



**United Methodist Men  
Golf Tournament  
September 24, 2022 - 8:00 a.m.  
Green fee \$45.00**

Falcon Pointe (formerly Waterville)  
Located on Highway 60 - one mile south of Cleveland, TN.

Signup sheets will be in the back hallway and portico entrance  
Deadline to sign up is September 12.

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Boynton United Methodist Church  
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**Boynton United Methodist Church**  
**- a people of blessing -**

Mission: *Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World*

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**September 2022**

“Remember when” often sparks a conversation of good times, past vacations, and family gatherings.

I know for me so many of my memories are triggered by the thousands of pictures on my phone- taking me back to events and places and things I wanted to remember. Our memories help us look back at our lives and see how we have gotten where we are!

Our Bibles help us remember. Besides being instructive and revelatory, scripture helps us remember what God has done and what God has promised. And I find that the Bible also helps me remember things in my own life as I come to a particular verse that was important to me during an event in my life. An example: Psalm 51. I had memorized verses 1-17 and read them right before I travelled to Italy -where I broke my leg. So, “Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones that you have crushed rejoice.” (verse 8) reminded me then and now, to rejoice in all things.

Close and prayerful attention to the Bible enriches our lives like little else can do. So, remember your life, both joys and challenges, and find God within it. Turn towards the future with expectance for what God will do.

Blessings,  
Pastor Nena

**September**

Thursday 9/1 Prayers & Stitchers 7:00 p.m.  
 Thursday 9/15 Summer Book Club 7:00 p.m.  
 Monday 9/19 Keenagers 11:30 a.m., Park Place  
 Tuesday 9/20 UM Women in Koinonia classroom 7:00 pm  
 Saturday 9/24 UM Men's Golf Tournament  
 Sunday 9/25 UM Men Breakfast in Heritage Hall 7:30 a.m.

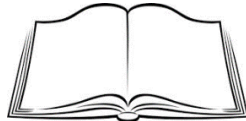
**Holy Communion Offering  
 is for Wellroot Family Services  
 formerly United Methodist Children's  
 Home  
 Sunday, September 4 – 9:00 / 11:00 a.m.**

The Wellroot Family Service formerly United Methodist Children's Home Offering calls on North Georgia United Methodists to help realize the day when all children live in a loving, compassionate and nurturing home. For the past 150 years, Wellroot Family Services has relied on the support of local churches to care for Children and families in need. By participating in the conference-wide Amazing Grace special offering, you become FAMILY to those we serve. You become FAMILY for a child in foster care. You become FAMILY for a teen who is reshaping their future. You become FAMILY for a new mom building a support system. You become FAMILY for parents striving for wholeness and healing with their children.

You can find resources for the 2021 Amazing Grace Offering <https://wellroot.org/ag2021/>.

While much has changed in the last 150 years, Wellroot's mission to care for vulnerable children, youth, and families remains the same. We are and will always be *Faithfully Committed to Family*.

Summertime Opportunity  
 Let's Read!



**You are invited** to a monthly book club of a book reflecting Christian life, fiction or not. Fourth book Orphan Train by Christina Kline. **Fourth meeting will be Thursday September 22 at 7:00 p.m. at the Parsonage – read and be ready to discuss!** Please let the church office, or Amy Williams know of your interest. Amy Williams 423-667-5372 952 Gibson Meadows, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37421.

From your Financial Secretary,

*"Then Hezekiah said, 'You have now dedicated yourselves to the Lord. Come and bring sacrifices and thank offerings to the temple of the Lord.' So the assembly brought sacrifices and thank offerings, and all whose hearts were willing brought burnt offerings."  
 2 Chronicles 29:31*

In the previous verses, King Hezekiah leads the people into a process of cleansing and sanctification because of their disobedience. They accomplished this by both physically and spiritually removing the "filth" from the temple as well as from their own lives. Only after this process was completed were the priests and Israelites ready to present their sacrifice and thank offerings to the Lord. This procedure is necessary for each of us as well. At that point, we become ready to present our offerings to God in complete freedom and with a clean heart and mind.

These particular offerings were not part of a legalistic mandate. The people gave from the heart out of their own free will. Hezekiah's appeal is so effective that "the priests were too few and could not skin all the burnt offerings..." (vs.34a) When the people were confronted with their need for personal sacrifice the response was overwhelming. They gave generously, sacrificially, and cheerfully.

After their relationship with God had been restored, "Hezekiah and all the people rejoiced because of what God had done for the people..." (vs.36a). Each of us have a similar opportunity to worship God with our sacrifices from the heart. Only then will true rejoicing and renewal take place.

**Financial Report July 2022**

Income: \$20,127.32  
 Expenses: \$20238.82

Expenses exceeded income by \$111.50.

With the higher temperatures this summer, our electric bills for the past two months have increased: \$2,093.0(June) and \$2,076.00 (July).



September

- 3 Sara Grist
- 5 Nolen Dietz
- 5 Donna Prouty
- 7 Dot Gilbert
- 7 Jarrett Thacker
- 8 Debi Williams
- 9 Ed Huskey
- 9 Travis Aalfs
- 11 Charlie Ball
- 11 Roy Cooper
- 12 Tina Holt
- 13 Allie Logan
- 14 Rod Huskey
- 14 Ronald Brock
- 14 Maddox Barrett
- 14 Mason Settle mire
- 15 Lisa Huskey
- 18 Linda Davis
- 20 Andrew Stone
- 21 Gene Huskey
- 21 Summer Brogden
- 23 Wanda Harwood
- 23 Trey Holt
- 24 Cassidy Mashburn
- 24 Harvey Williams
- 25 Sally Abercrombie
- 25 Theresa Waters
- 26 Barbara Pulver
- 27 Rebecca Barrett
- 28 Carol Kelley
- 29 Brandon Cruse
- 30 Jeff McGhee
- 30 Jennifer Wilson
- 30 Judy Plemons



- 6 Mike & Patty Bishop
- 6 Jarrett & Sheri Eschenfelder
- 30 Jeremy & Kelly Jones



**Wednesday Night Suppers cost will be \$7.00 for adults, \$4.00 for children and max family cost will be \$25.00. Reservation envelopes will be available on the table at the portico entrance. Deadline for reservations is 12:00 noon on each Monday.**

**Plan on staying for a moment for "after supper".**

- September 7 Hot Chicken Salad, Green Peas with Potatoes, 7 Layer Salad and Dessert
- September 14 Chicken Parmesan, corn, broccoli casserole, bread, sunshine cake
- September 21 Pot Roast with Vegetables and Gravy, Biscuits, Tossed Salad and Crème Brulee
- September 28 Baked spaghetti, 7 layer salad, bread, lemonade pie

**Remember each cook buys the food for their meal. Please pay if you sign up so that they don't run short.**

**Servants for September**

**Traditional Worship 11:00 a.m.**

Greeters

- 4 Howard & Glenda Thomas
- 11 Fay Peters / Kay Harper
- 18 Jarrett & Sheri Eschenfelder
- 25 Jim Cospers / Sandra Smith

Host/Hostess

Jim Cospers 423-834-2798

Head Usher

Richard Doyle 423-667-8907

**The Upper Room** devotionals for September/October are here at the church to pick up on Sunday located on the table in the back hallway and portico entrance or you can download them free of charge from the Upper Room at <https://www.upperroom.org/covid-19> Just follow the prompts and you can download the September/October copy of the Upper Room so you can read your devotional each day.





Church community

Ida Burwitz – kidney stones  
Charlie Ball  
Maggie Darraj – hip concerns  
Linda Lowery – physical therapy after back surgery  
Nancy Perry – health and family concerns  
Family of Chuck Thacker  
Jeanne Thacker  
Harvey & Amy Williams

Cancer

Chanda Busby – cancer surgery, requested by Mike Harris  
Cynthia Clark – brain  
Mary Ann Clark – cancer, mother of Cindi Clark  
Buffy Davis - aggressive breast cancer, requested by Mike Harris  
Judy Hamby – undergoing chemotherapy, requested by Mike Harris  
Aisha Harbour - breast  
David Humble – lung,  
Jo Jackson – pancreas  
Fred Patterson – recurrence of cancer in lungs, relative of Tommy Harris

Our Mission Field

For Boynton UMC to reach people for Jesus Christ  
BUMC Worship Services  
Sunday School  
Student Ministry / BKidz Children’s Program  
BKidz Day Out Program  
*Stephen Ministry*  
*Prayers & Stitches*  
*Recovery at Ringgold*  
Christ’s Chapel Share & Care Mission  
Nicaragua

Homebound/Senior Facilities

Sherma Addington, Charlie Ball, Tom Billington, Margaret Bowman, Stacy Mashburn

Our Church

Pastor Nena & Dennis Jones  
Our BUMC staff and their families: Linda, Carl, Joe, Diane, Ellen, Gigi, Tracy and Jessica  
Our church, our community, our nation, our world  
The United Methodist Church

Other Requests

E. J. Evans – congestive heart failure, requested by Nancy Dutto  
Melvin Steele – needs kidney transplant, requested by Mike Harris  
Eddie Thornburg – terminal 1 year, requested by Mike Harris  
Family of Jeff Walls on his unexpected death, friend of Sue Williams

## Prayer for a New School Year

As the School Year Begins Lord Jesus Christ, as a child, you increased in wisdom and stature, you listened to your teachers and asked them questions. Bless those who learn that they may grow in the knowledge of their Maker, Redeemer, Life-giver, and of your glorious world we live in. Bless those who teach, that they may share the wisdom they have received from above and that they may do their work with patience and love that reflect your mercy that endures forever.

-Submitted by Mike Harris, Prayer Chair



### BIENESTAR NICARAGUA

Continue to be in prayer for Bienestar Nicaragua Inc. and all of the work they do.

## SHOES

Shoes are an important part of everyday life. But for children living in poverty around the globe, a pair of shoes is vital, even helping to fight infection from open wounds. In most areas of the world, a pair of shoes is a requirement for attending school. Again, thank you for helping us give impoverished children around the world the gift of a new pair of shoes.



## Children Ministry

All children’s services are back in full swing! We are back on Wednesday nights but the times have changed to 6-7:30. We will provide a meal for the kids each week. We will begin to plan our fall activities soon! I truly enjoy working with the children and seeing their love for the Lord grow! Please encourage your children to bring a friend!

- Tracy Cruse

## Youth Ministry

Every Wednesday during the school year, we gather together for fun, connection and reflection in a small group so youth can GROW in their faith and in community with others!

On Sundays, my hope is for students to own and grow in their faith by joining our whole church congregation for our contemporary or traditional service. During Sunday School, we are in the youth room for a gospel centered deep dive into scripture for the current topics we are interested in.

Blessing to everyone!

- Gigi Pattison

## BKidz Day Out

We are off to a great start this year with our program and are thankful it has been an easy transition for everyone so far! We have 17 children ages 1-4 enrolled and we have really enjoyed getting to know each of them, as well as their families. In addition to playtime, crafts, music and other activities, we also share a Bible story each day to help them learn about Jesus.

Jessica Settlemyre, BKidz Day Out Director



Adult Sunday school class  
in Heritage Hall on Sundays at 10:00 a.m.  
Children and Youth Sunday school.

## Prayers & Stitches



Although our groups is small, *Prayers and Stitches* along with making prayer shawls, will begin making blankets for area children that are in need of a special hug. **Our regular meeting will be Thursday, September 1, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. We definitely could use your help with this new ministry.** If you’ve not been a part of this group, please prayerfully consider joining our group. We will have everything needed to help you get started making your first blanket. Please let me know if you can help or you have questions. Contact Glenda Thomas at 423-902-4321 or gthomas 346@comcast.net



**Christ's Chapel Share & Care Mission** is in need of canned or dry beans and canned greens, spinach during the month of September. Please leave the items under the mailboxes in the hallway near church offices or place on the altar on Sunday, September 25th.

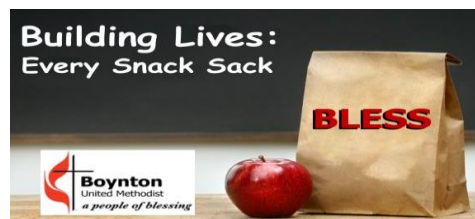


**Next Men's Breakfast  
Sunday, September 25, 2022  
7:30 a.m. in Heritage Hall**

We will be having a Golf Tournament Saturday, September 24 at Falcon Point. The tournament starts at 8:00 a.m.

We will be selling pork butts on Saturday, October 15.

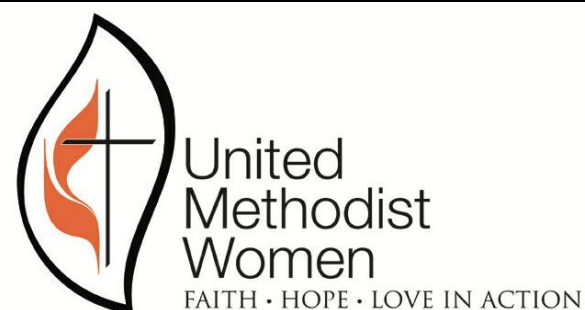
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*BLESS Sacks* is a self-funded program that provides a weekend supplement to local students who receive free or reduced lunches in the Catoosa County School System. Last school year we packed over 3,000 sacks for Boynton Elementary, Heritage Middle, and Performance Learning Center.

**Nancy Bunch has been leading this ministry for years and needs some help for this next school year – in ordering, in organizing, in moving food product. Please volunteer for a few hours a month.**

We packed 460 sacks on August 24<sup>th</sup>!!

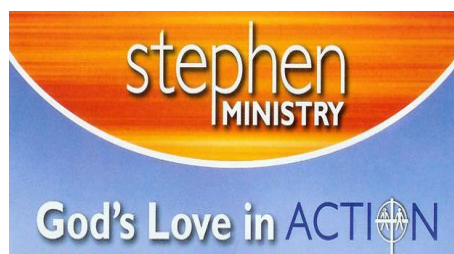


Fall is just around the corner and the UMW is busy making plans for our Fall Bazaar which will be Saturday, October 15th. The bazaar runs from 8:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. We will have booths to rent for \$25, so all you crafters start working on projects to sell. You bakers out there be working on your best cakes, pies, etc for the bake sale portion of the bazaar. We will be selling items from SERRV, an organization that offers items made by third world countries. (Think about Christmas). If you wish to rent a booth, or more information about the bazaar, please contact Ann Orr at 706-937-3353 or 423-838-0354

The World Thank Offering for October is .10 cents for each relative you have, older than you or .10 cents for each child you love. The monies for this program goes into the mission field to support women, children and youth in all parts of the world.

Our September meeting is on the 20<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m. in the Koinonia classroom

Blessings to all,  
Ann Orr  
UMW President



Our *Stephen Ministry* has a book available for loan to anyone wishing to read it. The book is **CANCER NOW WHAT?**

The book is based on extensive research that included 2741 cancer survivors and their loved ones. Also, 800 medical professionals including oncology and other professionals from other fields contributed to the research.

Those who would benefit from this are those with the diagnosis of cancer and their loved ones/care takers. It provides practical information and ideas to guide the patient and loved ones/caretakers through the many difficult challenges brought on by cancer.

Please call the church office at 706-866-2626 and request to borrow the book.

The *Stephen Ministry* Team

# Boynton United Methodist Church

# September 2022

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				<b>1</b>  6:00 p.m. Prayers & Stitchers in Koinonia classroom	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>  9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>  6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper 6:30 p.m. After Supper 6:30 p.m. Children / Youth Ministries 6:45 p.m. Choir Practice	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>  9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>  6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper 6:30 p.m. After Supper 6:30 p.m. Children / Youth Ministries 6:45 p.m. Choir Practice	<b>15</b>  7:00 p.m. Monthly Book Club at Parsonage	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>  9:00 a.m. Contemporary Worship 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship	<b>19</b>  Keenagers 11:30 a.m. Park Place Restaurant	<b>20</b>  7:00 p.m. UM Women in Koinonia classroom	<b>21</b>  6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper 6:30 p.m. After Supper <b>Bless Sacks</b> 6:30 p.m. Children / Youth 6:45 p.m. Choir Practice	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>  8:00 a.m. <b>UM Golf Tournament At Falcon Point</b>
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