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July 21, 2022 Newsletter



Sunday Worship 9:30am
Sunday School Classes 10:45am

Check out the [church calendar](#)
on our website.

Coming up this week

Sunday, July 24

9:30am – Church Service
10:45am - Sunday School

Monday, July 25

Tuesday, July 26

9:00am – Prayer in the Chapel
11:00am – Staff Meeting
6:00pm Softball Diamond (KCARC)

Wednesday, July 27

Thursday, July 28

6:00pm - Softball Diamond
7:00 pm – AA Group (Pavilion)

Friday, July 29

Saturday, July 30

Pavilion (Dale)

Sunday, July 31

9:30am – Church Service
10:45am – Sunday School Classes

CHOIR PICNIC

For choir members and people who are interested in joining the choir in the fall, please come to a fellowship picnic at the church parsonage (1026 N. Quail Ridge Cir., Vincennes) on Friday, August 12. For those who want to come early and just chat, conversation will begin at 5 PM, and dinner will be served at 6 PM. Hot dogs, buns, drinks, and dinnerware will be provided. Please bring a dish to share and your lawnchair. See you there!



KETA

The KETA Backpack program is needing workers to help out. This year the event is taking place at First Christian Church, 319 Broadway St. If anyone would be available to help out these are the dates for the workdays. Also, please remember they need help for the actual event when the kids receive their backpacks on August 6th @ 9:30am. Thank you for making a child smile😊

Work Schedule:

Monday August 1 – 8am until 1pm - bag up the toiletries

Wednesday August 3 – 10am - fill high school backpacks

Wednesday, August 3 – 1pm - set out supplies for kindergarten thru second grade

Thursday, August 4 – 8am to 4pm - set out supplies for third thru eighth grade

Monetary donations are accepted and will be used for the 2023 backpack program.

Bus Ministry



Our next bus trip will be to see Dailey & Vincent a gospel/bluegrass group. They are very popular and perform all over the country including the Grand Ole Opry. We are fortunate that they will be performing at the Simon Graber Complex near Montgomery. The date is Saturday, Aug. 6. The bus will leave the church parking lot at 4pm. The bus cost is \$5 and admission is \$25 with food being available to purchase. A signup sheet is at connection table outside of the office. This should be a good evening of entertainment. If we have more than bus will hold, then we will car pool.

See Bonnie Chattin for more information or call her at 812-890-7337.

Do as I Say, Not as I Do

July 15, 2022

By Jay Therrell

When I was a little boy, I remember hanging out with a friend and his family. We were driving somewhere, and the traffic was bad. My friend's dad got frustrated and uttered a non-Methodist word. He then turned around and looked at both of us and said, "Boys, don't you repeat that word. Do as I say, not as I do."

It was the first time I had ever heard that phrase before. I got the gist of it, even at a young age. If I'm being completely honest, however, I didn't care for the idea of the statement then, and I really don't care for it now. On one level, it's a way to excuse mistakes, and we all make them – me at the top of the list. On another level, however, it's a way to excuse not having integrity. It can excuse a double standard where one party is treated preferentially over the other and often at their expense.

[READ MORE](#)

Bullying and Shaming

By Thomas Lambrecht

This annual conference season has been illuminating, demonstrating both grace-filled and grace-less behavior on the part of some bishops and annual conference leaders. Some annual conferences and bishops are bending over backwards to assist local churches and clergy move into a new reality where they most comfortably belong. Other annual conferences and bishops are bending over backwards to prevent clergy and congregations from disaffiliating from The United Methodist Church. The reality experienced by individual clergy and congregations depends upon where in the U.S. they live and hold membership.

A quintessential example of the coercion and intimidation experienced by traditionalists took place in the Florida Annual Conference the second week of June. Based on the [reporting](#) of Dr. Jack Jackson and [others](#), the Florida Board of Ordained Ministry and Bishop Ken Carter engaged in a manipulative powerplay that falls into the category of bullying. click [here](#) to read more

Options for the Future of Community if we Disaffiliate from the UMC

1. Independent
 - a. Become an independent, non-denominational church, long-term
 - b. Become an independent, non-denominational church, short-term
2. Loose Congregational Association
 - a. The Association of Independent Methodists
 - b. Congregational Methodist Church
3. Full Connectional Denomination
 - a. The Church of the Nazarene
 - b. The Wesleyan Church
 - c. Free Methodist Church
 - d. The Global Methodist Church

Click [here](#) to read the rest of the article

Staying Up to Date on the UMC and Church Disaffiliation

Everything you need to know concerning these issues can be found on our website ([Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](http://Community United Methodist Church (cumvincennes.org))). As new information is available it will be added, so check back now and then to see if anything new has been posted.

Click on the link at the top of the home page - Denomination Issues ([Denominational Issues — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

Once there you can find information on the following areas . . .

Why Separation is Unavoidable ([Why Separation is Unavoidable — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

The Postponement of General Conference 2020/2022 ([General Conference Delayed — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

The Council of Bishops Future Vision for the UMC ([UMC Perspective on Church Separation — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

The Protocol of Reconciliation and Grace Through Separation ([The Protocol of Reconciliation and Grace Through Separation — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

About the Global Methodist Church ([Information on the Global Methodist Church — Community United Methodist Church \(cumvincennes.org\)](#))

As you explore and read through these documents, websites, and videos please be in prayer for the denomination and our congregation.

Thank you and God bless,
Administrative Board



A weekly video devotional designed to challenge and encourage believers in their daily walk with the Lord.

Thanks for stopping in and may the Spirit of God be with you as you seek his face and grow in the Spirit

"Word for the Week" by Pastor Darren.

Click [here](#) to watch this weeks word.

For online giving click the [Vanco link](#)

You are welcome to mail contributions to the church at 1548 S Hart St Rd, Vincennes, IN 47591 Atten: Cindy

Sign the online [Pew Pad](#) in our website by clicking [here](#)

ONLINE WORSHIP SERVICE :

[July 3, 2022 Worship Service](#)

[July 10, 2022 Worship Service](#)

[July 17, 2022 Worship Service](#)

To view past Worship Services and Sermons, go to [Community United Methodist Church web page.](#)

Check out the [church calendar](#) page on the web site for meetings and happenings around the church.
