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SUNDAY MORNINGS AT FUMC

| 8:15 a.m. | Worship in the |
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| | Sanctuary |

- 8:30 a.m. Breakfast in the Activity Center
- 8:45 a.m. Refreshments in the Parlor
- **9:00 a.m.** Celebration Service in the Activity Center
- 10:00 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages
- 11:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary

Nursery care provided

The 11:00 a.m. service is broadcast each Sunday on Brenham radio KWHI/AM 1280 and Channel 96 Cable TV.

Pastoral Staff

Senior Pastor Rev. Dale Chance dale@fumcbrenham.org

Associate Pastor Rev. Kay Reed kay@fumcbrenham.org

First United Methodist Church

408 North Baylor St. Brenham, Texas 77833-3213

June 7, 2013

Dads Raise Kids!

"Every father should remember that one day his children will follow his example instead of his advice." Rev. Robert E. Harris Asheville, NC

"Sunday morning services in most American churches are a female thing. The minister and top lay officials may be men (though not as predictably as was the case a few years ago), but the congregation is likely to be mostly women and children."

"The relevant fact is not so much female ascendancy as male abandonment. In the church, it begins almost as soon as boys have options. At the onset of adolescence, boys begin drifting away from the choir, from Sunday school, and finally, from the church altogether. It's as though they sense that church is, like school, just another place where male leadership is the exception, and male values are held in low esteem." William Raspberry

When Harmon Killebrew was elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame in 1984, he said, "My father taught my brother and me to play ball in the front yard. One day my mother came out and told him we were ruining the lawn. My father told her, 'We're raising kids, not grass.'"

Harmon Killebrew's father probably didn't realize that he was making such a profound and powerful statement. He probably didn't realize the impact his statement had on his young sons. More than likely it wasn't the words of the statement that made the impact. It was the attitude behind the statement. It was the attitude that his kids were important to him.

Parents, what have you done today – what have you said today that tells your kids that they are important to you? Dads, what are you raising today? Are you raising grass or a job or a reputation or are you raising kids? Perhaps if we spent more time raising our kids, we wouldn't have to spend so much time worrying about them later.

This Father's Day, let us remember our fathers and the special place they have in our hearts. And to those who are fathers, remember your solemn and holy task. And let us remember our Heavenly Father who loves us all so very much.

See you Sunday, Kay

Glad To Be Here!

When the appointments were read at Annual Conference this year, I was so happy to be reappointed to First United Methodist Church Brenham for another year. I have known for some time now that I was going to be reappointed, but it always brings a sense of certainty when the appointments are officially read. I praise God and again I thank you for the privilege of being your pastor for another year. May the Lord bless you and keep you.

Pastor Kay

SUNDAY May 19, 2013 Church Attendance:

| Nursery | 6 |
|--------------------|------------|
| Worship 10:45 a.m. | 224 |
| Worship Total | 230 |
| Offering: | \$7,466.75 |

SUNDAY May 26, 2013 Church Attendance:

| Nursery | 6 |
|-----------------------|------------|
| Worship 8:15 a.m. | 62 |
| Worship 11:00 a.m. | 105 |
| Celebration 9:00 a.m. | 68 |
| Worship Total | 241 |
| Sunday School | 104 |
| Offering: | \$6,766.77 |

SUNDAY June 2, 2013 Church Attendance:

| Nursery Worship 8:15 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Celebration 9:00 a.m. Worship Total | 7 63 95 53 |
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| | 218 |
| Worship Total | |
| Sunday School | 95 |
| Offering: | \$10,392.00 |

MAY TOTALS May Income: \$41,078.16 May Expense: \$48,542.94

| May Total: | (\$7,464.78) | | |
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YTD Income: \$251

YTD Expense: YTD Net Total: \$251,640.45 \$253,167.32 **(\$1,526.87)**

The Pre-K Class had great fun playing at the park and releasing there their class pet butterflies.

METHODIST WEEKDAY CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Tami Stevens, Director – 979-830-8661





<u>Congrats to</u> <u>the 2013</u> <u>Graduating</u> <u>Pre-K Class!</u>



CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES Jennifer Patrick, Program Director, <u>Jennifer@FUMCBrenham.org</u>



Teacher Appreciation Party

All of our Children & Youth Sunday School Teachers AND Children's Church Leaders are Invited

Tuesday, June 11 @ 6:00pm Home of the Campbells (3380 Success Ct) Bring your bathing suits, towels and side dish This is a "Thank You" to all of our teachers for a great year. We will also be going over the summer schedule.

YOUTH & COLLEGE MINISTRIES Jennifer Patrick, Program Director, <u>Jennifer@FUMCBrenham.org</u>

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|--|--|--|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | | | YOUTH | WEEK 2013 | 1 Kidnap party 11:15-1:15pm |
| 2 Senior Dinner Meet at 2pm Dinner at 5:30pm | 3 PJs, Pancakes, Prayer, & Pool Summerours home 9am-12pm | 4 Animal Safari Park 10am -3pm Bring \$8 and sack lunch | 1:00 -6pm Cost: \$10 plus | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 9 UMYF POOL PARTY @Rettigs 5:30-8pm | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 16 NO JMYF Father's Day | 17 | 18 Jennifer | 19 at Disney with t | 20 he BCC | ²¹ Y | 22 |
| 23 UMYF 6-8pm | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 nifer in Vegas J | 28 or Theatre Train | 29 aing for Blinn |
| 30 UMYF 6-8pm | | | | | 2 | |

UMYF on June 9

Time: 5:30-8pm

Where: Rettig's Home (3106 Live Oak Dr leaving town off 36N)

Bring: towel, bathing suit, bag of chips to share.





LOOK FOR PHOTOS FROM YOUTH WEEK IN NEXT NEWSLETTER

Confirmation Sunday 2013





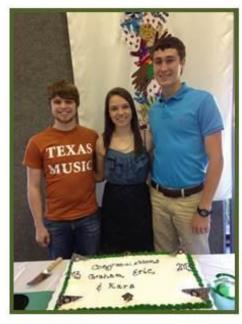




























Behind the Scenes

Donate Towards Our Lakeview Fund for Summer Camp

We already have 12 kids signed up to go to Lakeview summer camp July 8-12. Some of these youth need financial support to get there. The cost for each camper is \$260. We have asked every camper's family who is in need, to pay for some of the cost. If you would like to donate towards this fund please make a note in your memo on your check that says "Lakeview Fund". We really appreciate any kind of contribution. Camp is such a special time for a young person. For many of them this is there first real encounter with the Holy Spirit. I pray that every youth that wants to go...WILL!!

Thanks FUMC!

Dear Friends,

Thank you for all of the calls and cards that you have sent to me, and I especially appreciate your prayers.

Love,

Kay Ivy

God's people responded!

Many thanks to those of you who generously funded the sanctuary stone project.

The Board of Trustees thanks you all!

Prayer Concerns

Kathy Revenaugh Jim Hickey Kathv Rote Marnie Whitmarsh Jim Miller Chester D'Olive Floyd Chapman Jacque Ketcham Virginia Collier Eloise Carmen **Regenta Jenkins** Reka Pennington Frances Sidebottom Shirlene Lehmann Samuel Faske Robert Smith Jan Pledger Glen Amerson Cole Wren Nick Johnson Bob Perry Pat Niel Kent Kilbourn The Wiess Family Steve James

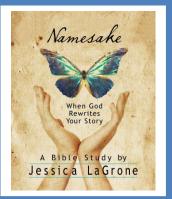
Our homebound members and those serving in the military

Dear UMW friends and church members,

The annual UMW fundraiser will be coming up in October, I know this is early but I would like you to be thinking about our Silent Auction and Country Store. Summertime is a great time to be making items for the Country Store and Silent Auction. Tammy Buller is leading the Country Store and I would love to get many interesting items. There is plenty of time to start thinking about donating an item or two for the Silent Auction.

I would like to set some guide lines for items being donated for the Silent Auction. All items must be in very good condition, clean, and no broken parts. Unfortunately last year I had to reject some items that were donated. We always get many interesting items, all kinds of things and I really appreciate every donation. Some suggestions for items would be antiques, quilts, electronics (new or nearly new), gift baskets, art items, dinner for six or eight, dessert for each month, 6 desserts for a year, services, a weekend trip, jewelry, toys, something you think a person would like to purchase. Everyone seems to have such fun in looking and bidding on the Silent Auction. If you have any questions, please call me. I look forward to this year's auction, seeing what great and fun items will be donated. A reminder, all proceeds from the Country Store and Silent Auction goes to charities the UMW Circles decide to donate to.

In Christ we trust, Deborah Muckleroy H-836-2514, C-277-8831 UMW Silent Auction



SUMMER WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

This summer's study is called *Namesake* by my friend Jessica Lagrone (the same author as last year's study). This study will meet for 7 weeks but please don't feel that you have to attend all of them. Any time you can come will be a blessing! **BEGINS JUNE 10th**

WHEN: Mondays at 6:30pm WHERE: Fellowship House COST: \$12 for the book (in the church office)

Did you know that FUMC has a lost and found?



Are you missing something?

Donations Received

In memory of

Barbara Moran By Tom and Carol Ann Post Don and Mary Wilhelm

<u>Attention Card Group, Evangelism</u> <u>& UMW Ladies</u>

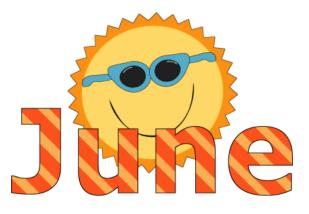
There will be no meetings in the months of June and July. Have a good summer and see you in August.



Newsletter Deadline and Other Information

Your next newsletter deadline will be Monday, June 17, 2013 at 10:00 am.

If you have a submission for the newsletter, please email your <u>written</u> article to <u>fumc@fumcbrenham.org</u> or please submit a handwritten article to the church office. This is the best way to make sure that all the information for your article is accurate. Thank you.



| SUNDAY | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY | SATURDAY |
|--|---|---|--|-------------------------------------|---|--|
| | | | | | | 1 Youth-Kidnap Party 11:15-1:15pm |
| 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 |
| 5:30 Youth-Senior Dinner/ AC | 9:00 Youth/ Summerour's 6:30 Women's Summer Bible Study/ FH | 10:00 Youth-Animal Safari Park | 1:00 Youth-Paintball 6:30 Celebration Band/ AC 7:00 Choir Rehearsal/ Choir Room | 9:00 Yoga/ AC | 9:00 Emmaus/ Parlor | |
| 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 |
| 5:30 Youth/ Rettig's | 1:30 CDC Board/ Library 6:30 Women's Summer Bible Study/ FH | | 6:30 Celebration Band/ AC 7:00 Choir Rehearsal/ Choir Room | 9:00 Yoga/ AC 6:30 UMM/ AC | 9:00 Emmaus/ Parlor 4:00 Buro-Meekins Wedding Rehearsal/ Sanctuary | 6:00 Buro-Meekins Wedding/ Sanctuary |
| 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 |
| Pastor Dale's Farewell Sunday | 6:30 Women's Summer Bible Study/ FH | 5:00 Trustees/ FR | 6:30 Celebration Band/ AC | 9:00 Yoga/ AC | 9:00 Emmaus/ Parlor | 8:00 Emmaus Training/ AC & FH |
| 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 29 | 29 |
| 6:00 Youth/ AC 30 6:00 Youth/ AC | 6:30 Women's Summer Bible Study/ FH | | 1:00 Care Team/ FR 6:30 Celebration Band/ AC | 9:00 Yoga/ AC | 9:00 Emmaus/ Parlor | |
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