Calendar

Sunday, April 15

9:30 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal
9:15 a.m.	Coffee & Conversation
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:35 a.m.	Worship with Dr. Keva Green & Preschool Program
11:35 a.m.	Preschool Open House
1:00 p.m.	Youth Retreat at Birdwell Clark Ranch

Monday, April 16

6:00 p.m.	Preschool Committee Meeting

Wednesday, April 18

6:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
6:00 p.m.	JAM (Jesus and Me)
6:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study in the Church parlor

Thursday , April 19

	Missions Committee serving at MSU Campus
6:00 p.m.	Fun Bunch– Casa Manana in Wichita Falls

Sunday, April 22

8:30 a.m.	Adult Choir Rehearsal
9:15 a.m.	Coffee and Conversation
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
10:35 a.m.	Worship with Dr. Keva Green
5:00 p.m.	Youth

Birthdays and Anniversaries
April 15-21

16	Randy & Sharlene Offield
17	Caden Frost
19	Jeffrey Maxwell
	CB Sanders
20	Waylon Elms

Prayer Concerns

...for those sick or recovering from illness or in need of extra prayer

Barbara Wynn, Chris Pollan, Don Lane, Doris Davis, Frances Bunting, Lauren Halsell West, Linda King, Lyric Aylor, Martha Lane, Marilyn Hamilton, Mary Stewart, Mike Wines, Rex Chambless, Richard Hodges, Scott Barger, Tami Brockman

....those battling cancer

Alan Herring, Ashley Gonzenbach, BG Cocanougher, Dave Brotel, Diane Borgman, Debbie Wiest, Dominic Watson, Don Martini, Doris Slaughter, Frank Cooper, Gerald Hohfeld, Lester Blanscet, Lisa Rankin, Lori Pence, Michelle Ewart, Pat Hamilton, Ronnie Ford, Roger and Marianne Foster, Rylie York, Sherri Halsell, Tana Ford, Tommy Lyde, Terry Hager, Tony Smallwood, Walter Wright

....around the world

Chiv & Emara In– Ministering in Cambodia
Luke & Kas Raju– Orphanage in India
Germaine Mowery-Missionary in China
Orphanages in Kenya
Rev. Josam Kamau
Rev. Joseph & Pastor Christine Simiyu

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First United Methodist Church
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Preschool Sunday

April 15, 2018

Faith of a Child

Matthew 18:1-5

Henrietta First United Methodist Church
Dr. Keva Green, Pastor

Order of Worship

PRELUDE Teri Reese

In This Very Room

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***GREETING**

***CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP**

Call to Worship Laura Hill, Liturgist

Leader: Today is a day we remember how much Jesus loves children.

People: Thank you for the way children bring love to our lives.

Leader: Thank you God for the children of our church and community.

People: Thank you for the life and hope children bring to our church family.

Leader: Thank you that children can also teach of your love.

People: May we be open to their example and teaching.

Leader: Thank you God that all of us, young and old, are your children.

All: Thank you God for being our loving and caring Parent.

***OPENING PRAYER**

***OPENING HYMN** UMH #77

How Great Thou Art

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** UMH #881

***GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70

CHILDREN'S TIME FUMC Preschool

CALL TO PRAYER FWS #2215

I cast all my cares upon you,

I lay all of my burdens down at your feet,

And anytime that I don't know what to do,

I will cast all my cares upon you.

PASTORAL AND LORD'S PRAYER

SHARING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY ANTHEM

***DOXOLOGY**

***PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

Glorious Lord, we thank you for the many blessings you have poured out on each of us. Help us to recognize all that you have done for us. And help us to be faithful in giving back to you and sharing with others. May we honor you in all we think, say and do. Amen.

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** UMH #140

Great is Thy Faithfulness

SCRIPTURE Matthew 18:1-5

MESSAGE Dr. Keva Green

Faith of a Child

***CLOSING HYMN** UMH #378

Amazing Grace

***BENEDICTION**

***CHORAL BENEDICTION/ POSTLUDE**

FWS #2279 *Trees of the Field*

**Please stand as you are able*

Faith Walk

Memory Verse

Start children off on the way
they should go,
and even when they are old
they will not turn from it.

Proverbs 22:6

Daily Scripture Readings

Monday, April 16 – Deuteronomy 6:6-7

Tuesday, April 17 – Psalm 127:3-4

Wednesday, April 18 – Ephesians 6:1-4

Thursday, April 19 – Joshua 24:15

Friday, April 20 – Exodus 20:12

Saturday, April 21 – Colossians 3:20-21

Our VISION:

Is to serve as the heart, hands, and feet of Christ by…

- **strengthening our personal relationship with Christ daily**
- **growing internally within our church family, and**
- **connecting externally throughout our community and our world.**

Our MISSION:

is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world from the heart of Clay County.

Announcements

Adult Bible Study: The next Adult Bible Study will be on Wednesday, April 18 in the Church parlor.

Fun Bunch: April Fun Bunch will meet on Thursday the 19 at Casa Manana, 609 8th St. in Wichita Falls. You are welcome to meet at the restaurant or in the alley behind the church at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is welcome to join in on this time of fun, food, & fellowship!

Preschool Committee Meeting: There will be a Preschool Committee meeting on Monday, April 16 at 6:00 p.m.

Preschool Registration: Early registration for Preschool will be April 23-May 23. If you have any questions, you may contact Laura Hill.

VBS Volunteers: Vacation Bible School is scheduled for May 29-June 1. The theme this year is Rolling River Rampage. If you would like to volunteer for this fun & exciting summer ministry you may contact Heather Dillard or on the sign up sheet at the welcome desk.

FUMC Office Manager: We are sorry to say goodbye to our office manager, Jessi Ellsworth who is moving back to East Texas. We are in the process of looking for a new office manager. Applications are available in the church office or you may contact Annie Sims.