

Women's Ministries meet the third Sunday of every month at 8:00 am. They have Breakfast on Holy Ground and then dismiss for their 30 minute meeting and devotion. All women of the church are invited.

### **United Methodist Men**

Hungry

Will meet in the church library at 8:00 am on November 8th for breakfast & devotion. All men of the church are invited to attend. Feedina

November 29th the men will cook and feed at Faith

Mission in WF. Cooks leave FUMC @ 6 pm. Servers arrive at Faith Mission @ 7:30. Everyone is invited to help with this mission.

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Join us the second Thursday of every month @ 6:00 pm in the conference room. If you know of someone in need of a prayer shawl, please contact the church office 940-569-3348.

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ound 8:00-9:00 am

CIRCUIT RIDER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## The Circuit Rider

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF BURKBURNETT, TEXAS

**NOVEMBER 2015** 

### FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL











### SECOND SUNDAY STRETCH This Sunday, Nov. 8th after worship **Stew & Soup Cook-Off with Lip Sync Competition to benefit 4 Compassion Inter**national Children. Teams of families, friends, Sunday School classes, UMM, or any groups or individuals can make stew or soup, bring a recipe

for it (unless its a family secret!) and enter it into the cook-off. The entries need to be at least one gallon. Each person will get a bowl for sampling

and a plate for the side dishes & desserts. The judging will be thus: there will be a jar for money in front of each entry and the one that raises the most money wins the bragging rights! All the monies raised will go to Compassion Kids. If you have questions, please call the church office at 569-3348 or contact Pastor Liz.



church parking lot on Hwy. 240 at 8:30 am to pray and start. In the case of inclement weather, the pick up will be rescheduled for Nov. 21st, same time and place.

### Senior Social Thursday, November 19th @ 11:30am

Join us for a covered dish lunch, fun and laughter. If you are free on This day, come, bring a dish and a friend!

We meet in Fellowship Hall.



**Nov. 8**– Stew Cook off /Lip Sync contest after worship to benefit Our 4 Compassion Children.

Nov. 18–5:30 pm Thanksgiving Meal with other churches here @ FUMC

Nov. 20-21 – Bridgeport Camping Trip and Service Project

EVENTS Nov. 25— No Youth

Nov. 29- Serve at Breakfast on Holy Ground and Usher/Greet for worship

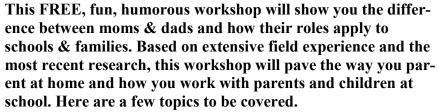
**Dec. 9**– Chinese Christmas @ 1100 Blue Jay

**Dec. 16**– Christmas Dinner @ First Baptist Church. Dress like an elf.

Bring items for service project. Items are: Batteries A, AA, C, D, Craft Kits, Jewelry Kits, Model Car Kits for Boys, Scrapbook Supplies, Canvas, Brushes, Acrylic Paint Sets, Nail Polish, Axe Body Spray Sets for Boys, Girls Bath Sets and Sprays, or anything you may like for yourself that you think another teen would like or need.

### T'S FREE!

### Burkburnett Strong Family Saturday November 21st 8:30am —Noon @ Burk Middle School Auditorium



- How parents work together
- Finding strength and struggles in families
- How parent/family involvement are relevant to a child's outcome
- And much more

### **Breakfast On Holy Ground**

Come join us and bring a friend! 8-9 am every Sunday in fellowship hall. Our happy hearts serve pancakes, bacon and juice/coffee and a short message. If you or your family would like to serve in this ministry please contact Jack & Shannon Miller @ 940-224-3927.









Please join us as we gather together with our community in thanksgiving and worship.



#### **GRACE MINISTRY NEEDS**

Jelly( 18 OZ) Reg. Jell-o Canned Milk



Would you like to donate about 30 minutes each Thursday cleaning/ straightening the Sanctuary? Please contact the office for details 940-569-3348













Church in our Big Backyard and a Big Thanks to LouAnn Grady for her generous gift.















What do Rabbits, and Astronauts, Penguins and Corny Dogs have in common? Not much, except on Halloween. We have just finished the Halloween season. Actually, it started out as the eve before All Saints Day. If you ask a child about All Saints Day, they will be totally baffled. There is no candy, there is no costume, there is no adrenaline rush. It's hard to compete, especially if they do not know the stories of faith from the saints in our lives. The more outrageous the Halloween holiday becomes, the harder it is to compete. We are literally creating a monster. The Frankenstein Principle says, "You have to live with the monsters you create." Here's what I'm thinking.... We have created some monstrous idols. They have turned into something we didn't intend. The law of unintended consequences has kept us from our true identity. We've disguised our priorities and true identities and we've forgotten (or don't remember how) to take our disguises off! And perhaps this is what our kids see.

There *is* a time for dressing up and overindulging on candy and faking the scariest moments possible and celebrating our deliverance from scarier times. But there is also a time for dressing down, and disciplining our appetites, and realizing the really scariest times in our lives have to do with being absent from God. Here's what I've observed: we go way overboard on worldly distractions, and we don't balance that out with the things that will give us hope, peace, long-lasting joy and a sense of our true purpose and identity -- which is to do the will of God and give God heart-felt praise, glory, service, and thanks for the image of God within us. We are called to unmask our human nature so that Christ's light may shine! It breaks my heart that the number of people who attended haunted houses this Halloween season completely overwhelms the number of people who attended church. People paid every time they went to the haunted house and that money far surpasses what was given on any given Sunday in October. Now that's scary!!! It's time to find your home. Is it a haunted house or God's house? Come find your true identity! This is the Thanksgiving season and the time for putting on your Thanksgiving garb – an attitude of gratitude! Let the saints go marching in!

Lord, as you will; and as you know have mercy! Blessings! Pastor Liz Sun

9:15 am Prayer in Chapel

8 am Breakfast on Holy Ground

9:15 am Prayer in Chapel

11:45 Second Sunday Stretch

8 am Breakfast on Holy Ground

8 am Women's Fellowship

9:15 am Prayer in Chapel

9:15 am Prayer in Chapel

vice @ 1st Baptist Church

9:15 am Prayer in Chapel

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship 6 pm FISH Faith Mission Feed

9:30 am Sunday School

10:30 am Worship

6 pm FISH

11:45 am CLC Board Meeting

22 8am Breakfast on Holy Ground

6 pm Community Thanksgiving Ser-

29 8am Breakfast on Holy Ground

10:30 am Worship

6:00 pm FISH

9:30 am Sunday School

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6 pm FISH

8 am UMM

6:00 FISH

8am Breakfast on Holy Ground



Tue

3 9:30 am Prayer Chapel

10 am Bible Study

6:30p Boy Scouts

10 am Bible Study

4--5:30 Zumba

6 pm Trustees

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6:30 Boy Scouts

7 pm Choir Practice

10 am Bible Study

6:30p Boy Scouts

10 am Bible Study

6:30p Boy Scouts

7 pm Choir Practice

4-5:15 Zumba

7 pm Choir Practice

24 9:30 am Prayer Chapel

4-5:15 Zumba

9:30 am Prayer Chapel

7 pm Choir Practice

9:30 am Prayer in Chapel

4-5:15 Zumba

Mon

6 pm Girl Scouts

6 pm Girl Scouts

6:00 pm Finance

6:30 Girl Scouts

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Thu

4-5:15 Zumba

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Ministry

6 pm Prayer Shawl

11:30 am Sr. Social

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Thanksgiving

4-5:15 Zumba

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Fri

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Wed

4 4:30 pm Logos

6:30 pm Bible Study

4:30 pm Logos

4:30 pm Logos

6 pm Youth

6 pm Youth

6 pm Prayer in Chapel

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<u>Anniversaries</u>
10 Bob & Sheryl Carpenter
20 John & Gayla Kessinger
21 Jim & Joely Anderson
21 Jack & Shannon Miller
24 Matt & Kelli Patterson
28 Jason & Diane Durst

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Sat	21 Jim & Joely Anderson 21 Jack & Shannon Miller
7	24 Matt & Kelli Patterson
	28 Jason & Diane Durst
	28 Gary & Melynda Inman
	<u>Birthdays</u>
14	1 Barney Fudge
	1 Addison Spruiell
	1 Maren Viavattene
	2 Makayla Baughman
ADOPT A	5 Katherine Patterson
HIGHWAY	6 Ella Birk
	6 Angie Green
21	7 Audrey Ash
Strong Families	7 Joe Nemecek
Free Seminar Burk	8 Keith Myers
Middle School Auditorium	9 David Jalowy
8:30– noon	12 Susan Bavousett
	13 Sarah Pellikan
28	16 Justin Jones
20	18 Justin Moore
	19 Bonnie Hoggatt
	20 Gary Inman
	21 Kamryn Myers
	21 Joe Turner
	21 Erin Williams
	22 Logan Alpers
	22 Lydia Pellikan
	23 Berkli Sims
	24 Shirlene Hatcher
	24 Keith Maxwell
	24 Laina Ritchie
anniversary or	25 Chandy Cornelius
y is missing	28 Jana Ono
e list, please	28 Deana Richards
the office @	29 Carlie Ash
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	29 Nick Nesevich

Remember in Your **Prayers** 

**Dolores Almendarez Juanita Almendarez Ethel Brown Barbara Burns Macy Cook** Kim Fidler **Dwight Gaston** Dallas Groenewold

6 pm Leadership Council

6:30 Girl Scouts

Jay Holly **Kelly Holzheuser Erin Johnson Jack Keck Bill & Martha Pickett Dan Schultz** Wilda Wood

**ARMED SERVICES** Jace Beason **Marc Beason Dalton Bond Adan Donaghey** Dillan Asa Tyler **Connor Williams Justin Williams** 

**CHURCH & ITS MINISTRIES** Children's Learning Center Youth **LOGOS Scouting Our Church Leaders Sunday School Classes** 

If your anniversal birthday is missin from the list, pleas contact the office 940-569-3348.