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Upcoming Dates

Sunday Sept.14, 2025
9:00 am PARLOR FELLOWSHIP
9:00 am ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:00 am BLENDED WORSHIP
11:10 am CHILD'S SUNDAY
SCHOOL

11:10 am THE BRIDGE FELLOWSHIP 5:00 pm YOUTH

Monday Sept. 15, 2025 6:30 pm DISCOVERY

<u>Tuesday Sept. 16, 2025</u>

Wednesday Sept.17, 2025 6:30 pm YOUTH MEET

Thursday Sept.18, 2025 9:00 am NIFTY/FIFTY

Friday Sept.19, 2025

Saturday Sept.20, 2025 8:00am MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

RED BIRD MISSION TRIP

Sept. 7th—12th. If you would like to make a donation just make a check out to the church and designate the gift is for Red Bird Mission. THANK YOU.

OUR MISSION AT FIRST METHODIST ...

"To be Passionate Ambassadors of God's Extravagant Love by: Boldly sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ with Everyone."



elementary school children about The Bible, Jesus and God's Love for them. Come be a volunteer. Contact Laurie McCombs in the office or cell # 204-401-3124.





December 13th, 2025





Newsletter







Fall W.E.A.C. dates 2025

The dates for the fall W.E.A.C. season are as follows:

October 15th
October 22nd
November 5th
November 12
November 19th

Make sure you get these dates on your fall planning calendar!



Dates to keep in your Church Planning

WEAC returns October & November 2025

Trunk or Treat October 2025

Chamber of Commerce BINGO Night at First Methodist in November 2025

IT'S GOING TO BE A GREAT FALL YALL!



Attendance & Contributions

August 31, 2025

Sunday Worship Attendance	84
Online Worship	704
Budget Contributions	\$3,802.00
Budget YTD Contributions	\$246,554.00



Special Prayer Request

Jan Towers
Dot Moran
Kim Ferguson Hooks
Betty Jane Kornegay
Stuart McCrorie
Raymond Widener

Jack Moon Wade Payne Bubba Bryant Red Bird Mission Trip Allen Douglass



Flooding victims Help

To respond to the needs of those devastated by floods in Texas, you can offer a financial gift to recovery efforts as a Global Methodist. Here is an announcement from our Conference Elder, Rev. Alan Beasley:

We have all been devastated by the horrific tragedy in the Hill Country of Texas, especially Kerrville and Camp Mystic. If you or your church would like to donate to the disaster relief effort, here are the different ways to give.

Directly to the Mid-Texas Annual Conference:

https://onrealm.org/MidTexGMC/give/ DisasterRelief

Or, text "GIVEMIDTEX Disaster" to 73256



Just Think About It...

August 25, 2025

Greetings in the Name of Jesus! I pray all is well for you and your family as you read this week's Newsletter. I think we are off to a good start on our new preaching series **SPRINKLE and SHINE** that began Sunday, September 7, 2025. I believe it will be a calling series for each of us to measure where we are spiritually, and where God is constantly calling us

to meet Him in relationship, servitude and witness. Over the next few weeks, come to hear what God is saying to us as the church and to each of us individually.

The upcoming Sunday's and special weeks ahead are listed below:

September 7 th Matthew 5:13-16 You're Going to Stand Out

September 14 th Bro. John Simmons Preaching September 21 st James 3:10-12 Salt Minina

September 28 th Numbers 18:19 An Enduring Covenant

October 5 th World Communion Sunday

November 2 nd All Saints Sunday

Last week I received word from our Presiding Elder, Rev. Rudy Guess, that First Methodist Church Hueytown is scheduled for our Annual Charge Conference on Monday, November 3, 2025, 6:30 p.m. If you have a Quarterly Committee Meeting that is scheduled for November, please call the church office and reschedule your meeting for October 2025 so that all work is report ready for the meeting with our Presiding Elder.

In the next two weeks I will be convening the Nominations Team to begin the process of Nominating and Contacting you, the Membership, about serving in Laity Leadership Positions in 2026. Let me say THANK YOU to all our current leaders for your faithful service to Christ in caring / leading the business portion of Ministry in the Church. I will soon be in touch with all leadership about the upcoming year of service.

Lastly, I am saddened to report that Jordan Austin, Children's Director, is leaving us. Jordan has a new fulltime career, she's back in college completing her degree and of course, has her precious baby girl Courtlyn. Please join me as we thank Jordan for her care of our smallest disciples of Jesus. I have contacted Jeff Higgins, SPRC Chairperson, and he's asked me to go ahead with a search for a replacement.

Remember, we at First Methodist Church... **We believe God has** called us...to be **PASSIONATE** ambassadors of God's **EXTRAVAGANT** love by **BOLDLY** sharing the Gospel of Jesus Christ with EVERYONE.

In Service to Jesus,

Bro. John Verciglio



Memorials & Honorariums

From August 31, 2025

FLOWER FUND- In Memory Bobby Bracknell. By Cheryl Finch

BUDGET- In Memory of Belle Cheatham & Bobby Bracknell & Lonnie Oden. By Scott & Lisa Edmonson

FOOD PANTRY- In Memory of Belle Cheatham. In Honor of John Simmons. By The Belle Cheatham Family.

BUDGET- In Loving Memory of Ann Clark. By Debby & Frank Douglas.

BUDGET- In Honor of Dot Moran, Raymond Widener & Jack Moon. By Scott & Lisa Edmonson. **FOOD PANTRY-** In Memory of Bobby Bracknell. In Honor of Beck Horne. By Jack & Nancy Moon.

BUDGET- In Memory of Belle Cheatham. By Nancy & Linda Hayley.

CHOIR- In Honor of Nancy Simmons. By Jack & Nancy Moon.

BUDGET- In Memory of Bobby Bracknell. By Adult Sunday School Class.



Leadership Meetings

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12 SPRC

4:00 pm

TUESDAY, OCTOBER, 14 Finance 6:30 pm

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19 Admin. Board 4:00 pm TUESDAY, November 4
Trustees
6:30 pm

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER, 6 Child Development Center Advisory Team 6:00 pm