Gadsden First News

# First United Methodist Church of Gadsden

The People of Gadsden First United Methodist Church Changing Lives by Sharing Christ, Making Disciples, Serving and Giving Hope



Caring Angels

www.fumcgadsden.org

115 So. 5th St. Gadsden, AL 35901

February 9, 2020

#### Calendar for February 9-February 15, 2020

Feb 9, Sunday, 8:45 am, Celebration Service, Gym; 10:00 am, Sunday School; 10:55 am, Traditional Service, Sanctuary

Feb 10, Monday, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, ELC; 9:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym; 9:30 am, UMW Officers meeting, Room 106; 10:30 am, UMW Board meeting, Room 106; 12:00 pm, UMW Luncheon, Gathering Room; 1:15 pm, Jean Holtsford Circle, Room 208

Feb 11, Tuesday, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, ELC; 5:00 pm, Yoga, Gym; 12:00 pm, Stevens Circle, Room 208; 6:30 pm, Mosaic, Back Forty

Feb 12, Wednesday, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, ELC; 11:00 am, Wednesday Morning Bible Study, Room 201; 12:15 pm, Prayer Ministry Team, Sanctuary; 5:15 pm, Wednesday Meal, Gathering Room; 6:00 pm, Adult Journey Groups, Rooms 110 & 201, Childrens Journey Groups & Choir, Rooms 102, 106, 108; Youth Activities, 211 & Gym; 6:00 pm, Choir Practice, Room 100

Feb 13, Thursday, 9:00 am-1:00 pm, ELC; 9:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym;

5:30 pm, Thursday Worship, Sanctuary Feb 14, Friday, 11:00 am-12:30 pm, Ladle of Love

Gadsden First United Methodist extends Christian Sympathy to Don and Debbie Hiltz in the death of her father, James Patrick Keady



The rose on the altar is in honor of the birth of Andrew Edward Reeves

February 4, 2020

Parents - Josh and Leslie Grandparents—Benny and Gail McNair

### **Serving This Sunday**

Sound Tech: Davis Varner Ushers:\* Brynn Crain, Ken Casey, George Day, Phillip Johnson Greeters: Dotty Ivey, Peggy Casey,

Leslie Johnson Acolyte: Allie Haller

Children's Church Leaders: **Celebration:** Allison Casev Traditions: Jillian Sherrouse

\*Head Usher

Church Office 256-543-8200 ......

### February 2020

The card for Caring Angels and chocolate covered strawberries will

be ready for pickup on Tuesday morning, February 11th. Please plan to

deliver by Valentine's Day.



Howell Erwin Fund: In memory of James Keady, given by the LuVerna Waid Circle. In memory of James Keady, given by George and Lori Varner. In memory of James Keady, given by Bill and Debbie Leach.

Altar Flower Fund: In memory of Sherba Griffin, given by Marian Ford.

#### **Immediate Prayer Concerns**

Joanne Hightower DeLeath Rives ■ Redia Brooks

I Carol Callis (Gary Dial's sister)

■ Family of James Keady (Debbie Hiltz's dad)



Blessings

# Continuing Prayer Concerns

Albert Gibson, Jr. Ernest McBride Teleah Cody Tom Quinn Kathy Ferguson Ina Davis Thomas Jehn (Jeff & Cathea Poland's grandson) Gloria Vickery (Chris Thrasher's sister) Herman Humphrey (Jan Humphrey's father) Carolyn Humphrey (Jan Humphrey's mother)

## February Birthdays.....

Feb 9: Beverly Young, Blakely Roberts

Feb 10: Jeff Poland, Jay Knowles

Feb 11: Jeff Bryson,

Courtney Hood, Stephen Leach

Feb 12: Libby Turnipseed, Leslie Johnson, Casey Wigley

Feb 13: Sherry McIntyre, Parker Vallejo, Rhett Hilburn

Feb 14: Herman Cowart, Sara McClendon, Carol Vice, Elizabeth Haney, Katie Darden

Feb 15: Carol Calahan, Jace McDill

# Week of February 2, 2020

Total Attendance Thursday 22 Traditional Service 158 Mosaic 27 Celebration Service 87 Online 6 Hours Served 175 Sunday School People Served 350 General Offering Budget \$15,440.00

General Offering Received \$

YTD General Offering Budget \$ YTD General Offering Received \$ Text to Give: 256-344-8464

Online Giving: www.fumcgadsden.org/give

# Sunday's Schedule

8:45 am, Celebration Service, Gym 10:00 am, Sunday School 10:55 am, Traditional Service, Sanctuary

Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-1:00 pm, ELC

Monday 9:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym

Tuesdav **5:00 pm.** Yoga. Gvm

6:30 pm, Mosaic, Back Forty

#### Wednesday

11:00 am, Wednesday Bible Study 12:15 pm, Prayer Ministry 5:15 pm, Wednesday Night Meal 6:00 pm, Adult Journey Groups; Children's Journey Groups & Choir; 6:00 pm, Choir Practice

#### Thursday

9:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym 5:30 pm, Thursday Worship

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11:00 am-12:30 pm, Ladle of Love

## Jazz Brunch

Sunday, February 23, 10 am Pick up a ticket in the Chestnut St lobby and sign up on the guest list or call 256-543-8200 to make a reservation! Plan to come and invite a friend!



# **Don't Miss These Musical Events**

JSU A Cappella Choir-Sun., Feb 23, 2:00 pm, Sanctuary

Hymns for Hunger 2020 w/Ecumenical Choir Sunday, March 15, 4:00 pm, Sanctuary

# Sunday Mornings:

Sunday School 10 am Preschool-Nursery-Room 115

Grades K-1st-2nd-Room 114. Grades 3rd-4th-5th-Room 106

Children's Church: February 9

Celebration Service: Allison Casey Tradition Service: Jillian Sherrouse

# Children's Ministry Family Picnic



On Sunday, February 23, join us after church from 12:30-2:30pm as we carpool to the Casey's for a Children's Ministry Family Picnic. Weather permitting, we will play outside on the □ ♣ Pirate Ship & 🛎 Princess Castle, and meet their new piggies 🐯. Be sure to wear messy clothes/shoes and/or rain boots! \*\*Please respond if you are coming so we can plan our ☐ Hot Dog ☐ Lunch accordingly\*\* It's going to be a great day, and we hope to see all our children there!

# Weekly Children's Schedule

Children's Church, Sundays during Worship Sunday School, Sundays at 10:00am Kids Corner, Wednesdays at 6:00pm

#### **United Methodist Women**

## February 10th is our next UMW Luncheon.

The program will be Dr. G & Nanda Patel, Heart Health. Decorations and clean up will be the Stevens Circle. For reservations call Shelby Smith by noon on Friday, February 7th.



The UMW officers will meet at 9:30 am on February 10th to disburse UMW funds for this year. The regular board meeting will be at 10:30 am. Mark your calendars and plan to attend. Feb 10th @1:15 pm; Jean Holtsford Circle, Room 208 Feb 11th @12:00 pm; Stevens Circle, Room 208

Feb 18th @6:00 pm, LuVerna Waid Circle, Room 208

Peggy Casey Circle (TBA)

If you haven't attended a luncheon or circle meeting, make plans to join us the second Monday every month at noon for our luncheon.

CLICK invites you to join us for our 2nd Annual Fundraiser Dinner "A Night Among The Stars" on Monday, February 24 at 6:00pm.

The dinner will be held in our Gym, and all proceeds from the dinner will benefit the CLICK After-School Ministry. Seats are \$50, and includes a 3-Course Steak Dinner, catered by Local Joe's. The best part of the evening is that we will share it with the Stars of our CLICK Program. They will recite scriptures & perform songs they have learned throughout the year, and then we will



have a special Awards Ceremony which will highlight the gifts & attributes of all our amazing students! It is sure to be an enjoyable evening of food, fellowship and entertainment that will also support an amazing cause — and we hope you will plan to join us! Reserve your seat at the dinner by contacting Carrie Jones at 256.872.6758 or carrie@fumcgadsden.org or placing money in the offering plate labeled "For: CLICK Dinner". -Rev. Carrie Jones

## Friends of the ELC Children's Consignment Sale

Friday, March 13th from 9:00 am-5:00 pm Saturday, March 14th from 7:00 am-10:00 am Registration for all volunteers & returning

consignors: Sunday, February 9th at 2 pm.

Registration for new consignors: Sunday, February 16th at 2pm.

See the church's website for more details.

#### **ELC Fall 2020 Registration dates:**

March 9: Church members already enrolled March 10 & 11: Non-members already enrolled March 16: Church members not enrolled March 23: General Public



Registration forms will not be accepted in advance. Registration will begin each morning at 8:00 a.m. Please be sure to register during your designated day. Class sizes are limited and spaces will be filled on a first come first serve basis without exception.

Youth Sunday School 10 am-Rm 211, The Book of John

Youth Group

Wednesdays, 6 pm, "Dare to Dream"





# **Wednesday Morning Bible Study**

A Study of Revelation with Pastor Sam 11am. Room 201

Wonderful Wednesday, February 12 5:15 pm Church Dinner 6:00 pm Small Groups for Adults **Small Groups and Activities for Children and Youth** Menu: Lasagna, Chicken Ziti, Salad, Bread \$5 Adults, \$2 Children under 12

Name			
	Adults	Children	
	Permanent Reservation? Yes No		