

The Shining Beacon

MISSION STATEMENT

We are "Love at Work" spreading the grace and truth of Jesus Christ in our witness to those in the Lambuth neighborhood, University of Memphis Lambuth Campus, our community, and the world in which we live.

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Lambuth Memorial United Methodist Church

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

10:15 A.M.

Invite a Friend!

PASTOR

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Mary Beth Eberle

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Cindy Roberson, Donna Morse, Hazel Hunt,
Gina Dickey, Tera Hay, Shelby O'Brien,
Kendall Rezabek, Kevin Eberle, Bill Farmer,
Danny Laughlin, Adam Simpson

BULLETIN, A/V, GRAPHICS AND PROJECTION

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MINISTRY CHAIRS

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SPRC

Robert Conder

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Martha Manuel

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Trustees

Bill Farmer

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Trish Loyd

Witness/Evangelism

Alice Redding

Missions

George Dean, Willis Ward

Congregational Care

Shirley Adams

Statement from the Wesleyan Covenant Association regarding the violence in Charlottesville, VA :

"The Wesleyan Covenant Association condemns the violence, hatred and bigotry that occurred in Charlottesville, VA this weekend. The actions and rhetoric which the world witnessed do not represent the core values of the United States and are incompatible with the life of Jesus and the nature of the Kingdom of God. We categorically reject the myth of white supremacy.

We join in fervent prayers for comfort for the families of those who died, for healing for those who were injured physically, emotionally and spiritually, for wisdom for governmental authorities as they respond to the challenges presented, and for repentance and transforming love in the lives of those who perpetrated the acts of violence and gave voice to hatred and bigotry. We pray for God's justice to be established and for the healing of our nation from wounds and evil that have existed for too long.

Our hope is not found in the goodness of the human heart, but rather in the transforming power of the Gospel of Jesus Christ who tears down the walls of division and who has entrusted to us a ministry of reconciliation and healing. We long for the fullness of the Kingdom of God to be established in our midst where people of every ethnicity will gather as one and as equals under the Lordship of Jesus Christ. We commit to work for the elimination of hatred, bigotry and prejudice, and to ensure that God's best is fully available to every person. We proclaim that the life of Jesus is light for all people, that the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness cannot overcome it."

Recalling the words from our Baptismal Covenant that we heard on Sunday during the baptism of Adrian Arnold: "Do you confess Jesus Christ as your Savior, put your whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as your Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races?" "I do." The Christian faith does not support or condone racism or ethnic nationalism.

Spirit Blessings,
Gary



ITEMS ARE BEING COLLECTED AS BINGO REWARDS FOR RESIDENTS OF ST. MARY'S MANOR

A collection box has been placed on the
bench outside the sanctuary.

Suggestions: hand or body lotion, chapstick, toothpaste, toothbrush, hand mirror with a magnified side, hair comb, hair brush, emery boards, hand held magnifying glass, socks/footies with grippers on the bottom, gloves, hand towels, washcloths, handsoap, spoon rest, coasters, small boxes of candy, tic tacs, gum, crossword puzzle books, word search puzzle books, etc.

OCT. 1
2017

HOPE @ the amp
THE JACKSON AMPHITHEATER

10:30AM

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES

LM TO HOST A BOOTH IN THE PARK AT THE FARMER'S MARKET SEPTEMBER 9 AND SEPTEMBER 30



Our church banner will be displayed. We will be handing out cards and bottled water and inviting the community to join us for HOPE @ the Amp.

LM WILL HAVE A BOOTH AT THE WEST TENNESSEE STATE FAIR SEPTEMBER 12 – 17



Representatives from the church will be there each night to invite the community to our church, inform them of the "Blessing of the Pets" and to join us for HOPE @ the Amp. Anyone interested in helping, please contact Cathy Johnson, 731-616-6506.



LM TO HOST "Blessing of the Pets" SEPTEMBER 23, 10:00AM Where: Dog Park Downtown - Union Ave & Farrar

The entire LM membership and Jackson community are invited to participate in this pet friendly fun! Come, bring your pets and invite others to bring their pets and join us!

The Dog Park is funded and maintained by LANA (Lambuth Area Neighborhood Association). Donations will be received for park expenses.



"Almuerzo Mexicano" MEXICAN POTLUCK PRE-WEDDING RECEPTION AND SHOWER honoring Charlotte Hay & Davy Crockett SUNDAY, AUGUST 20 following worship, Townsend Hall

Bring your favorite Mexican dish, stay for lunch August 20 and celebrate with Charlotte & Davy!

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES



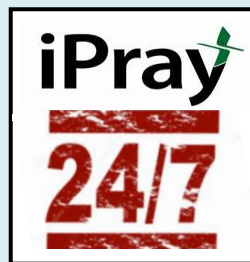
A prayer walk has been scheduled for Sunday, August 27, 9:21AM at The Amp. When you arrive at The Amp on the day of the prayer walk, you will be given a handout with information about the prayer walk and a scripture for reflection as you pray.

The prayer walk will be kept very simple. Once you receive your handout, you will walk the perimeter of the Amp on your own praying for the service: the speakers, musicians, those who will be in attendance, and for who God is asking you to invite. You may pray silently or out loud, whatever is most comfortable for you. The prayer walk will last about 20 minutes. We will end by gathering at the stage for a closing prayer.



The Prayer Team is forming prayer groups for the purpose of praying for HOPE @ the Amp. These will be small groups of about 6-8 people per group who will commit to meeting together once a week for prayer.

Each group will decide where and when they wish to gather to pray. Please consider participating in a prayer group.



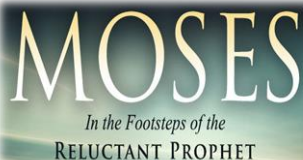
A 24/7 HOPE @ the Amp online calendar has been created for the purpose of helping us make the commitment to seek God through Word and prayer and to pray intentionally for Oct. 1 HOPE @ the Amp and for who God is asking you to invite.

Click this link or type it in your internet browser to sign up: <https://www.timetosignup.com/lmumcipray/sheet/222543> Remember, your commitment to set aside a specific time to read God's Word and pray is just one element. The other part is to share those scriptures and messages God lays on your heart by posting on the HOPE @ the Amp Facebook page so we can learn from each other and grow together as a community of faith.

YOUTH SUNDAY THE CREW WILL LEAD WORSHIP SUNDAY, AUGUST 20



**WEDNESDAY NIGHT
ADULT BIBLE STUDY**
6:00PM, Library



**WESLEY FELLOWSHIP
SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS
IS HOSTING A STUDY
ON MOSES**
All are invited!

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

August 6, 2017

Adrian Arnold – Profession of Faith
Qunique Jelks – Reaffirmation of Faith

WELCOME VISITORS

August 6 – Adrian Arnold, April Hamm, Carson Hamm, Qunique Jelks, Amy Jones, Preston Smith, Evan Wallace

August 13 – Eadon Browder, Elaynor Browder, Megan Browder, Trae Browder, Sonovian Brown, Fred Cunningham, Kim Cunningham, Laci Cunningham, Lawson Cunningham, April Hamm, Carson Hamm, Jan Neely, Kimberly Neely, Preston Smith, Quan Woods

MEMORIALS

Memorial Fund
In memory of **Eleanor Baxter**
by Sue Hicks,
Glen and Beth Vanderford

AUGUST USHERS AND GREETERS

George Dean, Michael Odom, Drake Wallace, Sara Wallace

LITURGIST

8/20 Youth 08/27 Cathy Johnson

ALTAR FLOWER DELIVERY

08/20 Sally Neudecker 08/27 Sally Neudecker

MEALS ON WHEELS

08/21 McKenzie 08/28 Dean/Whaley

AUGUST BUS DRIVER

Phillip Evans

AUGUST ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Linda Farmer – 16th
Glen & Beth Vanderford – 17th
Willis & Jone Ward – 24th
Bob & Alice Redding – 29th

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Edward Boykin – 2 nd	Marian Stephenson – 14 th
Scott Conger – 2 nd	Claire Clark – 16 th
Juanita Roberts – 5 th	Laurie Clark – 17 th
Gary Smith – 6 th	Matthew Castleman – 18 th
JT Smith – 6 th	Emma Parish – 20 th
Carol Carnell – 8 th	Kaitlyn Fisher – 21 st
Darren Wood – 8 th	Bob Redding – 25 th
Kylie Rezabek – 14 th	Gabe Williams – 30 th

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST
Saturday, August 19, 8:00AM, Townsend Hall

SLT 5 – Sunday, August 20, 4:00PM, Townsend Hall

HOPE @ the Amp Core Group Meeting
Sunday, August 27, following worship, Phillips Classroom

CHURCH CALENDAR 08/19/17 – 09/01/17

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
SAT 08/19	8:00AM	Men's Prayer Breakfast	Townsend Hall
SUN 08/20	8:00AM 8:30AM 8:45AM 9/9:15AM 10:15AM 11:30AM 4:00PM	Youth Sunday Sunday School Promotion Sunday First Light Communion Praise Team Prayer at the Cross Sunday School Morning Worship Mexican Potluck Luncheon & Pre-wedding Reception & Shower honoring Charlotte Hay & Davy Crockett SLT 5	Sanctuary Sanctuary C3 Worship Area Classrooms Sanctuary Townsend Hall Townsend Hall
MON 08/21	5:30PM	Zumba	MFLC
TUE 08/22	5:30PM 7:30PM	Zumba GOD Group Narcotics Anon	MFLC MFLC
WED 08/23	5:30PM 6:00PM 6:00PM 7:00PM 7:30PM	Family Night Dinner Adult Bible Study Youth/Children Small Groups Praise Team GOD Group Narcotics Anon	Townsend Hall Library Classrooms Sanctuary Townsend Hall
THR 08/24	10:30AM 5:30PM	JOBS Zumba	Jackson Oaks MFLC
FRI 08/25			
SAT 08/26			
SUN 08/27	8:00AM 8:30AM 8:45AM 9:21AM 10:15AM 11:30AM	First Light Communion Praise Team Prayer at the Cross Prayer Walk Morning Worship HOPE @ the Amp Core Group Meeting	Sanctuary Sanctuary C3 Worship Area The Amp Sanctuary Phillips Classroom
MON 08/28	5:30PM	Zumba	MFLC
TUE 08/29	5:30PM 7:30PM	Zumba GOD Group Narcotics Anon	MFLC MFLC
WED 08/30	5:30PM 6:00PM 6:00PM 7:00PM 7:30PM	Family Night Dinner Adult Bible Study Youth/Children Small Groups Praise Team GOD Group Narcotics Anon	Townsend Hall Library Classrooms Sanctuary Townsend Hall
THR 08/31	10:30AM 5:30PM	JOBS Zumba	Jackson Oaks MFLC
FRI 09/01			

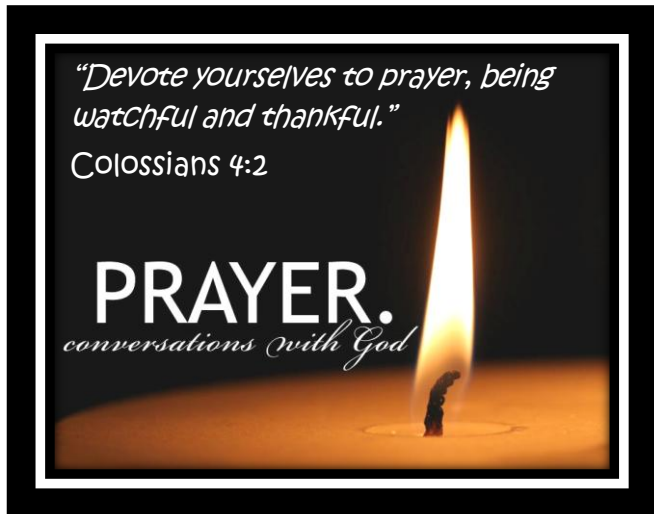
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PRAYER CONCERNS

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Velma & George Berniard	Skippy Hawks	Steve O'Neal	Kristi, Kendall & Kylie Rezabek	Marian Stephenson
Charles Boykin	Donna Ladd	Christine Parish	Everett Roberson	Jone Ward
Tina Byford	Amelia McLemore	Jennifer Parish	Gary Smith	Marie Yates
Jimmy Dyer	John O'Brien	Ann Phillips	JT Smith	

Sympathy is extended to Charlotte Hay and family in the death of her mother, Minnie Jackson
 SLT 5 and all other SLT groups
 HOPE @ the Amp

CHURCH FAMILY AND FRIENDS IN HOMEBOUND CONNECTIONS

Betty Broderick	Arrie Edwards	Juanita Roberts	Robert Shackelford	Darren Wood
Sara Dickerson	Celestine Ramsaur	Janell Rogers	Robert Warmath	

FRIENDS & FAMILY OF MEMBERS

Anita (daughter of John O'Brien)	Brenda Hawkins (mother of Kim Laughlin)	Mark Pace (brother of Tina Byford)
Sara Adams (friend of Charles Boykin)	Ted Hicks (son of Sue Hicks)	Frank Parker (cousin of Kim Laughlin)
Elizabeth Bacon (cousin of Kim Laughlin)	Shelia Hopkins (friend of Martha Dean)	Megan Pinter (daughter of Brandon & Tina Byford)
Barbara Bean (stepmother of Cindy Roberson)	Brian Hutt & Family, Christian Schools in China	Deborah Redmond (Tina Byford's daughter's fiancé's mother)
Helen Billingsley (mother of Alice Redding)	Mike Johnson (brother of Nettie Jean Cooper)	Dan Reynolds (brother of Peggy Parish)
GG Bray (friend of Carol Carnell)	Terry King (brother of Peggy Parish)	Will Roberts (brother of Elizabeth King)
Jacob Carkuff (brother of Beth Ann Simpson)	Gipse Maxwell (Lucy Hawks son-in-law's father)	Joe & Melanie Rogers (friends of April Hamm)
Jeff Carkuff (brother of Beth Ann Simpson)	Barbara Mayeaux (mother of Velma Mayeaux)	Larry Scallion (friend of Matt & Sara Wallace)
Savannah Conley (niece of George & Martha Dean)	Wesley McCall, nephew of David McCoy	Joe Smith (son of Gary Smith)
Chad & Kristi Cunningham – (daughter & son-n-law of Tommy & Trish Loyd)	Carol McCoy	Andrew Snow (friend of J.T. Smith)
Donna Dickey (friend of Cathy Venable)	Judy Merrit	Tanzania Missionaries Eric and Elizabeth Soard
Ronnie Dorris (friend of Sara Wallace)	Debbie Moody (sister-in-law of Max Whaley)	Brother John Washington's mother
Mary Duncan (friend of Jenny Hamilton)	Virginia Moore (mother of Deborah Smith)	Suzanne Wehner (friend of Mary Lou Adams)
Jean Goad (aunt of Gary Smith)	Charles & Evelyn Morse (parents of Gary Morse)	Amanda Wildermuth (niece of Peggy Parish)
Beverly Hall	Ruth & Tom Oliver (friends of Shirley Adams)	Ginger Wildermuth (sister of Peggy Parish)
	Robert Osborne III (brother of Melinda Stewart)	Malena Woodard (infant niece of Adam Simpson)
	Celeste Osgood (friend of April Hamm)	

OUR COMMUNITY AND OUR WORLD

those who don't know Christ, persecuted Christians	our community	our neighbors at Whitestone church
all agencies for helping those in need	the homeless, the hungry	The United Methodist Church
those in nursing homes and assisted living	our troops, our nations and leaders	Wesley Covenant Association
	healing of racial tensions in our country	U of M Wesley Foundation