



Cayce United Methodist Courier



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9:30 a.m.

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EVENTS/ACTIVITIES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE OR CANCEL. PLEASE CHECK EMAIL, FACEBOOK, CUMC WEBSITE OR CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR EVENT CHANGES.

Pastor's Reflections...

The Unsung (Unsaid) Commission

"You shall be my witnesses...to the ends of the earth," Jesus said to his disciples. We witness about who He is, why He came, what He did and why it matters even to those who don't believe (yet). And how shall they ever believe if, as Paul says, they never hear because no one tells them the good news of Jesus. It is easily shared what is assumed to be readily received: food, clothing, medical help, etc. It may not be so easily shared what may be rejected and unappreciated; a personal witness of Jesus. Nevertheless, this is the unspoken, unfulfilled Commission Jesus gave us. I will address possible reasons why it's often unfulfilled.

Many of us are conditioned by society that religion is private and you don't talk about it. However, if we are to obey Christ, His command overrides the world's objections. Satan wants the gospel silenced. God wants it shouted from the housetops, so to speak. "We must obey God rather than man."

We tend to gravitate to what we find affirming. The hungry will usually take food. The sick will usually accept medical help. The homeless will usually accept a blanket or coat. The lost will not always accept Christ. Sometimes their rejections may be unpleasant. Therefore, we avoid the situation. The result is their continued lostness without any knowledge of how they may be found. We haven't offended, but neither have we helped.

Some excuse themselves from witnessing by saying, "God is love and will save everyone in the end. There's no need to get people upset." The problem this idea has is the death and resurrection of Jesus. Jesus died because we are all lost. "While we were yet sinners Christ died for us." His resurrection proclaims that all who believe in Him will be saved; others lost. Believing in Him is essential. Giving our witness is a must. Know the gospel. Know your own conversion experience. And trust God for the who, where, when and how to share the good news. Let the Gospel be sung!-- Ben



CAYCE UMC ANNUAL

Easter

APRIL 11TH | 6:30 - 8:00PM

EGG HUNT

NFLATABLES | NERF COMMANDER | & MORE!

CAYCE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

1600 12TH STREET CAYCE

WWW.CAYCEUMC.COM

It's Egg Hunt Time!

The Annual Cayce UMC Easter Egg Hunt will be held Saturday, April 11th from 6:30 - 8:00pm. Join us for inflatables, Nerf Commander, and egg hunts! Hear the Easter story in the courtyard, hunt glow in the dark eggs, complete the Easter Egg obstacle course on the playground and get your picture with the Easter Bunny. We are looking forward to a night of fun and fellowship.

The Children's Committee Needs your help!

We are looking forward to our annual Easter Egg hunt. We can't do it without you. Ways you can help.

- Donate individually wrapped candy and treats
- Prep for the Easter Egg Hunt on Friday, April 10th from 10 - noon
- Volunteer to help tell the Easter story (5)
- Volunteer to monitor the Glow in the Dark egg hunt (2)
- Volunteer to monitor the Easter Egg obstacle course (2)

A Word from Amy.....

Senior Adult News

April Luncheon

We are planning our second luncheon for Thursday, April 23rd, at 12:00 pm. Keep posted for details.

Family Ministries Committee

We have a brand new committee here at Cayce and we are looking for more members. If you like to help plan church-wide events such as Homecoming, teacher appreciation luncheons, etc..., then this is the committee for you! Contact the church office if you are willing to serve with us.

Holy Week Schedule

These services may be held online.

Please check email, Facebook, CUMC website or contact the church office for details.

All Nightly services are at 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 5 - at Mt. Hebron UMC

Monday, April 6 - at Cayce UMC

Tuesday, April 7 - at Trinity UMC

Wednesday, April 8 - at Shiloh UMC

Thursday, April 9 - Maundy Thursday service at Cayce

Saturday, April 11 - 6:30 - 8:00 pm - Glow in the Dark Easter Egg Hunt

Easter Sunday, April 12 - 7:00 a.m. - Sunrise Service

10:30 a.m. - Easter Worship Service



ATTENTION GRADUATES

Graduation Sunday will be **May 24th**, when our graduates will be recognized during our worship service. If you are a **2020 graduate**, please notify the church office with your name and graduating school.



Cayce Coffee House for Youth Missions

The April Coffee House will be **Sunday, April 19th, from 8:30 to 9:15 am in Chambers Hall**. The menu will be a biscuit bar with all the trimmings, fruit, cereal, milk and coffee. We look forward to seeing everyone there!



ALTAR FLOWERS

Altar flowers available on Sundays in April 2020

April 5 - both vases

April 12 - one vase

April 26 - one vase



If you would like to donate flowers, you may enter your name on the Flower Calendar posted across from the church office, call us at 794-3200 or email us at cayceumcoffice@gmail.com.

Prayer List



Hospitalized:

At Home Members: Dot Buddin, Elisa Williams, Owen & Nettie Livingston, Evelyn Coggins, Shirley Paquet, Dixie & Lavern Shull, Lou Major, Martha Park, Jackie Smith

Members in Care Facilities: Shell Carmon, Narcie Shealy, Charles Siniard, Anne Beazley, Helen York, Pat Flowers, Kitty Bonner, Becky McDonald, Betty McLellan

Other Members and Friends who need our prayers: Margaret Mellard (Hubert Smoak's mother), Chuck Davis, Kermit Long, Charles Beason (Lindy Garrick's nephew), Barbara Willm (friend of Jane & Hubert Smoak), Lynn McDonald Ekins (Becky McDonald's daughter).

Members in Military: Adam Harrington, Ryan Vassey, Brett Brazell

Because of the length of the prayer list and the amount of time some requests have been on the list, we have removed the oldest of the prayer items on our prayer list. If they need to be continued just contact the office at 803-794-3200.

Thank you.



Cayce United Methodist Women News

FAITH • HOPE • LOVE IN ACTION

April Altar Flower Delivery: Josie Lowrimore Circle

April Mission Project: Bethlehem Center/Columbia

Upcoming Events - Newswatch

ALL DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

April 17-19 Southeastern Jurisdiction - Mobile, Alabama - **CANCELLED**

May 1-3 Spiritual Growth Retreat - Lake Junaluska, NC - **CANCELLED**

May 16 Come Together Be Together - OPEN
Sandhill UMC, 1961 Summers Dr. Ridgeville, SC 29472
Event Theme: "Let your Light Shine"
Registration: \$20 Late fee: \$25
Registration deadline is May 2nd.
Forms are on bulletin board outside Chambers Hall.

Ongoing Missions

- Stamps from cancelled envelopes.
- Drink tabs for Ronald McDonald House.
- Feed the Yellow Piggy bank with change for Nancy K. Perry Children's Shelter. Our Pig is VERY Hungry!

** Note: These are all collected by the drinking fountain outside Chambers Hall.

Want to stay up to date on UMW events & projects?

Visit the UMW Bulletin Boards! You'll find lots of great information there.

CAYCE CARES!

Let's remember our homebound members with a card and a note! A big Thank You to those of you who send cards. Thanks for adding a note of cheer to someone's day, even when the recipient of your card does not know who you are or you do not know them very well! This is a good time to get to know them!





April

ANNIVERSARIES

04/15 Richard & Shirley Bundrick

04/16 Scott & Amy Ashley

04/17 Tommy & Imogene Rivers

04/17 Michael & Ellen Wright

04/20 Robbie & Rachel Scurry

04/20 Rich & Holli Adams

04/23 Chuck & Cindy Davis

04/26 Allan & Becky Rish

04/26 Chris & Ashley Martin

04/27 Andy & Brittany Tevepaugh

04/29 Jeff & Cynthia Hutchison



04/01 Sandy Dennis

04/03 David Fleming Jr.

04/05 Alice Brooks

04/07 Courtney Hudson

04/10 Anne Beazley

04/10 Patrick Chambers

04/11 Catherine Taylor

04/11 Cathy Coker

04/13 Chuck Davis

04/13 Blake Adams

04/14 Judy Adams

04/14 Greg Pinner

04/14 Alston Brooks

04/15 Holly Morales

04/15 Anderson Hall

04/16 Ellyn Nester

04/17 Imogene Rivers

04/17 Marlene Gearon

04/18 Judy Hutchinson

04/18 Katy Tevepaugh

04/19 Melissa Purvis

04/21 Will Glenn

04/22 Charles Hite

04/22 Kelli Crane

04/23 Melinda Laird

04/23 Elsie Schaeffer

04/27 Drew Nester

04/28 Harold Coggins

APRIL 2020

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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|  | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 5 7:00 pm Holy Week Service - Mt Hebron UMC | 6 6:30 pm Josie Lowrimore Circle 7:00 pm Holy Week Service - Cayce UMC | 7 7:00 pm Holy Week Service - Trinity UMC | 8 7:00 pm Holy Week Service - Shiloh UMC | 9 7:00 pm Maundy Thursday Service - Cayce UMC | 10 Good Friday Church Office Closed | 11 Easter Egg Hunt 6:30 - 8:00 pm |
| 12 Easter Sunday 7:00 am Sunrise Service 9:00 am Choir Practice 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship No Cayce Kidz/Youth | 13 | 14 4:00 pm Susanna Wesley Circle 6:00 Trustees | 15 6:00 pm Handbells 6:00 Ben's Bible Study 6:30 pm Adult Choir | 16 6:00 pm Missions | 17 | 18 10:00 am - 2:00 pm Cayce Kidz Park Crawl |
| 19 Confirmation Sunday 8:30 - 9:15 am Coffee House 9:00 am Choir Practice 9:30 am Sunday School/ 10:30 am Worship No Cayce Kidz 6:30 SPRC | 20 | 21 | 22 6:00 pm Handbells 6:30 pm Adult Choir | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 9:00 am Choir Practice 9:30 am Sunday School 10:30 am Worship 12:00 pm Cayce Kidz End of Year Party - Pine Island 4:00 - 6:00 pm Youth at Trampoline Park | 27 | 28 | 29 6:00 pm Handbells 6:30 pm Adult Choir | 30 |  | |

USHERS

April 12

Debbie McDonald
David Bundrick
Scott Newman
Wayne Sollee
Jay Coker

April 19

Roy Elrod
Ken Bellinger
Gene Dawkins
Jay Coker

April 26

Loy Miller
John Tjaarda
Allyson Smith
Mike Wright
Jay Coker

PARAMENT TEAM

April

Nancy Boan/Caroline Bridges

SANCTUARY ANGELS

April

Judy Hutchinson/Jan Bonnette

GREETER

April

Diane Rollison

LAY WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

April 12 - Hubert Smoak
April 19 - Lynn Hutchinson
April 26 - Duane Johnson

TRUSTEES OF THE MONTH

April

Bob Edmonds



NURSERY VOLUNTEERS

April 12

Sunday School

Christie Watts,
Ashley Wise

Worship

Christie Watts
Steve & Jody Vassey

April 19

Sunday School

Christie Watts,
Caroline Bridges

Worship

Ashley Wise,
Cathy Coker

April 26

Sunday School

Christie Watts,
Courtney Hudson

Worship

Ashley Wise,
Anna Schafer

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

April 12

Age 3 - 3rd grade

Ashley Wise,
Anna Schafer

April 19

Age 3 - 3rd grade

Caroline Bridges,
Nancy Boan,
Jody Vassey,
Christie Watts

April 26

Age 3 - 3rd grade

Cathy Coker,
Sabrina Wilson
Courtney Hudson



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FRIDAY @ 12:00 PM**



CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday
8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

Friday
8:30 a.m.—12:30 p.m.