisture that rises from the Gulf, has created such an instability that severe storms are the result. So, the positioning of or the shift in the Jet Stream created a change in the weather.

I can't help but think and ponder what such an image this can be to the Spiritual Life of both non-believers and believers alike. If you liken the Jet Stream to our Spiritual Lives, we often find ourselves moving and shifting. Sometimes without intention, and other times, well, we drift/slide/move in less than desirable directions. What happens? Storms! Maybe not as violent as lightening, thunder, or even hail...but, storms nonetheless. I don't know about you, but it seems that when I feel I've got it all together, that things are moving smoothly, or life is in a good groove...so on and so forth, surprise storms arise and I find that I've been too far from Jesus! No, He didn't or hadn't moved, I did!

The result with nature's weather is high winds, hail, torrential rain, lightening, thunder, tornadoes...in our spiritual lives, its indecision, doubt, struggle, self-question, questioning others, fear, loneliness and other life-shaking ingredients. Unfortunately, we cannot do much when it comes to nature other than be as prepared as possible and take cover when the storms are forecast. But in our Spiritual Lives, we can always be prepared by staying close to the Master – Jesus Christ! It doesn't mean that storms won't take place, it means that we can be as prepared as possible staying close to the one who carries us through the storms of life-Jesus!

As we are embarking through summer 2023, stay close to Jesus. Worship Him daily, Pray to and with Him – listen as much as you talk, Study His word so that it becomes a living part of you, Give back to Him through the blessings He has given to us – both to His church and to our neighbors, and Serve Him by serving both in the church and in our community in His Name. Lastly, be of good fellowship to all you meet in the Name of Christ...Be a Generous Friend of God's love to everyone you meet.

Will it stop the storms...Nope! But we will make our way through them by following after the footsteps of the One who calms the winds and quiet's the roaring seas.

Lastly this week, IT'S SHOWTIME! "We Are America: A Discussion with Teddy Roosevelt and Samuel Clemens." The performance is Sunday, June 25 th , at 6:00 p.m. in the Main Sanctuary. We are privileged to have two Hueytown Alums... Mr. Johnny Curry and Mr. Darrell Revell...performing a 'Conversation' between Teddy Rossevelt and Samuel Clemens on American. Tickets are on sale now. Adults \$20; Children 13 and below \$10. It's OUR CALLING to fill the Sanctuary for a wonderful time. Reach out to your family, your friends, your civic groups, your neighbors, your coworkers, etc. They reach out to you when things are happening... return the favor. Let's help kick-off Independence Day together!

John Verciglio

MEMORIALS & HONORARIUM

BUDGET– In Memory of Jo Edmonson. By Diane Love.

BUDGET– In Honor of Buster & Betty Jane Kornegay on their 70th Wedding Anniversary. By The Adult Sunday School Class.

BUDGET– In memory of Jo Edmonson. By Jane Sligh.

BUDGET– In Memory of Rev. Jack Hendricks and Floyd Lunceford. By Scott & Lisa Edmonson and family.

RED BIRD– In Memory of Jack Hendricks. By Cheryl Finch.

FOOD PANTRY– In Memory of Jo Edmonson & Rev. Jack Hendricks. By Stuart McCrorie.

RED BIRD– In Memory of Tommy Stone. By Cheryl Finch.

BUDGET– In Memory of Jo Edmonson. By John & Lynda Swiney.

BUDGET– In Honor of Donald Wright by Brad & Shellye Hinton.

A PATRIOTIC NIGHT SUNDAY, JUNE 25 TH 6:00 pm Invite your neighbors, family & friends

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