# THE MESSENGER

St. Andrews United Methodist Church
Reach Up Reach In Reach Out



## United Methodist Women Candle Burning

United Methodist Women is an organization of approximately one million members whose purpose is to foster spiritual growth, develop leaders and advocate for justice. Members raise nearly \$25 million each year for programs and projects related to women, children and youth in the United States and in more than 100 countries around the world.

The total program of United Methodist Women is mission. This includes individual growth, spiritual enrichment, education for mission, social issues awareness, leadership development, schools and workshops, and financial support for mission programs and projects throughout the U.S. and around the world.

In 2014 it will take \$.60 per second or \$36.00 per minute to support worldwide missions. If you would like to give a gift to the United Methodist Women to help continue their support of missions, you may do so the weeks of April 27 & May 4.

On May 11, Mother 's Day, we will burn a candle during the worship services to acknowledge the amount donated.

\*\* If you give by check, please make it out to St. Andrews United Methodist Women and note in the memo line "UMW Candle Burning".

### **Note from the Finance Secretary**

Please write first and last name on the church envelopes that are placed in the offering plate. Likewise, if your children place envelopes in the offering plate or in the Children's Church offering, please make sure they have first and last name on their envelopes. If there is no last name on the envelope the donations is recorded at "Unknown Giver".



Thank you for your cooperation with this.



Sunday school is a great place to meet new people, explore your questions, and discover Biblical truths.

We have something for every age (see list below).

Sunday school is 9:45-10:45 am every Sunday.

For more information, please contact Jackie Hargis, Sunday School Superintendant, at 480-8381 or <a href="mailto:kj4xk@yahoo.com">kj4xk@yahoo.com</a> or Katie Jenifer, Director of Christian Education at <a href="mailto:kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org">kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org</a> or 488-8593.

### **Sunday School for Kids**

Toddlers & Twos – Leaders are Megan Walker & Vicki Prothro Room 212

Preschool (3 and 4-year olds) – Leader is Debby Pevler Room 216

> K-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade – Leader is Katie Jenifer Room 215

> > 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade – Taylor Wagner Room 307

### **Sunday School for Youth**

Middle School (Grades 6-8) – Leader is Brian Walker Room 305

High School (Grades 9-12) – *Leader Needed* Room 308

### **Sunday School for Young Adults & Adults**

Apologetics – Leader is Sam Lum Room 107

Faith Lessons – Leader is Dan Pietz Room 106

The Gathering – Leader is Debbie Poulk Room 201



For Moms With Moms By Moms

### Being a good mom doesn't mean being perfect!

Wednesdays 6-7:30 pm Room 106

Here's a look at what we will be talking about in April:

Taking Care of Mom: Practical Taking Care of Mom: Emotional

Contact Katie Jenifer at

<u>kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org</u> or 488-8593 for more information. Kids' activities and/or childcare available.

Better Moms Make a Better World





"Speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves, for the rights of all who are destitute. Speak up and judge fairly; defend the rights of the poor and needy." Proverbs 31:8-9

Our church is participating in Compassion Sunday on May 4 at both worship services. This is a national event that helps us grow in our understanding of God's very special love for the poor. It's also an opportunity for each of us to intervene in the life of at least one child in poverty. For more information, contact Katie Jenifer at <a href="mailto:kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org">kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org</a> or 488-8593 or visit compassionsunday.com

### Camp Rockfish Open House



May 4th 2014

1:00-7:00 PM

### **FREE**



Come for an afternoon to explore Camp Rockfish and see what we are all about. Activities will be open, dinner will be available, summer camp registration will be open; and just like every summer day at Camp Rockfish, we will end with a closing worship.

The camp gates will open at 1:00pm. Families and youth groups are all invited to take advantage of this free afternoon of activities at Camp Rockfish. Open activities will include the climbing tower, zip-line, beach volleyball, hayrides, archery, high ropes, bb guns, fishing, crafts and much more. We will have walking tours available for families and individuals new to our location.

Along with a long slate of activities to choose from registration for multiple events will also be available including our summer day camp, summer residential camp, family camps, etc. Staff will be on hand to answer your questions about our programs and how you can engage your family into the Rockfish experience.

Later in the evening we will be serving dinner and closing the day with a large group worship experience with plenty of music.

Please RSVP for this event so that we can have the proper amount of food prepared for dinner. You can RSVP via email to <a href="mailto:info@camprockfish.org">info@camprockfish.org</a> or by calling 910-425-3529 ext. 21.

#### School Kits to be Collected at Annual Conference



During Annual Conference 2014 in a partnership ministry with NC Conference United Methodist Women and the Missions Team, we will be collecting school kits. Annual Conference is June 11-14, 2014 at the Greenville Convention Center.

Half of the kits will remain in our Annual Conference and half will be sent to worldwide mission sites.

You must build the kits as outlined below to meet UMCOR standard.

### **Assembly & Shipping Instructions**

#### School Kit Materials

- 1 pair blunt scissors
  - o Rounded tip only;
  - o No plastic scissors please.
- 3 pads of paper
  - o Spiral- or top-bound pads;
  - 150 sheets or less of loose-leaf paper can be substituted for 1 pad;
  - o Combinations of spiral, top-bound, side-bound, or loose-leaf paper is acceptable.
- 1) hand-held pencil sharpener
  - o Must be at least 1" long;
  - o Remove from packaging.
- 1) 30-centimeter ruler
  - Hard or flexible;
  - Cartoon characters are acceptable;
  - No advertisements please.
- 6 unsharpened pencils
  - o No advertisements, religious, patriotic, military, or camouflage symbols please;
  - Cartoon characters are acceptable.
- 12-inch or larger-size eraser
  - o No advertisements, religious, patriotic, military, or camouflage symbols please;
  - o Cartoon characters are acceptable.
- 1)24-count box of crayons
  - o Only 24-count boxes please.
- 1)14" x 16" cloth bag
  - Homemade or purchased bags are both acceptable;
  - o Heavy-duty fabric only, such as denim, corduroy, drapery fabric, etc.;
  - No advertisements, religious, patriotic, military, or camouflage symbols please;
  - Closures are optional but must be buttons, snaps, or Velcro sewn in middle of opening.

or \$10 for an entire Kit (donated funds) contact # 910-488-1402



## Vacation Bible School JUNE 16-20

## Planning Meeting for All Volunteers May 19 at 12:30 Family Life Center Lunch & Childcare Provided

The planning meeting for VBS 2014 is coming up, May 18 at 12:30 pm in the Family Life Center. Lunch and/or childcare provided upon request. Sign up at "The Sign Up Place" by Tuesday May 13.

It takes many hands to create a week full of worship, discipleship and fun to over 100 kids in preschool through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. To volunteer to help with VBS, all you need is at least a 6-month relationship with St. Andrews and a church provided background check.

Now recruiting adults and youth grades 6 and up to serve during Vacation Bible School. Areas where help needed:

- Crew Leaders (shepherd groups of 10-15 kids from station to station each day)
- Imagination Station (science fun)
- Untamed Games Station (outdoor games)
- Sing & Play Stampede (music)
- Administration Team (behind the scenes organizational team)
- Decorating Team (sets the scene for God's boundless blue sky)
- Operation Kid-to-Kid Team (mission project)
- Kidvid Cinema Station (video time to reinforce the Bible point)

One-of-a-Kind Bible Adventures Station (hands-on Bible fun)

For more information, or to volunteer to help, call Katie Jenifer at 488-8593 or email kjenifer@standrewsfayetteville.org.

### If You Believe in Jesus Christ, You Are an Evangelist

At St. Andrews we have tried different types of evangelism. In 2000 we utilized Dr. James Kennedy's <u>Evangelism Explosion</u> to provide members with the tools for going door to door within the community to share the news of salvation through the gospel. Our next evangelism program, facilitated by Katie Jenifer, was a class called <u>Just Walk Across the Room</u> by Bill Hybels. We found this a better way of promoting evangelism and bringing the opportunity to show Christ to others.

Evangelism is connecting one-on-one, sharing your testimony and talking about your walk with God whenever the opportunity presents itself. In Isaiah 49:6 we are told "I will give you a light (Jesus Christ) to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the end of the earth". However, the Good News of salvation will not reach very far if we are not comfortable talking about our faith and our salvation. When we have the opportunity to minister to people, it is our responsibility as Christians to lead them into a relationship with Christ.

In the book <u>The Master Plan of Evangelism</u> by Robert Coleman, he suggests that we evangelize the way Jesus did. As Evangelism Coordinator, **I am inviting you to join me on Monday, May 5<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm**, in room 201. (Fellowship Classroom) We will talk about how Jesus evangelized and how we can do what He directed us to and follow in His footsteps.

Thank you for prayerfully considering joining me on the  $5^{th}$  as we continue our walk together with Him.

In the love of Jesus, Faye Taylor 488-4860



### 8:30 ACOLYTES

Margaux Horning - Coordinator

- 4 Mackenzie Walker, Aurora Horning
- 11 Grace Davis, Brandon Jumper
- 18 Joely Davis, Olivia Horning
- 25 Caroline Bunce, Abigail Norris

### 11:00 ACOLYTES

- 4 Isabella Zeisset, Sadie Bowden
- 11 Abrianna Tonet, Jackson Bennett
- 18 Matthew Bowden, Luke Gallagher
- 25 Madeline & Margaret Thomson

### 8:30 K.I.D.S. CHURCH

Margaux Horning, Coordinator

- 4 Joyce Pevler, Drew Taylor
- 11 Margaux & Star Horning
- 18 Mandy & Bill McMillan
- 25 Dan & Pat Pietz

### 11:00 K.I.D.S. CHURCH

- 4 Betsy, Amelia Rose, Becca Murray
- 11 Amanda Gallagher, Mackenzie Mills
- 18 Connie & Ty Brucker
- 25 Katie Jenifer, Isabel Brucker



### 8:30 WORSHIP LEADERS

Fave Taylor-Coordinator

- 4 Ed Shearin
- 11 Ginger Peele
- 18 Dan Pietz
- 25 Carolyn Brown

### 11:00 WORSHIP LEADERS

Steve Poulk-Coordinator

- 4 Carol Watkins
- 11 Steve Poulk
- 18 Ernie Blough
- 25 Faye Taylor

### **11:00 GREETERS**

Pauline Gentry - Coordinator

- 4 Ernie & Linda Blough, Evelyn Moore
- 11 Sterling & Sandra Morris, Pat Petterson
- 18 Mary Dane, Wes Loffert, Ercell Stahl
- 25 Ron, Tami & Holli Rafferty

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### Ushers

Phil Gilmore-Coordinator

- 4 Steve Poulk, Stan Grimes, Nelson Edwards, Clayton Perkins
- 11 Sterling Morris, Johnny Taylor Van Parker, Chris Holland
- 18 Mark Taylor, Ernie Blough Steve Poulk, Stan Grimes
- 25 Nelson Edwards, Phil Gilmore Van Parker, Sterling Morris

### **8:30 GREETERS**

Faye Taylor -Coordinator

- 4 Ron & Cathryn Spencer, Katie Jenifer
- 11 James & Gurdrum Monty, Nancy More
- 18 Dan & Pat Pietz, Dee Dee Burden
- 25 Kyle Powers, Kelly Hott, Faye Taylor



- 2 Susan Jernigan Dean Tew
- 4 Tom Poston
- 5 Jenny Copland Jonathan Grimes
- 7 Sherry Grimes Brenda Hahn
- 8 Vickie Phillips
- 11 Katrina Pvler Cora Weller
- 12 Megan W. Carlson Gordpm <acrae
- 13 Dan Voss Dianna Wood
- 14 Debra Bill Nanette Tomlinson- Knoell
- 15 Jennifer Cowart
- 16 Katie Cowart Dallas Poulk
- 17 Claudia Williams
- 18 Bailey Taylor
- 21 Wes Bowers Kelly Hott
- 22 Pat Owen
- 26 Sarah Cessna Naomi Gruse Sherry McKinney
- 27 Sheila Taylor
- 30 Lynne Davis Laura Myers Cooper Smith
- 31 Kristopher Jones Mark Taylor

- 2 Laura & Eric Myers
- 3 Mandy & Bill McMillan
- 4 Kay & Butch Darnell
- 17 Nancy & Bob Moore
- 19 Elinor & Johnnie Robeson Angie & Dale Wood
- 21 Kelly & George Hendricks
- 23 Lisa & Dan Bowman
- 28 Meghan & Matthew Ziglar
- 30 Cathy & Kyle Diehl Katrina & Bob Pevler



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	<u>FRIDAY</u>	SATURDAY
Every Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Sunday School 9:45 UMYF 5:30	Every Monday  Academy 9-12  Cub Scouts	Every Tuesday  Academy 9-12 9:a Pathfinders 9a New Beginnings 12p Soul Feast Dinner Reservations 6:30p Pathfinders 2 7p Boy Scouts	Every Wednesday  Academy 9-12  5:00p Soul Feast 6:00p KIDMO 6:00p Lil"K 6:00p MOPSNext 6:00p Bible Study 7:00p Choir	Every Thursday  Academy 9-12  9a Bible Study	Every Friday Academy 9-12	Every Saturday
				1 10:30 SALT Shakers 6p PPRT	2 11:30Love Lunch	3 8a UMM
4 Compassion Sunday	5 11:30 Love lunch 6:30 Share your Faith	6 7P Worship	7	8 4p Academy Teacher Dinner Girl Scouts	9 9:30 MOPS	10
11 Youth Sunday	6:30 Finance	13	14	15 10:30 UMW	16	17 5p Connections
18 12:30-2p VBS Meeting	19 Memorial Day	20	21 12:00 Academy Graduation <u>Last Soul Feast</u>	22	23 9:30 MOPS	24
25	26 Memorial Day	27	28	29	Youth La	ock In
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