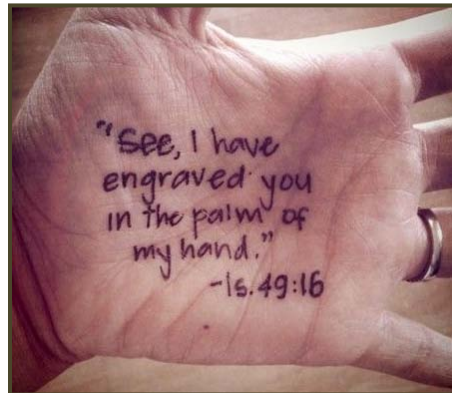


Tunnel Hill United Methodist Church

The Messenger

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Not too long ago I was talking with a friend and I noticed that he had something written on one of his hands. It was a small list of things that he was planning to do later that afternoon. I gave my friend a hard time about it but then I admitted that I've done the same thing.

We use all sorts of techniques to jog our memories. I know someone who wears his watch on his opposite arm to remind him when he has a doctor's appointment. Some people tie a string around their finger or write themselves notes to help them remember certain things. That's what I tend to do to jog my memory. At any given time, I have "post-it" notes everywhere to remind me of things that I need to do.

Did you know that God has things written on the palms of his hands? It's true. Scripture teaches us that God has His own list. What's on His list? The names of His children.

In the 49th chapter of the book of Isaiah we're told that God loves his people so much that He has each person's name inscribed on the palm of his hand. While I'm sure that God doesn't need anything to jog His memory, it is comforting to know that He has our names constantly before Him.

I recently learned that the Levites, one of the twelve tribes of Israel, developed an interesting memory technique. The Levites, who served as the priests for the Hebrew people, designed special breastplates with the twelve tribes of Israel inscribed across them. So regardless of where they went or what they were doing, the priests literally had the tribes of Israel on their hearts night and day.

So do you have a list of names that you keep before you? Who stays on your heart? And most importantly, who are you lifting up in prayer to God these days?

Grace and Peace,
Jay

PRAYER LIST



Al Nuckolls, Kathryne Middleton, Jane Griffin, Margaret Doyle,
Lamont Nuckolls, Ernest Edwards, Denton Nuckolls, Margie Hedrick, David Clark, Judy Lusk, Jan Reed, Dottie Griffin, Toppi Griffin, Cathy Griffin, Jeanine Clark, Mildred Dreschel, Beverly Bates, Amy Roberts,
Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts
Brooks Lansing-Jim Lansing's brother
Kathy Hedrick-Margie Hedrick's daughter-in-law
Sue & David Broome-Friends of Janice Helton
Terry Corcoran-Erin Middleton's dad
Andrea Walters - Kathy Watts' sister
Sandy Clark-Anne Monk's Sister
Sammy Jackson-Gene Henderson's brother
Betty Cagle-Kay Henderson's aunt
Lee Hogan-Friend of David Clark
Dana Bragg-Friend of Janice Helton
Agnes Sutton-Kay Henderson's mother
Rose Reinhardt -Dawn LaChapelle's mother
Kenneth Tatum-Veda Nuckolls' brother
Butch Edwards-friend of Norma Griffin
Ricky Ervin-brother of Ann Finlay
Steve Payne-friend of Dawn LaChapelle
Ricky Houston-Ron Houston's brother
Jerry (Cooter) Hartness-Kimberly Amos' father
Gene & Edna Blevens-JoAnna Wells' aunt & uncle
Scott LaChapelle-Dawn LaChapelle's brother
Rick Fehrenhach - friend of Dawn LaChapelle
Linda Corn-friend of Susie Webb
Carrie Chambers-Friend of Justin Barton
Tommy Akers-Friend of Ken Gowin
Raya Owens-Friend of Jada Barton
Susan Wells-Chris Wells' aunt
Amber Cantrell-Friend of Butch Middleton
Marianne & Sandy Christison-Mary Wood's mother & father
Sarah Brindle-Friend of Jo Anna Davenport Wells
Robert Green-friend of Jo Anna Davenport Wells
Joshua Huff-Judy Lusk's Nephew in Kentucky
Gladys Henderson-Norma Griffin's Sister-in-law
Gabarb Vaughn Summers
Breanne Locklear - Jo Anna Wells' niece
Talan Williams - Friend of Debbie Griffin
Jim Middleton-Butch Middleton's uncle
Don Gribble
Margie Bruner
Tina Taylor - Val Cleaver's sister & Marilyn Martin's daughter
Crystal Watts Grishaw-Ben Watts' Sister
Gladys & Jasper Rogers-Friends of Gwen Maddox
Joe & Margaret Cargal-Friends of Gwen Maddox
Marge Fox-Cindy Fehd's mother
Robin Faith-Friend of Dawn LaChapelle
Mitzy Denson-Friend of Kathy Watts
Brantley Dean-Friend of Julie Frisbee
Peggy Cochran-Friend of Amy Roberts
Whitley Brooker-Friend of Lindsey Roberts
*Jim Campbell

(*Denotes new additions)

Please contact the church office at 706- 673-4022 or thumc@optilink.us to add/remove a friend or loved one from the Prayer List. - Thanks!



Tuesday, January 26

5:30 PM Daisies (CB Rooms)
6:30 PM Cub Scouts (C.B.)
7:30 PM Boy Scouts (C.B.)

Wednesday, January 27

5:45 PM Family Night Out Meal
6:45 PM Adult Prayer Study, B&B Club,
God Followers & Oasis

Thursday, January 28

5:30 PM Daisies (Ch. Room)

Sunday, January 31

10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
5:00 PM Choir Practice

Monday, February 1

6:30 PM Bible Study - "The Armor of God" (FR. CL.)

Tuesday, February 2

UMW MEETINGS

1:30 PM Group II meeting at the church (FEL. CL.)
6:30 PM Group I meeting in the Fellowship Hall

5:30 PM Daisies (CB Rooms)

6:30 PM Cub Scouts (CB Rooms)

7:00 PM Boy Scouts (CB)

Wednesday, February 3

5:45 PM Family Night Out Meal

6:45 PM Adult Prayer Study, B&B Club, God Followers & Oasis

Thursday, February 4

5:30 PM Daisies (Ch. Room)

Sunday, February 7

10:00 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship Service
5:00 PM Choir Practice

Monday, February 8

6:30 PM Bible Study - "The Armor of God" (FR. CL.)

Tuesday, February 9 - SHROVE TUESDAY

5:30 PM BOY SCOUT SPONSORED "PANCAKE SUPPER" (FH)

Wednesday, February 10 - ASH WEDNESDAY

5:45 PM Family Night Out Meal

6:30 PM B&B Club, God Followers

6:30PM ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE (S)

FH-Fellowship Hall
Classroom

CB-Church Bldg.

FEL CL-Fellowship Classroom

FC-Friendship

S-Sanctuary



MONDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

All day, every day, an invisible war rages around you — unseen, unheard, yet felt throughout every aspect of your life.

A devoted, devilish enemy seeks to wreak havoc on everything that matters to you: your heart, your mind, your marriage, your children, your relationships, your resilience, your dreams, your destiny. But his battle plan depends on catching you unaware and unarmed. If you're tired of being pushed around and caught with your guard down, this study is for you.

This seven week study will be led by Becky Gowin on Monday nights at 6:30 PM.
Please contact Becky at beckygowin@yahoo.com for more details or to sign up.

DIRECTORY PICTURES



WE NEED DIRECTORY PICTURES! Please stop by in the Fellowship Hall before or after the morning worship service to get your pictures made for our new Church Directory. We are trying to get our new directories printed as soon as possible but we need your help – we need your family's photos - COME AND SMILE!!!



Ben & Kathy Watts will be leading a Financial Peace Class on Sunday Mornings at 10am in the God Follower's classroom (upstairs across from the church office). This will be a six week study beginning February 7th. Please contact Ben or Kathy for more details at 706-673-9764.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

The UMW will meet on Tuesday, February 2nd. Group II will meet at 1:30 PM in the Fellowship Classroom.

Group I will meet at 6:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

ALL ladies of the church are cordially invited to please join us!

DINNER OUTING

The Family Committee has scheduled the DINNER OUTING for Thursday, February 18TH, Please mark your calendar and save the date. Destination will be Tony's Italian Restaurant, in the Market Place Outlet. Childcare will be provided for children 5th grade and younger, however, parents need to call the Church Office by Wednesday, February 10th to sign-up for childcare at 706-673-4022.

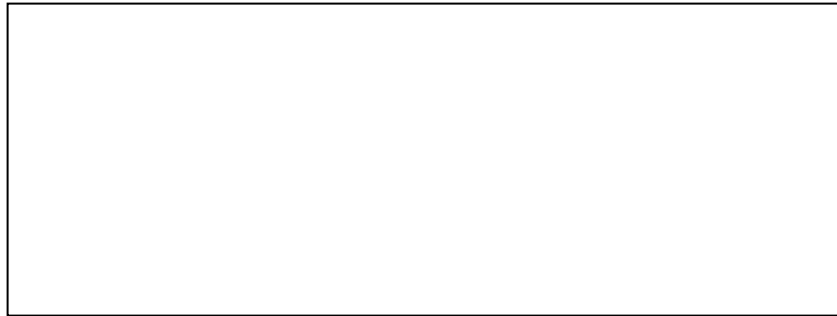
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SERVING ON SUNDAYS

SUNDAY, JANUARY 31

USHERS: Gene Henderson, Justin Barton,
Chuck Davidson & Kevin Braden

NURSERY: Anne Monk

JAN. OFFERING TEAM: Kim Amos &
Vicki Kauffman

JOURNEY LAND:

Janice Helton - (Pre K-2nd Grade);
Liz Dennis - (3rd - 5th Grades)

GREETERS: Judy & Butch Middleton

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

USHERS: Steve Reed, Chris Bollwerk,
Daniel Cavender & Jimmy Baker

NURSERY: Kay Henderson

FEB. OFFERING TEAM: Becky Gowin &
Lee Grimmett

JOURNEY LAND:

Brenda Hampton - (Pre K-2nd Grade)
Ben & Kathy Watts - (3rd - 5th Grades)

GREETERS: Lee & Vi Grimmett

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 14

USHERS: See Sunday, Feb. 7

NURSERY: Stephanie Cameron

FEB. OFFERING TEAM: See Sun., Feb. 7

JOURNEY LAND:

Kay Henderson - (Pre K-2nd Grade)
David & Jeanine Clark - (3rd - 5th Grades)

GREETERS: Jo Ann Richardson

STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Weekly Budget Needed: \$5,094.00

Operating Budget Report thru 1/24/2016

Amount Needed Yr. to Date: \$20,376.00

Amount Rec'd Yr. to Date: \$14,769.19

-\$5,606.81

GIVING FOR JANUARY 3

GENERAL BUDGET:

\$5190.10

DESIGNATED GIVING:

\$459.31

GIVING FOR JANUARY 10

GENERAL BUDGET:

\$3825.59

DESIGNATED GIVING:

\$462.00

GIVING FOR JANUARY 17

GENERAL BUDGET:

\$2,460.00

DESIGNATED GIVING:

\$163.00

GIVING FOR JANUARY 25

GENERAL BUDGET:

\$3293.50

DESIGNATED GIVING:

\$846.00

ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY 3

Sunday School - 60

Worship Service - 156

ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY 10

Sunday School - 78

Worship Service - 158

ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY 17

Sunday School - 75

Worship Service - 149

ATTENDANCE FOR JANUARY 24

Sunday School - 60

Worship Service - 145