OUR PRAYERS

Methodist Univ. Methodist G'town. Lynda Park Crews 471 Marg. Miller 322 South

Allen Morgan Rehab **Hospice Care** Mary Stanley Bill Quinn 133

At Home

David Weaver Margaret Burrows Earl Galloway Michael Solomon **Chris Simmons** Julie Hendren

Please also remember our home-bound in prayer.

OUR PRESENCE

June 15

Church School 34 Worship 63 Visitors 6

OUR GIFTS

June 15

This Week's Offering \$ 2,292 MTD \$ 11,047

> **OUR SERVICE** June 22

Margaret Ann Ligon **Greeters**

Audrey Weaver

Liturgist **Bruce Hughes Scripture Barry Mathis** Children's Time Dean Tutor

Lock-up Wayne Lawrence

> **OUR WITNESS June Scripture Readers** 29 Renee Little

ALDERSGATE United Methodist Church 4459 Willow Road Memphis, TN 38117-6917

Aldersgate United Methodist Church







Phone: (901) 683-8861 E-mail: office@agumc.org Fax: (901) 683-1374 Website: www.agumc.org

June 18, 2014

Please contact your local Post-

The newsletter is published weekly.

THE FLAME is a publication of Aldersgate United Methodist Church. master if you are having difficulty with delivery

Volume 59 Issue 24

FROM THE PASTOR'S PEN

This is my last write up for the Flame. It is hard for me to believe that seven years have passed since Barbara and I came to Aldersgate. I hope over my time of either writing, or sharing things from other writers, that at least one of these short messages has helped you with your walk with Christ in your life? May we always remember it is never about us and always about Him.

> Peace and Grace. Bro. Paul & Barbara

Scripture Readings Psalm 8 2 Corinthians 13:11-13

Sermon Title "One Last Time"

LÖÖKING AHEAD Sun. 6/22 9:00a Praver Time 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 12:15p Lunch Celebrating Paul & Barbara Mon. 6/23 Noon News Deadline Tue. 6/24 Official Moving Day for Paul & Barbara Wed. 6/25 7:00p Choir Rehearsal Thu. 6/26 **NO** Bible Study 6:00p UM Men's Mtg. @ Asbury UMC Fri. 6/27 Offices Closed Sat. 6/28 No Activities Sun. 6/29 9:15a Prayer Time 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 12:15p Welcome Potluck



For New Ministry Team

ALDERSGATE MEN INVITED TO ASBURY

The Asbury United Methodist Men invite all Aldersgate men to be their guests and join their meeting on Thursday, June 26, at 6:00 p.m., for dinner and a speaker. All men welcome. You don't have to be a member of UMM. Reservations are requested to allow for meal planning. You may call Roger Williams at 901-937-7607 or 901-283-2429, to reserve a spot.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Focus on the delightful. Life will suddenly seem easier.

CONGRATULATIONS

...a best wishes to Scott McMullin, son of Bill & Teresa McMullin, who graduated from the University of Memphis with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology. He and his wife, Scarlet, and baby boy, Dylan Jio, will be moving to Knoxville in late July. Scott will attend the University of Tennessee to pursue his dream in medicine. Please keep them in your prayers as you always have.

FOOD & FELLOWSHIP THE NEXT TWO SUNDAYS

June 22, at a catered lunch right after worship, you are invited to celebrate Paul and Barbara's ministry with us and bid them farewell. There is no charge but **reservations are required.** You may call the church office to reserve a spot for lunch or sign up on the office window.

The following Sunday, June 29, you are invited to a Potluck Lunch to greet our new ministry team, Dr. Herbert Lester, Rev. Goyo de la Cruz and Mr. Len Williamson. This will be our chance to give them a great Aldersgate welcome.



FOOD PANTRY FOR JUNE Canned Fruit



GRAND CAMP AT EPWORTH BY THE SEA An unforgettable experience for grand parents and grandchildren. July 14-17

This year's Grand Camp theme is "Goodly Habits for Inhabiting our Planet". For grandparents and their elementary and middle school age grand-children, Grand Camp will have it all—making s'mores around the camp fire, crabbing and looking for dolphin in the river, singing and helping write new music, walks along the surf and sand and so much more! A detailed agenda, fees and registration forms may be found on line at www.epworthbythesea.org or you may call 912-638-8688.

UMW NEWS Assembly 2014 Proof that we were there!



Lana and Rebeca (and friends) between sessions. Do they look confused or exhausted?

Mission u is for everyone! Women! Men! Youth! Laity! Clergy! YOU! July 18-19 Milan First UMC

It is where persons of all ages come together to grow in understanding of the mission of the church in the current world context through worship, study, fellowship and fun!

The registration fee is \$45. The deadline is July 7, BUT, you can save \$5 if you register by June 30. Friday lunch & supper and Saturday lunch are charged separately and must be pre-ordered and pre-paid. All the info is on the form. A block of rooms have been reserved at the Hampton Inn in Milan for the special rate of \$85 if registered by June 30. A FREE hot breakfast is available there.

Three studies will be offered:

Spiritual Growth: How Is It With Your Soul? Geographic Study: The Roma of Europe Social Issues: The Church and People with Disabilities

Before Mission u begins, you are encouraged to purchase (and read) the study book at Mission Resources, **www.umwmissionresources.org** or 1-800-305-9857. Books are \$10.

Questions??? Contact Penny Story, Registrar, at pennystory@scarletthreadwomen.com or 270-395-5324.

ALZHEIMER'S ASSOCIATION OFFERING CLASSES

Family Caregiver Classes will be offered at Capleville UMC, 4725 Riverdale Rd. on June 21 at 11:30 a.m. and at Casa Grace, 3815 Austin Peay Hwy. on June 25 at 11 a.m. Support Groups also meet regularly at several sites around the city and can be found on line at www.alz.org/altn. The 2014 Walk to End Alzheimer's will be held at the Botanic Gardens in November and the Association is available 24/7 at 1-800-272-3900, for support.

THANK YOU

Thanks to all who helped us enjoy our Donuts for Dad. It is always a special occasion where we get to see photos of our dads. We are very grateful to each of you who honored your dad or a special man with an honorarium or memorial.

THE FINCHERS ARE COMING JULY 27

We'll have a great night of gospel singing at 5:00p.m and our church picnic at 6:00p.m.



BROOKS MUSEUM OF ART PRESENTS "Marisol: Sculptures and Works on Paper"

This exhibition will bring together 34 of Marisol's most important works and offer a comprehensive look at her life and career. One of her well known works is of John Wayne, completed in 1963.

Marisol Escobar, an American, born in Paris of Venezuelan parents, has lived most of her life in New York City. Her exhibit will be on review this summer through September 7.

General admission to the Brooks is \$7 for adults, \$6 for seniors. Location is 1934 Poplar Ave. You may contact them at 901-544-6200 or *brooksmuseum.org*.