

### Weekly Activities

**Sun** 9:00 am Celebration & Praise  
 9:50 am Sunday School  
 10:30 am PIT CREW  
 11:00 am Traditional Worship

**Mon-Fri** 9:00 am Heart & Hands Preschool  
 12:45 pm Heart & Hands Preschool

**Tue** 6:00 pm Sew What Now God?

**Wed** 10:30 am Wednesday Winners  
 2:30 pm The Shed (MS Outreach)  
 5:00 pm Helix (MS Youth)  
 6:00 pm Bell Choir Practice  
 6:30 pm Pickleball  
 7:00 pm Chancel Choir Practice

**Thu** 6:00 pm RAW (HS Youth)  
 6:30 pm Disciple Bible Study

**Fri** 10:00 am Knit & Stitch 2gether

### Upcoming Events

**Monday, September 26**  
 7:00 PM: Church Council

**Tuesday, September 27**  
 6:00 PM: Rummage Sale Setup  
 6:30 PM: Scout Den Meeting

**Wednesday, September 28**  
 9:00 AM: Rummage Sale Drop Off

**Thursday, September 29**  
 9:00 AM: Rummage Sale Drop Off

**Friday, September 30**  
 9:00 AM: Rummage Sale

**Saturday, October 1**  
 9:00 AM: Rummage Sale

**Sunday, October 2**  
 9:50 AM: New Member Orientation

**Monday, October 3**  
 7:00 PM: Worship Planning Team

**Tuesday, October 4**  
 6:30 PM: Scout Den Meeting  
 7:00 PM: Trustees Meeting

**Thursday, October 6**  
 11:00 AM: UMW Executive Board  
 12:30 PM: UMW General Meeting

**In Service to Our Country**  
 Ryan Miller  
 Tyler Smith  
 Matt Kohler  
 Richie Steinacker  
 Jeff Kudary  
 Nathan Stevens

### Newsletter Deadline...

...for the October issue of the *Visitor* is tomorrow, September 26, at 4:00 p.m.

### For Hope and Healing

Harry Baker's 27 year old niece  
 Sharri Baker's 24 year old granddaughter  
 Nancy Blanchard  
 Jos Brocato (friend of Andrea Read)  
 Dixie Cox (mother of Beth Smith)  
 Eloise Emmert  
 Jack Houston (cousin of Linda Cleveland)  
 Louis Mattheis (brother of Jo Pope & Phyllis Barrett & son of Nona Mattheis)  
 Nona Mattheis  
 Linda Smith (Mother of Lisa Coe)  
 Betty Thomas  
 Jody Tuinier's friend with cancer

### For Lost Loved Ones

Varge Frisbie  
 Elmer Lang (Elton Lang's brother)  
 Christine McGahan (daughter-in-law of Iris McGahan)

### For Cheer and Hello

Liz Anderson	Pat McClelland
Mary Evelyn Bell	Iris McGahan
Carol Berkey	Lucille Miller
David Bretz	Beverly Nimmo
Virginia Caswell	Robert & Carmen Parsons
Alice Dibble	Char Rice
Barb Griner	Marv & Kitty Starbuck
	Al Thomas
	Mina Willett

### Birthdays

9/25 Cathy Johnson  
 Sharon Pendola

9/27 James Barrett  
 Mary Burke

9/28 Betsy Myers  
 Beverly Nimmo  
 Carl Pauli  
 Jessica Hawkins

9/30 Kim Hardy  
 Morgan Wood

### Anniversaries

9/25 Robert & Carla Bland

9/27 Shirley & William Valencourt

9/29 Greg & Becky Berndt  
 James & Phyllis Barrett  
 Ronald & Sharon Steinacker

9/30 Daniel & Caryn Zonyk

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

Sunday, September 25, 2016  
 Nineteenth Sunday After Pentecost  
 11:00 a.m.  
 Pastor: Dr. Buff W. Coe



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**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2016**  
**NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
**11:00 A.M.**

**Prayer Focus for the Week**

God, we know that our purpose is to follow You and not our own ambitions.

**Entrance**

Prelude		
*Entrance of the Light (Please rise as the acolytes bring the light into the sanctuary.)		
Greeting		
Video		
*Opening Hymn	103	If I Were a Rich Man Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
*Opening Prayer		
Anthem		God of Might, Lean On

**Proclamation and Response**

Scripture Lesson		I Timothy 6:6-19
Children's Moment		
Message		In God We Trust
*Hymn of Response	399	Take My Life, and Let it Be
A Time of Prayer		
We pray to the Lord.		
<b>Lord, have mercy.</b>		

**Thanksgiving**

Ministry Opportunities		
Offering of Our Gifts to God		
Offertory		Giver of Each Perfect Gift
*Doxology	94	Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow
*Prayer of Thanksgiving		
*The Lord's Prayer		

**Sending Forth**

*Hymn to Go Fourth	451	Be Thou My Vision
*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 Molly Young.  
 Sermon outlines are available in the Narthex.*

September 18 attendance: 9:00 a.m. = 40      11:00 a.m. = 74

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**



All adults and high school students who are interested in becoming official members of Vicksburg United Methodist Church are invited to attend 4 orientation sessions. The sessions will be held at 9:50 a.m. (during Sunday School) beginning Sunday, October 2.

Our new members will be welcomed into the congregation during worship services on Sunday, October 30.

For more information, contact Pastor Buff.



**Mark Your Calendars!!**

The Great Gospel Sing Out is coming.

It will be on Sunday, October 9 at 3:00 p.m. This year it is being held at Vicksburg United Methodist Church. To date Sing Out has raised over \$450,000 for UMCOR (the United Methodist Committee on Relief).

Watch for more details in future bulletins.

**Next Scrip Cents Order**

The next order date for scrip cents is:

**October 4**

Orders are place early in the morning, so please have your order forms turned in by the day before.

Note: A new ordering schedule is coming soon. Stay tuned for details.



**Fall Rummage Sale**

The rummage sale is right around the corner. It's times for all hands on deck.

**Drop Off Dates**

Wednesday, September 28 (9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.)

Thursday, September 29 (9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.)

**Sale Dates**

Friday, September 30 (9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.)

Saturday, October 1 (9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.)

**Needed**

We need your contributions of clean, gently-used clothing, electronics, jewelry, tools, toys, etc. as well as large paper grocery bags. We also need food donations to feed the workers. Speaking of which....

We also need your help (both men and women). You choose the days and/or hours. No previous experience required.

**Klines Resort: Captivating Keyboards**

Alan Tripp and Scott Griffin will be in concert on Sunday, October 2, at 6:30 p.m. in the Klines Resort clubhouse.

Admission, coffee & cookies are free, although a freewill offering will be taken during this event.

**Mission Moment—Plus 10 Families**

September 25: Joe & Betty Gruber

October 2: ????

October 9: ????

October 16: Glory & Rex Bragg