

PERSONS BROUGHT TO OUR ATTENTION

Sandy Sherry (Tiffany Sherry's mother)-Vanderbilt
Chester Blackwelder-MTMC
Joyce Cummings
Ruth Hodges
Doyne Graham-NHC
Gladys Woodlee (Powers)
Nancy Ross-Sunnington
Ben & Betty Ferguson
Erv Manning
Edna McPeak
Arthur Beard (Tami Smith's father)
Lillian Taylor (Chris Taylor's mother)
Christine Burns (Jim Burns' mother)
Becca Zeisler (John Boston's niece)
Clara Delbridge-Richland Place, Nashville
Helen Koelemay (Karen Boston's mother)-Adams Assisted
Harold Coke-At his brother's residence in Nashville
Clint Verstymen (Barbara Boswell's father)-Rockford, IL
Eric Madsen (Melissa Casas' father)-Cottonwood, CA

FLOOD VICTIMS AND FAMILIES

MILITARY AND THEIR FAMILIES

Chris Nall, Jeff Walker, Doug Brown, John Reynolds, Mason Harlow, Luke Naughton, William Rhome, Tim Ferguson, Nicholas Phillips, Ingram Cope, Josh Berry, Clint Ervin, Chase Moss, Josh Thurman, Ben Cahill, Lloyd Denny, Mark Collins, David Walker, Blake Troutman, Richard D. Forth, Mark Thomas, Brandon Kyle Hall, Matt Crisafulli, Thomas Hosfelt, Zachary Kragness, Heather Clemens, Michael Clemens, Jeremiah Borrajo, Curt Oglesby, Patrick Caukin, Shawn Napier, Michael Maglio, Jr., John Sneed

BAPTISM

Today we celebrate the baptism of (8:30 AM Sanctuary): **Elizabeth Chiles Hamilton**, daughter of Thomas Barton and Lady Loughry Hamilton. The paternal grandparents are Bob and Barbara Hamilton. The maternal grandparents are Ed and Andrea Loughry. Elizabeth has two older sisters, Julia Ann and Katherine.

BRIDAL TEA

You are cordially invited to a Bridal Tea honoring Miss Sarah Katherine Frank, Bride-elect of Carlos Antonio Uroza, this afternoon, 2:00-4:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

SENIOR ADULT LUNCH

Senior Adult Luncheon-Thursday, May 20th, 12:00 pm. Speaker is Marie Littrell on Senior Care. RSVP at the Welcome Center, in Sunday School classes, or call the church office by Tuesday, May 18th.

ROAD RUNNERS TRIP TO U.S. SPACE AND ROCKET CENTER

Join the Road Runners for a trip to Huntsville, AL to the Space and Rocket Center on Thursday, May 27th. We will be departing at 8:00 am and arriving back before 5:00 pm. Please make your reservation by bringing \$20.00 to the church office no later than Thursday, May 20th. The \$20.00 will be non-refundable after Friday, May 21st and includes admission to the space center, Imax movie, as well as transportation to and from Huntsville. Lunch will be dutch treat.

FEED MY SHEEP MINISTRY

Feed My Sheep is a new ministry at First United Methodist Church. This is a program for our church families who are coming home from a hospital stay and desire a light meal. Feed My Sheep Ministry wants to provide a meal to individuals and families in our church who are in need. If desired, we want to provide delicious soup and bread after a hospital stay or light meals for individuals and families in a bind. These and other needs may be identified through church staff and Sunshine committee. If you would like to contribute to this new ministry, please donate to FUMC and specify Feed My Sheep ministry. We do need financial support to help pay for the food. If you are interested in joining our group, please contact Betty Hord at 896-2205 or Twana Cantrell at 904-2113. We have a caring group of women and would welcome men to get this new ministry going. We will be cooking, freezing and delivering food to our church families that need our service. We would love to have you join us!

MANY GIFTS ONE SPIRIT SERVICE COMMITMENT CARDS

You may still turn in your service commitment pledge cards by placing it in the offering plate, dropping it by the church office, or mailing it in. If you need a card or service opportunities brochure, please pick one up off the ushers' stands, at the Welcome Center Desk, or in the church office.

FCA MIDDLE TENNESSEE GOLF TOURNAMENT

Please join us on Monday, May 24th at the Old Fort Golf Club to help send as many athletes as possible to FCA camps in 2010. The event starts at 11:00 am with the range open for practice and a box lunch. The format will be a four person scramble best ball. Mulligan and red tees are \$10.00 a piece and prizes for longest drive and par 3's. The cost to play is \$100.00 per person. You can call me at 893-1322 or e-mail me at dsmith@fumcm.org and I will sign everyone up. I hope to have 3-4 teams so please pray about it. The FCA is one of the best ways we have to reach our young people in schools.

FUMY STUDENTS AND PARENTS

In an effort to better communicate with everyone, we are trying to get a more complete contact list of our students and parents. Please visit www.fumyapp.com and fill out the respective form so that we can keep you up to date with information about trips, events, and the amazing things that our students are doing. Thank you for your support of our GREAT youth group. Daryn Chavis & Ben Shaw

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

A couple of weeks ago, the youth made us aware of their project to help the Sheets family. The Higher Ground Sunday School class would like to invite our Murfreesboro 1st UMC family to help us in a fundraiser. On Sunday, June 6th, we're hosting a pancake breakfast and silent auction from 9:30 am until 1 pm in the fellowship hall. Our very own Rev. Carlos Uroza and several friends from his culinary school will be cooking the pancakes, crepes, bacon and hashbrowns that morning. We want to do whatever we can to help out and we're asking you for help. Please plan to join us for breakfast that morning. We also need donations for the silent auction. If you can help us with this, please contact Rev. Uroza at curoza@fumcm.org or 893-1322.

MEALS FOR ROOM IN THE INN MINISTRY

Room in the Inn is a homeless shelter in our community that provides temporary shelter to single adults and families. The first Friday of each month our church provides the evening meal for residents. We currently have a need for classes, individuals, or groups who would be interested in sponsoring and delivering a meal for Friday, June 4th or Friday, July 2nd. If you or your group would be interested in participating in this wonderful opportunity to serve, please contact Byron Lynn at 809-5203.



Mother/Son Picnic For all ages

Join us for a Fun afternoon of Fellowship,
Games, and Fried Chicken!

Cost: Just bring your favorite casserole
Or side dish

Fried Chicken, drinks and products
provided by the church...

May 23rd, 12:00 noon to 2:00!
in the Fellowship Hall and Side Yard

Mother's Name _____

Son/Sons _____

Join us for our first Mother/Son Picnic
Sure to become an annual event!!



FREE SHOTS FOR FLOOD VICTIMS

The Rutherford County Health Department is offering free Tetanus vaccines to any flood victim or anyone volunteering to help with flood recovery who needs one. The CDC has said the Hepatitis A vaccine is not necessary.

FLOOD INFORMATION AND NEEDS

Our District Disaster Response Chairperson, Paul Givens, is taking teams of volunteers into the LaVergne-Smyrna areas where so many homes were damaged. If you would like to volunteer, please call Paul Givens at St. Mark's UMC (893-3455). Here are some web sites you can look at to get involved and keep informed of needs. Hands On Nashville is (hon.org). So Nashville Is Flooded... How Can I Help? [Flood 2010 ... www.tnumcrelief.blogspot.com. Thank you so much for your loving response to the call for Flood Buckets. We delivered 55 Flood Buckets to Smyrna Food Bank and the Conference office and we received almost \$1,000.00 to help flood victims. We will keep you posted as the needs come as we know this will be a long clean-up process.

Dewey Smith, Missions Director

TWO OPPORTUNITIES FOR THEATRE THIS SUMMER

Shamburger Productions will offer two opportunities for Theatre this summer.

- The Theatre Experience, a class for children ages 5-16 in which children will learn theatre techniques in movement and speech, play theatre games, work age appropriate scenes and simply experience drama. (Cost is \$150-register by May 21st). The classes will meet June 1st-17th, Monday-Fridays, 12:30-2:30 p.m. here at First United Methodist Church.
- Summer Theatre Camp will be June 28th to July 17th, for children and youth ages 5-16. The camp will meet Mondays-Fridays from 12:30 pm to 3:30 pm and will produce Seussical, The Musical, Jr., a full scale musical rewritten specifically for children (cost is \$195 for early registration, \$220 after June 11th). All roles are played by campers and will be presented on July 16th & 17th. If you would like more information and a registration form, email Kristi Shamburger at dksham@yahoo.com or check out the web-site: www.shamburgerproductions.com.

NURSERY NEEDS

The nursery currently needs baby wipes and snacks such as graham crackers, fish crackers, vanilla wafers, and various toddler snacks such as cheerios and puffs. Please bring items to room 108. Thank you to everyone who has brought items in to help keep our nursery well stocked.

Up & Coming @ FUMMC

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An adult should escort any children who may need to leave the sanctuary.

FUMC HERITAGE DAY TODAY

You are invited to visit the FUMC Heritage Day display in Fellowship Hall today from 8:00 am-12:30 pm. There will be a sampling of pictures, scrapbooks, documents, and artifacts. Come see and celebrate the congregation's worship, mission, and activities over our history.

WISDOM AND GRACE OLDER ADULT CONFERENCE

The 2010 Senior Adult Retreat, "Reaching Up and Reaching Out: Our Call to Spirituality and Mission" will be held this summer at Lake Junaluska, NC from Monday, August 9th to Thursday, August 12th. We invite you to retreat into the beautiful mountains of Western North Carolina with worship, fellowship, Bible Study, and workshops. The conference features many inspiring speakers and teachers including Bishop James Swanson and Dr. Gayle Felton with music by Ethan Ulson and the Junaluska Singers. A \$65.00 non-refundable "Early Bird Special" deposit for pre-registration/room & board along with a completed workshop and rooming preference form must be filled out at the church office by Friday, May 28th. Total cost will be approximately \$325 per person depending on room preference. Pick up your Older Adult conference information packet in the church office, or email a request to tperkings@fumcm.org or dsmith@fumcm.org along with any questions you may have.