

DAYTON UNITED METHODIST

Mission Statement: "We invite everyone to become disciples of Christ by loving and serving God and actively living out their faith."

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JULY 2018

Summer Sermon Theme: "Building Christian Community"

July	Highlight	Sermon	Scripture
1	VBS Celebration & Covered-dish Lunch	"Bringing Everything Together"	Colossians 1: 15-23
8	Communion Sunday	"The Fight for Freedom"	Colossians 1: 24 – 2: 5
15	Celebration: Junior High Mission Trip		
22	Noisy Cans for Haiti Children	"It Doesn't Have to Be This Way!"	Colossians 2: 6-15
29	Guest Speaker	tba	tba

YOU ARE
COMPLETE
in
HIM.
COLOSSIANS 2:10, NKJV

Summer Sunday Schedule: 9:00 Adult Sunday School ~ 10:00 Worship ~ 11:00 Coffee Social

Please Note: Due to lack of attendance and volunteers, we regrettably will not have Children's Sunday School during July and August. The Jr. & Sr. High Youth will continue their Sunday evening fellowship from 6:30- 8:00 p.m. through the summer. (Youth - see page 2!)



Coming Soon to a Sanctuary Near You: Worship Video Operators Needed!

Lights! Camera! Action! DUMC now has a new video recording system installed in the sanctuary. The opportunities it will provide for including more people in our ministry are boundless! We will be posting video recordings of our worship services on Facebook, our website, and will be able to stream our services on the internet. This new system will launch in August after staff and volunteers receive training.

So... if you have an interest in film and would like to serve as a worship video operator please contact Graham Witt at daytonav@comcast.net

Keep Our Youth in Prayer During Their Summer Mission Trips

Junior Highs to Virginia Beach July 8-14; 14 Participants

Our group will be staying at Regent Village, which is part of Regent University in Virginia Beach. During the week the youth will help support Habitat for Humanity. Our plans are to help with flooring, fencing, roofing and other construction needs, as well as engage with the Habitat families. The youth will also participate in evening chapel services every evening.

Senior Highs to Atlanta July 29-Aug. 4; 14 participants

Our group will engage with those experiencing homelessness in metropolitan and downtown Atlanta. We will spend time in homeless shelters serving meals and providing other services, as well as heading to the bridges and underpasses working directly with homelessness. The youth will also participate in evening chapel services every evening.

Plan to attend our annual **Missions Picnic Sunday, August 5th** following worship. This is an opportunity for fellowship while also supporting local ministries. More details in the August newsletter.



Sunday Morning Volunteers



NURSERY

1 Kelly Bowman
8 Linda Wine
15 Mary Ryder
22 Lori Bocock
29 Brenda Legg

PEW STEWARDS

1 Margaret Thornton
8 Mary Nieswander
15 Connie Gilmer
22 Stacie Jackson
29 Linda Covington

COFFEE SOCIAL

1 none- VBS lunch
8 On the Move
15 need a volunteer!
22 need a volunteer!
29 need a volunteer!
Sign up in the Coffee Social Room or contact Lena Osborne.

GREETERS

1 Flo & Ed Byrd
8 Elsie Cox & Darlene Newman
15 Ann & Paige Will
22 Carolyn Davis & Joan Leffel
29 Lois & Jeff Lineberry

FLOWERS

1 VBS Decorations
8 Ryders & Communion
15 available
22 available
29 available

Usher: Don Deeds
Open/Close: Dave McCoy
Mowing: Paige Will

Thank You to these recent Altar Flower Contributors:

Wanda Wampler,
Nancy Harper,
the Doris Bowman family,
Edgar Caplinger and
Jeff & Lois Lineberry.
They are greatly appreciated!



The Young First Followers meet on Sunday, July 21st, 4:00 to 7:00 at the church for a Luau Party with water activities. Bible theme: Creation



Grades K-5

Summer Sunday School for Jr. & Sr. High students takes place from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall on the following days:

July 1, 15, 22;
August 5, 12, 19, & 26
Snacks included!



The next **Bridgewater Home Auxiliary Luncheon** is Wednesday, July 11th, 11:00 to 1:00 at Bridgewater Church of the Brethren. The cost is only \$6 and carry-out is available. Proceeds support the programs of the Auxiliary that benefit the residents of the Home.

July Menu: "build your own" Mexican Tossed Salad, assorted cakes and beverages



Installation
of New D.S.

Our new District Superintendent, Rev. Dr. Victor Gomez, and his family have moved into the district parsonage at 226 Northview Drive in Dayton!

A Service of Installation will be in our sanctuary on Sunday, July 15th, at 3:00 pm with a reception following in the Fellowship Hall.

Come welcome Victor, his wife Heather and their daughter, Jessenia, to our community.

Finance meeting Sunday, July 15th at 7:00 p.m.

Ways to Give:

Traditional:

check or cash in the offering plate or sent through the mail.

Electronic:

find the link to online giving on the church's webpage.
Www.DaytonUMC.net

Special transactions:

Talk to Mary Beth Morris in the church office.



Treasurer's Report: January - May 2018 Budget

Contributions/Income	\$136,097.16
Expenditures	\$153,734.27
Year-to-Date Budget	\$149,442.91
Designated Contributions	\$34,044.49

Mortgage Report as of May 31, 2018

Loan Amount (2/1/2010)	\$1,500,000.00
Principal payments	\$418,459.95
Loan Balance	\$1,081,540.05
Extra payments on principal	\$61,972.21

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Birthdays

2 Loretta Moyers
6 Lori Bocock
6 Elaine Heatwole
6 Joe Hiner
7 Cary Jackson
9 Stacie Jackson
9 Phoebe Long
9 Doug Wine
10 Bruce Carper
10 Carrie Nutter
11 Colton Legg
16 Bernard Hamann
17 Carolyn Ware
18 Delan Lambert
18 Cheyenne Bishop
20 Elizabeth Nieder
21 Robert Stanley
23 Larry Heatwole
23 Russell Kenney
26 Matthew Weaver
28 Dennis Miller
30 Claire Parsley
31 Paige Will

Anniversaries

1 James & Melinda Shiflet ('00)
5 Jay & Janis Ralston ('98)
18 Cary & Stacie Jackson ('98)
21 Jon & Jan Alley ('01)
21 Earl & Margaret Thornton ('62)
23 Hunter & Codi Jo Wheelbarger ('16)
24 Josh & Jennifer Appleton ('04)
24 Doug & Donna Stanley ('83)
30 Doug & Diane Helmick



Expressing our
Sympathy to: **Bernice Garber**
on the death of
her sister, **Arlene Will Rhodes**

Remember in Prayer:

Mary Beth Morris, our Administrative Assistant, and her husband Bobby during their mission trip to Guatemala.



Congratulations
to **David & Sally**
(Parsley) **Howe**

who just returned from a honeymoon. They were married February 2nd in a private ceremony with a reception held in April.

Maddox Jodie Lough,
son of Denise & Aaron,
was born June 20th.
Maris is his big brother, and his
proud great-grandfather is Ron
Kincaid. Congratulations!



Geneva Carr is now residing at White Birch Estates. All mail may be addressed to her at:

847 Oakwood Drive, Room 16
Rockingham, VA 22801

Don & Wanda Gault will be residing at Bridgewater Retirement Community as of July 16. All mail may be addressed to them at:

210 Virginia Ave. Apt. 202
Bridgewater, VA 22812

Save the Date!

**Homecoming Sunday,
October 14th**

has special meaning as we celebrate the 50th anniversary of the EUB and Methodist churches becoming United Methodists.

We'd love Pictures! If you have photographs you would like to share of events during the past 50 years, please list your name and the event (including names of folks in the photo) and leave them at the office.

Thank you!



The suspension bridge over Niagara Falls was begun by a thread attached to a kite. When the wind blew, the kite floated across the water to the other side. Workers then attached a string to the thread and pulled it across. To the string, they attached a rope and pulled it back. By this slow-but-sure method, the bridge was built.

Our faith may be just a little thread or no larger than a mustard seed, but we must act on it (see James 2:14-18). Through action, our faith will be strengthened (Colossians 1:23) as it moves us to do even greater works of faith for our Lord (2 Thessalonians 1:3). And in this slow-but-sure way, our faith can grow exceedingly (Ephesians 4:15-16).

Direct questions and submissions for this publication to:
Sally Smith, Editor
DUMCNews@comcast.net
I have a box in the Coffee Social Room, too!
Next Deadline: Sunday, July 22

I recommend you take time to read the wonderful note from the students and staff of Blue Ridge Christian High School. It is on the narthex table.

2018 Conference Highlights:

The theme for the 2018 Virginia Annual Conference, held June 15-17, 2018 at the Hampton Roads Convention Center was "Servant Leaders Making a Difference." The theme was based on I Peter 4:10, "Each of you should use whatever gift you have received to serve others, as faithful stewards of God's grace in its various forms."

Service was incorporated in the theme and lived out in The Great Day of Service, a three-hour period on Saturday, June 16 when the conference session was halted for attendees to participate in service. You can view the "Glory Sighting" video about the day at: <https://vimeo.com/275491965>.



You can still view all the proceedings of AC 2018 by visiting the archived livestream: <https://livestream.com/VAUMC/AC2018>.

You can view photos from the weekend at: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/vaconf/albums>

Read Through the Bible 2018

Same Best Seller - Different Approach

Bishop Sharma Lewis invites us to join her in reading through the Bible – again - this time in Chronological Order. Copies of the daily reading outline are in the narthex or at www.vaumc.org.

1 Obadiah; Psalms 82-83	
2 2 Kings 1-4	
3 2 Kings 5-8	J
4 2 Kings 9-11	
5 2 Kings 12-13; 2 Chronicles 24	
6 2 Kings 14; 2 Chronicles 25	U
7 Jonah 1-4	
8 2 Kings 15; 2 Chronicles 26	L
9 Isaiah 1-4	
10 Isaiah 5-8	
11 Amos 1-5	Y
12 Amos 6-9	
13 2 Chronicles 27; Isaiah 9-12	
14 Micah 1-7	
15 2 Chronicles 28; 2 Kings 16-17	
16 Isaiah 13-17	
17 Isaiah 18-22	
18 Isaiah 23-27	
19 2 Kings 18:1-8; 2 Chronicles 29-31; Psalms 48	
20 Hosea 1-7	
21 Hosea 8-14	
22 Isaiah 28-30	
23 Isaiah 31-34	
24 Isaiah 35-36	
25 Isaiah 37-39; Psalms 76	
26 Isaiah 40-43	
27 Isaiah 44-48	
28 2 Kings 18:9-19:37; Psalms 46; 80; 135	
29 Isaiah 49-53	
30 Isaiah 54-58	
31 Isaiah 59-63	

Conference By the Numbers

The Conference Offering of totaled **\$111,000**. It was divided between the following: Cambodia, Brazil, Mozambique, Volunteers in Mission (VIM) teams working with Native Americans, Haiti, Cuba recovery, Puerto Rico recovery and new this year, Moscow Seminary.

On The Great Day of Service,

1,637 people participated to:

- a) clean up in the Hampton community including alleyways and a historic cemetery of freed African-Americans;
- b) put together **3,000 UMCOR kits** or
- c) listen to three social justice talks.

Annual Conference members brought **44,774 disaster relief kits** for United Methodist Committee on Relief .

29,409 Hygiene kits;
13,367 School kits;
703 Birthing kits;
334 Layette kits;
840 Cleaning kits;
16 Bedding kits;
102 Sewing kits; and
3 miscellaneous kits.

Attendees contributed almost **9,000 pounds of canned goods** and boxed dry foods as part of the "4 Cans 4 Conference" drive.

44 pastors retired.



The Dayton UM Women assembled and sent

20 school kits & 16 hygiene kits. to Annual Conference.

Thank you for your generous contributions!

Our next meeting will be in September.

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