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THE YAZOO CITY MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION PRESENTS



SAVE THE DATE • SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 2018 • PARKVIEW CHURCH
LIVE MUSIC • FOOD • FELLOWSHIP • FUN • ALL AGES WELCOME

The Yazoo Ministerial Assoc. is pleased to present “Back to School Yazoo” on Sunday, August 5th at Parkview Church of God. Featuring live music by *Hanover Drive & TwiceBorn*. The featured guest speaker will be former New York Met Allstar right fielder, DARRYL STRAWBERRY.

There will also be speakers from Teen Challenge of MS, Inc. This is a Drug Awareness event for youth, middle school and up, and for their parents. It is an excellent opportunity for the youth of Yazoo to UNITE and to encourage each other to stay DRUG FREE.

FOOD AND DRINK WILL BE PROVIDED! We need your help. If you would like to participate in this ministry **you can help financially. Please make your check to FUMC, label your check Great Commission Fund—Back to School Yazoo.**



- 6. Penny Jackson
- 9. George Dunnington
- 10. Larry Adams
- 11. Archie Edgar, Ryan Ragland, Denny Paul

- 5. Mr. & Mrs. Sam Smith, Mr. & Mrs. Mike Phillips
- 10. Mr. & Mrs. Roger Lyles
- 11. Mr. & Mrs. Phil Williams

SUNDAY, AUGUST 5

- 9:00 a.m. Come AZ U R Service
- 9:50 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Traditional Service
- 4:00 p.m. Community Parent Workshop on
Drug awareness, addiction and
treatment led by Steve
Hutton/Parkview
- 5:50 p.m. Back to School Yazoo/Parkview

MONDAY, AUGUST 6

- 9-12 noon Methodist Market

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8

- 5:30 p.m. In the Hands of God/Prayer Meeting
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Bible Study
- 6:00 p.m. Chancel Choir

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11

- 9-12 noon Methodist Market

DAILY BIBLE READINGS

AUGUST

5. Guard against greed

Luke 12:13-21

6. Do not worry

Matthew 6:24-33

7. Blessed through belief

Galatians 3:6-9

8. Hope in God's love

Psalms 33:12-22

9. Remove evil...do good

Isaiah 1:1, 10-20

10. Thanksgiving as an offering

Psalms 50:1-8, 22-23

11. Faith that changes life

Hebrews 11:1-3, 8-16



Please join us for a

Baby shower

In honor of

Crosby Hicks

Sunday, August 12, 2018 at 2 P.M.

First United Methodist Church

Fellowship Hall

Crosby is registered at Wal-mart,

Amazon, Black's Downtown

Marketplace and So Sew Sweet.



Our second annual College Freshmen Farewell Breakfast will be in the youth basement on

Sunday, August 5th

during the Sunday school hour. This is a send-off from the youth group to those who will be leaving for college and starting a new chapter in their lives. Any college students who are home for the summer are invited to join us.

Wednesday Night Small Group

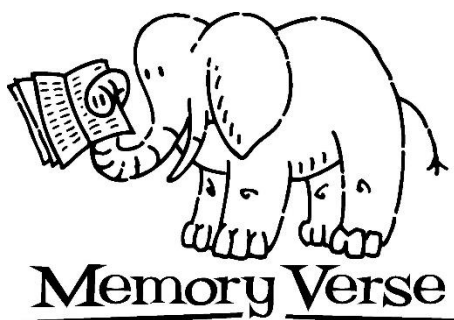
We will begin back with our regular meetings on Wednesday, August 8th at 6:15 p.m. in the youth basement. We need to discuss a few of the Bible studies and decide which one we would like to begin with. I know with school starting back there will be lots of schedules and activities going on, but we can modify our time to help with that. Looking forward to starting out the new school year with our eyes looking up!



Youth Back to School Scavenger Hunt

There will be a Back to School scavenger hunt for grades 7-12th next Sunday, August 12. You will begin by collecting your first clue at the home of Julie and De Paul at 5:30 p.m. The scavenger hunt will take you to various places around town, before leading you to your final destination for supper and group time.

Children's Page



"I have given you an example: just as I have done, you also must do."

John 13:15



For the next few weeks, our lessons will introduce us to people that Jesus met. Each week we will hear their story and see how Jesus changed their lives. I hope to see you this week, so we can worship together.

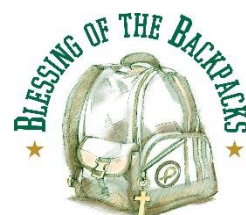


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Back-to-School Party

A Back-to-School Party for Grades 1-6 will be held at the home of Julie and De Paul on Sunday, August 12 from 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. We will need help with food and drinks, so If any parents would like to help please contact Tera Smith.

Blessings of the Backpacks and First Grade Bible Presentation

Pease mark your calendars for Sunday, August 12. We will have our annual **Blessing of the Backpacks** for all students and teachers as they prepare for a new school year. This will also be a special day for our rising First Graders, as they will be presented with Bibles in the 11:00 a.m. worship service.



Volunteers



Volunteers serving Sunday, August 5, 2018

Greeters
Worship Leader
Scripture
Sermon
Comm. Assts.
Security
Flowers

Helen Hendrix/Harry & Shirley Simmons
Rich Knox
Daniel 5:13-31
“Every Knee Shall Bow”
Chip & Donna Heidel/Penny Jackson
Jason Patterson/Daniel Pender
Buford Atkinson



Attendance, July 29, 2018

Worship Services	180
Sunday School	89

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

We are currently in the process of adding a digital PDF version of our *Messenger* newsletter to the church website that can then be sent out by text message, email or Facebook. The hope is that over time this will replace our mailed version of the newsletter.

If you are interested in receiving the *Messenger* electronically instead of by mail, please let us know by contacting the church office or by filling out the section on the back of the bulletin and placing it in the offering place so that we have your current cell phone number and email address.