A Look At Our Faithfulness <u>Attendance</u> 02/14 273 <u>Offering to General Fund</u> \$5,787.00

Happy Birthday & Anniversary!

21 Jim Baxter	21 Charlie Clark	22 Char Kuhr
23 MJ Rooks	24 Marlene Mills	25 Lois Mitchell
28 Jean Spence		

22 Buddy & Nina Rogers 25 Bill & Anne Duncan

IN HIS SERVICE

8AM Ushers: Les & Rosie Covington	(mo. of Feb.)
10AM Greeters: Bob & Vicki Shankwitz	(mo. of Feb.)
10AM Ushers: Bill Hall / Bud Martin	(mo. of Feb.)

Outreach: Helon Colvin / Margaret French (mo. of Feb.)

	TODAY	NEXTS
Counters:	Jane Harper Charlie Clark	Florence N
	Charlie Clark	Pat Leffar

NEXT SUNDAY lorence McLendon Pat Leffard

TRUSTEE MEETING WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24TH, 8AM

BETTY REPLOGLE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ATTENTION SENIORS AND THOSE FURTHERING THEIR EDUCATION, Available to applicants ages 17-25.

Scholarship applications and the criteria are available in the church office. The applications must be completed in full and submitted on or before <u>March 31st</u>. For any questions please contact Nita Davis at 961-3291.

Rev. Daniel W. Randall, Pastor Cell: 1-251-234-1122 E-mail: danielwrandall@gmail.com Church Office: 251-962-4336 12770 South Perdido Street Lillian, AL 36549 www.lillianumc.org / Email: office@lillianumc.org We are so happy to WELCOME David & Kemp Soule into the membership of LUMC. David & Kemp reside at 4914 LaVentana Circle, Pensacola, FL., 32526. Ph: 850-453-9755. We welcome them into our church family! Please update your church family roster.

VBS MEETING , Sunday, March 6th @ 3PM All volunteers needed. Vacation will be held June 6-10, from 5 to 8PM. The theme is CAVE QUEST, where Jesus gives us hope, courage, love, direction and power. Call Joyce Ellison with any questions, 251-752-5062.

NEEDED: GREETERS AND USHERS Char Kuhr is in charge of setting up ushers and greeters for this year and <u>needs your help</u>. Greeters should be at church by 9:30 to greet people and pass out the bulletins. They also pass the basket up and down the pews (along with the ushers), as well as counting the number of people in attendance, including the children and nursery room. On Communion Sunday they direct the people up to the altar (about 8 at a time). <u>Please call Char at 251-961-2113 and sign up for a</u>

month.

Lifetouch Photography Schedule You may schedule your appointment on the paper schedule on the Opportunity Table or call the church office to reserve your appointment. Please pick up information pamphlets from the Opportunity Table.

LADIES LUNCH BUNCH Feb. 25th Enjoy lunch at the **"Big Fish Restaurant"** on 25814 Canal Rd in Orange Beach. Carpool from LUMC at 10:30AM. RSVP to Char Kuhr at 251-961– 2113

Notice from LILLIAN UNITED METHODIST MEN The annual Men's group BBQ and Car Show will be Saturday, March 26th. If you would like to sponsor one of the 40-45 trophies (a \$100 minimal tax deductible donation is requested) please see/ contact Ken Robinson, Dick Erwin, Sonny Keigley or the church office.

"ICE FLYERS" GAME

The Youth Group invites you to join them to attend the game on Feb. 28th . End zone tickets are \$13.00 each. Sign-up by Feb. 21st to be included in the group price. A sign-up sheet will be available on the counter in the Fellowship Building. We will carpool from LUMC at 3PM.

Lillian United Methodist Church REXCHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE John 3:1-21

Now there was a man of the Pharisees, named Nicode'mus, a ruler of the Jews. This man came to Jesus^a by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do, unless God is with him." Jesus answered him, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born anew,] he cannot see the kingdom of God." Nicode'mus said to him, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter a second time into his mother's womb and be born?" Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit. Do not marvel that I said to you, 'You must be born anew. The wind blows where it wills, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know whence it comes or whither it goes; so it is with every one who is born of the Spirit." Nicode'mus said to him, "How can this be?" Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand this? Truly, truly, I say to you, we speak of what we know, and bear witness to what we have seen; but you do not receive our testimony. If I have told you earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you heavenly things? No one has ascended into heaven but he who descended from heaven, the Son of man. And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of man be lifted up, that whoever believes in him may have eternal life. For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God sent the Son into the world, not to condemn the world, but that the world might be saved through him. He who believes in him is not condemned; he who does not believe is condemned already, because he has not believed in the name of the only Son of God. And this is the judgment, that the light has come into the world, and men loved darkness rather than light, because their deeds were evil. For every one who does evil hates the light, and does not come to the light, lest his deeds should be exposed. But he who does what is true comes to the light, that it may be clearly seen that his deeds have been wrought in God.

February 21, 2016

Second Sunday in Lent

PRELUDE AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Please sign the registration pad ! Thank you!

* Affirmation of our Faith # 881 The Apostles Creed

*HYMN #359 "Alas! and Did My Savior Bleed"

CELEBRATION OF BEING STEWARDS OF GOD

OFFERTORY MUSIC Blake Riley, Minister of Music

Doxology #95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son & Holy Ghost. "America" "Our fathers' God. to thee, author of liberty, to thee we sing; long may our land be bright with freedom's holy light; protect us by thy might, great God, our King."

SCRIPTURE John 3:1-21 **CHILDREN'S MOMENT** 10 a.m. HYMN **# 362** "Nothin But the Blood" PASTORAL PRAYER & LORDS PRAYER SERMON

Are you a Teacher... and Yet Do Not Understand?

*HYMN # 361 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"

* CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION #268 O God our deliverer, you led your people of old through the wilderness and brought them to the promised land. Guide now the people of your church, that, following our Savior, we may walk through the wilderness of this world toward the glory of the world to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

* BENEDICTION Hymn O how He loves you and me, O how He loves you and me. He gave His life, what more could He give? O how He loves you, O how He loves me, O how He loves you and me. Please take this time to offer one another signs of Christ's Love and Reconciliation as we depart to fulfill the mission of Christ.

Margaret Schaff Gretchen Hatten	Mariah O'Hara Gretchen Hatten Ken Grounds Dan Colvin Diana Hartley Jean Dean Denyce Williams Michael Pollitt nristopher Schnatz Art Schuck Evelyn Duckworth
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Get Well Wishes may be sent to **Mariah O'Hara** at Ronald McDonald House Attn: Mariah O'Hara Rm. 305 267-07 76th Ave. New Hyde Park, NY. 11040

Welcome to Worship!

We pray that you feel the warmth and love of Christ as you enter and that you sense God's presence in worship. If there is anything we can do for you, please do not hesitate in letting us know. We are grateful having you today and hope you will consider coming again.

Nursery Available from 9AM - 11AM for Birth to 3yrs . **Children's** Church is held in the Fellowship Building during 10AM Service. Children 4yrs - 1st grade dismiss from sanctuary worship. *A cry room is located at the back of the sanctuary*.

WEEK AT A GLANCE

Worship Services, 8 & 10AM Sun. Adult Sunday School, 8:30AM & 9AM Youth/Children's Sunday School, 9AM Youth Meeting, 4PM-6PM King's Kids, 3:33PM 02/21

Evangelism Meeting, 9AM Good Grief Group, 10:30AM Mon. 02/22

- Tues. Men's Prayer Group, 7AM 02/23 Zumba, 6PM AA, 7PM, Al-Anon, 7PM
- Wed. Trustees Meeting, 8AM 02/24 "Parables of Jesus" Bible Study, 10AM Weight Watchers, 4:30PM Choir Practice, 5:30PM "Parables of Jesus" Bible Study, 6:45PM
- Thurs. Bible Study, The Man Who Said, "Yes" 9:30AM 02/25 AA. 12noon Zumba, 6PM

Sat. AA, 7PM 02/27

Worship Services, 8 & 10AM Adult Sunday School, 8:30AM & 9AM Sun. 02/28 Youth/Children's Sunday School, 9AM Youth Meeting, Ice Flyers Game, 3PM