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May 14, 2008

**Sanctuary Flowers
In Honor of
Brittany's 14th
Birthday
From: Buddy,
Pam, Jessica and
Austin Wolff**

**3890 Altama Avenue Brunswick, GA 31520
COLLEGE PLACE VISION**

College Place is a community of love and faith, training and nurturing disciples of Jesus Christ, equipping them with God's Word, and spreading His redeeming love to every soul in need.

Confirmation Sunday

May 18, 8:45 and 11:00 Services

After several months of mentoring, our confirmation class will be taking an important step in their lives. This is one of my favorite services of the year – right up there with Christmas and Easter. Let's show up in big numbers, not only for them, but for yourselves as we consider together what it means to say "yes" to a relationship with God.

BHS Baccalaureate Hosted by College Place

May 18, at 3:00pm

We will be hosting the Baccalaureate Service for Brunswick High School at 3:00pm on Sunday, May 18. There will be a reception to follow after the service.

Special Memorial Day Weekend Service

May 25, 8:45 and 11:00

**Youth Choir from Asbury UMC, Madison, Alabama
Providing Special Music**

Follow-Up Report on Discovering Your Gifts

We have gotten well over a hundred Gifts-Discovery surveys back. We will be able to report a specific number soon. Thank you for taking the time to do this. We hope you have learned something about yourself that will help guide you in your service to Christ. We hope your service will take on new meaning as you see yourself serving through the empowerment God gives you to serve. We will use this information in helping people find a place to serve, however, don't wait for us to call you if God is leading you in an area of ministry. Let someone else in the church know of your desire. I, your pastor, would love to talk with you. (Just don't tell me when you're going out the door after worship, because I have trouble remembering at that time.) The Lord bless you as you seek to serve Him.

Prayer List

All Military Personnel

Bill Adams (Barbara Moons & Miriams brother)

Barbara Adams (Barbara Moon's sister in law)

*Pat Benton

Henry Brauda

Lillian Browning

Tom Bullock

Jean Campbell

Dorothy Davies (Ed Davies mom)

Francis Edwards

Barbara Foster

Paul Forster

*Harley Green

*Haley Haraway

Bruce Hampton (Brent Hampton's brother)

Judy Harper

*Carol Henderson

Tommy Hutcherson

Cathy Fogle Jenkins (Doyle Fogle daughter)

Johnny Mack Kennedy

Donna Kroner

*Rex Moon

Wesley Ness

Shirley Pippin

Linda Plair (Rex Stalvey's aunt)

Cora Purvis

Carter Roberts

Casey Strickland Russell

*Venita Schwartz

Beverly Sisson

Curtis Tucker

Adeline Velie

Shawn Waters

Ruth Young

(Names will be removed after)

Pray for our Homebound

Lillie Blocker
Armatha McCall
Madeline Rouse

ABIDING MEMORIALS

IN MEMORY OF
LELAND MILLER
Given by: Responders
Sunday School Class

SINGING AT SEA

The PRIMETIMERS would like to invite you for a 6 day 5 nights Caribbean cruise February 9-14, 2009. Entertainment on board will be your favorite Gospel Singers and Christian Comedians.

For information and brochure please call or email.

Ivy Hasty
912-261-0051
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CHURCH WORK DAY

**June 7—8:00 am
CHURCH/UNITED METHODIST
MEN/ TRUSTEES WORK DAY**

**Please bring your drills, extension
cords, ladders, rakes, etc.**

**We will be adding pine straw to
flower beds, installing soffett vents,
insulation in attic, general cleaning
and painting.**

**Please make plans to come help...we
need YOU.**

Reading Program – United Methodist Women 2008

The purpose of the Reading Program is to encourage United Methodist Women:

- To expand understanding of and participation in God's mission, to increase sensitivity to human beings and their needs, interest and concerns.
- To encourage heavy thinking about issues facing humanity today.
- To grow in understanding of scriptures as it relates to Christian faith in contemporary life.
- To increase self-knowledge and to act from that knowledge; and to strengthen involvement in local and global Christian mission.

We hope more UMW will participate in the reading program this year. The books and "Reading program pamphlets", that tell about the program and "plans", also a section where you as an individual keep your record, are located in the library. The library will be open each Sunday morning before Sunday school. During the week, someone in the office can open the library for you during office hours. August 1st we will send in a report for this year, so we are asking that you only keep the book for 2 weeks. A new year will start after August 1st so keep on reading. A list of the books you can read and get credit for will be posted in the library. When you check out a book, sign the card with a date and drop in the metal box. When you finish just bring the book back to the library and place in plastic box on bottom shelf.

Response and World Outlook are located in the UMW's area in the library.

This month at both circle meetings we will be present and go over everything and **some** of the recommended books. At intervals, we will highlight books that are recommended – some a must!

This week we would like to highlight a book in "Education for Mission", listed as a must for the reading program. "They Poured Fire on Us from the Sky. This is the true story of three lost boys from Sudan. From 1987-89 tens of thousands of boys who took flight from the massacres of Sudan's civil war became known as the "Lost Boys". This is the story of three of these boys and their will to survive.

God Bless and thank you for the understanding of a late start this year.
JoAnne Fisher and Gloria Tucker- Co-chair 2008

Important Reminders

- Don't forget if you have not sign-up for the Mystery Trip or Summer Camp it is important you do so quickly. We have limited spots available and they are going quickly!

Gathering Place

In just a few weeks we will kick off our summer with our first Main Event at the Gathering Place at Epworth by the Sea. We will meet at the church at 6:30 p.m. and stop for a fast food dinner and then on to the Main Event. This is a great experience you won't want to miss out on. See ya there!



FAMILY

Mark your calendars:

June 4: 5:45 D/C Club rehearsal
June 10: 11:00am Strike Zone ages preschool - 2nd grade
June 11: 5:45 D/C Club rehearsal
June 12: 11:00am Strike Zone ages 3rd - 5th grades
June 18: 5:45 D/C Club rehearsal
June 22: 9:45 VBS kick-off rally
June 23 - 27: "Beach Party" VBS

Watch this newsletter as the date approaches for details on each event.

Childre

The D/C (drama/choir) Club resumes on Wednesday, June 4 at 5:45 for kids of all ages.

If you like to sing and act, this is for you.

Come show off for the Lord!



CALLING ALL MEN (Father's Day Choir)

We will have an all male choir on Sunday June 15 at the 11am service to celebrate Father's Day. We want all men and boys 12 years or older to participate. We will do two songs that day and we will rehearse them on Sunday June 1st and 8th immediately following the 11AM service for about 30 min. I pray many of you will be able to participate in this special event.

The ladies are going to love it!!

Exciting News

We will have an 80 voice youth choir ministering to us on May 25th. They will do the entire service at 8:45 that will include skits and a band. Also, they will bless us in the 11 am service as well with a few special numbers from their full show. This will be an event you don't want to miss. We certainly want to give a good showing so please make an extra special effort to attend this musical and support these young folks. Look for the promotion posters in the coming days.

Jason

MUSIC

The International SeaFarers Center is always looking for individual and group volunteers. Seniors (55+) are invited to join the Retired & Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) for such tasks as Hospitality, Van driving, Ship Visiting, making or stuffing Ditty Bags, Helping with Mailings, Office Work, Clothes Closet, Fund Raising, Yard Work, Maintenance, Computer Work, Assist with meeting/prep/cleanup, Library, Bibles, magazines and other needs. If you or your small group are interested please see me for an application or contact Robert Randle, Director of Volunteer Services 267-3601.

Billy Zeh
Local & Connectional Missions

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CALANDAR

SUNDAY, May 18—Confirmation Sunday

Coffee available at the main entrance

10:00 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Traditional Worship

MONDAY, May 19

7:00 PM Praise & Worship Practice

7:00 PM Friendly Outreach

TUESDAY, May 20

9:30PM Staff Meeting

10:00 AM Prayer Group

10:00 AM Lamplighters

7:00 PM Doing Life Together Class

7:00 PM Experience Christ Together Class

WEDNESDAY, May 21

11:00 AM Georgia Retired Educators

3:00 PM Teacher Retirement Celebration

7:00 PM Choir Practice

THURSDAY, May 22

9:30 AM Staff Meeting

6:00 PM Finance Meeting

KAIROS MINISTRY

Kairos Ministry

We pray for Randy Ashurst this Thursday thru Sunday on Kairos Ministry at the Prison in Folkston. He will be working with 42 candidates to bring the light of Christ to them. Please pray for that ministry.

Assisting in Worship

USHERS 11:00 AM

*Charles McCollum Mark Pilgrim
James Cleveland Ronnie Smith

ACOLYTES

May 18—Brittany and Brandon Heri

GREETERS

May—Co-ed

VISITING FRIENDS

May 18—Randy & Gail Ashurst

May 25—Russell & Ann Clark

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

Gail Ashurst

CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

Randy Ashurst

Financial Report May 11, 2008

OPERATING MINISTRIES FUND

Amount received this week	\$9,832.44
Amount Received this month	\$23,232.46
Amount received this year	\$192,645.44

BUILDING FUND

Amount received this week	\$1,910.00
Amount received this month	\$4,349.00
Amount received this year	\$46,379.00

Building Fund Principal amt. 3/31/08	\$353,500.00
Building Fund Principal Paid 4/24/08	(\$60,000.00)
Building Fund Principal Amount	\$293,500.00
Bus Fund	\$24,325.89

8:45AM Service	106
11:00 AM Traditional Service	<u>171</u>
TOTAL	277
Sunday School Total	139