



Perritte Memorial Messenger

United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World

May 07, 2019

News Briefs

Perfect Attendance

Congratulations to Becky Byars and Mark Dalhoff on earning perfect attendance awards for January-March! We would love to have many more of these awards to give out for April-June!

Thank You!

“Thank you!” to: Josh Castro-Donathen, Shelby Slacalek, Nathan Fiske, Brandi Dalhoff, Leanna Davis, John White, Karen Swenson, Bill Khoury, and Judy Allensworth for participating in the skits that reminded us to “slow it down” at the start of our Lent worship series, “Busy: Reconnecting with an Unhurried God!”

Nursery Volunteers

Another huge “thank you!” goes out to John & Vicki White, Lucy Richardson, Martha Gutermuth, Susan Lewis, Vonnie Johnson, Susan Teekell, Melanie Wilson, Maggie Ball, Dianna Morton, Jessica Uriegas, Angel Eason, Chris Bouldin, Carol Wilson, and others who have volunteered in the nursery! Don’t let them have all the fun—reserve your Sunday to serve in the nursery by calling the church office!

Perritte Emploment

SPRC is interviewing administrative assistant applicants! Spread the word about our need for a nursery supervisor.

Vacation Bible School

To Mars and Beyond

Explore where God’s power can take you!

Sunday-Thursday, July 28-31.

Blast off with the first VBS to land on Mars! Cokesbury's *To Mars and Beyond* will help kids discover the wonders of God's universe. They'll become Voyagers on a journey through space, exploring where God's power can take them. Along the way, they'll learn how God walked with heroes of the Bible, and that God is always with them, too.

“Glory to God, who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by his power at work within us.”—Ephesians 3:20 CEB

VBS Meeting on **Wednesday, May 29, at 6:00 pm**

If you can help in ANY capacity, please plan to attend this meeting or contact Judy Allensworth at 936.615.2802

Celebrations

Graduates:

Billy Ishmael, May 2019
Crimson Christian Academy

Josh Castro-Donathen,
December 2019
BA in Art, SFA

Whitney Singleton,
December 2019
BS in Biology, SFA

Confirmation:
Violet Eason, May 5, 2019

Eagle Scouts:
River Delcambre

Billy Ishmael

John Taaffe



Ceremony on May 25, 2019



Blueberry Festival

Perritte will be participating in this year’s Blueberry Festival on **Saturday, June 8**, by handing out bottles of water and invitations to church. We are asking our members to donate one (or more) case(s) of 16 oz. water bottles for this event. Please leave your donation in Memorial Hall. All donations must be turned in by **Sunday, June 2**. Thank you in advance for your support of this outreach ministry!

—Judy Allensworth

Pastor's Corner

It is easy to become so involved with recitals, tournaments, graduations, weddings, the end of school and other events during the month of May, that God and the church take second place in our lives. Please do not let this happen to you and your family.

As you look at your May calendar, plan today, ways in which you and your family can find time to worship. If you are attending events out of town, search now for another church or churches you can attend to worship God. Please remember to bring back a worship guide which is counted toward your perfect attendance award! As you seek churches to attend, if you cannot find a church service at an appropriate time, then consider online streaming and television options. (Ask Pastor Carol if you need assistance to find online church services or Pastors, who preach biblical truths.)

Internet and television are options, however, worshipping in person with a group of believers is more beneficial to you and the other believers. Taking time to plan for worship should be included in your travel and vacation planning.

In our last worship series, during the Lenten season, we devoted time to developing spiritual practices. It is my expectation that you have already developed this as a daily habit. Finding time one-on-one time with God should be included in your summer plans, too.

During the summer months, the national trend for churches is that attendance decreases because people are travelling; unfortunately, one area that people often leave out in planning their travel and vacations, is continuing their financial stewardship (tithes and offerings). During the summer months, our electric costs increase in relation to the extreme heat of Texas. Please plan during the summer season to either mail your checks to the church or sign up for the EFT online giving which offers you the option of a one-time donation, or monthly donations deducted from your bank account.

One last request; please let us know if you are travelling or on vacation because 1) we care about you and people will ask about you because they are concerned when you are not here; 2) our prayer team would like to pray for travel mercies for you and your family.

May you and your family have a joyful and healthy month of May.
Pastor Carol

We Remember in Prayer

Those who need healing

Jimmy Ruth Anderson	Cindi McCarley	Steve Stovall	Vicki White
Billie Tillis	Wonda Jopling	Barbara Norris	Tonya Box
Izzy Berry	Oleta Brown	Earline Shipley	Peggy Barfield
Mike Brumbaugh	Carol Smith	Kiera White	Jared Putnam
Kay-Marie Lyles	Virginia Reneau	Caleb Anderson	Logan Zimmer

Those who are homebound or in long-term care

Helen Walker	Forrest Garrett	Charles Holbrook
Lorraine Hensley	Rebecca Yarbrough	

Christian sympathy to the family and friends of:

Pearl Meador, sister of Virginia Reneau and Earline Shipley

Those serving in the Armed Forces, First Responders, and their families

Our Gifts & Presence

April Worship Attendance

4/07/19	54
4/14/19	68
4/21/19 (Easter)	101
4/28/19	<u>83</u>

Avg. Mar. Worship Attendance 77

Avg. YTD Worship Attendance 70

Financial Report for April 2019

ZOE	25.00
HOPE	15.00
Love INC	10.00
Crescendo	160.00
Reimbursements	70.00
Special Donations	25.00
Music	49.60
Flowers	210.00

General Donations 14,787.00

Total April Donations \$15,351.60

April Expenses \$13,999.47

Year to Date 2019 Financial Report

Income budgeted for
Jan-April of 2019 \$57,020.92
Actual Jan-Apr Deposits 54,886.21

Expenses budgeted for
Jan-April of 2019 \$56,735.16
Actual Jan-Apr Expenses 37,700.71

Birthdays & Anniversaries

May

- 3 Earl Reneau, Bill Khoury
Angela Smith
- 8 Floyd Jopling, Jacey Tillis
- 10 John Yarbrough
- 11 Scott Ishmael
- 14 Dianne Morton, Traci Anderson
- 18 Jennifer Smith
- 22 *Doug & Karen Swenson
- 24 Caleb Anderson
- 25 *Earl & Virginia Reneau
- 26 Dan Eason
- 27 Karen Swenson
- 29 *David & Barbara Zimmer
- 30 Morgan Stewart
- 31 Helen Walker, Mary Ann Miles,
Elizabeth Locke

June

- 1 Martha Gutermuth
- *Brooks & Charlotte Kennemer
- 3 Don Williams

Calendar

Weekly Events:

Sundays

- 9:00 am Prayer Partners
- 9:45 am Morning Fellowship—Memorial Hall
- 10:00 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship
- 4:00 pm Youth Activities

Mondays

- 8:00 am Pie Crust
- 7:00 pm Cub Scout Pack #107

Wednesdays

- 8:00 am Prayer in the Prayer Room
- 5:30 pm Snack Supper (1st-UMW, 2nd-Scouts, 3rd-NISD Culinary Class, 4th-Chuck, 5th-Board)
- 6:00 pm Activities for children, youth, and adults
- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop #107
- 7:00 pm Choir

Additions and Changes to Weekly Events:

Thursday, May 9

- 7:00 pm Round Table Scouts

Sunday, May 12

- 12:00 pm Covered Dish (Host: Legacy Class)

Monday, May 13

- 6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop #1025

Tuesday, May 14

- 2:00 pm Leanna's Quilters

Friday, May 17

- 5:30 pm Nacogdoches Learning League Party, until 8:30

Sunday, May 19

- 12:00 pm Board of Stewards meeting

Wednesday, May 22

Last Wonderful Wednesday of Spring 2019

Thursday-Friday, May 23-24

Feed Nettie Marshall teachers for Field Day and Water Day

Saturday, May 25

- 1:00 pm Eagle Scout Ceremony

Sunday-Wednesday, May 26-29

Texas Annual Conference 2019

Monday, May 27

Church Office Closed, Memorial Day

Wednesday, May 29

- 6:00 pm VBS Meeting

Thursday, May 30

Last day of NISD

Saturday, June 1

- 10:00 am Baby Shower for
Dylan & Angel Allensworth

Tuesday, June 4

- 11:30 am Fun & Fellowship



Sunday's Coming

Easter Theme: Just As He Told You

Mother's Day, Sunday, May 12:

Beware, Don't Worry

Mark 13:9-11, 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10

Sunday, May 19:

Don't Argue, Agree to Disagree

Mark 9:34-35, 1 Corinthians 1:10-18

Sunday, May 26:

Love, the Main Thing

Mark 12:28-31, 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Sunday, June 2:

Live, Now and Forever

Mark 12:26-27, 1 Corinthians 15:1-26, 51-57

May Covered Dish Host: Legacy Class (5/12)

UM ARMY Work Sites

Do you know of a low income, elderly, or handicapped homeowner in need of help around their home? UM ARMY will be in Nacogdoches July 15–19. Let us know if you have a friend or neighbor whom Perritte can nominate who needs a wheel chair ramp, painting, minor roofing, yard work, or other work! Get more information from the flyer attached to this email or contact Rick Smith at 713.203.8549 or rsmith@empresenergy.com.

Baby Shower

Saturday, June 1

10:00 am—noon

Memorial Hall, Perritte Memorial UMC

You are invited to a baby shower in preparation for the arrival of

Jackson (Jax) Lee Allensworth,

son of

Dylan and Angel Allensworth

The expectant parents are registered at Target.

Leave of Absence

Nicole Stewart will take a well-deserved sabbatical from May 13 through August 1. We wish her a season of peace and rest and thank Brandi Dalhoff for serving in her absence!



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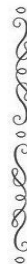
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*All members of the church are ministers of the Gospel,
equipped for sharing the grace of God with the assistance of:*

Music Director	Nicole Stewart
Accompanist	Jim Faucett
Secretary	Susan Teekell
Custodian	Betty White
Youth Co-ordinator	Zack Allensworth
Pastor	Carol Khoury

Messenger deadline is 10 am on the day before the first Tuesday of the month.

The next newsletter will go out on **Tuesday, June 4.**

To submit articles or if you have additions, deletions, or changes to the church calendar contact
Susan Teekell at 564-8427 or info@perritteumc.org