



February Calendar

March Birthdays

Sun. Mar. 6th	ONE SERVICE SCHEDULE
9:30 A.M.	Sunday School
10:30 A.M.	Worship Service
4:00 P.M.	First Sunday Missions/Children
4:00 P.M.	Youth Group
Mon. Mar. 7th	
6:00 P.M.	Boy/Cub Scout Troop 40/Banquet Rm & Gym
6:30 P.M.	The Deborahs (women's ministry group) Meeting at the home of Cindy Lang - open invitation to all women
7:00 P.M.	Youth Lock-in/See Tim for details
Tues. Mar. 8th	
1:15 P.M.	Program Staff Meeting/Conference Room
2:00 P.M.	Grace Circle/Banquet Room
Wed. Mar. 9th	No Evening Activities (Spring Break)
6:00 P.M.	Praise Team
7:00 P.M.	Choir Practice
Sat. Mar. 12th	Youth 2nd Saturday Mission Day - begins at 8 AM
Sun. Mar. 13th	DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS (Move your clock forward one hour so you are not late for worship)
8:45 A.M.	Contemporary Worship Services
10:00 A.M.	Sunday School
10:55 A.M.	Traditional Worship
4:00 P.M.	Youth Group
Mon. Mar. 14th	
6:00 P.M.	Boy/Cub Scout Troop 40/Banquet Rm & Gym
Tues. Mar. 15th	
1:15 P.M.	Program Staff Meeting/Conference Room
5:30 P.M.	Administrative Council Meeting/St. Andrews
Wed. Mar. 16th	
9:30 A.M.	Prayer Van
5:30 P.M.	Church Family Night Supper
6:00 P.M.	The Springs study on The Grand Sweep led by Chuck Meador in the Sanctuary
	Children's Activities & Youth Community Time
7:00 P.M.	Praise Team
7:00 P.M.	Choir Practice

2nd	Katie Sutton
3rd	Marnell McDill
5th	Carron King
7th	Paul Carson
	Meredith Robinson
11th	Billy Anders
	Minnie Bryan
	Martha Ethridge
	Liz Payne
14th	Liz Farmer
17th	Eugene Lee
	Ronnie Rank
19th	Sebastian Broome
	Beth Goodman
20th	Heather Radcliffe
	Gerrie Thomas
21st	Teresa Anders
22nd	Bob Peterson
23rd	Gladys Stewart
24th	Chris Sutton
25th	Parker Burt
26th	Jackye Fountain
27th	Braden Gilbert
28th	Joanna Coxwell
	Ouida Sims
29th	Mandy Farmer
31st	Jamie Brown

LENTEN SELF-DENIAL OFFERING

Traditionally Lent is a time for fasting and self-denial. You are invited to prayerfully consider how you might live out this spiritual discipline. You may give us a meal a week, or fast a whole day, or you may give up coffee, sweets, or even some activity you enjoy. Again this year, we are providing you envelopes to save the money that you might have spent. Then on Easter Sunday bring your self-denial offering. This year's Self-Denial Offering will go toward the work of the United Methodist Committee on Relief .

March 6th
ONE SERVICE
SUNDAY SCHEDULE



March 13th
 Move clocks ahead one hour

INTENTIONAL FAITH DEVELOPMENT

Lunch Bunch - April 5th; noon - 1st Tuesday of each month at noon; we meet at the **Scarlet Cup** for a devotion and a time of sharing joys and prayer concerns. Brown bag your lunch or just come for the fellowship and devotion and maybe a coffee or drink special.

WORSHIP

Scripture Readers for February:

March 6th One Service: Sandy Thomas
March 13th Early: Jerry Long Late: Benny Egger
March 20th Early: Billy Anders Late: Amy Floyd
March 27th Early: Amelia King Late: Debbie Young

Ushers for March

8:45 am - Tommy King, Billy Ashcraft, Charlyn King
10:55 am - Steven Brown, Grace Brown, Benny Egger, David Litton

Greeters:

8:45 AM 10:55 AM
Mar. 6th One Service: Cindy Lang Mary Anne Catlett
Mar. 13th Early: Carolyn Wall Late: Pat Teer
Mar. 20th Early: Janete Weeks Late: Dixie LaBruyere

Communion Celebrants for March 6, 2016

[One Service] celebrants are:

Neldia White, Bessie Kent, Jean Harrison, Carrol Barham
8:45: Kevin Peterson, Dianne Shannon, Samantha Thames,
Jerry Long
10:55: James Carson, Janet Barham, Bobby Sims,
Jennifer St. John

MISSIONS

Prayer Van Ministry – next date - March 16th

leaves the PSDrive parking lot at 9:30 am each THIRD Wednesday of a month to drive around Meridian and pray for schools/businesses/people. Meet before for coffee at the Daily Grind at 8:30 if that suits you.

Meals on Wheels – H E L P N E E D E D

Occasionally we need subs to ride along with our regular deliverers. Contact Nancy Crews or Don Wheeler

Health Kits - 20 Monthly Health Kits needed

(for Care Lodge) Drop your donations of completed kits off at the altar any Sunday or in the Staff Work Room; Health Kit listing can be found in the Gathering Place and online. Complete kits are always welcome.

U P D A T E other than a complete kit, all items needed except **NO combs and NO washcloths.**

toothbrushes must be individually wrapped and toothpaste must be in a box. Monetary donations are always welcome.

Care Lodge will also accept **books for children**, used or new, that can be shared within the center and also so a child can take a book with them when they leave.

Take a Meal is an online, easy to use, scheduling calendar to arrange a meal or series of meals for church family members who may need a help for a short time due to a new baby, an illness, a broken bone, etc. **You may add someone to the schedule by contacting the church office.** A Take a Meal link is on the website. **We also have meal items available for distribution at the church for an unexpected need.**

Karissa Both - in mission in the Czech Republic. Follow her ministry at kboth@mobilizingstudents.com or go to her blog at karissaboth.blogspot.com

FELLOWSHIP

The Deborahs (women's ministry group) will meet, with an open invitation to all women, at the home of Cindy Lang (Bailey Acres Subdivision) on Monday, Mar. 7 at 6:30pm

Grace Circle Meeting -

Tuesday, March 8 at 2 pm in the Banquet Room

Youth: Sundays 4:00 - 6:00 P.M.
Wednesdays 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Youth Lock-In: Monday, March 7th here at church. Begins at 7 pm. See Tim for additional details.

Confirmation Class:

Please pray for these youth as they explore the process of Confirmation: Dylan Brown - Aaliya Mendiola
Braeden Smith - Ashley Wolvers

PSDUMC Youth Girls Night In: April 1st, 5:30 pm - 9:30 pm @ home of Shelby Dickey. Bon Fire, food, possible crafting. We will be discussing some of the issues that surround girls today and offer encouragement to one another.

Children

First Sunday Missions 4pm - 6pm:
Mar. 6th - Decorating Flower Pots
April 3rd - Decorating Pillow Cases
May 1st - Church Picnic

The Children's Ministry is asking for donations of Easter Candy and Plastic Easter Eggs. Please leave them in Katie's Office. Thank You!

We extend deepest sympathies to the family of **Skeeter Lang** on his passing Monday, February 29th. Services for the celebration of Skeeter's life will take place here at the church
Friday, March 4th:
10 am - Visitation with the family
11 am - Funeral Service

Memorials - February

In Honor of:

Lyda Tingle

St. Andrews S. S. Class

In Memory of:

Beth & Beryl Harbour

Mr. & Mrs. H.O. Walker

Ouida Weir

Irby & Cindy Lang	Parsonage Fund
Ken & Dixie LaBruyere	Children
Raymond & Carron King	STL
Elva Britt	UMCOR
Bessie Kent	Missions
Barbara McInnis	STL
UMW Grace Circle	STL
Sara Jackson	STL
Grady & Vicki Coleman	STL
Evelyn Samuelson	Missions
St. Andrews S.S. Class	Missions

Margie Dawkins

Grady & Vicki Coleman STL

John W. (Bill) Lang, Sr.

Grady & Vicki Coleman	STL
Billy & Peggy Melton	Youth
Mrs. George Angero	
Don & Lynne Davis	
Mike Partridge	
Hance W. McKenzie	
Lynda Russell	
Scott & Susie Morgan	
Alice James	
Lauren R. Brown	
Mr. & Mrs. Randy Robinson	
Rea, Shaw, Giffin & Stuart	
Mary Graves	
Edgar Morrison	
Robert & Missy Bailey	
Becky, Steve, Ben & Taylor West	
Everett Culpepper	
Mike E. Marshall	
Justin Greenwald	
Century Club Charities	
Tamara King	
Larry & Dinah Neal	
Louis B. Cushman	
James & Jan Bess	
Greater Houston Community Foundation	

Even though it's still a few months away we are planning for VBS. Currently we need donations of the following:

Transparency Paper

Christmas Lights

Empty toilet paper rolls

Empty paper towel rolls

Two-Liter soda bottles

*(Any of these can be left in Katie's Office
or the Church Office)*

**Congrats to Lacy & Wesley Nason and big brother
Patrick on the birth of**

John Palmer Nason

February 24, 2016 ~ 7lbs 7ozs

**Take a Meal to the Nasons listing can be found on
our website.**

Extravagant Generosity - The Extravagant Generosity team wants to provide more opportunities for people to get involved with areas of service. So we will begin highlighting the many ways to serve and making the Time and Talent brochures available on a quarterly basis. March 13th will be our first quarter opportunity to Get Connected in an area of service.

CHURCH FAMILY NIGHT SUPPERS MENUS

(a reservation is required)

\$6 Adults, \$3 Child's Plate/Menu

Mar. 2nd - Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce, Green Salad,
French Bread, Yellow Cake/Choc. Icing

Mar. 9th - Spring Break - NO Supper

Mar. 16th - Baked Chicken, Green Beans, 7 Layer Salad,
Roll, Banana Pudding

Mar. 23rd - Taco Soup (w/ cheese, chips), Cornbread,
Pineapple Trifle

Mar. 30th - Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes/Tomato Gravy,
Peas, Roll, White Cake/Caramel Icing

For our Diabetics: Green beans will be available
each week as needed

(Menu subject to change without notice!)

**There is not a separate child's menu. A child's
portion (half) of the regular menu is \$3.00.**

Sign up on the attendance sheet,
or email or call Nancy before 3 pm on Monday



RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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March 2, 2016

God, Thank you for:

United Methodist Committee on Relief

The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is something we can certainly be proud of as United Methodist. It is the Humanitarian relief arm of the United Methodist Church. The goal of UMCOR is to assist the most vulnerable persons affected by crisis or chronic need. UMCOR's work reaches people in more than 80 countries, including the United States. They provide humanitarian relief when war, conflict, or natural disaster disrupt life to such an extent that communities are unable to recover on their own. In addition, UMCOR helps communities in the United States and abroad prepare for emergencies and reduce the risk associated with disasters through a roster of training programs. UMCOR's International Development Unit works through its field offices and its extensive partner network to facilitate long-term community development and empowerment in areas of great need. UMCOR uses integrated solutions to address root causes, working alongside local communities to develop assets in water, sanitation, and hygiene, sustainable agriculture and food security, and nutrition. We have a group of 24 who will be serving this summer on a mission team to Sager Brown, which is one of the UMCOR distribution centers. Therefore we wanted to take this opportunity to share about the wonderful work of UMCOR.

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