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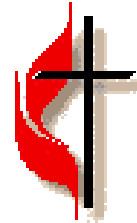
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RURAL MINISTRY NOW:
A PATH FORWARD

Saturday, Feb. 18th
Macon UMC
9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

One size does not fit all when it comes to resources and training. Rural churches have significant challenges that are different than other churches including struggles for support, training and people. Conversely, rural churches often serve as a vital part of the local community and have passionate members who support and uphold the church and surrounding community.

The "*Rural Ministry Now*" Conference seeks to provide ideas and training for church members to help support thriving, hopeful rural churches across the Mark Twain District and beyond.

Our workshop leader is Dr. Carl Ellis, Director of the Lay Academy for Rural Church Ministries. Dr. Ellis' passion of 30+ years is empowering rural churches to effectively live their mission for Jesus Christ in their local community.

Pastor Paul would like to have at least five laity attend the "*Rural Ministry Now*" Conference with him. **Contact Pastor Paul if you would like to attend.**

Apportionment Update...

2017 Conference	\$ 16,023
Pd. to date	\$ 0
Due	\$ 0
2017 District	\$ 2,925
Pd. to date	\$ 0
	\$ 0
Year to Date Giving Report	
Income	\$ 7,017
Expenses	\$ 2,545
YTD Balance	\$ 4,472

"Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, they will pour into your lap. For by your standard of measure it will be measured to you in return." Luke 6:38

Thank You For Your Generosity!

Where Does Our Money Go...

The United Methodist Church supports ministries in our home town as well as throughout the world. This method of support is through proportionally allocated funds set by our Conference and District called apportionments. Our prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness are combined to make a difference in the lives of God's people. The needs around us often feel overwhelming. None of us can meet each and every one, but together we can pool our funds and work to share God's love with our world. Help us meet the needs of others in 2017 through your generous giving.



Our Mission... Why Do We Exist...

"...to make Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World."

Our Vision... Where Are We Going...

"...on the greatest journey of our lives – The Journey of Knowing, Loving and Serving God – as we strive to become a Community of deeply committed Christians."

Our Values... What's Our Boundaries...

"...everything must relate to the Core Value of making Disciples of Jesus Christ Through:

- 1) Strengthening our Commitment to God;
- 2) Deepening our Relationships; and,
- 3) Living Out the Compassion of Jesus Christ for All."



MOSES - A TIMELESS ROMANTIC



Italian Dinner
Church Fundraiser
Sunday, February 19th

Serving Times:
4:30 P.M.
5:45 P.M.
7:00 P.M.

Cost: \$12.00 per person
 See Jeannie Childress, Kathy Gardner or call the Church Office for tickets.

Make plans to join us!

Birthday & Anniversary Lists:

Birthdays:

- 2 Doug Baker
- 3 Michael Romore
- 4 Lorelai Hunziker
- Eyad Al Jundi
- Ryan Kirkpatrick
- Laura McCartney
- Maxine Struble
- 5 Kabe Hamlin
- 7 Jessica Mutchler
- 9 Anthony Whitaker
- 11 Brent Bondurant
- 15 Phil Aylward
- 18 Matt Dodge
- Robert Owings
- 19 Joe Slayton
- 20 Diane Duley
- Corey Ward
- 22 Paige McClamroch
- 25 Liam Woollums
- 26 Norma Cotton
- Ashtyn Simerl
- 28 Kara Wickert



Anniversaries:

- 22 David & Laura McCartney

February Liturgists Schedule

- February 05 David Myers
- February 12 Karen Biggs
- February 19 Nelda Billups
- February 26 Teresa Cotton

If you have any questions my phone # is: 660-379-2743 and email is reel11liz@gmail.com.

February Nursery Schedule

Supervisor	Roamer:
Feb. 05 Ilene Howell	Mary Anna Troutman
Feb. 12 Kathy Gardner	Brenda Eckland
Feb. 19 Meagan Weber	Lori Fulk
Feb. 26 Diana Koontz	Mary Anna Troutman



**Sunday, February 5th
Joint Ministry
Team Meeting
4:00 P.M.**

Administrative Council Meeting



February 13th @ 7:00 P.M.



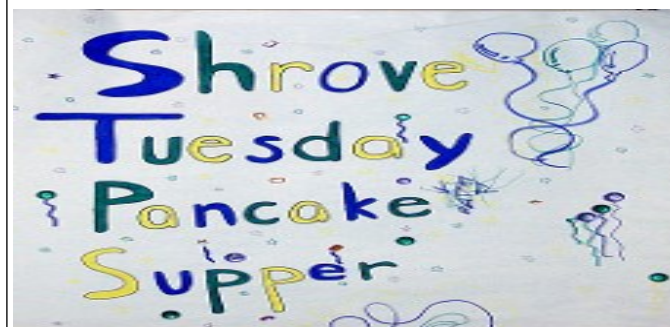
**Scotland County
Care Center
Monthly
Hymn Sing
Tues., February 21
at 6:30 PM**

Prayer List and Shut-ins and Care Center Lists:

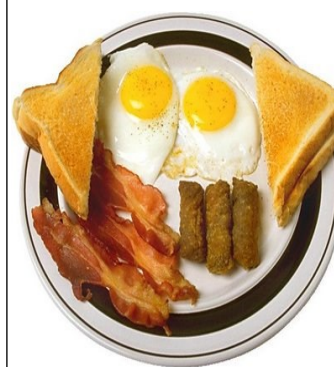
Prayer List: Leevi Thompson, Lonnie Triplett, Ryhan Loos, Renee Ross Vetter, R on Alexander, Joyce Joy, Phil Herteen, Johanna Steele, Phil Struble, Darrel Kraus, Richard Holton, Jess Hillard, and Charles Hammack

Military Service: Logan Remley, David Miller, Steven Kraus, C. W. McCuiston, and Timothy Pippert

Shut Ins & Care Centers: Opal Emel, Dedie Priebe, Charles Bradley, Norma Cotton, Nancy Clatt, Audrie Steeples, Lorraine Rush, Martha Burns, Charles and Helen Hammack, Donna Meeks, and Twila Fulk



**Tuesday, February 28, 2017
Serving: 5:00-7:00 P.M.
Free-will Donation
Hope to see you there!**



**Nikos Men's
Breakfast
Saturday
February 11
7:30 A.M.
Come join us.**

**Scotland
County
Care Center
Worship
Service**



**Sunday, Feb. 19 @ 2:30 PM
Come Join Us!!**



**Martha Circle
Tuesday, Feb. 7th
7:00 P.M.
Come join us
Bring a valentine!**

**Monthly
Youth Meeting
Sunday, February 12th
11:00 A.M.**



Calendar of Events for February 2017

- Every Sunday:**
 - Energize:** 8:00-8:30 a.m. (Early Casual Worship Service)
 - Educate:** 8:45-9:30 a.m. (Sunday School classes for children, youth, & adult)
 - Integrate:** 9:30-9:45 a.m. (A time of fellowship)
 - Motivate:** 9:45-10:00 a.m. (Prequel to Worship/Choruses & Announcements)
 - Advance:** 10:00-11:00 a.m. (Blended Morning Worship Service)-Preschool Nursery provided @ 10:00
- Every Monday:**
 - Brown Baggers' Bible Study 5:30 p.m.
- Every Wednesday:**
 - Men's Breakfast 5:30 a.m.
 - Bell Choir 6:00 p.m. & Adult Choir 7:00 p.m.
- Every Thursday:**
 - Traditional Bible Study 10:00 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 1	7:00 P.M.
Sunday, February 5	4:00 P.M.
Tuesday, February 7	7:00 P.M.
Saturday, February 11	7:30 A.M.
Sunday, February 12	11:00 A.M.
Monday, February 13	7:00 P.M.
Tuesday, February 14	6:00-9:30 P.M.
Saturday, February 18	9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
Sunday, February 19	2:30 P.M.
Sunday, February 19	
Tuesday, February 21	6:30 P.M.
Saturday, February 25	1:00-4:00 P.M.
Tuesday, February 28	5:00-7:00 P.M.

- Jolly Timer's 4-H Group Meets
- Joint Ministry Team Meeting
- Martha's Circle Meets
- Nikos Men's Breakfast
- Monthly Youth Meeting and Luncheon
- Administrative Council Meets
- Sew-n-Go Quilters Meet
- Rural Ministry, Now Conference @ Macon
- Worship Services at SCCC
- Italian Dinner (Youth Sponsored)
- RCF Monthly Hymn Sing
- Church Lower Level Reserved
- Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper