



Calendar for July 7-July 13, 2019

July 7, Sunday, 8:45 am, Celebration Service, Gym; **10:00 am**, Sunday School;
10:55 am, Traditional Service, Sanctuary
July 8, Monday, 9:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym; **6:00 pm**, SPRC meeting, Parlor
July 9, Tuesday, 9:00-1:00 pm, ELC Summer Schedule; **4:00 pm**, Trustees meeting, Room 108;
5:00 pm, Yoga, Gym; **5:00 pm**, Finance meeting, Parlor; **6:00 pm**, Board of Stewards, Gathering
Room; **6:30 pm**, Mosaic, Back Forty Brewery
July 10, Wednesday, 9:00-1:00 pm, ELC Summer Schedule; **5:30-7:00 pm**, Christmas in July,
Gathering Room; **No Choir** practice in July
July 11, Thursday, 5:30 pm, Thursday Worship, Sanctuary

Serving This Sunday

Sound Tech: Davis Varner
Ushers: * Terry Bishop, Eldred Davis,
Rick Moran, Ricky Young
Greeters: Sheila Bishop, Mary Tom Hale,
Jill Moran
Acolyte:
Children's Church:
Celebration: Katherine Barnes
Tradition: Jillian Sherrouse
***Head Usher**

REMINDER: Tuesday, July 9

4:00 pm Trustees; 5:00 pm Finance; 6:00 pm Board of Stewards



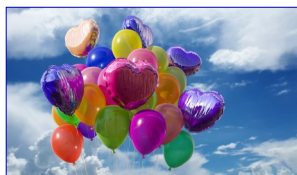
Welcome!

Raymond
&
Connie Lane

Exceptional Persons' Party

Thursday, July 18 at 3:00 pm
Gathering Room

Volunteers are needed.



Sponsored by United Methodist Women

Sermon Outline Key

Healthy, wept, suffering, hunger,
acceptance, hindsight, good,
forward, different, song



**Clothes
Closet
Needs**

We are in great need of
donations to restock the clothes
closet. Please ask your friends
and neighbors!

Immediate Prayer Concerns

Thomas Anthony Diffie III (Tripp)
(Great-grandson of Elton & Winnie Beasley)

Continuing Prayer Concerns

Winnie Mae Beasley Ina Davis
Stan Walker 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 given by
Judy & Mandell Tillman.

Howell Erwin Fund:

In memory of Tripp Leach given by Betty Echols.
In memory of Tripp Leach given by Sonya Nesbitt.



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

Birthdays This Week...

July 7 Jennifer Blount, Lillie Skipper
July 8 Beau Bone, Dohna Hocevar,
Alex Freeman
July 9 Ann Sims
July 10 Charles Wells, Denise Lindsey
July 11 Jane Hughes, Dustin Turnipseed,
Lindsey McFarland, Ethan Powell
July 12 Tate Ogletree
July 13 Deborah Masters, Joanie Leach



Text to Give: 256-344-8464

Week of June 30, 2019

Total Attendance	289		
Mosaic	26	Thursday	20
Celebration	67	Tradition	170
Sunday School	83	Online	6
Volunteer Service Hours	70		
People Served	140		
General Offering Budget	\$14,879.00		
General Offering Received	\$13,171.00		
YTD General Offering Budget	\$386,854.00		
YTD General Offering Received	\$373,228.03		



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 7 Celebration: Katherine Barnes
 Tradition: Jillian Sherrouse

Christmas in July

The entire church is invited to join the Children's Ministry on Wednesday, **July 10 from 5:30-7:00pm** for Tacos, a Visit from Santa, and a Mission Project! We will be packing Christmas Shoeboxes to send to boys & girls in South America. There is no cost to participate, however, we welcome donations to cover the cost of the Shoebox Supplies & Customs (\$15/box). *Hope to see you there!*



CLICK Summer Camp



Many Thanks to all whom have given to our CLICK children! We are getting so close to our goal to help fund the Summer Camp. (In faith the camp started in June) At this time, envelopes have been taken off the wall totaling...\$4,222.00 There are only 11 envelopes left. If you haven't given, please help us reach our goal...\$5,050!

Make check(s) payable to GFUMC. This is the last week to collect funds for the CLICK Summer Camp.

Whorton Bend United Methodist Church is hosting a Patriotic Sing-a-Long on Sunday, July 7, 2019 at 6:00 pm. The C.L.I.C.K. Summer Campers will be there to sing. Come and enjoy our C.L.I.C.K. Kids!



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.

June 26th—Game night at church, 6 pm
July 15th-19th— Service Week



Come and be a part of a **Sunday School/Journey Group** on Sunday mornings at 10 am. There are lots of great studies going on now!

- ◆ **Seekers**, Room 108-Soul Keeping by John Ortberg
- ◆ **Pathfinders**, Room 116-The Mayberry Bible Study
- ◆ **Discovery**, Room 210-The Wired Word
- ◆ **Open Doors**, Room 209-Final Words from The Cross
- ◆ **Martin**, Room 208-Lectionary Based Bible Study
- ◆ **Living Waters**, Room 110-Ten Commandments from the Backside by Elsworth Kalas.

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 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!*

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 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

f 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!

See Andy for details.

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

It's that time of year again! Gift to Gadsden is just around the corner. Take a look at some of the great classes that will be offered this year! You'll love old favorites like "Southern Herbal Remedies" with Daryl Patton and "Flower Arranging from Start To Finish" with June Styles and Benny Campbell from Attalla Florist. "Calligraphy" with Robin Wilson will also be returning this year! New classes include "Caring for your Jewelry" with Benny McNair and three kids classes: "Creative Kids Art", "Born to Move"- Kids Exercise, and "Kindermusik". Plus an all new "Mah-Jonng Madness" will be an exciting class with new leaders!

For a full list of classes, watch for advertisements in The Messenger, Gadsden Times, Anniston Gadsden Christian Magazine. Signup for classes will be available beginning Monday, July 8, 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!

Contact Eileen Graham at www.eileen@fumc.gadsden or 256-399-1932.

Check out our new website and church app!

Website: www.fumcgadsden.org

App: First UMC-Gadsden

Available in the App Stores



- Listen to sermons.
- Keep up with church events.
- Give online.
- Read the 3D, Sermon Notes & Sermon Outline
- Access the 1-year Bible reading plan.
- Learn about service and mission opportunities.



Wednesday, July 31, 2019

2 :00 PM to 4:00 PM

Volunteers are needed!

Fill the Red Bucket with Supplies:

#2 Pencils (24 pack)

Crayola Crayons (24 pack)

Plastic Folders w/pockets (with or without prongs)

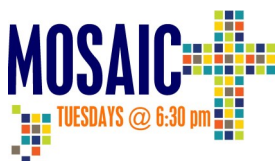
Glue Sticks

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.