

### WELCOME GUESTS

*We hope that you feel warmly welcomed, and even more important that you experience the power and presence of God as we praise God's name, pray for God's world, and listen to God's voice together. Please let us know if there is anything we as a church can do for you! A Nursery is provided downstairs for children, infant – 3 years old. Please ask an usher if you need assistance. Weekly Sunday worship times are 8:30, 9:45 and 11:00 a.m.*

### ALTAR FLOWERS

The altar flowers this morning are given by Lacey Brewer, in loving memory of Betty Brewer on her 86<sup>th</sup> birthday.

### CHURCH HAPPENINGS

**TODAY:** LifeSouth blood drive - 9 am - 12:30 pm, Bloodmobile in the front parking lot

*Reminder:*

***Next Sunday, April 29, is Children's Sunday and Confirmation Sunday.***

*We will be having a **single service at 10:00 am**, which follows Sunday school at 9:00 am.*

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP

**Time:** Supper served 6 – 6:30 p.m.

**Menu:** *regular* - pork tenderloin, squash casserole, black-eyed peas, roll, dessert  
*alternate* - grilled cheese sandwich, chips, dessert

**Cost:** \$3.50 per child, \$6.00 per adult, with an \$18.00 family maximum. Please make your reservations on the bulletin insert or by calling the church office by 3:00 pm Tuesday.

**Programs:** A variety of programs is offered for all ages following the Wednesday Night Meal.

Andrus Love, founder of **SOAR (Serving Others, Accepting Responsibilities) Inc.** will be our guest speaker this Wednesday for **Adult Bible Study**, highlighting some of the goals of this youth-focused ministry. Some of these goals include: involving local youth in community service, leadership development, increased parental support, and exploring issues affecting youth such as bullying, hunger, and social welfare.

### DISASTER RESPONSE HELP REQUESTED

The Mississippi Annual Conference has requested ERT and/or Chainsaw Teams to respond to last week's storms in the Meridian/Marion/Lauderdale County area. The work will include tree and debris removal and roof tarping. Team members must be currently badged and certified." Qualified individuals able to help are asked to contact Disaster Response Coordinator, Kenny McGill, at 662-416-1981 or [ckmcgill70@gmail.com](mailto:ckmcgill70@gmail.com).

### TEAM UP TO CLEAN UP!

Please join us this Friday as we participate in "Team up to Clean Up Tallassee" by helping to pick up trash around the city. We will meet at the church at 4:00, and we will return by 6:00. This is a great opportunity for us to work together to serve our community!

### CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

If your child is part of Children's Sunday, please have them at the church at 6:45 pm on **WEDNESDAY** so they can practice! Because this time of year is so busy, it is hard to get everyone together to practice. I want the children to feel comfortable speaking and transitioning from one part of the service to another. Even if you do not regularly attend on Wednesday nights, PLEASE make an effort to be there.

On **SUNDAY**, the children will need to be at the church at 8:45 am. The confirmands' mentors have volunteered to cook breakfast for all the children. We will meet in the beach room (102). After we are finished breakfast, we will head to the sanctuary for a quick run-through of the service.

### THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

The Youth Handbells have raised all of the money for their trip this summer to Lake Junaluska. They have raised over \$3500.00! So thank you to all of those who bought poinsettias, purchased Chick-fil-A meals, and who just contributed to the cause. While at Junaluska, the kids will be a part of a mass handbell group of 50 ringers that is directed by a master handbell conductor and composer. Also, each day they will be attending two worship services and taking classes on worship. Some are even considering being a part of an instrumental ensemble and auditioning and participating in a talent show. The energy and inspiration they will gain from this trip is exciting and they are grateful for this opportunity. THANK YOU!

### PRAYER LIST

Williford family, Ethel Hale, Steve Segrest, Heather Miller, Alan Milam, Jeanette Crain, Mary Parker, Lamar Godwin, Ralph Boatwright family, Jerry & Sandra Pendergrass, Tom Jackson, Jeanette Boles, Brittney Brooks, Cynthia Finucane, Linda Mitchell, Tommy Causey, Libby Siskron, Rodney Aldridge, Gary Moore, Galerie Beckham, unspoken, Ashley B., Leann McNaughton, Donald Earl Taunton, Kathy Hall, Dottie Humphreys, unspoken, Fred & Cherry Wilkins, Debra Duncan, Lydia Ledbetter, Aimee Spruill & family, Joey Miller, Terry Bobo, Frankie Herron, Helen Hamm, David & Katherine Griebeling, Tammy Rich

*The above prayer list was created by prayer requests written down on the attendance sheets during last Sunday's morning worship services.*