

Oaklawn United Methodist

September 2019 Birthdays

09/01 Charlotte Robertson
09/02 Robert Barnes
09/03 Karen Reese
09/04 Robin Oliver
09/06 Katrina Bailey
Matthew Ciosmak- Price
09/07 Brenda Lamastus
Aubrey Sears
09/08 Dustin Allen
09/10 Mary Boone
Gina Couch
Gary Fox
Rosemary Pinson
09/13 Dilann Allen
09/16 William Warczack
09/18 Josh Boone
09/19 Jackie Jo Fastenow
09/20 Sandi Jordan
09/26 Cliff Stewart
09/27 Scotty Dodd
Shirley Wilkerson

ANNIVERSARIES

Fred & Carolyn Hunter
09/04/1965
Tracy & Margaret Johnson
09/04/1981
Ruben & Gretchen White
09/04/1998
Skip & Shirley Wilkerson
09/09/1989
Buddy & Shirley Carter
09/15/1960
Ed & Carol Ware
09/19/1964
Drew & Lacy Short
09/22/2012

Sunday, Sept. 8 will be Back to Sunday School Day.

Sunday, Sept. 8 we will be beginning a six week study entitled **Unafraid** which was written by Rev. Adam Hamilton. Join us in the Mary Clifton classroom which is located in our side parking lot at 9:45a.m. For those of you who already attend a Sunday school class, the study will be repeated on Wednesday evenings at 6 p.m. We will have a simple supper first followed by the study. The Wednesday evening study begins on Sept. 11.

Sign up for a Fall Adult Sunday School Class

The Joy Class is taught by Sherry Shirley and Sonny Hines. This class will be studying the Prophets from the Old Testament during the month of September.

The Pairs and Spares class is taught by Beth Peterson. They are studying the book of Acts.

On Wednesdays

On Wednesday, Sept. 4 from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. we will register students for Kids For Christ, and Youth For Christ. Pray for Leslee Fulkerson, the director of the program, and her army of volunteers that provides a safe and nurturing place on Wednesday afternoons to learn about Christ and celebrate life together. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Leslee. The first Wednesday for the after school program is Wednesday, Sept. 11. Parents are asked to drop their children and youth off at the church no earlier than 3:30 p.m. and pick them up no later than 6 p.m. after our supper. As usual, parents and grandparents are welcome to join us on Wednesday at 5:30 for supper.

Sermons from the Gospel of Luke for September

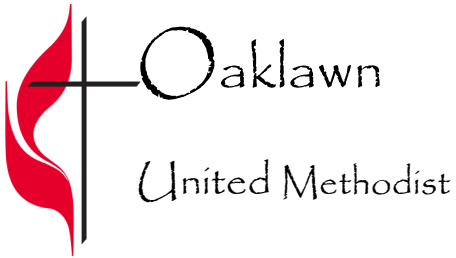
Sept. 1 Message "Bette Davis Eyes" based on Luke 14:1-15

Sept. 8 Message "A Wild Party Guest List" Luke 14:15-27

Sept. 15 Message "What have you lost?" Luke 15:1-10

Sept. 22 Message "The day that our accounts come due" Luke 16:1-13

Sept. 29 Message "Meeting Lazarus on the streets of Hot Springs" Luke 16:19-31



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

MISSION OF THE MONTH

You may donate to the mission anytime during the month through the church by making your check out to the church and **putting the Mission name on the memo line of your check or envelope.** A 'mission box' is on the table in the church foyer into which you may place your 'above the tithe' offering. The mission we are supporting for the month of **September** is **Oaklawn Food Pantry.**

Friday Art classes begin Sept. 6 at 10 a.m. in the fellowship hall. For questions, call Cornelia Lee at 870-501-0616 and leave a message.

Come Join Us on Sun, Sept. 8 at our local Salvation Army chapter as we prepare the meal from 9:30 a.m.—11:30 a.m. We will then begin feeding at 12:30.



Mission Trip 2019

Save the date: Oct. 13 - 19
Panama City, FL.

Calling all volunteers for
Hurricane Relief!
Carpenters, Painters,
and Cooks!



No Choir Practice
The Chancel Choir will resume
rehearsals on September 18th.

Coming Events

Monday, Sept 2 — Labor Day — Office Closed

Wednesday, Sept 4 — 4p.m. - 5p.m. — KFC/YFC Registration Kick Off

Thursday, Sept 5 — 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. — Food Pantry

Friday, Sept 6 — 10 a.m. — Friday Art Classes begin in Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, Sept 11 — 3:30p.m. - 6 p.m. — KFC & YFC After school program begins

Thursday, Sept 12 — 1p.m. — UMW meeting

Tuesday, Sept 17 — 12p.m. - 3p.m — Pack Senior Commodities

Thursday, Sept 19 — 1p.m. - 3 p.m. — Senior Commodities Distribution

Saturday, Sept 21 — 9:30a.m. - 2 p.m. — UMW District Meeting

Thursday, Sept 26 — 5:30p.m. - 8:30 p.m. — Gospel Singing

Sunday, Sept 29 — 10 a.m. — One Worship & Potluck

Scripture Memory Verse for the Month:

¹¹ For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

Jeremiah 29:11

NEW FLOWER CALENDAR

Available Dates: Sept 1, 8, 15, 22, 29

Please call ***at least a week ahead of time*** in order for the florist to make the arrangement. **The new price will now be \$50.** Call the church office to place your requests.

These are on a first-come, first-served basis.

Checks are made payable to Oaklawn UMC with 'Altar Flower Fund' on the memo line. Thank you.

Prayer Requests

We pray for active-duty Military & Government Leaders

Acolytes for September 2019

Members in Assisted Living/Nursing Homes:

Gertrude Ferguson - Garrett Woods, Rm 301
Bonnie Hardin - Atrium, Rm 215
Ann Irby - West Shores, Rm 231
Laura Parker - Garrett Woods, Rm 305
Shirley Russell—West Shores Rm 125
Darryl Cadwaller — Heritage Nursing Home
Irene Meenen — Country Club Village Rm 319
Mamie Lawson — Belvedere Nursing and Rehab

01 Ally & Mady Tankersley
08 Adrian & Tony Ortiz
15 Candace & Alazae Allen
22 Aubrey Sears & Adrian Ortiz
29 Mady & Ally Tankersley

Members at Home/Rehabilitation:

Lucille Edwards, Bill Harris, Billie Reed, Judy Wetherington

Friends and Neighbors:

Hunter Ault

Attendance and Giving Report

Sunday August 4

Praise Service (8:30 a.m.)	52
Traditional Service (10:30 a.m.)	78
Worship Total	130
Sunday School Attendance	28
Operational Fund Contribution.....	\$4,555.30

Sunday, August 11

Praise Service (8:30 a.m.)	56
Traditional Service (10:30 a.m.)	63
Worship Total	119
Sunday School Attendance	19
Operational Fund Contribution	\$2,231.10

Sunday, August 18

Praise Service (8:30 a.m.)	59
Traditional Service (10:30 a.m.)	84
Worship Total	143
Sunday School Attendance	18
Operational Fund Contribution.....	\$3,002.25

Sunday, August 25

Praise Service (8:30 a.m.)	62
Traditional Service (10:30 a.m.)	89
Worship Total	151
Sunday School Attendance	25
Operational Fund Contribution	\$2,406.56

Family Life Center gifts.....	\$80.00
Total August Giving	\$12,955.21

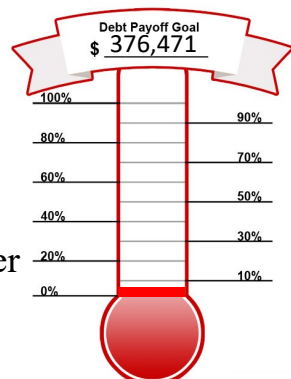


Oaklawn United Methodist Women is a group that meets once a month during the school year for fellowship, Bible study, and service. We are a mission-oriented organization of the church. We sponsor local mission projects throughout the year, and raise money for UMW mission for women, children, and youth all over the world. We sponsor other church wide activities like soup and salad luncheons, bake sales, craft sales, etc. United Methodist Women is the largest denominational faith organization for women, with approximately 800,000 members, whose missions is fostering spiritual growth, developing leaders and advocating for justice. Members raise millions each year for programs and projects related to women, children and youth in the United States and in more than 100 countries around the world. We are always looking for new members so, women of Oaklawn, why not come join our unit? We meet the 2nd Thursday of each month here at Oaklawn United Methodist Church. We are always looking for new ideas. We need women of all ages to join with us in these activities. There is an opportunity for everyone. Contact the church office at 501-623-5588 or Sylvia Griffin, President at 501-609-9730.

Our Unit will be meeting Sept. 12th at 1 p.m. in the fellowship hall of the church. Janice Brenner will be presenting our pledge program for year 2020. We will also be finalizing plans for hosting our Southwest District Fall Meeting Sept. 21st. The speaker for this meeting will be Janis Bremer, trainer and speaker for "The Call," which is a church based organization, mobilizing the Church in Arkansas to love children and youth in foster care with the extravagant love of Christ.

The Southwest District mission project will be accepting donations of toothpaste, baby shampoo, and wipes for "The Call" of Garland and Hot Springs counties.

Let's come
together to pay
off the
Family Life Center
loan balance!



Oaklawn UMC Moments 2019

Bart's Place Eyeglass Ministry



Thanks Mary Beth! Awesome Mural!



Oaklawn Elementary Teacher Luncheon



Thank you volunteers & those not pictured!

