

# The Shining Beacon

## MISSION STATEMENT

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## Lambuth Memorial United Methodist Church

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**SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
**10:15 A.M.**  
**Invite a Friend!**

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## LAMBUTH MEMORIAL UMC VISION STATEMENT

1. To increase awareness of God's presence and celebrate God's love (worship and prayer)
2. To help ALL people learn and to grow as Christians, through mutual support and care (learning and growing)
3. To be a good neighbor to ALL people in need and to challenge injustice (service)
4. To make more followers of Jesus Christ and to encourage followers to become disciples for Christ (evangelism)

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## EASTER WORSHIP SCHEDULE



**Palm Sunday Morning Worship**  
**March 25, 10:15AM**

**Maundy Thursday Service**  
**March 29, 6:00PM**



**Easter Sunday**  
**Prayer at the Cross**  
**April 1, 8:15AM**



*Bring a breakfast finger food or fruit  
and stay for food and fellowship  
in Townsend Hall.*

**EASTER SUNDAY**  
**Morning Worship & Communion**  
**April 1, 10:15AM**



### CHILDREN'S EASTER EGG HUNT

We are partnering with neighboring churches/organizations to host an Easter Egg Hunt at the AMP on March 31st (rather than our originally scheduled March 25 at LMUMC). We need to contribute candy (to fill plastic eggs, we have plenty of eggs), cupcakes or little Debbie snacks for cake walk, and volunteers on day of! Please let me know how you wish to help! Spread the word to our community!



**EASTER Eggstravaganza**

SATURDAY, MARCH 31  
10AM-12NOON

 91 NEW MARKET ST  
DOWNTOWN JACKSON

**Egg hunts for all ages**

Toddler- 10:15am      Preschool- 10:35am  
K/1st Grade- 10:55am    2nd/3rd- 11:15am  
4th-5th- 11:35am

**Relay races, Egg Toss**  
**Live music, & more!**

*Sponsored by*  
Thrive Church  
Mother Liberty CME Church  
Lambuth Memorial UMC  
First United Methodist Church  
Jackson Downtown Development



**A SPECIAL HUNGER OFFERING WILL BE RECEIVED ON PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 25**

Your hunger offering will go to support:

- Soard Food Ministry in Tanzania
- RIFA Soup Kitchen/Food Bank
- LM Wednesday Night Community Dinner

The Wednesday Night Adult Bible Study Class is hosting a

**COVENANT RENEWAL SERVICE**

Wednesday, March 14, 6:00PM

We will renew our covenant with God. Everyone is invited to attend. Communion will be served.

**NEW WEDNESDAY NIGHT ADULT BIBLE STUDY SERIES TO BEGIN MARCH 21, 6:00PM**

*Three Simple Rules: A Wesleyan Way of Living*  
by Rueben Job

This six-week study provides extended reflection on John Wesley's principles of Christian Living: do no harm, do good, and stay in love with God. Together we will delve into understanding the rules more fully and explore ways to practice them in daily life.

### EASTER LILIES and SPRING FLOWERS



If you would like to order an Easter lily or a pot of spring flowers to be placed in the sanctuary on Easter Sunday, April 1 in memory or in honor of someone special, please complete the form below.

Place your completed form along with your payment marked for "Easter Flowers" in the offering plate or mail or bring it to the church office.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

# of Easter Lilies at \$10 each \_\_\_\_\_ # of Spring Flowers at \$10 each \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my payment in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_

In memory of \_\_\_\_\_

In honor of \_\_\_\_\_

**WELCOME VISITORS**

**March 4** – Davy Crockett, Alicia Franco, Tabitha Hatcher  
**March 11** – Davy Crockett

**MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS**

**Memorial Fund**

**Given in memory of Marie Yates**

by Physical Therapy Dept, Tennova Hospital, Labanon, TN

**The United Methodist Lent Quiz**

1. What does the term 'Lent,' which comes from 'lencten' mean?
  - Sacrifice
  - Time
  - Spring
  - March Madness
2. How were ashes imposed in the early church?
  - The shape of a cross was drawn on the forehead
  - Ashes were smeared across closed eyelids
  - Ashes were poured or sprinkled over the head
3. Why do people give things up for Lent?
  - To follow the example of Jesus' 40-day fast in the wilderness
  - To help us focus on prayer and devotions
  - To give the acquired savings to the poor
  - All of the above
4. What snack food has significance during Lent?
  - Chocolate
  - Pretzels
  - Popcorn
  - All of the above
5. Many people fast during Lent. How often did John Wesley fast?
  - Twice a week
  - Twice a month
  - Twice a year
  - Rarely
  - He did not fast
6. Why does Lent last 40 days?
  - To represent the time Jesus spent in the wilderness, tempted by Satan
  - To recall the 40 days and nights the earth was flooded in the Old Testament
  - To remind us of the 40 years the Israelites wandered in the desert
7. What do some United Methodists not sing at Lent?
  - Doxologies
  - Alleluia
  - "In the Garden"
  - The communion liturgy
8. Which hymn, based on St. Patrick's prayer, would be a good Lenten devotion?
  - "Jesus Walked This Lonely Valley"
  - "Christ Beside Me"
  - "O Happy Day, That Fixed My Choice"
  - "Come and Find the Quiet Center"
9. Sundays are not counted in the 40 days of Lent.
  - True
  - False
10. When early Methodists in America sat in a church on a mourner's bench, they would:
  - Repent their sins
  - Experience a new birth
  - Rededicate themselves to Jesus
  - All of the above

**Answers:** 1. spring, 2. ashes were poured or sprinkled over the head, 3. all of the above, 4. pretzels, 5. twice a week, 6. to represent the time Jesus spent in the wilderness, tempted by Satan, 7. Alleluia, 8. "Christ Beside Me", 9. true, 10. all of the above

**MARCH BIRTHDAYS**

Daniel Adams 03/02      Jim Parish 03/17  
 Mary Thompson 03/03      Trish Loyd 03/19  
 Lucy Hawks 03/04      Beth Ann Simpson 03/23  
 Stephen Morse 03/05      Ann Evans 03/24

**MARCH ANNIVERSARIES**

Gary & Donna Morse 03/06      Jim & Peggy Parish 03/28

**LITURGISTS**

**03/18** Robert Conder      **03/25** Alice Redding

**MEALS ON WHEELS**

**03/19** McKenzie      **03/26** Dean/Whaley

**METHODIST MEN'S GROUP**

Saturday, March 17, 8:00AM, Townsend Hall  
 Breakfast • Devotion • Business Meeting

**COMBINED SLT MEETING**

Sunday, March 18, Following Worship

**FINANCE MEETING**

Thursday, April 12, 5:30PM, Townsend Hall

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

DATE	TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
<b>SAT</b> <b>03/17</b>	<b>8:00AM</b>	Men's Prayer Breakfast	Townsend Hall
<b>SUN</b> <b>03/18</b>	<b>8:30AM</b> <b>8:45AM</b> <b>9:00AM</b> <b>10:15AM</b> <b>5:00PM</b>	Praise Team Prayer Time Sunday School Morning Worship CREW	Sanctuary Classrooms LMUMC Townsend Hall
<b>MON</b> <b>03/19</b>	<b>9:30AM</b> <b>4:15PM</b> <b>5:30PM</b>	Disciple IV Wesley Foundation Zumba	Home of Ann Phillips Sanctuary/Townsend MFLC
<b>TUE</b> <b>03/20</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>7:30PM</b>	Zumba GOD Group Narcotics Anon	MFLC MFLC
<b>WED</b> <b>03/21</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b> <b>6:30PM</b> <b>7:30PM</b>	Family Night Dinner Youth/Children Small Groups Adult Bible Study Praise Team GOD Group Narcotics Anon	Townsend Hall Classrooms Library Townsend Hall
<b>THR</b> <b>03/22</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b>	Zumba Disciple IV	MFLC Library
<b>SUN</b> <b>03/25</b>	<b>8:30AM</b> <b>8:45AM</b> <b>9:00AM</b> <b>10:15AM</b> <b>5:00PM</b>	Praise Team Prayer Time Sunday School Morning Worship CREW	Sanctuary Classrooms Sanctuary Townsend Hall
<b>MON</b> <b>03/26</b>	<b>9:30AM</b> <b>4:15PM</b> <b>5:30PM</b>	Disciple IV Wesley Foundation Zumba	Home of Ann Phillips Sanctuary/Townsend MFLC
<b>TUE</b> <b>03/27</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>7:30PM</b>	Zumba GOD Group Narcotics Anon	MFLC MFLC
<b>WED</b> <b>03/28</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b> <b>6:30PM</b> <b>7:30PM</b>	Family Night Dinner Youth/Children Small Groups Adult Bible Study Praise Team GOD Group Narcotics Anon	Townsend Hall Classrooms Library Townsend Hall
<b>THR</b> <b>03/29</b>	<b>5:30PM</b> <b>6:00PM</b>	Zumba Maundy Thursday Worship Service	MFLC Sanctuary



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**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

Charles Boykin	Jenny Hamilton	Donna Ladd	Christine Parish	Gary Smith
Tina Byford	Lucy Hawks	John O'Brien	Kristi, Kendall & Kylie Rezabek	JT Smith
George Dean	Nancy & Skippy Hawks	Steve O'Neal	Everett Roberson	Marian Stephenson
Judie Fenner	Jim Johnson	Jim Parish	Graham Simpson	Jone Ward

Sympathy is extended to Melinda Stewart in the death of her sister, Shelly Davis on 2/22

**HOMEBOUND FAMILY AND FRIENDS**

Sara Dickerson    Arrie Edwards    Celestine Ramsaur    Robert Shackelford    Darren Wood

**FRIENDS & FAMILY OF MEMBERS**

Angel Abbott (relative of Cathy Venable)	Shelia Hopkins (friend of Martha Dean)	Rusty & Mary Price (brother & sister-in-law of Laurie Clark)
Helen Billingsley (mother of Alice Redding)	Olivia Johnson (niece of Jim & Cathy Johnson)	Deborah Redmond (Tina Byford's daughter's fiancé's mother)
GG Bray	Terry King (brother of Peggy Parish)	Dan Reynolds (brother of Peggy Parish)
Jacob Carkuff (brother of Beth Ann Simpson)	John Leach (friend of Mike Freeman)	Joe & Melanie Rogers (friends of April Hamm)
Jeff Carkuff (brother of Beth Ann Simpson)	Gipse Maxwell (Lucy Hawks son-in-law's father)	Joe Smith (son of Gary Smith)
Savannah Conley (niece of George & Martha Dean)	Barbara Mayeaux (mother of Velma Mayeaux)	Tanzania Missionaries Eric and Elizabeth Soard
Donna Dickey (friend of Cathy Venable)	Marcie Mills (friend of Bill & Judie Fenner)	Doug Thompson (husband of Mary Thompson)
Debbie Fullington (sister of Bebe Flack)	Virginia Moore (mother of Deborah Smith)	Becky Ward (sister of Melinda Stewart)
Beverly Hall	Charles & Evelyn Morse (parents of Gary Morse)	Amanda Wildermuth (niece of Peggy Parish)
Phyllis Harris (sister of Alice Redding)	Robert Osborne III (brother of Melinda Stewart)	Ginger Wildermuth (sister of Peggy Parish)
Ted Hicks (son of Sue Hicks)	Mark Pace (brother of Tina Byford)	
	Megan Pinter (daughter of Brandon & Tina Byford)	

**OUR COMMUNITY AND OUR WORLD**

those who don't know Christ, persecuted Christians  
 all agencies for helping those in need  
 those in nursing homes and assisted living

our community  
 the homeless, the hungry  
 our troops, our nations and leaders  
 healing of racial tensions in our country

The United Methodist Church  
 Wesley Covenant Association  
 U of M Wesley Foundation  
 our neighbors at Whitestone church