
For Hope & Healing. . .

Jonathan David Penning (great grandson of Judi McNett)
Bonnie Sellers
Jerry Swift
Betty Witcher

For Cheer or Hello...

Liz Anderson	Pat McClelland
Carol Berkey	Iris McGahan
David Bretz	Lucile Miller
Virginia Caswell	Beverly Nimmo
Varge Frisbie	Robert & Carmen Parsons
Barb Griner	Char Rice
June Hill	Marv & Kitty Starbuck
	Al Thomas
	Mina Willett

We are alive in Christ: we love God, we care for one another, and we help people here and around the world.

**THE
CONVERSION
OF ST. PAUL**



For Lost Loved Ones. . .

Hannah Hollingsworth
Mark Huizenga (Steve Ensing's brother-in-law)
Thom King (Nephew of Joe & Betty Gruber)
Bill Melvin (Tim Melvin's brother)
Mike Nic (David Nic's father)



Dear Church Family,

Thank you **SO** much for your prayers, words of encouragement, calls, cards, food, the pretty plant, and Buff's visits during my recent illness. Your good thoughts really hastened my recovery. God bless you for caring.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Holmes

Our Service men and women...

Matt Kohler
Jeff Kudary
Ryan Miller
Tyler Smith
Richie Steinacker
Nathan Stevens



Covenant Bible Study Dates are Set

Here it comes!! Covenant Bible Study will be starting up again with a continuation of the previous study. We will start the second 8-week session on Monday, April 11 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fish room (feedback was split on which night was better).

Join us! We have room for a few more and would welcome you with open arms. Contact John Cleveland, 269-649-1405 or jcleveland327@gmail.com if you are interested.



This Week's Birthdays: Lea Johnson; Timothy Melvin; Abigail Oswalt; Felicia Taylor; Gregory Berndt; Guila Harrison; Larry Rolfe; Mildred Corsaut; Pat McClelland; Owen Moberley; Tom Aitken; Joel Smola; Sawyer Barton

This Week's Anniversaries: Thomas & Bonnie Holmes; Jerry & Nancy Fulton

Sunday, April 10, 2016
Third Sunday of Easter
11:00 a.m..

Pastor: Dr. Buff W. Coe
Vicksburg United Methodist Church
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Vicksburg, MI 49097
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This week's prayer focus: God, You call us to commitment, not comfort. We understand You have promised to be with us through suffering and hardship, not to spare us from them.

Sunday, April 10, 2016
Third Sunday of Easter
11:00 a.m.

Entrance

Prelude
 *Entrance of the Light (Please rise as the acolytes bring the light into the sanctuary.)
 Greeting
 Video Stethoscope Man
 *Hymn of Praise 2140 Since Jesus Came Into My Heart
 *Opening Prayer

Proclamation and Response

Scripture Lesson Acts 9:1-20
 Children's Moment
 Message Is Christ Living in You?
 *Hymns of Response 2160 Into My Heart
 2166 Christ Beside Me
 A Time of Prayer

Thanksgiving

Ministry Opportunities
 Offering of Our Gifts to God
 Offertory Down to the River to Pray Choir
 *Doxology 94 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
 *Prayer of Thanksgiving
 *The Lord's Prayer

Sending Forth

*Hymn to Go Forth 310 He Lives
 *Dismissal with Blessing
 *Recessional (Please remain in place as the acolytes carry the light out into the world.)
 *Postlude

Today's acolytes are Megan Burke and Olivia Cannizzaro
 Sermon outlines are available in the Narthex.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday, April 12
 6:30 PM ~ Scouts Den
 7:00 PM ~ Pastor/Parish Relations Committee

Wednesday, April 13
 2:00 PM ~ Caring Ministry

Thursday, April 14
 5:30 PM ~ Preschool Board Meeting

Saturday, April 16
 7:00 AM ~ Loaves & Fishes

Monday, April 18
 7:00 PM ~ Finance Committee

Tuesday, April 19
 6:30 PM ~ Scouts Committee
 6:30 PM ~ Personnel Committee

Thursday, April 21
 9:30 AM ~ Suzanna Wesley Circle
 7:00 PM ~ Priscilla Circle

Friday, April 22
 6:30 PM ~ Scout Pack

Saturday, April 23
 7:30 AM ~ Girl Scout Scrapbooking Fundraiser

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES

Sunday 9:00 a.m. Worship
 9:50 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. PIT CREW
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 6:00 p.m. Game Night
 (@ 108 W Maple St, Vicksburg)

Monday-Friday 9:00 a.m. Heart & Hands Preschool
 12:45 p.m. Heart & Hands Preschool

Monday 6:00 p.m. Scouts Meeting
 6:30 p.m. Covenant Bible Study

Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Sew What Now God?

Wednesday 10:30 a.m. Wednesday Winners ~ SCCS
 3:00 p.m. The Shed
 5:00 p.m. Helix (MS Youth)
 6:00 p.m. Bell Choir
 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

Thursday 6:00 p.m. RAW (High School Youth)

Friday 10:00 a.m. Knit & Stitch 2gether
 2:30 p.m. Fellowship of Christian Athletes



Scholarships for College

Each year, this church awards scholarships to members of our congregation attending institutions of higher education. Applications for scholarships for the 2016-2017 academic year are available on our church website vicksburgumc.org. They also are available at the Welcome Center or in the church office.

The deadline for returning completed applications to the church office is May 1. Applications received after the deadline will not be considered.

Mission Moment ~ Plus 10 Families:

4/10 ~ Ken & Nancy Herson
 4/17 ~ ???
 4/24 ~ Joe & Betty Gruber
 5/1 ~ ???

Attendance April 3, 2016: 9:00 a.m. ~ 40 11:00 a.m. ~ 94