THE VILLAGE HERALD



WORSHIP WITH US!

Sundays

8:15 & 10:30 a.m. **The Well** 9:30 a.m.

LEARN WITH US!

Sunday School 9:15 a.m. United Methodist Youth: Wednesdays 5:30-7:30 p.m.

SHARE FELLOWSHIP AND FOOD!

Village Café
Wednesdays 5:00-6:30 p.m.
Prime Timers
Second Thursday 12 Noon
Friday Breakfast
6:31 a.m.

Office Hours:
Monday – Thursday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Friday 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.



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REKINDLING THE FLAME

"Stir up the inner-fire, the gift God gave you...."
2Timothy 1:6

Power can be used in at least two ways: it can be unleashed, or it can be harnessed.

The energy in ten gallons of gasoline, for instance, can be released explosively by dropping a lighted match into the can. Or it can be channeled through the engine of a car in a controlled burn and used to transport a person 350 miles. Explosions are spectacular, but controlled burns have lasting effect, staying power.

The Holy Spirit works both ways. At Pentecost, the Spirit exploded on the scene; the divine presence was like "tongues of fire" (Acts 2:3). Thousands were affected by one burst of God's power. But the Spirit also works through the church—the institution. God began to tap the Holy Spirit's power for the long haul. Through worship, fellowship, and service, Christians are provided with staying power.

This Summer I will be presenting a sermon series entitled "The Acts of the Holy Spirit" – a look at first six chapters of the Book of Acts. These chapters describe the birth and development of the Christian Church once the disciples of Christ received the promised empowering presence of the Holy Spirit. There is much to learn from these stories. The Spirit is the Mover and Shaker behind the scenes in the book of Acts (just as he is in the prequel of Acts – the Gospel of Luke). Today the same Spirit works in the same way. We need a few explosions as well as the controlled burn. Join us for worship and fellowship and hopefully – renewal.

Until later....grace and peace to you! Rik

You're Invited!









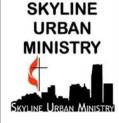
Followed by a Church-wide baby shower
Honoring Parents-to-be
Michael and Mariah-Marion Flynn
And baby boy Flynn
2:00 p.m.
Church Parlor





Make it a day of celebrations at VUMC!!!

Time for Skyline!



JUNE IS SKYLINE MONTH AT VUMC

The following are much needed food items: peanut butter, canned meat, powdered milk, canned fruits and vegetables, pork and beans. You may put your donations in the receptacle in the Narthex.

If you would prefer to make a monetary donation, please make your check payable to VUMC with a notation for Skyline.

An anonymous donor has pledged to match monetary donations up to \$2,500.00.

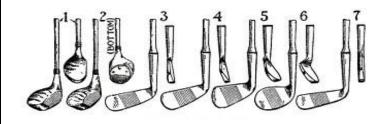
Golf Tournament

All are invited to at Willow Creek Golf and Country Club on June 21, 2014, for a beautiful day of golf beginning at 9:00 a.m. Our format will be four man scramble.

Entry fees are \$75.00 person before June 13, or \$85.00 per person after the 13th. If you would love to play, please contact Casey Stephens @405-615-0324, and he will be glad to sign you up!

Proceeds from the Tournament will benefit the Trustees and building improvements.

Hope to see you there!



Children's Ministries

They're Growing Up

June 8 is Promotion Sunday for the children at Village UMC. They will all meet in the Jungle Room upstairs from 9:15 to 9:30 for refreshments and gathering time. Those ready for Kindergarten in the fall will be pro-Moving Up moted from the Preschool Class to

Amazing Voyage. Children in Amazing Voyage will move up a grade. New 6th graders will join the youth following the gathering time. Parents are welcome to join us for Promotion Sunday gathering.

Jonah and the Whale

During June children in Wee Worship are learning the story of Jonah and the whale. They'll have fun with a huge inflatable whale and a variety of crafts. Jamie Brooks, Nursery Supervisor, plans Wee Worship activities for toddlers and preschoolers each Sunday following the Children's Moment during 10:30 worship.

The Lord's Supper

Children in The Landing Children's Church join their families to take Communion the first Sunday of each month. In Amazing Voyage beginning June 15 they will learn more about what it means. Through art, cooking, games, movies, science and storytelling they will know that "Jesus gave his disciples, and us, the Lord's Supper as a way to remember him and all he taught us." Bible story references are Matthew 26:17-30. Mark 14:12-31 and Luke 22:1-20. The key Bible verse is: Do this in memory of me. (Luke 22:19, Good News Translation)



Outreach Ministries



Prime Time Invites You!

Come to our June luncheon on Thursday, June 12th at Noon. Bring a dish to share, and enjoy the food and fellowship!



There's still time to volunteer for **Project Transformation!**

This program is focused on helping children improve their reading skills, and maintaining good reading habits

during the summer. As volunteers, we will serve as reading tutors for elementary-age children during the week of June 9-12 from 10 a.m. until noon at Chapel Hill UMC. Contact Annette Fisher at pazfish@cox.net or call 405-216-3353 for more information, or to volunteer!



Interested in the **ASP** mission trip? Come to our next meeting on Sunday, SERVICE PROJECT June 22, at 1:00 p.m.

MusiCamp Returns!

Sing, Dance, Learn, Have Fun

Children and youth are invited to be a part of Lighthouse Kidz MusiCamp, July 14-25, 8:30 to noon, with a performance on Saturday afternoon, July 26. The camp gives them a chance to develop valuable skills in music, dance and stagecraft, while also learning scripture. Connie Sallee. experienced teacher, choreographer, performer and director, will lead the camp.

Lighthouse Kidz MusiCamp is open to all kids entering grades 1-7. Cost is \$75 and scholarships are available. Contact Martha Pendleton for a brochure and more information.



June 2014

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Celebrations, Prayer Concerns and Items of Interest



Happy Birthday to: June 7

Marilyn Bower Tony Ellis Barbara Jones



Laura Montgomery June Pratt Rileigh Sloup



Margaret Allison Jan Schechter



Rafe Shackelford

June 15

Connie Sallee

June 16

Ali Wonderly

June 19

Doris Rae Arens





Happy Anniversary to:

June 7

Tom & Jeri Lee

June 9

Chris & Korree Mata

June 12

Reed & Peggy Clifton

June 16

Blake & Bonnie Huggins

Ephesians 2:8 - For by grace you have been saved through faith; and that not of yourselves, it is the gift of God; gnot as a result of





Prayer Concerns:

Gordon Allison Nancy Baysinger Jerri Bonebrake Pat Burton Glenys Decker **Ruth Dedering Sherry Duncan** Charise Frazier Jim Kienholz Rev. Rik Marion Billie Marshall Rev. Chester Phyffer Bernice Reid Jayne Smith Jim Stover Bill & Mary Taylor Wanda Vanderburg Maxine Wood

Camille Bennitt Kelli Hayes Megan Clampitt June 15 Kenneth Dedering Jamie Brooks Jack Dougherty Kelli Hayes Bill Kidwell Virginia Ludlow Jeff Marrs Bill Noble Marilyn Pick Merriane Sanford Sandra Soli Ann Taylor Matthew Weber Maxine White

Muff Ford Andy Greely

HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

On Father's Day, June 15, bring a photo or memento in honor or memory of your father, and place it on the altar during the processional hymn.



Thank you so much for the love, gifts, cards and hard work you all participated in to make our Wedding and union a very blessed occasion. We love you all so very much. Steve and Julie Whitson.

Ushers for June:

John Ferguson Phil Farrill Jim Robertson



Nursery Workers: June 8

Dustin Ayers Jamie Brooks Punk Bonner Jacob Jameson



Greeter for June: Wanda Vanderburg



Acolytes: June 8

Raleigh Fidler Dillon Lee Avery Boyer Marcella Young June 15

Collin Lee Alden Clark Dylan Sims





An Opportunity to Love Our Children

We are in need of an adult to provide child care for the children of adult choir members during rehearsals on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. This is a paid position. If you are interested, or know of someone who is, please contact Martha Pendleton at 405-751-8116 or email mpendleton@villagemethodist.org

Vacation Bible School







Grab a hammer, find a paintbrush, and put on your creative thinking cap! At this year's *Workshop of Wonders* (WOW) VBS, kids will imagine, build, and discover how the ordinary becomes extraordinary with God. They will meet people from the Bible who used what they had to produce something amazing with God. Then, they will use their hearts, minds, and imaginations to participate in the creative life of God, the One who works wonders.

This year's dates are June 22—26. We will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a light supper, and end each evening at 8:00 p.m.



Volunteer opportunities abound!

Please contact Shannon Boyer
to find out how you can help.

Call 285-1549 or email sannon01@yahoo.com



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