



## **TUESDAY NEWS-DAY**

for the Week of  
July 3, 2017!

*Morgan Mill UMC!*

***Happy Independence Day!!!***

***I pray that you all had a  
blessed and safe  
celebration! Thank you  
to all of you among us  
who have served and/or  
are serving now to keep  
this great country the  
“Land of the Free and the  
Home of the Brave!” I  
also wish a special thank***



***you to all of you who are friends or family  
members of our service people, you who serve  
right here with your love and support. You too  
are heroes! May we all continue to pray for our  
Country, our leaders and the world that God  
created and called good!***

***Grace and Peace to you all,  
Pastor Christy***

***ATTENTION! ATTENTION! READ ALL ABOUT IT!***

***Do you have something to share?***

*Hello all! If you have anything you would like for me to add to Tuesday News-Day, please let me know via email @ [christybarto@gmail.com](mailto:christybarto@gmail.com)! Your news to the masses (okay, maybe not "masses", but definitely all of us!) is just a click away!*

***Dates To Be Aware Of!***

- \* **July 9th**, Immediately following worship, please remain for a brief report from our committee on Finance! Be sure to thank them for the work that they have done this year making sure our audit got completed and that we are following up with the recommendations where appropriate! Thank you and Way to go team!
- \* **July 16th**, Called Church Conference Meeting! Please make every effort to be there as we will be discussing the possibility of adding an intern to our staff from the Tarleton University Wesley Foundation.
- \* **July 30th**, 5th Sunday! Be prepared to be wowed once more by our very own Olivia! She will be rejoining us this week to let us know how her missionary journey is going. She will also be bringing her dazzling voice with her so this will be a Sunday you won't want to miss!
- \* **August 1st**, This is the deadline to sign up for the Latvia trip with our District Superintendent, Lisa Neslony. See below for more information.

***Summer Bible Study Opportunities!***

**Sunday School:**

*Adults* - Our summer study is off with a bang! For the remainder of the summer, Pastor Christy will lead us on a journey through

Luke's Gospel and the Book of Acts. Check out the attachments to this "Tuesday News-Day" email for handouts with our scripture focus and dates. Sunday evenings from 6-7pm, see you there! *Children* - Debra Parker is continuing our new children's Sunday school program as well! Sunday evenings from 6-7pm!



### **Coffee & Conversation:**

Join Pastor Christy every Wednesday morning at 10am in the MMUMC BCS building as she revisits her Sunday Scripture focus from the past weekend. Would you like to hear more, did you have questions about the sermon or do you have any insights of your own that you would like to share? If so, this time of fellowship is for you. So pull up a chair, grab a cup of coffee and we'll see you there!

***If you feel called to lead an adult lesson or help in our children's classroom, please contact Pastor Christy for more information!***

### ***Local Service & Mission Opportunities!***

**\* Our Morgan Mill UMC food pantry is in need of more volunteers!** We have seen a rise in the number of clients visiting us each week and would like to be able to show them the radical hospitality that our church has come to be known for



# Food Pantry Needs

within the community. We are open every Wednesday from 3:30-5:30pm and we also need help unloading on the Monday mornings we have deliveries scheduled. Please contact Sandy Sandstrom if you would like to help with this important and blessed outreach.

## ***Attention all Mission Minded Jesus People!!!***

Have you explored in your heart the idea of going on an international mission trip, but have not yet taken the plunge? The West District is taking three trips next year and the Latvia and Tanzania trips both have openings available. If you are interested in those or have questions please contact Pastor Christy or the District Office. The deadline to sign up for Tanzania is August 1, 2017 and the deadline for Latvia is Nov. 1, 2017.



**July or August, 2018**

### **WHO CAN GO?**

Anyone from the West District with a passion to spread the hope of the Gospel to the people of Latvia.

However, the trip is limited to first 6-18 people who put down a deposit.

### **NOW MUCH IS THE DEPOSIT & WHEN IS IT DUE?**

A \$200 deposit its due by Nov. 1, 2017.

### **HOW MUCH DOES THE TRIP COST?**

Much of the cost is determined by airfare, vans, and housing.

Typically this trip costs \$2,300-\$2,500 for everything.

Scholarships will be available.

**INTERESTED?** Email [LisaNeslony@ctcumc.org](mailto:LisaNeslony@ctcumc.org) or Call 254-965-2594

## **Taking Hope To Latvia**

## ***Worship and Mission Team Meetings!***

Keep an eye on your email for more information regarding upcoming team meetings! Together with God, one another and our community, let's see what we can do!

## ***Worship Opportunities!***



Have you ever heard that something isn't a "spectator sport?" Well, ***Worship*** is not a spectator sport! There are a number of ways to get involved! Have you ever thought about leading the Call to Worship or acting as a Communion server? If so, would you consider signing up to be a Sunday Leader? Do you enjoy welcoming people into the house of God? If so, perhaps you could consider signing up to be a Sunday Greeter or Usher. Do you enjoy the creative comments and answers that come out of the mouths of our awesome kiddos or do you have a message to share with them? If so, you could be the newest person on the Children's Sermon rotation! Are you a singer or do you play an instrument? Have you considered becoming the newest member of our praise team? Each of these positions are so very important to the life of our church, won't you consider getting involved in one of these vital ministries?!

## ***United Methodist Connection!***

\* Information on the West District can be found at:

***<http://www.ctcumc.org/westdistrict>***

\* Central Texas Conference News and Events can be found at:  
**[www.ctcumc.org](http://www.ctcumc.org)**

*Please remember to be in prayer for those on our church prayer  
list!*

*May God be the light to our path!*

*See you Sunday!*

*Pastor Christy*