



**Calendar for July 14-July 20, 2019**

**July 14, Sunday, 8:45 am**, Celebration Service, Gym; **10:00 am**, Sunday School;  
**10:55 am**, Traditional Service, Sanctuary  
**July 15, Monday, 9:00 am**, Exercise Group, Gym; **9:00-4:00 pm**, Youth Service Week  
**July 16, Tuesday, 9:00-1:00 pm**, ELC Summer Schedule; **9:00-11:00 am**, Clothes Closet workday;  
**9:00-4:00 pm**, Youth Service Week; **5:00 pm**, Yoga, Gym; **6:00 pm**, UMW Summer Dinner,  
"Thai One On Restaurant"; **6:30 pm**, Mosaic, Back Forty Brewery  
**July 17, Wednesday, 9:00-1:00 pm**, ELC Summer Schedule; **9:00-11:00 am**, Clothes Closet open;  
**9:00-4:00 pm**, Youth Service Week; **No Choir** practice in July  
**July 18, Thursday, 9:00-4:00 pm**, Youth Service Week; **3:00 pm**, Exceptional Persons' Party,  
Gathering Room; **5:30 pm**, Thursday Worship, Sanctuary  
**July 19, Friday, 9:00-4:00 pm**, Youth Service Week; **11:00-12:30 pm**, Ladle of Love

**Serving This Sunday**

**Sound Tech:** Matthew Vance  
**Ushers:** Mike Taff, George Day, Sam Norris,  
Mark Condra  
**Greeters:** Dotty Ivey, Leone Norris,  
Kathy Taff  
**Acolyte:**  
**Children's Church:**  
**Celebration:** Allison Casey  
**Tradition:** Beth Kelley

**Sermon Outline Key**

Wings, ticket, steadfast,  
ambassadors, excluded, included,  
main, commandment, us, plan, call

**Clothes Closet**

We are in great need of  
donations to restock the clothes  
closet. Please ask your friends and  
neighbors! If you or someone you  
know has a large amount and are  
unable to bring them to the church,  
call the office @256-543-8200 and  
we can schedule someone to pick  
them up

**Text to Give: 256-344-8464**

The Ministers and Congregation of Gadsden  
First United Methodist extend  
Christian Sympathy to  
Dr. & Mrs. Gordon Isbell, III in the death  
of his mother.

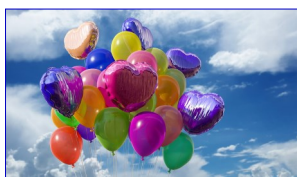
*Iris Taylor Johnson Isbell*  
*July 3, 2019*



**Exceptional Persons'  
Party**

Thursday, July 18 at 3:00 pm  
Gathering Room

Sponsored by  
United  
Methodist  
Women



**Immediate Prayer Concerns**

Stan Walker Beth Kimball  
Thomas Anthony Diffie III (Tripp)  
(Great-grandson of Elton & Winnie Beasley)  
Family of Iris Isbell

**Continuing Prayer Concerns**

Winnie Mae Beasley Ina Davis  
Louie Loveman Judy Dressman  
Gloria Vickery (Chris Thrasher's sister)  
Herman Humphrey  
(Jan Humphrey's father)  
Carolyn Humphrey  
(Jan Humphrey's mother)

**Memorials and Honoraria**

**General Budget Fund:**

In memory of Tripp Leach, Dave Wilson, and  
Iris Isbell given by Julia Nolen Knox.

**Music Fund:**

In memory of Robert (Leftie) and Charlie Nell  
Johnson given by DeLeath & Gloria Rives.  
In memory of Dr. Jim Condra given by  
DeLeath & Gloria Rives.

**Birthdays This Week...**

**July 14** Keith Murray, Nancy Smith,  
Ben Hester, Camille Wigley  
**July 15** Esker Mosley, Amy Reaves,  
Holly Ostendorf, Jillian Sherrouse, Elyse Floyd  
**July 16** Dave Jensen, Monica Bittinger  
**July 17** Adria Connell, Broasha Williams,  
Rhett Loveman, Kelly Muratta,  
**July 19** Judy Dawson, Jane Newman,  
Shane Robinson  
**July 20** Clair Harrison, Parker Casey



**Week of July 7, 2019**

Total Attendance	236	Tradition	122
Mosaic	25	No Thursday Service	
Celebration	83	Online	6
Sunday School	92		
Volunteer Service Hours	100		
People Served	200		
General Offering Budget	\$14,879.00		
General Offering Received	\$23,706.00		
YTD General Offering Budget	\$401,733.00		
YTD General Offering Received	\$396,934.03		

**Sunday's Schedule**

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

**Monday**

**9:00 am**, Exercise Group, Gym

**Tuesday**

**9:00 am-1:00 pm**  
ELC Summer Schedule

**5:00 pm**, Yoga, Gym

**6:30 pm**, Mosaic, Back Forty

**Wednesday**

**9:00 am-1:00 pm**  
ELC Summer Schedule

**Wednesday morning**

**Bible Study &**

**Wednesday night meal & Journey**  
**groups will resume in August**

**No Choir Practice during July**

**Thursday**

**9:00 am**, Exercise Group, Gym

**5:30 pm Thursday Worship**

**Friday**

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



**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- Room 102, Arts & Craft Room

**July 14 -Children's Church Celebration: Allison Casey**  
**Tradition: Beth Kelley**

### Kids Service Day

**Wednesday, July 17, 8:30am-1:00pm**

Kids K-5th Grade are encouraged to join us for Service Day. We will visit & sing to the Residents of Regency Pointe, and play with animals in need of adoption at the Humane Shelter. Bring a sack lunch for a picnic afterwards at Moragne Park.

### Kids Water Park

**Friday, July 19, 9:00am-5:00pm**

Everyone is invited to join us as we travel to Pirates Bay Water Park in Leesburg for a fun day together! Cost is \$20 per person (Under 2 Free). Bring a sack lunch. Adult Accompaniment & Permission Form Required.



**Dallas Moran's Medical Mission Trip in the Dominican Republic**

I want to thank everyone whose generous donations allowed me to travel abroad on my mission trip to the Dominican Republic. While I was there my team and I were able to provide both medical care to the impoverished and reach people on a spiritual level. I was able to listen

to people give their first testimony, experience the wonderful culture of the DR, and watch as some of my classmates came closer to God. This experience has forever changed my outlook on the world as well as medicine and I have each one of you to thank. Thank you and God Bless You. — Dallas Moran

## CLICK Summer Camp



Many Thanks to all whom have given to our CLICK children! We have a total of 4,466.00 to date. Our goal of 5,050.00 is almost met. This has been a wonderful chance to help these children during the summer months. Thank you again for your support! *It's not too late to give!*



**Youth Sunday School**  
**10 AM Sunday Mornings-Rm 211**  
**Youth Group: Wednesdays, 6 PM**

**Youth Service Week** (those entering 7th- those who just graduated) will be **July 15th-19th** from 9:00 am-4:00 pm. This will be the best service week ever! No cost but **you must sign up ahead of time to reserve a spot!** Community work, Monday through Friday. Wednesday is our fun day. See Andy for details. Invite friends.

**Register for service week online now:**  
**[www.fumcgadsden.org/students](http://www.fumcgadsden.org/students)**

**July 15th-19th— Service Week**

## UMW News

### UMW Summer Dinners

Please plan to join everyone for this fellowship time.

- ◆ Tuesday, July 16-"Thai One On" at 6:00 pm
- ◆ Tuesday, August 20-"The Rail" at 6:00 pm

Don't forget to make your reservation.

We have reserved a space for 20-25 ladies. We will need a count by the Monday prior to the dinners. Please contact Bonda Vance @256-458-3571 or by email @ [bondatvance@att.net](mailto:bondatvance@att.net) with your reservations.



### Exceptional Persons' Party

Thursday, July 18 at 3:00 pm

UMW ladies don't forget to bring cookies for this wonderful event. You can bring them Wednesday, July 17 or Thursday, July 18, before 1:00 pm. *Thank you!*



## July Caring Angels

The Caring Angels cards and cookies will be ready for pickup this Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>. Please pick up your member's gift and deliver it at your convenience. The cookies

were made by "Cookies by Alison" here in Gadsden.

Thank you for taking the time to visit our members. I appreciate your visits to them and I know they enjoy your visits! As always, thank you for your continued support of Caring Angels ministry here at Gadsden First.

Blessings, Eileen

## Wednesday Morning Bible Study

**with Pastor Sam**  
**Will resume in August**



**Wonderful Wednesday and Dinner**  
**will resume in August.**

*Please check with your individual journey group, student ministries or children's ministries for all of the exciting summer activities that are coming up in the weeks ahead!*



# GFUMC Kids Summer

[www.fumcgadsden.org](http://www.fumcgadsden.org) f



## July 10 • 5:30–7:00pm • Christmas in July

Join us for Tacos, a visit from Santa, and packing Christmas Shoeboxes to send to kids in South America. Donations Welcomed to cover Shoebox Supplies & Customs Fees (\$15/box).

## July 17 • 8:30am–1:00pm • Kids Service Day

Join us as we visit & sing at Regency Pointe, and play with animals in need of adoption at the Humane Shelter. Picnic Lunch to follow @ Moragne Park.

## July 19 • 9:00am–5:00pm • It's Water Day!!

Join us as we travel to the Pirate's Bay Water Park in Leesburg. Cost \$20 (Under 2 FREE). Pack a Sack Lunch. Adult Accompaniment & Permission Form Required.

## July 29–Aug 1 • 6:15pm–7:30pm • Gift to Gadsden

Join us for a week of Fun Classes designed specifically for Kids K-5th Grade! "Born to Move" Exercise • Creative Kids Art & Music • Let's Have a Tea Party! (M-W)

## Every Sunday for Worship & Children's Church

8:45am Celebrations

10:55am Traditions

Join our Facebook Page for Constant Updates & Info



Gadsden First United Methodist Children's Ministry

## Youth Service Week

(those entering 7th- those who just graduated)

July 15th-19th

9:00 am-4:00 pm

Community Work and Service

This will be the best service week ever!

No cost but you must sign up ahead of time to reserve a spot!

REGISTER ONLINE TODAY!

[WWW.FUMCGADSDEN.ORG/STUDENTS](http://WWW.FUMCGADSDEN.ORG/STUDENTS)

Invite friends.

COLLEGE  
MINISTRY

## Young Adults/Ministry

More to Come:

- Jesse's Band
- Toy Story 4
- Kayaking

Contact Andy Yarnell or Hannah Murray to find out more and join GroupMe!



Invite • Welcome • Connect

## "Gift to Gadsden"

First United Methodist Church of Gadsden



Members Sharing Their Gifts & Talents  
Free Workshop & Introductory Classes

July 29-August 1, 2019

### Mark your calendars!! We need volunteers to:

- ♦ help guide people to their classes
- ♦ volunteers to bake or purchase cookies
- ♦ Serve during fellowship time between the first and second sessions.

There will be signup sheets in the Sunday school classrooms and on the table at the Chestnut Street entrance. Please sign up, text or call Eileen at 256-399-1932 to volunteer.

**For a full list of classes on the church website.** Signup for classes is now available on the new church website

@ <http://www.fumcgadsden.org/gifttogadsden> and you will also find a link to the online registration on FUMC Gadsden's new app!

You can still register by calling the church office @ 256-543-8200, if necessary.

Contact Eileen Graham at [www.eileen@fumcgadsden.org](http://www.eileen@fumcgadsden.org) or by phone 256-399-1932 for any questions about Gift to Gadsden.

So you have downloaded the new church app and checked out the new church website...

Website: [www.fumcgadsden.org](http://www.fumcgadsden.org) App: First UMC-Gadsden

Here's what you need to do next...

- 1-Use and encourage others to download and use the app on their mobile device and go to the website for current information about everything GFUMC.
- 2-Turn in information about your ministry group's plans, activities and events! We need the information a least 3-4 weeks in advance of the event to keep the website and app current. Make sure to include the contact information (phone number and email ) for someone representing the group.
- 3-Share the church news, information and events by message, email or Facebook. You can go directly from an event on the app or the church website and share the information to Facebook or in a message to a friend. You can also save the event directly into your personal calendar. You can also share the 3D Devotional or Sermon Notes to social media or share it with a friend easily from the new website. Look for the "upload" and "share" symbols. The power of sharing from our app and website is multiplied exponentially when many people share a post. **So don't just like it, share, share share!**



Wednesday, July 31, 2019

2 :00 PM to 4:00 PM

#### Fill the Red Bucket with Supplies:

- #2 Pencils (24 pack)
- Crayola Crayons (24 pack)
- Plastic Folders w/pockets (with or without prongs)
- Glue Sticks
- Tissues (Box) Hand
- Sanitizer (28 or 32 oz)
- Packs of Copy Paper

Donations are needed by Sunday, July 28, 2019



**Mosaic-** Our newest outreach is meeting on Tuesday nights at the Back Forty Brewery at 6:30 pm. Do you know someone who has been hurt or felt excluded by the church, or works an odd shift and is unable to attend Sunday Worship?  
Invite them to visit with us at Mosaic.