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UPCOMING DATES

Sunday April 30, 2023

9:00 am Small Groups
10:00 am COMBINED WORSHIP
IN MAIN SANCTUARY
4:00 pm ADMIN BOARD MEET

Monday May 1, 2023

Tuesday May 2, 2023

6:30 pm MOVING FORWARD TEAM MEET

Wednesday May 3, 2023

Thursday May 4, 2023

9:00 am NIFTY/FIFTY 6:00 pm PAINT CLASS 6:00 pm CHILDCARE BOAD MEET Friday May 5, 2023

Saturday May 6, 2023 8:00am MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Sunday May 7, 2023

9:00 am SMALL GROUPS
10:00 am WORSHIP OUTSIDE IN
PAVILION.HOLY COMMUNION
11:00 am LUNCH OUTSIDE IN
PAVILION, EMMUS



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MOVING FORWARD 218 UPDATE

GLOBAL

METHODIST CHURCH

The MOVING FORWARD 218 TEAM met on Tuesday, April 25, 2023, 6:30 p.m. Look for an update on information here next week. Keep your MOVING FORWARD TEAM in prayer: Scott Edmonson, Tab Blair, Andy Nolen, Tammy Carpenter, Catherine Verciglio, Danny Karr, Kay Karr, Jeff Noe, Wanda England, Gala Douglass, Bill Xenos, Melissa Xenos, Diane Love, Gil Higgins, Tracey Berry, Caryl Hadder, Dave Hadder, Scottie Blair, and Ellie Duncan.

A PATRIOTIC NIGHT, SUNDAY, JUNE 25th, 6:00 P.M.

First Methodist Church presents, "We Are America: A Discussion with <u>Teddy Roosevelt and Samuel Clemens"</u> We are excited to welcome Mr. Darrell Revell as Samuel Clemens and Mr. Johnny Curry as Teddy Roosevelt to First Methodist Church for a night of Theater Dialog. The nights gathering will be in Theater format in discussion of America. Tickets for the night are Adults \$20, Youth (13 and below) \$10. This is a public event. Make plans to attend this great night of history, and invite your friends to join you in an entertaining night.

D-NOW WEEKEND WAS A BLESSING FOR THE YOUTH

NEWSLETTER

APRIL 24, 2023

METHODIST CHURCH of HUEYTOWN



HONOR A VETERAN WITH AN AMERICAN FLAG

Call the church office or stop by... \$5.00.

Each flag will have a laminated tag honoring your veteran.



Attendance & Contributions

April 23, 2023

Combined Worship 103
Online 138
Budget 4/23/23 \$3,092.00
Total as of 4/23/23 \$116,739.30

Special Prayer Request

Jack Moon Jan Towers
Nancy Goodwin Terry Horne
Chris Cater Jo Edmonson
Matt Cosper Shirley Jones
Karen Murphree Parsons

Mother's Day Roses

Cost: \$5.00

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Deadline: Monday, May 8th

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April 24, 2023

Hello Member's and Friends of First Methodist Church! Wow...what a wonderful weekend DNOW was...and you made it possible. Yes, Catherine Verciglio and her team were boots on the ground for a wonderful spiritual weekend, but like Catherine said in worship on Sunday, April 24, 2023, "you make it happen too!" I am so very thankful, privileged, honored and proud to be the shepherding pastor of our church. You are the hands and feet of Jesus in so many powerful ways, and you showed that by your support of the First Methodist Church Youth Group April 21-23rd! Let's all keep listening for God's voice as He continues to call us forth in sharing Jesus in and for our community, and sharing Jesus with those desiring and needful to know His Amazing Grace and Love! He is using you as His conduit Members and Friends...

I am so excited for us to welcome on Sunday, April 30, 2023, Mayor Steve Ware and his (ours too) City of Hueytown Council Members. It remains part of our monthly acknowledgement of saying "Thanks" to our Hueytown Community Servants, and to "Bless" those servants in their works for our great community. Join us on Sunday, April 30, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. for Small Groups/Sunday School, and at 10:00 a.m. for Combined Worship in the Sanctuary.

Lastly but not least, on Sunday, May 7, 2023, we will be gathering for worship and lunch on the grounds of F.M.C. We will gather at our "NEW" Pavilion for worship at 10:00 a.m., Small Groups are inside at 9:00 a.m. On this day we will give thanks to God for our New Pavilion and New Walking Track. We will have Holy Communion as a part of our service. After worship, we will celebrate with a potluck meal on the grounds. Our Church Emmaus Community is sharing their monthly lunch gathering with us, as we fill in with our food contribution for a wonderful meal. We have a couple of needs for this day: Can anyone offer up a few "easy up tents" to surround the pavilion? Can a few folks offer their hands to help Donald Wright/Joel/Patti/Michael/Micah with electronic set-up? Can a few folks offer ice chests? Contact Bro. John V. at jvercig@hueytownfirst.com if you can help out.

Here's a need for everyone: <u>Dress appropriate for the weather;</u>
be relaxed; bring your outdoor chair; share a spirit of worship and
thanks; and be hungry for a great meal together. Oh...invite a friend
to join you...especially someone who might not have a church home.

Bro. John Verciglio



REDBIRD IS COMING UP
IN SEPTEMBER. IF YOU
WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US
CONTACT THE OFFICE AT
205-491-3421

IMPORTANT DATES IN 2023

- **→** Walking Track Dedication and Lunch on the Grounds, Sunday, May 7, 2023
- **→** Vacation Bible School,

June 11 – 15, 2023

- ★We are America, A Discussion with Teddy Roosevelt & Samuel Clements, June 25, 2023
- → Back to School Sunday, August 6, 2023
- **♦** World Communion Sunday, October 1, 2023
- → Blessing of the Animals, Sunday, October 1, 2023
- → Trunk or Treat, Tuesday, October 31, 2023
- **★**Community Thanksgiving Service, November 19, 2023
- **→** First Sunday of Advent, Sunday, December 3, 2023
- **+** Christmas Eve Services, Sunday, December 24, 2023

SERMON & SCRIPTURE INFORMATION APRIL 30th

(Main Sanctuary 10:00 am)
John 10:1-10
"Gate Keeping"

THURSDAY NIGHT PAINT CLASS THIS WEEK. 4/27/23



Thursday night paint class....YOU ARE INVITIED..4/27/23 and will be creating a "Bluebird". Laurie will walk you through one step at a time....6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. \$18.00 per person. I must have your reservation by Thursday at noon if you are coming. That way I will have enough supplies. 205-401-3124. Or call the

church office 205-491-3421. Come join in the fun! We meet every Thursday night!



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
9am - SUNDAY SCHOOL/ SMALL GROUPS 10:00am - COMBINED WORSHIP (in-person & live streamed)	01 6:30pm - BOY SCOUTS	6:30pm - MOVING FORWARD TEAM	6pm - HANDBELLS 7pm - CHANCEL CHOIR	04 8am - FOOD DELIVERY 9am - NIFITY OVER FIFTY 6pm - CHILD CARE BOARD MTG 6pm - PAINTING CLASS	OFFICE CLOSED	06 8am - MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
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