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Upcoming Events

Sunday, July 25, 2021

9:00 am Traditional Service with streaming.

10:10 am Small Groups

11:11 am Thrive Service from the Heritage Sanctuary will be streamed.

6:00 pm Bible Study (Facebook)

Monday, July 26, 2021

8:30 am Sack Food Pantry

Tuesday, July 27, 2021

Wednesday July 28, 2021

9:00 am Food Pantry

6:30 pm Bible Study (Facebook)

Thursday July 29, 2021

9:00 am Food Pantry

9:00 am Nifty/Fifty

6:00 pm Painting Class

Friday, July 30, 2021

Saturday, July 31, 2021

8:00 am Bible Study

Traditional and Modern Worship

Scripture: Matthew 28:18-20

Sermon Title: Freedom For.....

First United Methodist Church
110 Sunset Drive
Hueytown, AL 35023
(Return Service Requested)

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In Touch

July 19, 2021



HUEYTOWN FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



Just wanting to share some good news! Our pavilion on the walking track is finished as of July 16th. Below is a photo under construction.



7/22/21, will be painting this "COLORFUL EAGLE" on canvas. Just as pictured below. Price is still \$15.00 per person. Come and share in the fun! We meet at 6:00pm in the fellowship hall. To reserve a spot please let me know by calling the church office at 491-3421.



Sponsored by
Hueytown Veterinary Clinic & Pet Lodge
SAT., SEPTEMBER 11, 2021



Join us for a service of
appreciation and prayer for
all teachers.

Sunday August 8, 2021
4:00-5:00pm

Hueytown FUMC
Main Sanctuary

110 Sunset Drive



Attendance & Contributions

July 19, 2021

Traditional	62
Online	396
Thrive	21
Online	116

Received	7/19/21	\$	3,564.67
Total as of	7/19/21	\$	215,424.80

Special Prayer Request

Sarah Grace Oden
Craig Postovit
Wayne Mink
Dora Chaffin
Glenn Hooks

I want to inform as well as remind you about some upcoming events/opportunities coming up over the next weeks and months. Members and Friends, we have a BUSY Fall 2021 being prayed over and in the plans. You will obviously see some new things on the Fall 2021 ministry dream listing. I ask that you be in prayer for these opportunities, as well as be ready to join in the fun of being a part of these great times...

August 7, 2021 4:00 p.m. Cubs & Girl Scouts Field Day

August 8, 2021 4:00 p.m. Teacher Appreciation/Prayer Service-Sanctuary

August 13, 2021 9:00 a.m. Life Line Screening – Fellowship Hall

August 29, 2021 5:00 p.m. Churchwide Tailgate Party-New Pavilion/Track

***August 2021 T/B/A** Barons Baseball Game-Working of a Date

September 11, 2021 9:00 a.m. Paw Palooza – HFUMC Sponsoring-Stadium Field

October 3, 2021 3:00 p.m. Blessing of the Animals – HFUMC

JOHN'S JOURNAL

Greetings Members and Friends of Hueytown F.U.M.C.! I am especially hopeful this week that you have remained safe through the afternoon rain-storms we have encountered this week. Lisa and I have seen a good bit of flooding waters flow down the street of the parsonage this week...some making their way through the yard of the parsonage. We are okay though, and we pray the same for each of you!

As I write you this week, it is good news to say that we are back in the production business in the church office. Thank you, Donald Wright for discovering our computer issues, our printing issues, our internet and WiFi issues. We are back in the communication business, and WE ALL thank you (thanks to Patti as well as she gives us time with you) so very much!

At the time of our newsletter writing, it appears that our most pressing issue that remains is a new telephone system. We are investigating what services we need, and which provider of telephone systems gives us the best chance to accomplish those needs affordably. We will keep you updated on progress.

We quickly are coming to the end of our worship series called "Let Freedom Ring." On Sunday, July 25, 2021, we will hear that our Spiritual Freedom sets us free "to be"...we will begin that teaching lesson using the Great Commission. I look forward to ending the series with you, but I am looking forward to how we will/are responding to God's Grace of Freedom in each of our lives.

On Sunday, July 18 th , Joel Henson, Traditional Worship Director, gave us the schedule for AWESOME AUGUST 2021. Here is the line-up for a great month of blessed music here at Hueytown F.U.M.C.:

August 1 Awaken

August 8 Thrive Sunday – Traditional joins Modern in the

Heritage Worship Space

August 15 The Cawlings

August 22 Edmonson Boys

August 29 Son Rise

I am hopeful that each of you will join us in-person for a great month of worship through the gift of music. NOTEWORTHY...there will be regular worship services offered each week in Thrive with music and message in August 2021. On Sunday, August 1 st , there will be an offering of Holy Communion as a part of the service as we routinely offer on the first Sunday of the month. Everyone is invited to be a part of the Thrive Services any and all Sundays. Come Join Us, I feel sure you will discover it's not a service just filled with "loud music."

Friends of Jesus...I continue to look forward daily in what God continues to do through our great church in 2021 as we answer our calling from God, A Charge to Keep I (we) Have...it will take all of us...this generation to serve!

In Service to Christ, Bro. John V.

Memorial & Honorariums

WALKING TRACK– In Honor of Brad Hinton and all volunteers who have helped with the walking track. By Buster & Betty Jane Kornegay.

CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS– In Memory of Beverly Seale, In Honor of Sharon Sellers, Dot Moran, Kay Karr, Patsy Crump, Sandra Oden, Jerry Gober, Cheryl Finch, Lisa Edmonson & Becky Champion by Ann & Jim McCain.

WALKING TRACK– In Memory of Beverly Seale by Seekers Class.

WALKING TRACK– In Honor of Harold Caine by Seekers Class.

BUDGET– In Honor of Harold Caine by Scott & Lisa Edmonson

CHURCH SECURITY UPDATE: As you are aware by now, the new door security system is up and running at Hueytown F.U.M.C. Again, thank you for your patience. How will things work? Beginning July 11, 2021, the security door system will go into full effect facility wide. What does that mean? That means that 24/7/365 our church will operate in "secure mode." From July 11, 2021 forward, ALL entry to the facility will be controlled by either "press button" entry request at the West entrance doors or by assigned FOB KEYCHAIN entry.

The West entrance doors and the Child Care Center entrance doors are the doors that persons need to enter through Monday through Friday if visiting the church or childcare center. These doors have a "press button" call system to notify office staff when entry is requested to the facility. EVERYONE entering the facility at Hueytown F.U.M.C. can be seen by video screen on the West side of the church, and this is where access will take place.

What's now needed from the congregation to enter the facility? What if I'm part of a group meeting? What if I have meetings at night? The church congregation will have a "Entry Need" form that you can request door entry openings for ANY meeting you or a group has. ATTENTION EVERYONE...IF YOU HAVE A MEETING AT THE CHURCH...YOU HAVE TO COMPLETE A "ENTRY NEED" FORM. The new security door system gives us the capability to schedule your meeting so that the doors closest to your meeting will automatically be open at a requested time by you. The system will then be scheduled an automatic relock time once your group has had time to enter the facility in order to provide your meeting with the most security once in the facility. DOORS WILL NO LONGER BE ALLOWED TO BE LODGED/PROPEL OPEN.

Members and Friends, if you have an ongoing, weekly, monthly, quarterly, meeting or ministry event in the church; if you schedule a tea, wedding shower, baby shower, etc. at the church YOU NEED TO COMPLETE A "ENTRY NEED" FORM. "Entry Need" forms need to be completed for all current ministries and routine meetings as soon as possible. All Special Events need to complete a "Entry Need" form no less than two weeks in advance of said events.

Again, please take a deep breath and have patience... security is a need for all of us, and a deep breath and patience will take us all a long way. Thank you in advance for your assistance in this important matter.