

Welcome Rev. Woody Woodin**“The End of the Rope”****Philippians 4:6-7**

Changing Lives by Sharing Christ, Making Disciples, Serving and Giving Hope

6-12-22 Rev. Woody Woodin, Upper Sand Mountain Parish

This Sunday, Rev. Woody Woodin and his wife Kim, will be our special guest at each of our Sunday morning worship services. Pastor Woodin will share a message in each service. In addition, please join them in the Gathering Room at 10:00 am to learn more about the missions of Upper Sand Mountain Parish.

James “Woody” Woodin, or Pastor Woody as most people know him, has been serving as a Local Pastor in the North Alabama Conference for the past seventeen years. Woody’s first career was in service to our country until he retired from the Navy in 1995. Woody’s military bearing, tempered by his eternal youthful exuberance, and empowerment by the Holy Spirit, makes him an effective leader, and tireless advocate of the Gospel. As a team, Woody and his wife Kim, bring tremendous gifts and graces for ministry. Their passion for the mission fields in their own back yard is contagious.

Upper Sand Mountain Parish is a cooperative ministry of 9 small membership United Methodist Churches formed by the Holy Spirit to glorify God. Their vision is to nurture a spirit-filled Christian community called to alleviate suffering, both spiritually and physically for the people of upper Sand Mountain. They strengthen the local churches in cooperative ministry, and minister in Jesus’ name to the people of upper Sand Mountain. In 1972, the Upper Sand Mountain United Methodist Larger Parish Inc. was formed and is currently a Mission Advance Special of the North Alabama Conference of the United Methodist Church.

- Upper Sand Mountain Parish has Emergency Services and Family Care Programs that serve approximately 5,000 families each year. Assistance to those in need includes food, utilities, prescription medications, medical costs, gasoline, etc.
- USMP accepts Mission Service Teams year-round to help in providing minor home repair and weatherization, building of ramps for accessibility, operation of an industrial cannery, gardening and gleaning, summer day camp programs for area communities, etc.
- USMP also operates ministries including the Heart and Hand Housing Program, Gardens of Plenty, Christmas Toy Stores, Back to School supplies, Back to School workbook expenses, and Manna on the Mountain Backpack Program, and H.O.P.E. Center Temporary Housing Shelter Program.

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Worship Opportunities

Thursday Worship: 5:30 pm, Sanctuary
Mosaic, Thursdays, 6:00 pm, Back Forty

Sunday Mornings:

Celebration, 9 am* Traditions, 11 am*

*In Person (Sanctuary) and Online
www.fumcgadsden.org/media or
on Facebook Live: @FUMCgadsden

Tech Team Schedule

(Please arrive 45 minutes
prior to the start of the service)

June 12

Celebration: Mark Casey, Parker Casey,
Carmen McKiven, Jacob McKiven

Traditions: Tammy Hayes, Brad Barnes,
Liz Barnes

June 19

Celebration: Will Brookshire, Bill Haller,
Brad Barnes, Elizabeth Barnes

Traditions: Davis Varner, Tammy Hayes



This Sunday, June 12

Rev. Woody Woodin

Upper Sand Mountain Parish

10:00 am

in the Gathering Room

Everyone is invited to come and welcome Rev. Woody as he shares about the ministries and missions of Upper Sand Mountain Parish.

Bible Study with Pastor Sam
Summer on Wednesday Mornings

11 am Bible Study

The Book of Acts

Wednesday Morning Bible Study will be at 11:00 am during the summer months or you may join Pastor Sam online on Facebook Live Wednesdays @ 6 pm.

Wonderful Wednesday is taking a break for Summer!
See you in August!
Check Out Youth and Children's Ministry this Summer!

Thursdays, Men at the Well,
7:00 am via Zoom

You are invited to join the weekly ZOOM bible study with the Men at the Well small group.

10 week study based on Richard Stearns' book, "Lead Like It Matters to God"

June 9—Generosity & Forgiveness, Group Discussion

June 16—Self Awareness & Balance, Bob Blount

June 23—Honor & Encouragement, Todd Rains

June 30—Perseverance & Listening, Group Discussion

July 7—Taking God to Work, Collins Tackaberry

Contact Todd Rains, Mark Condra or Mark Casey or any of the Men at the Well for more information and the Zoom link.

RECONNECT with the Sunday School
Class of Your Choice!

- Living Water Sunday School Class, "Eternity is in Session", Room 112, In person and online. Contact a member of the class for the link to join online!
- Martin Fellowship Class, Room 116, International Bible Studies
- Pathfinders Class, Meet in the Gathering Room.
- Looking for a Sunday School Class? We can help. Contact Pastor Sam Hayes, Pastor Andy Yarnell or Sheila Freeman, Director of Connectional Ministries, for help! Email: sheila@fumcgadsden.org



ELC News

We welcome faculty and families to our summer 2022 session. Doors open Tuesday, June 14th at 9:00 am. We will open every Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 am to 1 pm from Tuesday, June 14th through July 27th.

—Helene Haller



Youth Ministry News

July 11-14, Youth Service Week

—Pastor Andy

Children's Ministry

GFUMC CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Wonderful Wednesday's

Wednesday's at 6:00
in the Kid's Worship Room
Room 108



Sunday Children's Church

Sunday's during each service
9:00 and 11:00
Room 108

CELEBRATE



GFUMC CHILDREN'S MINISTRY SUMMER CALENDAR 2022

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22 @ 6:00

S'MORES NIGHT



WEDNESDAY, JULY 13 @ 6:00

GRILLIN' AND CHILLIN'

WEDNESDAY, JULY 27 @ 6:00

CHRISTMAS IN JULY



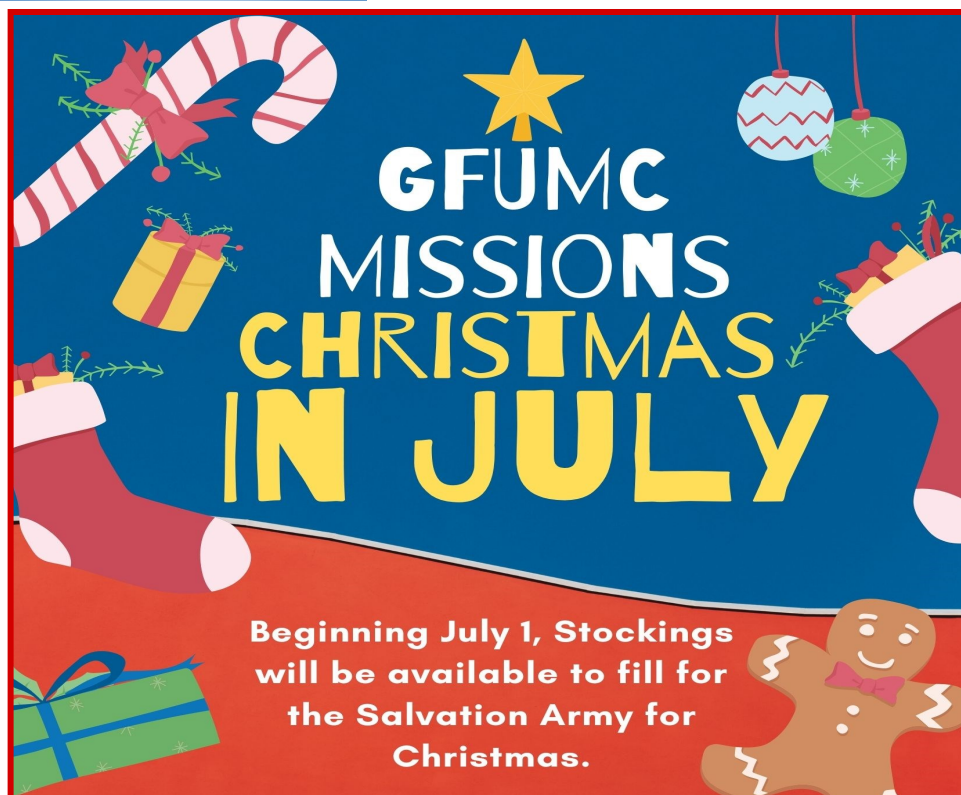
*WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 17 @ 6:00

WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES RETURN

ICE CREAM SOCIAL ON THE PORTICO



June Mission Focus



The Clothes Closet Is DESPERATE



For Your Clothes!

The Store is Empty and
Needs to be Replenished



ALL CALL...

"Clean Out Your Closets!" Bring donations of summer clothes to the church with you on Sundays during the month of June! Thank you for your Generosity and your Time to fill this Great Need!!!

UMW NEWS

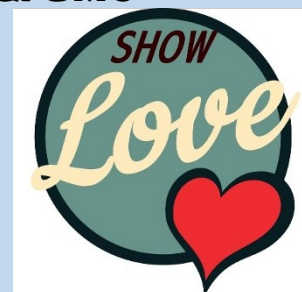
The next UMW Luncheon is
September 12th.

However, Summer "Dutch Treat" outings will begin June 21st at 6 pm at the Downtown Chief restaurant. No reservations or "passwords" required. Frowns are tolerated but smiles are celebrated.

—Barbara Bennett



GFUMC



"By this all will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:35

Clothes Closet

Open this week!

Workday: June 14

Public: June 15

Workdays

1st & 3rd Tuesdays

Open to Public

1st & 3rd Wednesdays

9:00 am to 11:00 am

516 Broad Street Gadsden

Clothes Closet Plea for donations!

To everyone who might have clothes they need to let go of, we need them now! The clothes have been given out and we need to replenish our stock. Summer clothes are needed. Clean out your closets and call your friends. Please call the church office Monday-Thursday to set up a time to bring your items. We are ever so proud of this ministry to our community. Thanks from the Clothes Closet team and volunteers.

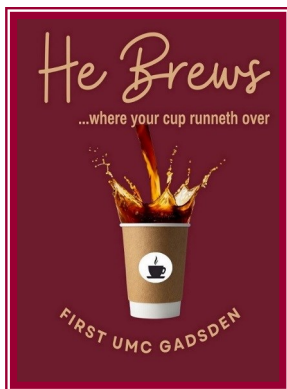
Ladle of Love

Fridays, 11:00am-12:00pm,
at the Portico entrance.

Find out more about mission
and service opportunities @
www.fumcgadsden.org/serve

Church Phone 256-543-8200
fumc@fumcgadsden.org

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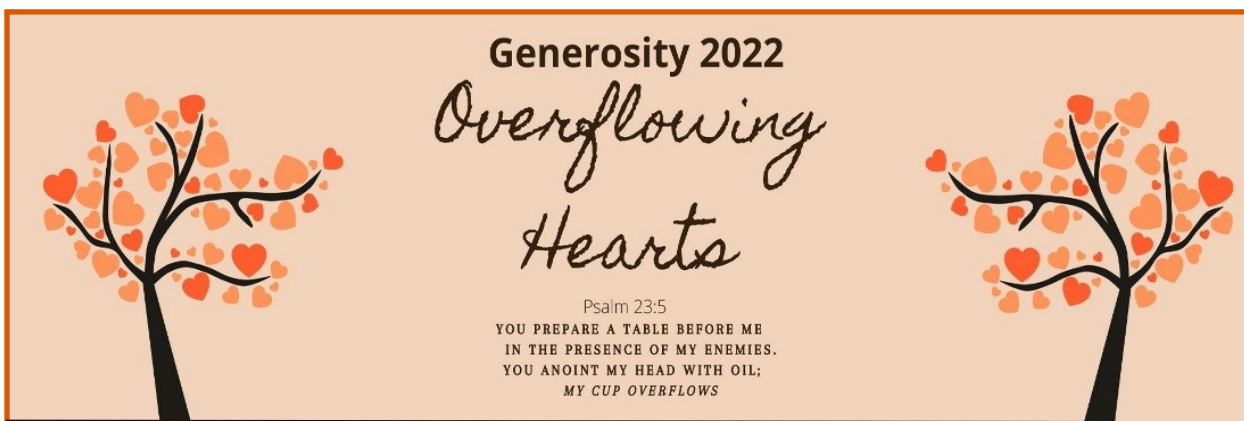
Inviting Ministries welcomes you to our Coffee Café!
 We have your Sunday Cup of Coffee waiting for you between
 10 am 11 am on Sunday mornings. **Join us this Sunday!**
Come visit with friends, old and new, in Christian Fellowship!
After Celebration and before Traditions and on your way in or
*out of Sunday school! **We can't wait to see everyone back!***



MONTHLY LUNCH/BRUNCH
 AT 12:30 FOLLOWING
 TRADITIONAL SERVICE.

Sunday, June 12– Current Market & Deli @ River Rocks Landing

**All Young Adults and
 Families Welcome!**



Generosity: Ways to Give

www.fumcgadsden.org/give

Text to Give:
256-344-8464

Mail your tithe or gift:
 115 S. 5th Street
 Gadsden, AL 35901



**Thank you for your
 gifts! The Special
 Offering for Ukraine
 totaled \$1833.00**

**100% of this special offering will be
 given to for love and support of those
 in crisis from the war in Ukraine.**



Calendar for June 12-19, 2022

June 12, Sunday

9:00 am, Celebration Service, Sanctuary
 10:00 am, Sunday School; HeBrews Coffee Ministry
 11:00 am, Traditional Service
 12:30 pm, Brunch Club, Current Market

June 13, Monday

9:00 am-10:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym

June 14, Tuesday

9:00 am-12:00 pm, ELC Summer Schedule
 5:00 pm, Yoga, Gym

June 15, Wednesday

9:00 am-12:00 pm, ELC Summer Schedule
 11:00 am, Wednesday Bible Study, Gathering room
 6:00 pm, Choir Practice

June 16, Thursday

9:00 am-10:00 am, Exercise Group, Gym
 5:30 pm, Thursday Worship, Sanctuary
 6:00 pm, Mosaic Service, Back Forty Warehouse

June 17, Friday

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

The rose on the altar is in celebration of
 the birth of

Rosalia Meadow McNair

June 1, 2022

Parents - Sarie and John McNair
 and Big Brother- Lucca

Grandparents - Gail and Benny McNair



Immediate Prayer Concerns

Family of Sue Roberts Pat Martin

Continued Prayer Concerns

Regina Holloway Winnie Mae Beasley

Lisa Dobbins Jeannie Cosper

Dee McCoy

Alice Hayes (mother of Sam Hayes)

Anne Elizabeth Casey (great-granddaughter of Dotty Ivey)



Honorariums and Memorials

General Budget Fund

In memory of Sue Roberts, Given by Sonya Nesbitt and Family

Howell Erwin Medical Fund

In memory of Betty Echols, Given by The Gadsden City Council, Cynthia W. Toles, Deverick Williams, Thomas Worthy, Kent Back, Jason Wilson, Johnny Cannon, Ben Reed and Iva Nelson.

Ladle of Love

In memory of Sue Roberts, Given by Mr. and Mrs. Mark Condra.

In memory of Sue Roberts, Given by Mr. and Mrs. Alan Ross

In memory of Katie Grimes, Given by Mr. and Mrs. Alan Ross

Birthdays

Jun 12 Tyler Darden, Connor Jarecki

Jun 13 Gary Dial, Gail Spotnitz,
Steve Roach

Jun 14 Cindy Kasper, Kelly Page,
Shannon Muratta, Jackson Page

Jun 15 Janice Dreyer, Blaise Jarecki

Jun 16 Beth Dial

Jun 17 Judy Dressman, Rick Moran,
Tammy Grizzell, Josh Reeves

Jun 18 Carter Murray, Cole Murray
*Please update your family's record in the
 church office to include all dates of birth.
 Thank you! —Susan Swann*



Week of June 5, 2022

*In Person Total *157 Overall Total 543

Online Viewer Total 261

Mosaic *34 Thursday *5

Bible Study Groups *12/27

Adult Sunday School 42/1 Children *12

Children's Sunday School *0

Celebration *58/157 Tradition *55/104

Youth *24 VBS Workshops: 19

General Offering Budget \$13,175.00

General Offering Received \$12,888.00

YTD General Offering Budget \$303,025.00

YTD General Offering Rec'd \$315,747.00

6.5.22 Offering for Ukraine: \$1833.00

2022 Alleluia Offering \$38,165.00

Text to Give: 256.344.8464

Important Deadlines

Information for the weekly
 announcement sheet is **due**
each Wednesday by noon.

Events for the church
 calendar **are needed one**
month prior to the event.

Subscribe to the Weekly Church News

You can submit your email to
 the church office to receive
 the weekly announcements
 on Friday.