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Top Floor Youth Volunteer Schedule:

Sr. High Sunday School-

1st- TBD

2nd - TBD

3rd - Kirke Adams

4th - Lynn Carrington

5th - Lynn Carrington

Jr. High Sunday School-

1st - Lynn Carrington

2nd - Lynn Carrington

3rd - Sherry Carroll

4th - Lynn Carrington

5th - Sherry Carroll

Wednesday Night-

1st- Lynn Carrington

2nd - Angie Adams/Lynn Carrington

3rd - Susan Judah/Lynn Carrington

4th - Angie Ganey/Lynn Carrington

Sunday Night-

1st - Lynn Carrington

2nd - Lynn Carrington

3rd - Lynn Carrington

4th - Lynn Carrington

Wednesday Night Food Teams-

1st - Abundant Life Class

2nd - Kells Carroll Class

3rd - Covenant Class

4th - Cole Garrett Class



Register for 2023 Vacation Bible School by copying the following link into a web browser to volunteer or register!

https://first-ozark-umc.mycokesburyvbs.com

TOP FLOOR NEWS

Greetings! We participated in the Bible Reading Marathon on Sunday, April 30, from 6:00 -7:00 p.m. at the Ozark Amphitheater.

Last week, Ava Biretz and I spoke for two Ministry Minute segments. I appreciate Ava's willingness to serve in this way!

The Senior Banquet was held May 3 in the Family Life Center. Refreshments were served, and photos were taken in the Meditation Garden prior to the catered evening meal. A delicious graduation cake and cheesecakes were also enjoyed by the guests. Entertainment was provided by Nash Carrington, and the guest speaker was Jenna Judah Strickland! A video was shown featuring each senior, along with Top Floor Youth memories! Each senior received an imprinted Bible, a framed family photo taken earlier in the garden, a bag of graduation cookies, and a copy of the video! Senior Recognition Sunday was May 7, 2023, at the 9:00 and 11:00 a.m. services. Caps and gowns were worn at the 11:00 a.m. service as the seniors entered the sanctuary to "Pomp and Circumstance." Emmy Ganey, Laney Gresco, and Audra Lowery shared testimonies! Baccalaureate was held in the Family Life Center on May 7, 2023, at 3:00 p.m. Senior tables and baskets will remain in the fellowship hall throughout May.

The flag fundraiser began on April 10 and will conclude May 22. Forms will be placed in the bulletins each week through May 21. Forms will also be available in the church office. The cost is \$5.00 per honorarium or memorial. Flags will be placed along the front and sides of the church after May 22 and will remain through Flag Day in June. All proceeds will be used to fund Top Floor Youth activities. Thank you in advance for your support!

Shoebox items for the month of May include small musical instruments (harmonicas, kazoos, recorders, etc.), kaleidoscopes, marble sets, slinkys, and yo-yos. The Giving Bean fundraiser is ongoing. Check the church website to see what they have to offer and consider making a purchase! TFY receives 25% of the proceeds!

Upcoming May events in high school graduations and participation in the Bucket Golf event!

Blessings! Shining our light! Matthew 5:16









