

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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Sunday, SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

9am Contemporary Service,

10am Refreshments in the fellowship hall

10:10 am Sunday School includes several classes— inquire with your greeters

11am Traditional Service

***Worship with us on Facebook**

<https://www.facebook.com/firstchurchdayton/live/>

PRAYER LIST

Please keep in your prayers: Tom Taylor for healing, Robbie Garren & Carl Shores for recovery & healing. Praises for Garron Robinson, who is on the path to recovery.

Please be in prayer for Patty Fass— she has a re-occurrence of cancer.

Becky Price for strength and healing. Prayers for Adair McElynn, Arnold Fitzgerald, Billie Doty, Mary Bell, Rebecca Hollingsworth, Winifred Thomas and Betty Fortner. Pray for

Carolyn Davisson, Jay Able and Pat Holsberry.

Pray for Brenda, Phyllis, Helen, Mark, Janie, Terry, Lisa, Frankie,

Donnie, Gerald, Tristen, Ann & Family, Lois & Family, Tammy & Family.

*If you would like to add a prayer request— please fill out a needs form—
found at each pew or you can email fumcdayton@gmail.com*

Anniversaries

BILLET, John & Janet	10/04
BLEVINS, John & Linda	10/11
SNEED, Chris & Heather	10/13



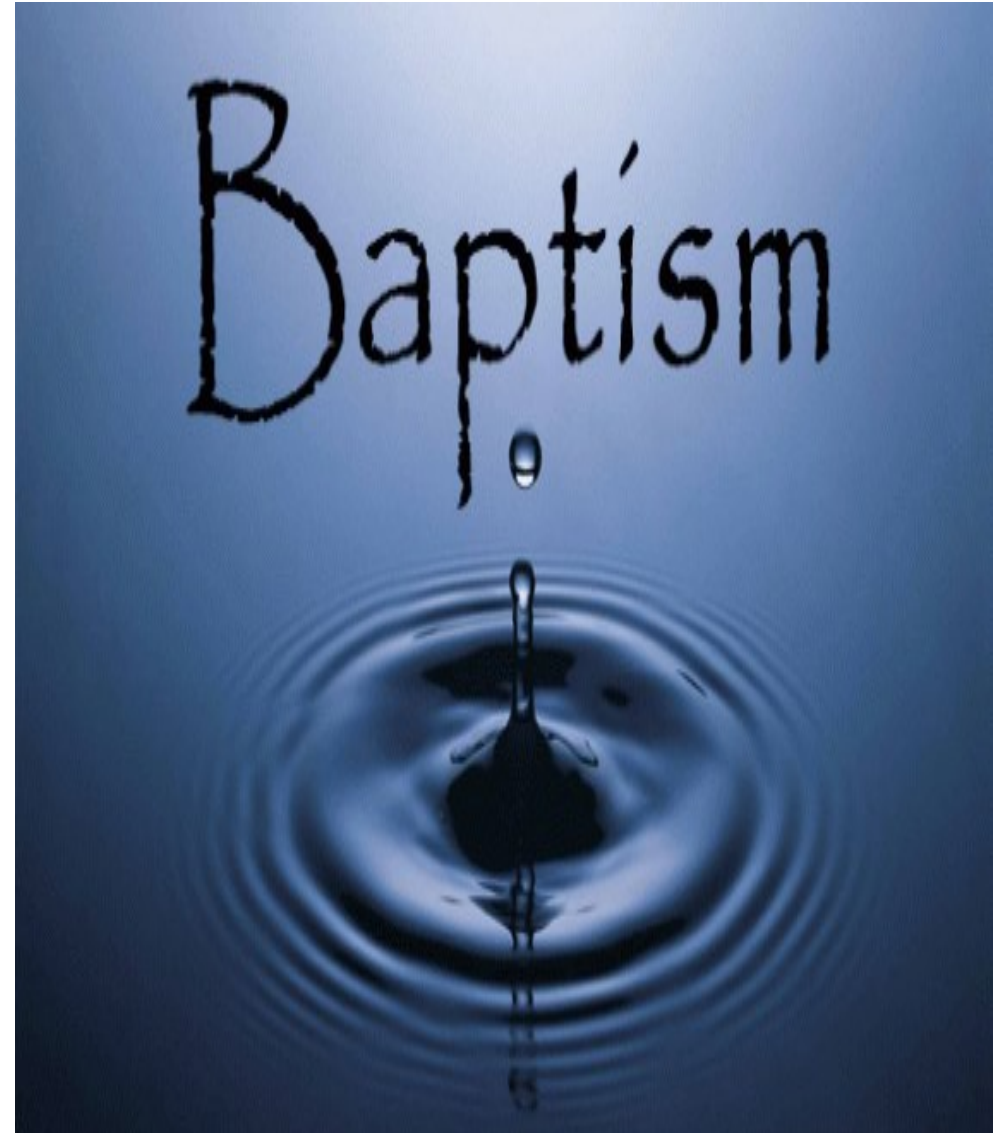
Birthdays

ABEL, Lois	09/18	STUMBO, Levi	10/02
SIMPSON, Eli	09/18	PIERCE, Phyllis	10/04
NEVANS, Diana	09/20	BALLENTINE, Amy	10/05
BARGER, Catharine	09/21	DIXON, Harold	10/06
HUGHES, Lucas	09/21	TAYLOR, Tom	10/06
EVANS, Jerry	09/26	BROWN, Ursula	10/07
PRICE, Lynn	09/26	STEVENER, Donna	10/08
WIPF, Celia	09/27	GARREN, Robbie	10/10
FITZGERALD, Lainey	10/01	NEVANS, James	10/12
		ROPER, Pat	10/17

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“Advancing Christ’s Kingdom locally and globally”

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BAPTISM TODAY AT 12:30

At the Edgewater Community Dock on Scenic Drive

Plenty of parking

Come celebrate with us!

9:00 AM Worship Service
15th Sunday after Pentecost

- Welcome**
- Praise & Worship**
- Prayers & Offering**
- Announcement**
- Blessing of the Children– The Nursery is open**
- Scripture** Acts 8: 26-40
- Sermon** "I want to be Baptized"
Pastor Layne
- Praise & Prayer**
- Reception into the Church**
- Closing Worship**

10:00 am: EVERYONE! Before Sunday School begins, come join us in the Fellowship Hall for Coffee & Pastry

11:00 AM Worship Service
15th Sunday after Pentecost
** Please stand if you are able

- Prelude** Faith Young
- Welcome and Announcements**
- Invocation** Mary Stickley
- Hymn** Crown Him– UMH 327
- **Statement of Faith** UMH 888
- **Glory Be to the Father** UMH 70
- Offertory Prayer** Mary Stickley
- Offertory** Faith Young
- **Doxology** UMH 95
- Children’s Message**
- Pastoral Prayer**
- Community Choir** There’s within my Heart– UMH 380
- Scripture** Acts 8: 26-40
- Sermon** "I want to be Baptized"
Pastor Layne
- Hymn** Shall we gather at the River– UMH 723
- ** Benediction & Response** God be with you till we meet again– UMH 672
- Postlude** Mary Stickley

PHILIP AND THE ETHIOPIAN

Read Acts 8:26-40. Match the question with the answer on the right.

Questions

- ___ What did the Angel of God say to Philip?
- ___ Who did Philip meet on the road?
- ___ Why had the Ethiopian visited Jerusalem?
- ___ What was the Ethiopians job?
- ___ What type of transport was the Ethiopian using?
- ___ What did the Holy Spirit tell Philip?
- ___ What scriptures was the Ethiopian reading?
- ___ Who did Philip explain the scriptures were speaking about?
- ___ When they came to some water, what did the Ethiopian want to do?
- ___ After the Ethiopian was baptized, what happened to Philip?

Answers

1. The Spirit of God carried Philip away
2. To worship
4. A court official of Candace, queen of the Ethiopians
4. A chariot
5. Isaiah the prophet
6. Yeshua the Messiah
7. Immerse himself in the water
8. Get ready and go south on the road that leads to Gaza from Jerusalem
9. Go to that chariot and stay near it
10. A man from Ethiopia



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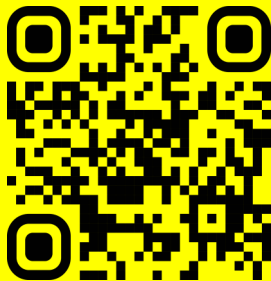
Word Bank

CHARIOT	JERUSALEM	JESUS
ETHIOPIAN	TREASURES	ISAIAH
PHILIP	BAPTIZED	SHEEP
GAZA	TRANSPORTED	SALVATION



COMMUNITY CONNECTION

CONNECTING PEOPLE, PLACES, AND SKILLS



Community Connection is a fun-filled community-wide event to connect people, places and skills in our area ! Each afternoon will be a combination of informational sessions, socializing, and fun activities.

Sign up today and invite a friend!

Afternoons of October 3 and 4, 2022 from 12:30-4:30

Register for this free event by September 27th at

<https://www.firstchurchdayton.org>

Informational Sessions include:

Community Resources & Opportunities

CPR/AED Highlights

Smartphone Photography

East TN. Wildlife

Facebook (for beginners)

Local History

Gardening on your Deck

Pickleball Basics

Fun & Games include:

Name That Hymn

Cornhole

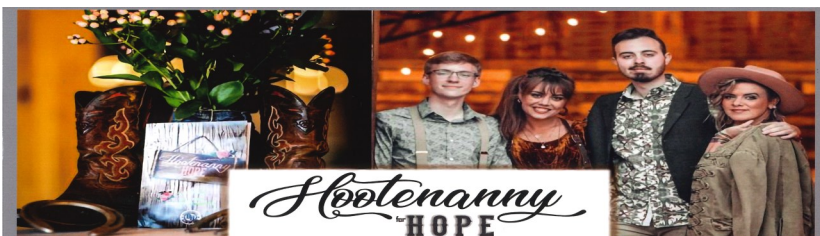
Table Games

WEEKLY MINISTRIES OF THE CHURCH

- * **Monday Night** English as a Second Language Classes from 6:00-7:00
- * **Monday Night DIVORCE CARE - New Series begins SEPT 12th 7pm -8:30**
Call Leigha 423-802-8445
- * **Monday Night** Women's Bible Study will be returning SEPT 12th at 7pm.
Childcare provided.
- * ***MONDAY Night** Brownies Meeting from 5:30-7pm
- * ***Faith Ministries** is cooking on **Tuesday mornings** 8am– noon
- * *** TOPS– Tuesday Nights** from 5-6, Meet in the Library
- *** Zoom Bible Study – Wednesdays**, at 11:00am. Studying the Old Testament Cyndie (240-0187) or email Becky: rbtck@charter.net
- * ***WNL— Wednesday Night Live– 6pm to 8pm Meal provided**
- * *** CHOSEN Bible Study Wednesday Night POSTPONED**
- * *** Tri County Quilters** meets the **2nd and 4th Thursday** 10am to 2. The Quilt of Valor group meets on the **1st Saturday** 9am-2pm
- * *** Thursday Night**—5:30 to 7pm is Girl Scouts
- * *** Rotary Meeting: Lunch & Meeting- Every Friday 11:30– 12:30**
- * *** Young Adult/ College Student Bible Study Saturdays at 7:30pm**
- * *** The Jail ministry: Monday evening** for men, **Wednesday afternoon/ Thursday nights** for women. For info: Heather Sneed
- * *** Feed America– Every Wednesday & Friday** from 10:00 to 11:30 Help is needed with sorting, shelving and distributing of food.
- * *** Senior Ministries– Every 2nd Sunday** is Covered Dish Luncheon after 2nd Service. Bring a side dish or dessert to share– Meat & drinks are provided. **Every 4th Thursday is our Dinner Trip– The Sneed's will be hosting on Sept 22nd at 6pm at their home, 360 Foothills Dr, Dayton. We will caravan/take the church van. Please RSVP to Katie Trotter, 816-830-7074, as soon as you are able.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **FOOD PANTRY NEEDS:** SEPTEMBER "Share the Bounty": Anything boxed or canned. Food Pantry Sunday is the 4th Sunday, but food is accepted at ANYTIME during the month– Just place it at the altar rail THANK YOU !
- **LITTLE LEARNERS** has openings for p/t and full time teaching positions. MDO Program has begun– call 423-775-4577 for details
- **EMMAUS**– has reserved the fellowship hall for September 6 from 5:30-8:30pm. And the Sanctuary on September 17, 24 & 27th
- **GIRL SCOUT LOCKIN**– Sept 23 at 6pm thru Sept 24 at 3pm
- **HIWASEE DISTRICT CONFERENCE**– Sept 25 at 3pm in Athens
- **COMMUNITY CONNECTION**– October 3 & 4th 1pm to 4pm



7th Annual FUNDRAISING SHINDIG to SUPPORT SURVIVORS OF HUMAN TRAFFICKING

Featuring:
SOUTHERN RAISED
Bluegrass Band

The Barn at Faith Farms
Athens TN

Thursday Sept 29, 2022

6:00 to 8:30 PM

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