

Ministry Teams at LUMC

Altar Guild:

The new Altar Guild (formally the Worship Committee) has four teams:
The Altar Team is responsible for the changing of the liturgical colors, maintaining the altar candles and preparing the congregational candles for any candlelight service. 2016 Leader: Donna Cobb

The Communion Team is responsible for the preparation of the elements, setting the altar and cleaning up after the service on the first Sunday each month. Servers are also scheduled to assist the pastor. They are also responsible for any special communion services, especially Christmas Eve and Maundy Thursday. 2016 Leader: Gail Keigley

The Ushers Team, including the greeters, is scheduled for both services each Sunday and for special services during Advent and Lent.

2016 Leaders: Millie Freeze for 8am and Betty Wall for 10am

The Acolyte Team is responsible for training and scheduling candle lighters for all services.

Joyce Ellison, Children's Director
Rev. Daniel Randall, Youth Leader

Mission/Outreach: Dick Erwin, Team Leader

The goal of this team is to **"reach out with God's love"** beyond ourselves and our church through support of Celebrate Recovery Ministry, Ecumenical Ministries Inc, The Clothes Closet, Methodist Children's Home, Angel Tree, and other organizations with volunteers hours and donations.

Evangelism: Luellen Sutton, Team Leader

The team checks the Sunday attendance sheets for visitors. If they give an address or telephone number, they are visited/called or sent a *"Thank You for Visiting"* note with church activities and information. Monthly the team meets to send *"Welcome to the Neighborhood"* notes to a list of new residents in our area. The team also sends *"Miss You"* cards to anyone that hasn't been seen in church recently. In addition they prepare *"New Member"* packets and invite the new members to the next Fellowship Dinner to be introduced by the pastor.

Family:

Monthly Pot Luck Coordinator: Diana Hartley

Bereavement Meals Coordinators: Frances and Jerry Garner

Prayer: Barbara Klinger, Team Leader

We have a group of dedicated prayer warriors who receive prayer requests by email from Sunday cards and personal calls. There are no

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Activities and Missions at :



United Methodist Church

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE

We invite you to participate in the following activities or missions. Please contact any of the directors or team leaders for more information.

Children's Ministry

"Direct your children onto the right path and when they are older, they will not leave it." Prov. 22:6

Director: Joyce Ellison

Kings Kid's meets monthly at 3:33pm, generally on the 3rd Sunday, for fun and games, food, friendship and a Bible Lesson. 
Other activities include: Sunday School weekly, Vacation Bible School in June, Trunk or Treat, Birthday Party for Jesus, and more.

Youth Ministry

Director: Pastor Daniel Randall

meets Sunday evenings from 4-6 pm
for a snack supper, program and activities.

Music Ministry - Chancel Choir

Director: Blake Riley



The music program of LUMC is filled with a variety of styles. At times majestic hymns fill the air, but these are often interspersed with the fun sounds of Southern Gospel, the beat of Jazz or the soulfulness of Blues and Spirituals. It sings for the 10:00 am Worship Service every Sunday and normally meets for regular practice on Wednesdays at 5:30pm.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

A prayer shawl can cover a person in peace, prayer, healing and grace. Meetings are on the 2nd and 4th Friday every month, gathering to knit and crochet shawls for people in need of comfort. Contact: Gail Keigley 251 961-1740

Ladies Lunch Bunch



Once a month this group goes to different restaurants from Foley to Pensacola for fellowship and food tasting of different varieties. The hostess changes monthly check the newsletter or church office for current information.

CELEBRATE RECOVERY MINISTRY

Celebrate Recovery is a biblical and balanced program that helps us overcome our hurts, hang-ups, and habits. It is based on the actual words of Jesus rather than psychological theory and was designed as a program to help those struggling by showing them the loving power of Jesus Christ through a recovery process.

LUMC volunteers provide a meal to Celebrate Recovery Participants on the third Tuesday of each month. Contact Dick or Betty Erwin at 1-850-776-7132 for volunteer information.

Kairos Prison Ministry



Changing Hearts, Transforming Lives, Impacting the World

The people of Kairos have been called by God to bring the light of Christ to the darkness of hearts that have been hardened and hurt. Each year over 25,000 inmates and their family members are introduced to God's love, grace and forgiveness through Kairos. At LUMC we participate in Kairos Weekends with visits, letters and homemade cookies. Contact: Joan Schuck 251 597-0008



This mission supports anyone who has experienced the death of a loved one. The group provides a place for the grieving that is safe both physically and emotionally, where people can meet other individuals who are going through a similar experience, share their stories, learn from one another and receive much-needed support. Led by Rev. Dr. Jim White



United Methodist Women

United Methodist Women is the largest denominational faith organization for women with approximately 800,000 members whose mission is fostering spiritual growth, developing leaders and advocating for justice.

LUMC fundraising projects include:

- Bi-annual Trash and Treasure Sale
- Mrs. Santa's Sweetshop
- Bakeless Bake Sale

The UMW of LUMC support many missions including UMCOR, Lighthouse Shelter, Methodist Children's Home, Family Promise, Boy's Ranch, Red Bird Mission, and others. Two new missions added for 2013 are the Backpack Project, Elberta Middle School and Repogle Scholarship for LUMC students.

UMW meet on the 1st Monday of the month.

9:30am; Social Time - 10:00am; Meeting

LUMC Board: President: Vicki Shankwitz 256 783-4342

Vice-President: Char Kuhr

Secretary: Martha Michelson

Treasurer: Joan Shuck

Chaplin: Joy Lillie



United Methodist Men

*Mission: To Help Men Grow In Christ,
So Others May Know Christ.*

Our vision:

- Alignment with mission and ministry of LUMC
- Focus outward to all men, not inward to a group
- Attitude of invitation, not expectation or obligation
- Leadership by empowerment, not control
- Development of mentoring relationships
- Build positive relationships with women

LUMC projects include:

- Annual Car Show with BBQ
- Trash and Treasure support of UMW

As "Fishers of Men" we support the needs of our membership, plan outreach and community projects.

UMM meet on the 2nd Monday of the month at 5:30pm.

LUMC Board: President: Dick Erwin 850 776-7132

Vice President: Sonny Keigley

Secretary: Eric Michelson

Treasurer: Jim Wright