

THIS WEEK AT SOUTHERN HILLS

Sunday, May 13

8:15a Bible Study for Men, Bonus Rm
9:15a Source Studies, Keithshire Campus
9:30a Worship Service, Sanctuary
9:30a Bible Diggers, Library
9:30a Children's Ministry, Activities Rm
9:30a Children's Ministry (PK-K), Rm 610
10:30a Youth-Led Sunday School Class, Great Rm
10:30a Source Worship, Keithshire Campus
11:00a Preschool Worship Hour, Activity Building
11:00a Bible Apps Sunday School, Bonus Rm
11:00a Seekers Class, Fireside Rm
11:00a Worship Service, Sanctuary
5:30p Children's Choir Pizza Supper
6:00p Musical Rehearsal (6:00-8:30 p.m.)
5:30p Snapshot (Youth Group)

Monday, May 14

9:00a Upper Room Prayer Team, Prayer Chapel
10:00a Vitality Aerobics, Great Rm
6:00p Methodist Men, Courtyard
7:00p AA, Fireside Room

Tuesday, May 15

6:30p Basketball, Men age 35 & up, Gym
7:00p AA, Fireside Rm

Wednesday, May 16

9:30a Ladies Bible Study, The Source, Keithshire Campus
10:00a Vitality Aerobics, Great Rm
5:30p Dinner served until 6:15 (LAST ONE OF THE SEASON)
6:15p Taizé Worship, Sanctuary
6:30p Unafraid Study, Fireside Rm
6:30p Middle School Small Groups
7:00p Chancel Choir Rehearsal
7:00p Ladies Bible Study, home of Teresa Eikenbary
7:30p Youth Band Practice

Thursday, May 17

9:30a Open Bridge, Reception Rm
6:15p MOVE Vocal Rehearsal, Choir Rm
6:30p Men's age 35 and over Basketball, Gym
7:00p Boy Scout Troop 186, Activities Kitchen
7:15p LOVE Vocal Rehearsal, Choir Rm

Friday, May 18

10:00a Vitality Aerobics Class, Great Rm
12:00p Al-Anon, Conference (Bonus) Rm

A MOTHER'S LOVE

Mark 7:24-30

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From there he set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, "Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs." But she answered him, "Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs." Then he said to her, "For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter." So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone. Mark 7:24-30

In the Greek Mother's Encounter with Jesus, We See Three Ways to Express Love:

1. By Words
2. With Attitude
3. With Actions

METHODIST MEN MEETING

Monday, May 14, 2018

The Methodist Men will hold their regular meeting on Monday, May 14, 2018 in the Courtyard Room. We will meet for fellowship at 6:00 p.m. and eat at 6:30 p.m. John Clay will field your sports questions. He will talk about the Derby deluge. Mark the attendance pad with MM or call Dennis Liptrapp at 223-1737 to reserve your place at dinner.

Southern Hills' worship services may be heard on 630 WLAP-AM radio and on WLAP.COM every Sunday at 8:30 a.m., brought to you by Al Torstrick Insurance and the Bank of the Bluegrass.



A Warm Welcome

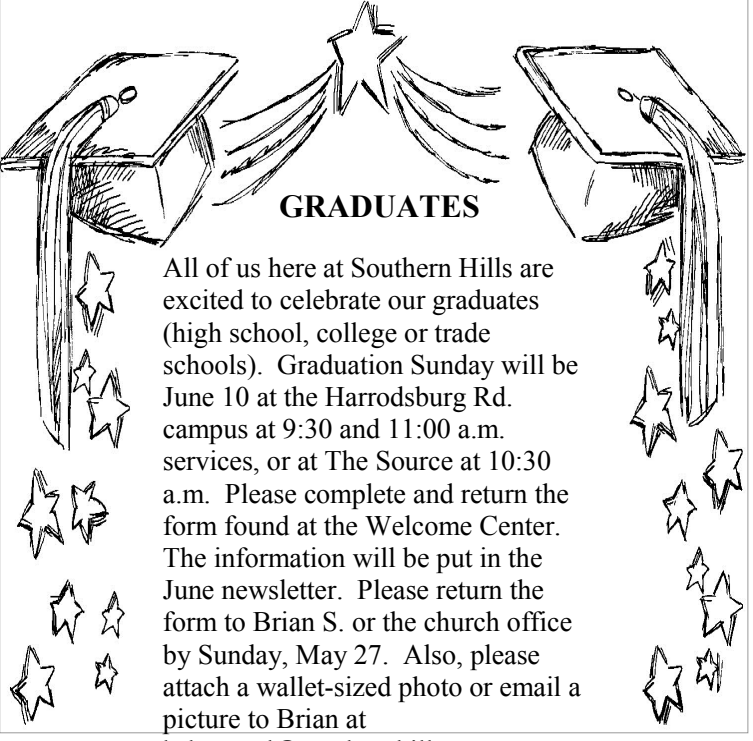
Welcome to Southern Hills United Methodist Church! We are so glad that you have chosen to worship with us today. Before you leave, please take a few minutes to stop by our *Welcome Center* located just outside the worship center in the Narthex. Our volunteers will be happy to assist you with any questions you may have or additional information you desire about the church.

Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given in honor of **John Adams** birthday. They are presented by Pam, Jonathan & Jamie, and Rebecca & Matthew. The flowers on the pedestal are also in honor of John's birthday and are presented by his grandchildren, Ava Rose, Cash, Fletcher and Cooper.

Baptism

This morning we celebrate the baptism of **Lillian Violet Sizemore**, daughter of Stephen and Kirsten Sizemore.



GRADUATES

All of us here at Southern Hills are excited to celebrate our graduates (high school, college or trade schools). Graduation Sunday will be June 10 at the Harrodsburg Rd. campus at 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. services, or at The Source at 10:30 a.m. Please complete and return the form found at the Welcome Center. The information will be put in the June newsletter. Please return the form to Brian S. or the church office by Sunday, May 27. Also, please attach a wallet-sized photo or email a picture to Brian at bshumard@southernhillsumc.org.

The illustration shows two graduation caps (mortarboards) with tassels. From the tassels, several stars are falling or flying outwards. The word 'GRADUATES' is written in bold, capital letters between the two caps.

On-going Prayer Concerns: Jo Carol Kovack, Kathryn McDonie, Phyllis Woolery

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- **Snapshot:** 5:30-7:30pm Sunday, May 20. We'll continue to work on building real community and hear how we are truly viewed by God.
- **High School Small Group:** Meet at Katy's house (text Katy or Brian for the address) from 6:30-7:30pm on Thursday, May 17 as we seek to build our faith and equip ourselves to be ambassadors for Jesus.
- **Middle School Small Group:** We'll meet in the Great Room from 6:30-7:30pm on Wednesday, May 16 to hang out and grow in our relationship with God.
- **Youth Band:** Wednesday, May 16 we'll meet in the Great Room from 7:30-8:30pm to work on songs to lead worship at Snapshot.
- **Confirmation Sunday:** Sunday morning, May 20th, join us at the 9:30 service at the Southern Hills campus to celebrate with our confirmands!
- **Snapshot Bonfire:** On Sunday, May 20th, at Snapshot we'll meet at church then walk over to Brian's house for a bonfire with s'mores, games, worship and a chance to hear a story of how God has worked in someone's life. This will be our upcoming 6th graders first opportunity to join us at Snapshot!
- **Embrace Meal:** On Monday, May 21, we will go to Embrace Church and help with their community meal. They need help with cooking, serving and cleaning up. We'll leave from Southern Hills at 5:15 p.m. and be back by 8:00 p.m.

FINAL TAIZÉ OF THE SPRING!
 Please make plans to attend our final Taizé Worship experience of the Spring semester, which will be held on Wednesday, May 16th at 6:15 p.m. This special service, which includes singing, scriptures, prayers, meditation, and Holy Communion, is led primarily by our very talented laity, with Dr. Bill Moore leading the sacrament of Holy Communion.



SPRING MUSICAL TO BE PRESENTED ON MAY 20TH

Elijah! God's Faithful Prophet is the title of this year's Spring musical, which will be presented by our Children's Choir for both of our traditional services on Sunday, May, 20th. In addition to the musical, we will be honoring our "graduating" fifth graders: Emily Duffy, Murphy Ingle, Sophia Logan, and Bennett Losch. Hopefully, all four of these talented musicians will move up to our Youth Choir in the fall. Please make plans to attend.

SAVE THE DATE!!

Save the Date for an excellent choir concert in our sanctuary!

Sunday, May 20th, 5:00 p.m.
 Les Jongleurs, under the direction of John Stegner
 (Our own Rachel and Bret Losch are members, and their son, Bennett, will be a featured soloist!)

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD

The Methodist Churches will partner with Thrivent Financial to build YOUR 28th Habitat for Humanity House. Construction at 1773 Russell Cave Road will begin on June 13. This year, we hopefully will contribute \$7,000 for this project. Continued THANKS to the volunteers and the many that fund our important mission. For information contact Glenn Dussinger (271-6219 or glennuss@twc.com).



WEDNESDAY EVENING MEALS

Served from 5:30-6:15

Please make your reservations on the pew pads at our Harrodsburg Road campus, or on the Connection Card at our Keithshire Campus. Meal schedule for May:
 16th Pasta & Salad (Last Meal of the Season)

ROADRUNNERS

The Roadrunners meet twice a month on a Thursday to enjoy food and fellowship together. They visit area restaurants and spend time in conversation while enjoying a good meal. Here is their schedule for the month of May:
 May 24th Texas Roadhouse—Harrodsburg Rd.

For more information regarding the Roadrunners please call Brian at 277-6176, or email him at rbcathey@southernhillsumc.org.



Remember all those great health benefits of gardening. We're past the frost date now so, if you haven't done it already, now is a good time to put together a small garden or plant a tomato or two on the patio. Working in both small and large gardens improves mood and physical well-being.

COMBINED JUNE/JULY NEWSLETTER

The deadline for the JUNE/JULY combined newsletter is Wednesday May 16th at 12:00 noon. Please forward all information you would like included in *The Messenger* to Dawn Sparks at dsparks@southernhillsumc.org.

BAGBY LIBRARY: "Hear the word of the Lord, O Israel!" Jeremiah 10:1
 The library wants you to hear the word of the Lord but also read the word of the Lord. I was recently at a Derby party and a Christian and I started to talk about different translations of the Bible. We agreed to disagree on the one translation that each of us chose for our daily reading, but it put my brain cells into thought. I want you to read a Bible, and I want you to be comfortable in reading the Bible. For the young people or the young at heart people or new Bible readers, there is a selection of Bibles displayed on the table near the library door. You may take it with you or read it in the library. I am not saying you must read every word in a week, but try to make yourself and your children and grandchildren knowing the words of Scripture.



UPCOMING CHILDEN AND FAMILY EVENTS

June 16th - **Kingdom Builders**—A Celebration of Fathers and Paternal Figures (11am –1pm)

June 20th—22nd—**Rolling River Rampage** - Vacation Bible School

July 14th— **Back in the Day**—A Celebration of grandparents and Special Senior Friends (10am—12pm)

August 10th—**We Have the Meats**—A Back-to-School Event (6pm-8pm)

Intergenerational Worship on May 20 for the Musical

May 13, 2018	Jesus Asks Us to Love One Another
May 20, 2018	Intergen Worship/ Jesus Keeps His Promise to Send the Spirit (Source only)
May 27, 2018	Trinity Sunday

CRAFT AND VENDOR FAIR: Saturday, May 19th - We are hosting a Craft and Vendor Fair and will be filling the gym with vendors selling all sorts of items. We are already at capacity for vendors, now we need customers! Plan to come shop and support our vendors and invite your friends. A full list of vendors will be on Facebook or pick up a flyer at the Welcome Desk.

RUMMAGE SALE: Saturday, June 9th - Our annual rummage sale to benefit the Guatemala mission trip is Saturday, 6/9. Save the date and save your donation items. We will be collecting donations at the church on June 7th and 8th and will also schedule pickups those days. Contact Brian Cathey at rbcathey@southernhillsumc.org or call the church at 277-6176.



MAKE UP DAY FOR PHOTO DIRECTORY

The directory company has added a makeup day to our schedule to have photographs taken. **THURSDAY, MAY 17th** is now up and running on their website. You can go to the following address to signup from your home computer, smartphone or tablet:
<http://photos.southernhillsumc.org>

If you have any trouble with signing up, please call Dawn Sparks in the church office at 277-6176.

THIS WILL BE THE FINAL DAY TO HAVE PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN!