



Perritte Memorial Messenger

United Methodist Church

Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the Transformation of the World

October 2, 2019

October is Missions Month



During the month of October we are offering several opportunities for you to support disaster relief for the storm victims of Bermuda through UMCOR, and the people and churches in the Southeast District of our Texas Conference of UMC; especially the hard hit cities of Vidor, Beaumont, Winnie and the Sour Lake area. The Southeast District has been designated as a Conference Disaster.

In addition, we are delighted to have representatives from Gideons International (Distributors of God's Holy Word) providing a presentation of their ministry on Sunday October 20th during worship. Offering Envelopes will be available to donate to this well established and successful ministry during our worship service. Additional envelopes will also be available through the end of the month. Please make checks payable directly to the Gideons International.

Bermuda monetary donations should be made payable to "Perritte Memorial UMC" with a **notation of Bermuda in the memo line**. We will send the total amount collected to UMCOR.

To support the SE District Disaster Relief, there are several ways you can help:

1. Send **monetary donations to the Southeast District Office** at 701 Calder Ave., Beaumont, TX 77701 with "Imelia Releief" in the memo line. Make checks payable to Southeast District of Texas Conference.
2. Send **gift cards to the Southeast District office** to the address above: fast food gift cards, Walmart gift cards, Home Depot and Lowes gift cards and grocery store gift cards are very helpful.
3. **Volunteers** are also needed. **Let the church office know** if you are interested and we will contact the relief coordinator.

We are asking everyone to support one or more of these ministries after you have prayerfully considered what God is calling you to give and to support. We hope that families will discuss together how they can help and support these ministry efforts. We have been discussing integrating money and meaning during the month of September. As your family discerns what you **need** versus what you **want**, we hope you will decide to perhaps sacrifice a dinner at a fast-food restaurant, and instead, purchase a gift card equal to the value of that dinner. Thank you Perritte family for your support and your spirit of generosity.

Pastor's Corner

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Is it here yet? Fall that is... As the weather hopefully cools off a little, it will be more comfortable for outdoor activities, including Trunk or Treat on October 31st in Perritte parking lot! Plan now to decorate your trunk and pass out candy! Not decorating your trunk? Please volunteer! Contact Chuck Lewis if you will be participating or volunteering. Chuck is accepting candy donations, too.

It's back! **Lunch** with the Pastor and **Brunch** with the Pastor. Join me for a come and go lunch on Tuesday, October 15th at Newks on North Street in Nacogdoches. Come between 11:30 am -1:00 pm. On Saturday, October 26th come for brunch with me at IHOP on North Street in Nacogdoches between 9:30 am - 11:00 am. Both meals are pay for your own. We have had lots of fun and fellowship over the past year getting to know more about one another.

Sunday, October 6th is World Communion Sunday, which begins our new worship series, "Come to the Table." *The table was a place where Jesus not only fed people, but challenged them to acts of hospitality that reflected God's ways. Saying "yes" to a place at Christ's table means we accept a way of life that embraces God's definition of joy, love, peace and grace.*

Take time to walk outside and enjoy God's creation. I challenge you to sit with your family at least once a week, to share a meal together and reflect upon God's blessings and give him thanks.

May God continue to bless you and yours!

Joyfully,

Pastor Carol

We Remember in Prayer

Those who need healing

Jackson Allensworth Robert Calloway
Wonda Jopling Vickie White
Billie Tillis Earline Shipley Matthew Lucas

Those who are homebound or in long-term care

Helen Walker Forrest Garrett Charles Holbrook
Lorraine Hensley Peggy Barfield Rebecca Yarbrough

Christian sympathy to the family and friends of: The Ben West Family

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

Our Gifts & Presence

Sept. Worship Attendance

09/01/19	63
09/08/19	70
09/15/19	58
09/22/19	55
<u>09/29/19</u>	

Avg. Aug. Worship Attendance	57
Avg. YTD Worship Attendance	64

Financial Report for Sept. 2019

ZOE	160.00
HOPE	23.00
Crescendo Fine Arts	740.00
Love, INC	47.00
General Donations	<u>9,948.60</u>
Total Sept. Donations	\$10,918.60
September Expenses	\$10,934.61

Year to Date 2019 Financial Report

Income budgeted for	
Jan-Sept. of 2019	127,657.76
Actual Jan-Sept Deposits	116,322.77
Expenses budgeted for	
Jan-Sept. of 2019	\$127,658.00
Actual Jan-Sept Exps	113,592.67

Birthdays & Anniversaries

October

3	Lorraine Hensley
7	Earline Shipley, Kelly Allensworth
11	*Jackson & Judy Allensworth
13	Chuck Lewis, Patrick Capps
15	Charlotte Kennemer * John & Izzy Berry
17	Daniel Monzingo
18	*John & Rebecca Yarbrough
20	Wendy McDaniel
22	Tim Williams
24	Cody Tillis
27	Lesley Morton
29	Steve Hartz
31	Marsh Och

November

2	Pat Randall
3	Matthew Smith
4	*David & Lucy Richardson
6	Mildred Pitts Lucy Richardson

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
- 5:00 pm Youth Activities

Mondays

- 7:00 am Pie Crust

Wednesdays

- 8:00 am Prayer in the Prayer Room
- 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop #107
- 7:00 pm Choir

See Enclosed Calendar for Special Events

Trunk or Treat

Thursday, October 31, 6:30–8:00 pm

Perritte's annual Trunk or Treat gives families a safe place to Trick or Treat on Halloween night, and gives us a great chance to meet our neighbors. Help us provide candy by placing bags of individually wrapped treats in the tubs in the sanctuary building and Memorial Hall. If you prefer, you may donate money in lieu of candy.

Make plans to decorate your trunk as we give out candy to the neighborhood children. Please have your trunk set up in our parking lot at **6:00 pm**, and park extra cars in the grass by the bus barn. Questions? Contact Chuck Lewis at 564-6239.

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61st Annual Bazaar

Friday, November 1, 2019

7:00 am - 1:30 pm

Chicken & Dressing Lunch

11:00am - 1:00 pm • \$10.00/plate • Dine-in & Drive-thru
1025 Durst St. 564-8427

Perritte Memorial UMC's

61th Annual Bazaar

To get ready for this event, we need everyone's help! From canning to baking to crafts to set up to check out to serving lunch to clean up, there's a job for you! Please read enclosed insert for more details

Sunday's Coming

Theme- Come to the Table
Sunday, October 6
World Communion Sunday
Table of Joy
Phil. 2: 1-13

Theme- Come to the Table
Sunday, October 13
Table of Love
Romans 13:8-10

Theme—Come to the Table
Sunday, October 20
Table of Peace
Romans 14: 10-12

Theme- Come to the Table
Sunday, October 27
Table of Grace
Phil 1:25-26

Theme— Come to the Table
Sunday, Nov. 3
All Saints Sunday
Romans 12:9-21

Operations Christmas Child

Did you know that Operations Christmas Child goes on all year? You can send boxes or build a shoe box on line. In 2018, 10,623,776 boxes were sent to 112 countries and territories. Perritte sent 176 boxes! These boxes affect the children that receive them as well as brothers and sisters, other family members and sometimes whole communities. These boxes affect people here in the United States, even in Nacogdoches! Earlier this year I related a story of Brandi witnessing to a lady in Walmart while buying supplies. They prayed in the aisles for the children who will receive the gifts. **WHAT CAN YOU DO NOW?** We are still collecting clean plastic bottle caps of all colors. There is a shoe box in Memorial Hall to put them in. **THANK YOU** for your continued support of Operation Christmas Child.

Information Updates

Please remember that our Administrative Assistant is not a member of Perritte and needs our help to know what is coming up at the church. Please bring your information or email her (info@perritteumc.org) with information that needs to go in the bulletin or the Newsletter. Thank You!



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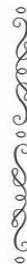
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1025 Durst St.
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9 am - 1 pm
Monday-Thursday
936.564.8427 (office phone)
979.599.2308 (pastor cell)

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Email the office
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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:*

Nursery Supervisor	Aimee Pecina
Music Director	Nicole Stewart
Accompanist	Jim Faucett
Administrative Assistant	Dorothy Hahn
Custodian	Betty White
Youth Co-ordinator	TBA
Pastor	Carol Khoury

[Messenger deadline is **noon** on Thursday, October 31, 2019]

The next newsletter will go out on **Tuesday, November 5,**

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