

### Weekly Activities

<b>Sun</b>	9:00 am	Celebration & Praise
	9:50 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	PIT CREW
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship
<b>Mon-Fri</b>	9:00 am	Heart & Hands Preschool
	12:45 pm	Heart & Hands Preschool
<b>Tue</b>	6:00 pm	Sew What Now God?
<b>Wed</b>	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
<b>Thu</b>	6:00 pm	RAW (HS Youth)
	6:30 pm	Disciple Bible Study
<b>Fri</b>	10:00 am	Knit & Stitch 2gether

### Upcoming Events

<b>Monday, October 24</b>
6:30 PM: Church Council
<b>Tuesday, October 25</b>
6:30 pm Personnel Committee
<b>Thursday, October 27</b>
7:00 PM: Baptism Class
<b>Tuesday, November 1</b>
7:00 PM: Trustees Meeting
<b>Wednesday, November 2</b>
11:00 AM: Provisional Member Mentoring Group
<b>Thursday, November 3</b>
11:00 AM: UMW Executive Board
12:30 PM: UMW General Meeting
<b>Saturday, November 5</b>
7:00 PM: Fellowship of Christian Athletes
<b>Monday, November 7</b>
12:00 PM: Election Setup
7:00 PM: Worship Planning Team
<b>Tuesday, November 8</b>
7:00 AM: General Election
7:00 PM: NO Pastor Parish Relations
<b>Wednesday, November 9</b>
1:00 PM: Caring Ministries
<b>Thursday, November 10</b>
5:30 PM: Preschool Board Meeting

### Anniversaries

10/23	Jeremy & Anne Howard
	Rachel & Robert Ball
10/29	Justin & Sara Carrier

### For Cheer and Hello

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

### In Service to Our Country

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

### For Hope and Healing

Harry Baker's 27 year old niece
Sharri Baker's 24 year old granddaughter
Rob Ball
Marilyn Butcher (niece of Vera Walker)
Dixie Cox (mother of Beth Smith)
Deb Franklin
Betty Gruber
Steve Phillips
Georgia Rolfe
Linda Smith (Mother of Lisa Coe)
Bob Springer
Karla Stubblefield's sister-in-law
Laverne Swinehart
Bob Tipton
Vera Walker's sister

### For Lost Loved Ones

Doug Becker (Brother of Kim Addis)
Joe Brocato (friend of Andrea Read)
Elaine Chew (daughter of Roger & Ilah Hayward)
Varge Frisbie
Sally Hathaway (Grandmother of Holly Tarner)
Del Heckelman
Elmer Lang (Elton Lang's brother)
Bob Moberly (uncle of Sue Moberly-Hayes)
Brad Smith (grandson of Mel & Marian Zimmerman)
William Valencourt
Carol Zomer (sister-in-law of Kathy Phillips)

### Birthdays

10/23	Burt Heikes
	Nancy Blanchard
10/24	Jeff Kudary
10/25	Hank Stamm
10/26	Bianca Agnone
	Heather Fenwick
	Octavia Valencia
	Thomas Holmes
	Wil Emmert
10/27	Cynthia Field
	Ronan Thompson
10/29	Kristen Hossink

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

Sunday, October 23, 2016  
Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost  
11:00 a.m.  
Pastor: Dr. Buff W. Coe



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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2016  
 TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENECAST  
 11:00 A.M.**

**Prayer Focus for the Week**

Almighty Father, we are comforted knowing that You will bring each believer safely through death to Your Heavenly Kingdom.

**Entrance**

Prelude		
*Entrance of the Light (Please rise as the acolytes bring the light into the sanctuary.)		
Greeting		
Video		To Die Well
*Hymn of Praise	710	Faith of Our Fathers
*Opening Prayer		
Anthem		God of Might, Lead On

**Proclamation and Response**

Scripture Lesson		2 Timothy 4:6-8, 16-18
Children's Moment		Lisa Coe
Message		Grace to Die Well
*Hymn of Response	378	Amazing Grace
A Time of Prayer		

**Thanksgiving**

Ministry Opportunities		
Offering of Our Gifts to God		
Offertory		Guide My Feet, Lord
*Doxology	94	Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow
*Prayer of Thanksgiving		
*The Lord's Prayer		

**Sending Forth**

*Hymn to Go Fourth	424	Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone
*Dismissal with Blessing		
*Postlude		

*Today's acolytes are Briar Luegge and Ella Luegge  
 Outline available in the Narthex.*

October 16 attendance: 9:00 a.m. = 30    11:00 a.m. = 90

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**



**Now Hiring!**

VUMC is in search for an Administrative Assistant. This job will be 16-20 per week. We are looking for someone with administrative assistance experience and strong computer skills.

Submit resumes and direct questions to Pastor Buff.



**Trunk or Treat**

When: October 31st, 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Where: Vicksburg United Methodist Church

Candy: leave the donations in the copy room.

Questions: Tamra Puckett at 269-760-3788.

**Family Volleyball to Resume...**

Provided there is enough interest.

We are set to start Family Volleyball in November. We are planning on meeting on Mondays the same as last year. Please contact Lori Ensing 649-1557 or (lori.ensing@sbcglobal.net) if you plan on coming or are interested.

**Mission Moment—Plus 10 Families**

October 23: ????

October 30: Joe & Betty Gruber

November 6: ????



**Upcoming Deadlines  
 Newsletter**

The deadline for the November issue of the Visitor is end-of-day on Monday, October 24.

**Church Council**

Deadline for the minutes and other submissions for the Church Council is end of day on Tuesday, November 22 (note change of day due to Thanksgiving).

**It's Coming!!**

The Christmas Bazaar is coming. See the bulletin insert for more details and items needed.



**Church Council Changing Time**

At their last meeting the Church Council decided to change its meeting time to 6:30 p.m. They still will meet the 4th Monday of each month.

**Blood Drive Coming**

When: Friday, November 18, 2016

11:00 a.m.—4:45 p.m.

Where: VUMC Family Life Center

Volunteers are needed to work the blood drive and to provide snacks. There are forms at the Welcome Center to sign up if you can help out.