



HOLY HEADLINES



June - July 2011



Annual Conference, Corpus Christi

June 8 - 11

Youth Praise Band to perform.

UMW Annual Conference Luncheon, June 9th

Youth Pool Party
Wednesday, June 15th



Swim Party

Need a change? Join us for

Martha's Night Out
June 10th & July 8th



Sunday, June 12th

Pentecost, Confirmation, 3rd Grade Bible Presentation



Youth Auction

Saturday, June 18th

Auction items and bidders are needed

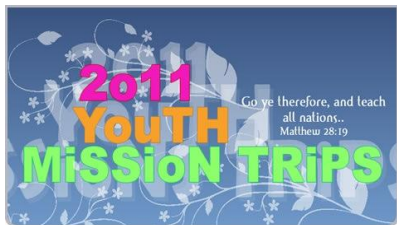
Proceeds will offset the cost of the Youth Mission

Trip to San Marcos.



Date: July 11-15 Time: 9 a.m. - noon Ages: 4 yrs - 5th Grade

Register at the church office or online at www.floresvillemethodistchurch.com



July 15th - 24th

Special Dates

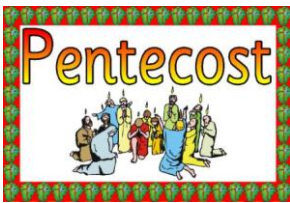
Flag Day, June 14th

Independence Day, July 4th



June 19th





Sunday, June 12th we will be celebrating Pentecost, Confirmation Class and presenting Bibles to our new 3rd graders.



The Youth Auction is finally set. Mark your calendars for **June 18th** time TBD. You can start bringing your donations to the church fellowship hall stage or church office as soon as possible. We greatly appreciate all your support. Our mission trip is right around the corner and we are desperately trying to bring our cost down for each youth and chaperone going. Thank you for helping us grow in our faith?

Youth Group Summer Outlook

As we venture into the summer, we look forward to welcoming the new 6th graders to our program. The first night they can attend is Saturday, June 11th from 6pm – 10pm. We will start in the sanctuary with the Praise Service, then move to the fellowship hall for dinner and games.

Our official welcome/summer kick-off **pool party** will be June 15th from 5 – 10 p.m. at the city pool.

While we have had some great success with our fundraising for our mission trip we are still short. We are excited that our is scheduled for June 18th and are in need of donations as well as bidders for that day. Please mark your calendars and plan for a fun filled day with a live and silent auction with the youth. **Youth Auction**

Our **Mission Trip** is scheduled for July 13th – 23rd. The youth are venturing on a weeklong mission trip to San Marcos to help repair houses for the elderly and low income residence in the area. We will be housed at Texas State University and worship at local UM churches as well as eat with the families of the houses we will be repairing. This is such a great opportunity to show God's love to others! As May 24, we have 23 signed up to be the hands and feet of Christ. I am preparing for our meeting tomorrow for the last sign up where it is hoped that more will join us. I will keep you posted on our progress.

UMYF Leader, Kristie Crisp



Thank you to everyone that brought their car in to be cleaned up. Our car wash raised about \$600. This money raised will be used to offset the cost of our mission trip.



SENIORS 2011



Destiny Luna (center), our Peanut Festival representative, was honored as a graduating senior at brunch on May 29th. She is pictures with her grandmother, Victoria Ramos, and her mother, Sandy Elias.



Also graduating this year is Stephanie Stohr, daughter of Scott and Nicki Stohr.

Congratulations to both of you, we wish them success in their future endeavors.



The end of the school year is is here, but the need for (and distribution of) personal care items continues year around regardless of the school calendar.

Sunday, June 5th, we will be collecting personal care items for our Helping Hands Ministry. Items are urgently needed for the families of FISD District. These items include deodorant, toothpaste, toilet tissue, shaving cream, feminine hygiene supplies, etc.

In lieu of items, you may make a monetary donation in a envelope and dropping it in the large basket at the back of the sanctuary. Items will then be purchased on your behalf!

Thank you for your generous, ongoing support of Helping Hands.

Martha's Night Out is a wonderful evening fellowship opportunity for the women of our church and local community. It regularly occurs on the **SECOND FRIDAY** of each month, at different restaurants around Floresville. There is no membership involved with this group, and a different group of ladies usually meets each time, so just come out and join us if you're feeling like getting away from your usual routine. RSVP to Jewel Gleeson at jbgleeson@felpsis.net or 830-393-2512.



Bluebonnet Emmaus Community will be holding elections at their next meeting on June 7 in Floresville. There are several open board positions. We like to have representation from all of the churches. There is only one board member for Floresville at present. The meeting starts at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary followed by a get together in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, contact Bev Moltz at 393-4849.

Have you been on an Emmaus Walk? Would you like to go? We may not ask those questions often enough. If you have been on a walk, has it made a difference in your spiritual walk? Are you meeting with Emmaus friends to support each other in spiritual growth? Are you in a Reunion Group? Are you willing to share your experience by sponsoring others?

We have several upcoming opportunities to share this experience with others:

September 15-18 – Men's Walk #1633 in Kerrville – open for pilgrims
Steve Gates is serving on the team

Bluebonnet Fourth Day Group is hosting the Bluebonnet monthly gathering on June 7 – let's have a great local attendance. We will need help with set-up at 6:15 and with clean-up



Please welcome our part-time bookkeeper, Angela Mazey, on board! She works 10 hours per week and can help with questions about contribution statements or check requests.

I'd like to remind all the committee chairs and church leaders that invoices are paid after being received and approved by a committee chair or another authorized person. In most cases, this process takes 1-2 weeks. If you need a check issued sooner or on a specific date, please contact the Treasurer, Julie Smith, to make the arrangements at 210-827-5012 or jsmith.flsv@gmail.com. Advance notice is appreciated!

Vacation Bible School



Go B-a-a-a-ck in time!!

Bring the whole flock to *Hometown Nazareth: Where Jesus was a kid!* You'll travel back into Bible times- without setting foot outside our community. Come experience the fun at this Bible times village. Each day, your group will become part of history as they see, hear, touch, and even taste what it was like to live in Jesus' hometown! You'll explore authentic Marketplace shops, visit Jesus' mom, Mary, take part in games, dance to lively Bible songs, and sample tasty tidbits as you discover more about Jesus' childhood. These experiences make God's Word come alive with new meaning for all who participate! Mark your calendars for July 11-15, 9a.m.-noon. For ages 4yrs - 5th grade (older children are welcome as helpers!).

*If you have any items such as baskets, clay pots, plants and blankets we can borrow please contact me. A more detailed list to follow as VBS gets closer.

Thanks so much for all your support of our VBS program!!

Elizabeth Biela 830-391-0344 ebiela2@yahoo.com

The Education Team has the following opportunities to serve as a volunteer:

VBS 2011-HOMETOWN NAZARETH , JULY 11-15

Pre-K Sunday school teacher

Early Elementary Sunday school teacher

**Volunteers
Needed**



Congratulations to Katherine Johns. She has been selected as the FISD Elementary Teacher of the Year. Also, Katherine has agreed to become our Education Team Leader and Robert Mitchell has been selected to replace Christie Crisp on the S/PPRC Committee. You will find an updated listing later in this newsletter.



Floresville United Methodist Women



Faith Hope Love in Action

*UMW meets on the first & third Mondays of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.
All women are invited to attend.*

June 6 Business meeting 10 a.m.

June 9 UMW SW TX Conference Luncheon in Corpus Christi. Call Eileen, 393-6416, for carpool information.

June 20 UMW Day Out in SA – shopping and Lunch somewhere!!

No meetings in July

Some of the UMW members will be assisting at Vacation bible School, July 11 – 15.
School of Christian Missions at Mt Wesley, July 14 17

August 1 – UMW meeting at 10 a.m.

Submitted by, Karen Hannum



WHAT'S COOKIN'?

UMW is beginning work on a new church cookbook. We will be asking for your tried and true recipes. Family favorites, accompanied by the history or a story about the recipe, are welcome. There will be a section for "Special Diets" to include diabetic, gluten free, heart healthy, low-calorie, etc. Be thinking about recipes that could be of help to others in that section. Forms will be available in June on which to submit your recipes. The next committee meeting will be on June 10th at 10 a.m. in the hall. Anyone interested in working on the book is invited to attend.

Bev Moltz 830-393-4849



On Memorial Day we honored those who gave their lives so that we may enjoy the freedoms our Lord has given us.

More than a year ago, Lt Col Randy Bruett sent a flag to our church. This flag proudly flew over an American Base in Iraq and was flown at our church until Sunday, May 29th. She had become tattered and worn by the wind and elements. This worn out piece of cloth represents those thousands of service men and women who gave their all for our way of life.

To honor this flag and those service members, a memorial service was held during late service. The flag was folded by Jim Hale and Richard Stapleton and presented back to Lt Col Bruett who placed it on the altar. The flag will be encased and displayed in the Fellowship Hall.





New Members

Michael, Sharyn, Jonathan and Ryan Barr joined FUMC in December 26, 2010 after attending for over a year. We transferred from Laurel Heights UMC in SA. Whispering Oaks, Adkins, had been our home since 2001. Jonathan is 8 and a 2nd grader at the North Elementary. Ryan is 4 and attends Head Start. Michael is an Aquifer Protection Specialist for SAWS and Sharyn is an Executive Assistant for Talley Benefits here in Floresville. The family enjoys the outdoors, going camping at State Parks as often as possible. And, Michael always hopes to get in a kayak trip. Jonathan is in Little League and Cub Scout Pack 114 for which Sharyn is a Den Leader. We appreciate how much everyone has welcomed us to FUMC.



Maxine Burke Bigler

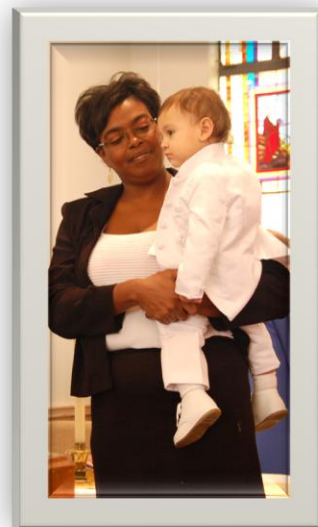
April 3, 2011

Kenneth and Charlotte Hartlein



← Walter and Carolyn Bump – April 17, 2011

Carla Sikkema – April 20, 2011 →
(Jacob Gerard Sikkema was baptized)





Kaylie Farley – April 21, 2011



Palm Sunday



Birthdays

June



- 01 Shae Keen
- 02 Donna Fleming
- 02 Cameron Johns
- 03 Kenneth Lenhardt, Jr.
Will Harlos
Elizabeth Scull
- 04 Judy Fleming
Austin Smith
- 07 Allan Richardson
Sharon Cox
Lexanne Southern
- 08 Gavin Biela
- 09 Skylar Zimmerman
- 10 Lauren Mills
Anthony Castleberry
John Tejada
- 11 Bert Fuller
Wendy Middleton
- 12 Edward Thomas
- 14 James Eakin
- 15 Bill Millikin
- 16 Bob Wentz
Laurel Southern
Cyrus Gleeson
- 17 Weston George
James Lawhon
Inez McBride
- 20 Don Holmes
- 21 Michelle Tejada
- 22 Jeff Faulkner
- 23 Laura henrichson
- 24 Heather Condra
- 25 Luke Clark
- 29 Jessica Shultz

July

- 01 Christina Hons
Keith Krudwig
- 02 Lillian Cooper
Ryan Cox
Brianna Alfara
- 03 Carolyn Bump
- 05 Julie Faulkner
- 06 Jay Pullin
- 08 Nicole Roe
Sharon Artis
- 10 Lindsey Terrazas
- 11 Eleonore Lange
- 12 Alice Lackness
- 13 Jimmy Harlos
Krystal Kiolbassa
- 14 Jessica Kiolbassa
- 15 Kinsey Davenport
Martha Russell
Ryan Shoemaker
Zach Lotspeich
- 16 David Williams
Jackie leFevre
Ben Guerra
- 18 Macy Leonhardt
- 19 Roy Allen
Cynthia Carey
Ross Condra
- 20 Jim Compton
Jake Richardson
- 21 Virgil Russell
Thomas Fleming
- 23 James Myres
- 24 Shelly Weilbacher
Keith Clark
- 25 Gene Miltz
Joy Craig
Lark Harlos
- 26 Kathie Allen
- 28 Ann Burris
Madeline Krueger



2011 FUMC Leadership

(Initially approved at Church Conference 14Nov10 / Updated as required throughout year)

CHURCH COUNCIL

Council Chair – Shelley Ross
Lay Leader – Dwaine Smith
Pastor Michael Mumme
S/PPRC Chair – Charlotte Taber
Finance Chair – Dana Flores
Treasurer – Julie Smith
Trustee Chair – Chad Cooper
Recording Secretary – Barb Gates
Annual Conference Delegate – Kathryn Cooper (2011)
Annual Conference Delegate Alternate – Dana Flores (2012)

Generosity & Member
Connection Chair – Kenneth Leonhardt
Education Team Leader – TBD (E. Biela acting)
Deputy Worship – Bill Gleeson
President UMW – Eileen Williams
President UMM – Tim Ezzell
Youth Representative – Katie Crisp

STAFF/PASTOR-PARISH RELATIONS

Charlotte Taber (2011) - Chair

Class of 2011

Jeff Stapleton

Class of 2012

Bev Moltz
Robert Mitchell

Class of 2013

Joyce Stinson - Deputy
Russell Weilbacher

Plus: Pastor, Lay Leader & Lay Delegate to Annual Conference

TRUSTEES

Chad Cooper (2013) - Chair

Class of 2011

Dan Stone
Judy Pruski
Cassie Earl - Deputy

Class of 2012

Simon Moltz
Jay Pullin – Secretary
Jerry Sikkema

Class of 2013

Roy Allen
Ken Leonhardt Sr.

FINANCE

Dana Flores - Chair

Treasurer – Julie Smith
Financial Secretary – Jan Eddins (non-voting)
Bookkeeper – Angela Mazey (non-voting position)

Ex-Officio

Pastor Annual Conf. Delegate
Council Chair Trustee Chair
Lay Leader S/PPR Chair
Generosity & Membership Chair

GENEROSITY & MEMBER CONNECTION TEAM

Kenneth Leonhardt, Jr, Chair (2013)

Class of 2011

Alice Lackness
Virgil Russell

Class of 2012

Wanda Turner
John Tejada

Class of 2013

Bob Ryan
Mark & Sharon Titzman

Plus: Pastor, Lay Leader, and Finance/Council/Trustee Chairs

NOMINATIONS & LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

Pastor Michael Mumme, Chair

Class of 2011

Mark Mitchell–Deputy
Elaine McGregor
Jody Gregory

Class of 2012

Mac Gleeson
Leslie Stapleton
Shelley Weilbacher

Class of 2013

Brandon Johns
Karen Hannum
Michelle Tejada

Plus: Lay Leader

WORSHIP TEAM

Team Lead - Pastor Michael Mumme

Deputy – Bill Gleeson

Worship Leaders

Justin Myres - 6:00 PM
Barb Gates - 8:15 AM
Bill Gleeson - 10:45 AM
Kristie Crisp - Youth

Music Ministry Leaders

Mary Ann Ezzell – Pianist
Phil Holcombe – Praise Band
Dorothy Perez – Children's Music
Bill Gleeson – Choir/Handbell Director

Additional Members

Mark Mitchell - Decorations
Dwaine Smith – Lay Leader
Beverly Moltz
Kathryn Cooper - Secretary
Rosalie Lloyd – Sat. slides

EDUCATION TEAM

Team Leader – Katherine Johns Deputy – Elizabeth Biela Pastor Michael Mumme

All Sunday School Teachers & Youth leaders: *4yr. old - Kinder* – Melissa Naranjo; *1st-2nd grade* - Jeff & Leslie Stapleton; *3rd-5th grade* – Kristen Wiatrek; *Middle School* – Kristie Crisp; *High School* - Johnny Crisp; *Adult classes (4)* – Barb Gates, Dwaine Smith, Bob Ross, Kathryn Cooper; *Children's Music Director* – Dorothy Perez; *Youth Council* – Katie Crisp; *Youth Alternate* – Matthew Roe; *Middle School Rep* – Emily Tejada

Plus: **At-Large members** - Jewel Gleeson, Katherine Johns, Paula Rodriguez

UMW President: Eileen Williams
Vice – Anita Ransleben

UMM President: Tim Ezzell

UMYF: Kristie & Johnnie Crisp

MINISTRY COORDINATORS

Heavenly Stitches: Lillian Cooper

Martha's Night Out: Jewel Gleeson

Loving Care: Joyce Gorden & Nancy Ryan

VBS 2011: Elizabeth Biela

Kitchen: Chiu-Mei Stapleton

Sanctuary Decorations: Mark Mitchell

Mission Basket: Karen Hannum
& Alice Lackness

Lay Participation: 8:15 Jody Gregory
10:45 Bettie Pundt

Web Shepherd: Leslie Stapleton

Children's Worship Bags: Brenda Pullin

Youth Mission Trip 2010: Kristie Crisp

Youth Dinners: Johanna Krellwitz

Peanut Festival: Kristen Wiatrek

Membership Secretary: Jim Hale

Memorial Secretary: Brenda Pullin

Monthly Fellowship Dinners: Roy Allen

Bus Coordinator: Johnnie Crisp

Communion Stewards: Sat – Kristie Crisp
8:15 - Sharon Titzman
10:45 – Bettie Pundt

Helping Hands: David & Joyce Stinson

FUMC Lay Speakers

Certified: Penny Leonhardt, Kathryn Cooper, Mark Mitchell, Denny Peel, Philip Holcombe, Kristie Crisp, Lou Rosenberg

Basic: Jeff & Leslie Stapleton, Beverly Moltz, Jim Compton, Macy Leonhardt



"Big Bad"



A baby shower was held for Cassie Earl on May 14th. The Earl's are expecting in July



Financial Information

Financial Information as of April 30, 2011

Account balances as of April 30, 2011:

General Fund: \$10,961.65

Special Fund: \$13,954.60

Building Fund: \$26,129.23 (\$9,315 of this amount is designated for the land purchase)

Budgeted income and expense through April 30, 2011 (budget amounts are YTD):

Income: \$71,150 actual

<u>Expenses</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>
Ministry	\$ 3,472	\$ 3,687
Connectional giving	7,392*	6,990
TMF loan	8,040	8,040
Admin expenses	2,505	3,499
Pastor support	22,412	24,459
Payroll	14,326	16,408
Trustee expenses	10,241	14,554
Total expenses	68,388	77,637

Income over exp.: \$ 2,762

* Connectional giving includes increased giving for Five-Star Offerings, which are not budgeted.