

## Germantown United Methodist Preschool

### Weekday Preschool Ministry

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GUMP currently has openings for ALL ages, 9 months to 5 years, for the 2011-12 school year. Our office is open weekdays during the summer from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Contact us to set up a tour to begin the admissions process. Please share this information with your neighbors, friends, and family as well. Check out our Facebook page: "Germantown United Methodist Preschool."

## Men's Ministries

**Men's Wednesday Morning Prayer Group** (6:30-7:00 a.m., Room 339).

Would you like a mid week pick me up? Each Wednesday morning a group of men get together at 6:30 a.m. for a short lesson and to discuss prayer concerns. We finish promptly at 7:00 a.m. Hope to see you next Wednesday. Questions? Call Gary Rutherford at 485-9238 or Jimmy Wright at 848-9737.

## Prayer Concerns

We believe that prayer is a vital and relevant ministry in our faith community. Publication in Ministry Events is limited to birth and death notices, members' immediate concerns, and hospital or facility residents. Prayer requests forms are available at the Information Center or you may contact Laura Meanwell at [lmeanwell@germantownumc.org](mailto:lmeanwell@germantownumc.org) or call 754-7216.

**Complete listings are available each week at the Information Center and at both entrances to the sanctuary. Please pick up a copy.**

### Births

Fletcher Horrell, son of Ted and Sarah Horrell, grandson of Elaine Horrell and Ed Horrell, June 23

### In Deepest Sympathy

Ann Lee Turner, mother of Paige Close, July 5

Nadene Tally, sister-in-law of Len Greenwalt, June 21

Albert Joseph Allen, father of Tondala Hayward, June 14

Suzanne Bauer Forbus, mother of Lauren Boswell, June 14

Catherine Ledbetter, mother of Sherry Moore, June 13

### In Hospital or Care Facility

Eddie Grigg

### Congregational Concerns

Chris Atkinson, Rusty Bailey, Myron Boswell, Joan Brown, Mary Carpenter, Warren Hartman, Kimberly Jessop, Elizabeth Johnson, Dale Lowery, Saja Mason, Lillian and Lloyd Moore, Fred Smith, Damien Stock, Myra Thomas, and Richard Tomlinson

### Nursing Homes and Rehabilitation Facilities

*Belmont Village* – Les and Doris Morgan

*Carriage Court* – Annie Laurie Hall

*Cordova Estates* – Becky Anglin

*Kings Daughters & Sons* – Chris Kirchoff

*Kirby Pines Manor* – Mac Sain

Quince Nursing & Rehabilitation Center – Della Fout, mother of Monte Fout

Schilling Gardens – Gene and Hazel Goodale

Village of Germantown – Gene Nyhuis, father of Mary Rocha

Waverly Gardens – Martha and Dan Newlander

We understand that times of crisis and emergency occur outside of our church's normal office hours and that pastoral care, guidance and support are needed. To ensure that our members are able to reach a pastor when the offices are closed, we are providing you with an emergency phone number with which you may reach the pastor on call. Please be mindful that this number should only be used for urgent situations such as the emergency hospitalization of a member (or immediate family), death of a member (or immediate family) and during disaster or other tragedy. **The Emergency Pastoral Care number is (901) 412-5776.** You may also call our regular office number (754-7216) and call the answering service number given, and they will contact our pastor on call.



# MINISTRY EVENTS

Germantown United Methodist Church

**July 10, 2011**

## Announcements

**Attention College Students.** Join us this summer as our adult Sunday School classes host our college students as part of a new Young Adult Ministry initiative. For more information please contact Daniel Turner at [dturner@germantownumc.org](mailto:dturner@germantownumc.org).

**Fall Children's Clothing Boutique.** Sell your children's gently worn fall and winter clothing and more at the semi-annual Children's Boutique in August. Consignors will receive 70% of the sales price and Germantown United Methodist Women receives 30% for mission projects. To participate, go to [www.gumwclothingsale.com](http://www.gumwclothingsale.com) to register and view complete instructions and important dates. We are here if you need help at [info@gumwclothingsale.com](mailto:info@gumwclothingsale.com) or 754-7216, ext. 302. Registration deadline/inventory sheets is August 22. Drop off: August 24, 5-7 p.m. and August 25, 8 a.m.-2 p.m.; Presale: August 25, 5-8 p.m.; Public Sale: August 26, 8 a.m.-6 p.m.; Public Half-Price Sale: August 27, 8 a.m.-noon. Pick-up: August 28, 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

**Edwin's Way 5K.** The date for this year's 5K run/walk is set for Sunday, October 2, at 3 p.m. Participants will enjoy the scenic path provided by the Germantown Greenbelt, starting and ending in Nashoba Park with a post-race celebration. Online registration begins July 30. Named in honor of Edwin Smith, an avid runner and supporter of our Student Ministry program, over \$10,000 was raised in last year's race with more than 300 participants. Through this we were able to fund an internship position, purchase praise band equipment, and fund new robes for Testimony, our youth choir. If you have a business that would like to be a part of this special event through a sponsorship, please contact Tracy Lindow at 626-5456, or [tblindow@comcast.net](mailto:tblindow@comcast.net) before September 1.

## Missions

**Kenya Mission 2011.** Please pray for our team that is serving in Maua, Kenya through July 21, supporting the community outreach ministries of Maua Methodist Hospital and building a home for AIDS orphans. Team members: Carrie Allison, Rich Aust, Terry Aust, Anna Clark, Ed Clark, Amy Fink, Catherine Livesay, Norris McGehee, Leda Phillips, Gary Pruitt, Barry Smith, Susan Hillebert Smith, Colene Watkins, Bill Whitaker, and Cathy Whitaker.

### **Caldwell-Guthrie Elementary (our Adopt-a-School) Updates!**

- **Supplies for Scribes!** Once again this year Germantown United Methodist Church is sponsoring a school supply drive for the children at Caldwell-Guthrie Elementary. We will have boxes located around the church, clearly marked “Supplies for Scribes!” In order to meet the needs of the children more fully, we are asking our parishioners to “adopt a scribe” so to speak. We will have the supply list located at the Scribe drop box. Please pull a scribe, buy the supplies for the list you select, and then return the supplies to the drop designated drop off locations. Thank you all for your continued support in our Caldwell-Guthrie endeavors.

- **Caldwell-Guthrie Pre-Registration Event.** Volunteers are needed Saturday, July 30, from 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at Caldwell Guthrie Elementary, 951 Chelsea Ave., Memphis, TN 38107. In order to encourage the community of Caldwell-Guthrie parents to get the children ready and prepared for school prior to the first day of school, we are hosting a pre-registration event on July 30 at the school. We need volunteers for all sorts of events. If you are available and willing to help, please contact Michelle Johns at mjohns70@me.com or 336-2874.

- **Rare Insight for GUMC Caldwell-Guthrie Volunteers.** On July 28, Janice Crawford, executive director of New Leaders for New Schools and former executive director of Communications for Memphis City Schools, will offer insights into teaching inner-city students as well as dealing with cultural differences between schools and the students (and parents). Afterwards, our tutors and future tutors will meet with second grade teachers to talk about the coming year. The school is a 25-minute drive from church. This seminar begins at 8:30 a.m. and runs until 1 p.m. with lunch included. This is a great opportunity! All tutors are asked to attend! Contact Jackie Flaum at jrflaum@yahoo.com, Ruth King at ruthmking@bellsouth.net or Shirlee Clark at shirleemclark@att.net.

## Student Ministries

*Jason Baker, 758-6515, jbaker@germantownumc.org*

**Element.** Element, our version of United Methodist Youth Fellowship, meets on Sunday nights at the OLEC from 6-8 p.m. A snack supper is available for \$3. Element Summer Nights is back on tonight! We will meet at Church of the Holy Spirit (2300 Hickory Crest Drive, Memphis, 38119) at 6 p.m. for a game of Kickball! Bring \$3 for a pizza dinner.

**Manna House Mondays.** Each Monday this summer, we will travel down to Manna House, a place of hospitality and ministry of presence for poor and homeless persons, to serve and get to know the poor of our city. We will meet in the OLEC parking lot at 7 a.m., and will return at 1 p.m. after stopping for lunch on the way back. Watch for sign-up sheets on Sunday nights, or contact Lindsay Butler at lbutler@germantownumc.org if you would like to join us.

## Owings Life Enrichment Center

*Tiffany Griffin, 753-3100, tgriffin@germantownumc.org*

*Patrick Peavy (sports), 753-3100, ppeavy@germantownumc.org*

**Fall Soccer.** Registration is now underway for our youth fall soccer season. Youth Fall Soccer is for Jr. K-6th graders. The fee is \$70 which includes league fee, jersey, trophy, and end of the season party. Online registration runs until August 1. Games start September 9 and end in November. Register at [germantownumc.org](http://germantownumc.org). Questions? Contact Patrick Peavy at [ppeavy@germantownumc.org](mailto:ppeavy@germantownumc.org).

**Mat Pilates.** (Monday/Wednesday 4:45 p.m. and Tuesday/Thursday 8:15 a.m.) Come tone your core and more! Mat Pilates tones you from head to toe. Taught by Pilates certified, master yoga instructor and veteran group fitness instructor Paula Hatmaker.

**Senior Fitness Class led by Melissa Olson** (Tuesdays and Thursdays from 11:30 am-12:30 p.m.). Get a great workout that is designed specifically for senior adults; easy on the joints and is therapeutic and helpful for those with joint pain, arthritis, fibromyalgia, and other joint-related disparities.

**Zumba Gold** is a class designed specifically for seniors or those who want to get back into shape. Ditch the workout and join the party with this low-impact dance class while you move and shake to Latin rhythms! Taught by Kathy Cockroft on Mondays and Thursdays at 9:30 a.m. and Saturday at 10:45 a.m.

**A.M. Conditioning Course MWF!** New session starts July 18. Pre-register to guarantee your place. Cost is \$150/6-week session. Call Todd Hinton at (901) 488-2845 or email [thinton2@comcast.net](mailto:thinton2@comcast.net). Join late and receive a prorated rate!

**Sports Camp for Sr. K-6th Graders.** Our second Summer Sports Camp will be held July 25-29. Camp hours are 9 a.m.-2 p.m. This camp is for children who have completed senior kindergarten-6th grade. The cost per camp is \$95 each, which includes lunch and all available sports activities. Online registration for the July camp continues through July 17. Register at [germantownumc.org](http://germantownumc.org). Questions? Contact Patrick Peavy at [ppeavy@germantownumc.org](mailto:ppeavy@germantownumc.org).

**Fall Dance Classes.** Beginner and intermediate combination ballet, tap, and jazz classes are offered for children and adults. Classes will be taught by Mary-Ann Brand, an experienced performer, choreographer, and instructor. For class information contact Gracie Leetham at 753-3100 or [gleeatham@germantownumc.org](mailto:gleeatham@germantownumc.org). Deadline to sign up is August 21.

**The Very, Very, Very Beginner Boot Camp is still on!** New session starts July 18. Contact Judy Oros at 336-8639 to sign up.

**FitFunKids** is back 5 days a week! (Began June 27.) The OLEC Nursery will be continuing its summer enrichment program for children ages 6-12 called FitFunKIDS. Program hours are Monday-Friday from 9 a.m.-noon. As a result of limited space, FitFunKids will meet M-W-F in the Oasis Lounge and T-TH in the OLEC gym. Please contact Erica Puryear at 753-3116 for questions.

## Older Adults

*These events are for everyone—singles and couples. Our activities are open to anyone age 55 and older regardless of church membership*

**Wisdom and Grace Older Adult Conference, August 8-11.** Come to Lake Junaluska to enjoy the late summer beauty of the Western North Carolina Mountains and join in fellowship and study with adults from across the Southeastern Jurisdiction at the oldest and best attended Older Adult conference in the United States. For more information or to register, go to [lakejunaluska.com](http://lakejunaluska.com) or call 828-454-6656. To inquire about a scholarship or receive a brochure, call Luci Cromer at 755-0803.