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This Sunday, November 17, there will be **ONE JOINT SERVICE at 10:00 a.m.**, followed by a Pot Luck Lunch. The Church will provide meat, bread, desserts and tea. Bring your favorite side dishes and join us for a time of fellowship.



Consecration Sunday

This is our Consecration Sunday. This is the day in our church year that we bring our tithes and offering commitments and place them on the altar of our church. We also bring our time and talent brochures to the Lord as we return our Volunteer Survey sheets at the end of the service.

We invite and encourage **every member and friend** of First Methodist Church to fill out their forms and be **present** on this special Sunday.



Remember to purchase a poinsettia for Christmas. They provide our Christmas decorations each year for the Sanctuary. There will be forms in the Sunday school classrooms, as well as in the back of the church. Feel free to call the church office or Tera Smith if you are interested. Youth members may also be contacted.



NOVEMBER 17

- 10:00 a.m. Combined Worship Service
Pot Luck Lunch following service
- 10:00 a.m. Live Stream Worship
- 1:00 p.m. Special Chance Choir Practice
- 6:00 p.m. Solid Ground Youth

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19

- 6:00 p.m. Ladies' Bible Study

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20

- 4:30 p.m. Ladies' Handbell Practice
- 5:30 p.m. W.O.W. Children's Ministry
- 6:00 p.m. Adult Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir
- 6:15 p.m. Snack Supper
- 6:30 p.m. Youth
- 6:30 p.m. Discipleship Study

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23

- 9-12 noon Methodist Market



- 14. Zoe Henick
- 19. Judy Patterson
Seward Perry
- 20. Bill Anderson
Lanie Potter



Mary Daugherty

Mr. & Mrs. Ken Dossett



SHOE BOXES DUE THIS SUNDAY!

Hopefully you have finished your shoe boxes for waiting child. Please place them outside the church office. Worldwide 10.5 million boxes are collected and distributed. Let your box be in the 2024 boxes to be sent to the waiting children. Shoe boxes will be collected November 17.



Congratulations to Daniel Cobb and Lindsay Hilderbrand on their recent marriage, November 8, 2024.

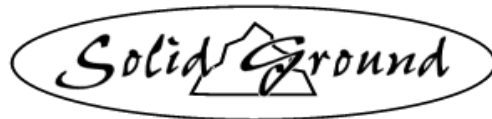


This Sunday we there will be no Sunday School due to the Joint Service. Next week will continue with our series *The God Who Calls Us*. These lessons take place during the days of Abraham. Our lesson this week is titled "God Keeps His Promises." We will talk about a story of Abraham and Sarah. God promised to make Abraham the Father of many Nations. Abraham and Sarah were much older and did not understand the idea of having a child. But God keeps His promises and Isaac was born.

HISKIDZ/W.O.W. WEDNESDAY



Our Children's Wednesday Night Bible study has our children learning about the stories and people in the Old Testament. This week we finish up our sessions on the Old Testament Judges and begin learning about a boy named David. This Bible Study has us moving through the Books of the Bible, one story at a time. We meet at 5:30 p.m. with Snack Supper at 6:15 p.m. We will dismiss at 6:30 p.m.



Sunday and Wednesday Night Bible Study for the Youth meets at 6:00 in the basement. We are moving through a study call "Confirming Your Faith." This study encourages us to talk about things in our everyday lives that can help strengthen our Faith or hinder it. We took a break at the mid-way point in this study to watch the movie, "Run the Race." This movie is the story of 2 brothers who have been dealt an unfair hand in life. One brother has a very deep-rooted faith while the other one struggles with the question "WHY?" Why would God allow these things to happen to us? Why do other people get the breaks? Why should I continue to follow Him? For the next several weeks, we will be moving through the Bible Study that compliments this movie.

M28 Camp –Date June 29 - July 2, 2025

Camp registration has opened. Sign-up will require a non-refundable deposit of \$120 to hold your place. Spots will only be held if the full deposit has been paid. Deposit may be split into 2 payments of \$60, but half must be paid upfront. Please respond as soon as possible so we can register our group.



*2024 budget proposals due by December 1.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2024

Greeters
Scripture
Sermon
Flowers

Julie & De Paul
Mark 12:41-44
“Generous Giving”
Wanda & Tommy Woodard

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

NOVEMBER

17. Time to speak out	Luke 21:5-19
18. Gifts for the giver	Deuteronomy 26:1-11
19. The LORD is good	Psalm 100
20. Have no anxiety	Philippians 4:4-9
21. Giving Thanks	Jeremiah 23:1-6
22. To prepare His way	Luke 1:68-79
23. Reconciled through Him	Colossians 1:11-20