

**OUR PRAYERS**  
**Methodist Germantown**  
Marcelle Farrow surg 9/29

**Hospice Care**  
Dorothy Hyatt at Covington Manor

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**OUR PRESENCE**

**September 26**

Church School	46
Worship	72
Visitors	4

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**OUR GIFTS**

**September 26**

Tithes & Plate Offering	\$ 3153
Church School	\$ 21
Total Rec'd	\$ 3174

MTD	\$ 14509
YTD apportionments	\$ 22946

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**OUR SERVICE**  
**Assisting October 3**

<b>Greeters</b>	Frances Coffman Jean McCarty
<b>Liturgist</b>	Bruce Hughes
<b>Scripture</b>	Brother Paul
<b>Children's Time</b>	
<b>Lock-up</b>	Emmett Parrish


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**October Scripture Readers**

11	Judy Stanley
17	Tom Lockhart
24	Dean Tutor
31	Brother Paul



ALDRSGATE United Methodist Church  
4459 Willow Road  
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**Aldersgate Fall Festival**  
Saturday  
October 30, 2010  
8:00am - 2:00pm  
4459 Willow Road  
Books Crafts  
Furniture Food  
Art Games  
And more  
Come join the fun!  
Vendor forms available  
in the church office.

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# The Flame

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### FROM THE PASTOR

Here are some thoughts on faith as shared by David S. Baxter.

“Faith is like spiritual oxygen. As we allow faith to freely flow within us, it awakens and enlivens our spiritual senses. It breathes life into our very souls.

As faith flows, we become sensitively attuned to the whisperings of the Spirit. Our minds are enlightened, our spiritual pulse quickens, and our hearts are touched.

Faith fuels hope. Our perspective changes; our vision becomes clearer. We begin to look for the best, not the worst, in life and in others. We gain a deeper sense of life's purpose and meaning. Despair gives way to joy.”

Peace and Grace,  
Brother Paul

Scripture Reading for Oct. 3  
2 Timothy 1:1-14  
Luke 17:5-10

Sermon Title  
“Faith and Grace”

### THE WEEK AHEAD

Sun., Oct. 3 - Sat., Oct. 9

- Sun. 10/3 9:15a Fellowship Time  
9:45a Church School  
10:55a Worship  
**12:15p Church Council**
- Mon. 10/4 Noon News Deadline
- Tue. 10/5 6:30p Girl Scouts
- Wed. 10/6 9:30a Carpool to the Zoo  
6:00p Fellowship & Study  
7:30p Choir Rehearsal
- Thu. 10/7 10:00a Bible Study
- Fri. 10/8 Offices Closed
- Sat. 10/9 **9:00a Church Work Day**  
9:00a AFLS

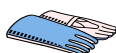
### FELLOWSHIP TIME

...at 9:15 on Oct. 3. Meet in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast goodies and fellowship. The Fidelis Class will be our hosts.



### WORK DAY PLANNED

Everyone is invited. Get out your work gloves, mops, brooms and rakes and bring your elbow grease! It is once again time to work your magic on the church and grounds! Join us on Saturday, October 9, from 9 to 12, to spruce things up around the church. There's something for everyone to do, from cleaning sinks to pulling weeds. Many hands make light work and make it much more fun, as well. See you on the 9th!



### UMW NEWS

Thanks to the hard work of Judy and our Nominating Committee, all but one slot of our 2011 officers are filled, with a perfect mixture of new and returning leaders. Installation by a District Officer will be at our December 12th Unit Meeting.

All officers, except local church and key women, will have a class at District Officers Training on Nov. 6 (place to be announced). Hopefully, you will receive a notice from your District counterpart.

Congratulations to Rebeca Ernst, who will be doing double duty as our Unit President and District Treasurer.

October will be filled with planning for 2011: we will set our 2011 goals, budget and programs, be preparing our yearbook, (we need the data for your subgroup ASAP) and if you want to change groups, please let us know right away. If you want your yearbook by email, please let Renee know.



In addition to all of this, October 17th is Children's Sabbath, a must to be a platinum Unit. Aleita Tutor is in charge.

We have recently learned from several sources that Aldersgate is considered one of the leading Units in our entire Conference! Please give a big thank you to all our officers, new and returning, for their hard work to make this possible.

And remember to welcome this year's three new members: Joan Oyoo, Cindy Pilkinton and Miki Craft, (a former Aldersgate UMW President and one of our few members who ever attended UMW National Assembly).

**P.S.** Did you see in the UM Reporter that two of the three hymns we chose on UMW Sunday, "Hymn of Promise" and "Here I Am, Lord", were in the top 10 of a national survey of favorite hymns?



### MAKING STRIDES AGAINST BREAST CANCER WALK COMING UP

Call Barbara if you are interested in being on the Aldersgate Team in this year's "Making Strides Against Breast Cancer" walk on Saturday, Oct. 16, starting at 9 a.m., at Cancer Survivor's Park, 701 Perkins Ext.

Thanks to you and the many others who participate and donate, we're getting closer to a world where breast cancer never steals another year from anyone's life.

This event is not a race, it's a celebration of survivorship, an expression of hope and a shared goal to end this disease.

There is no registration fee or minimum fundraising amount. People of all ages are welcome to participate.

Whether this will be your first event or your 15th, it can't be done without you. Call Barbara today, 746-8949, and join the Aldersgate team!

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Think of giving as an art,  
the paintbrush of God on your heart.

### GOING PLACES!

**Senior Day at the Zoo - Oct. 6**

Carpool from church at 9:30 Parking, admission and tram are free. Lunch on the way back to the church. Sign up on the kitchen bulletin board or call the church office, 683-8861, and please let us know if you will drive. ~ ~ ~ ~ ~

**Charlene's in Halls & Covington - Nov. 4**  
**Branson at Christmas - Nov. 30 - Dec. 3**

Reservations must be made NOW for these trips. Call Carolyn to reserve your spot, 861-084.



### ONLY TWO MORE PLANNING SESSIONS UNTIL FALL FESTIVAL

...Oct. 10 at 12:15, lunch provided, and Oct. 25 at 8:30am. Ideas and assistance wanted. If you or a friend are interested in a booth, forms are available in the church office.

...and remember the **book sale!** We need books, books, books! Clean out those book shelves and boxes in the attic and bring them to the Health Room at the church or call Barbara for pick-up, 746-8949.



...and remember the **bake sale!** Get out your aprons and favorite goodies recipes and bake, bake, bake. The more, the better!

...and remember to **invite** your family, friends, neighbors and co-workers. There will be something for everyone—live music, games, book sale, flu shots, bake sale, estate sale, and much, much more.



### FAITH THAT SINGS: A CONCERT OF HYMNS

...will be presented by Second Presbyterian Church's Chancel Choir and Orchestra on Sunday, October 10, at 4 p.m. This concert will feature hymns, from the majestic to the contemplative. Arrangements will include *Be Still My Soul*, *In Christ Alone*, *Morning has Broken* and more. To learn more, go on the web at [music@2pc.org](mailto:music@2pc.org) or call 454-0034.

### TEA & TOUR FOR SENIORS AT THE BROOKS

"Picturing America", November 4 and "Spirituality in Art", Dec. 16, both beginning at 1:30p, will feature selections from the Brooks permanent collection. There will be drawings for museum mementos and tea service accompanied by music in the Brushmark Restaurant. Reservations are required. \$3 per person. RSVP to 544-6244.














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October 2010

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Offices Closed	2 9:00 AFLS 2:00p Bedwell Shower @ the Scheirers' 
3 9:15a Fellowship Time 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 12:15p Church Council 6:00p Women of Zion	4 Noon News Deadline	5	6 <b>Senior Day at the Zoo</b> 6:00p Fellowship & Study 7:30p Choir Rehearsal	7 10:00 Bible Study	8 UMW World Community Day-Church Women United Offices Closed	9 9:00 AFLS 9:00 Church Work Day 1:00p Barbeque at Macedonia UMC 
10 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 12:15p Outreach/Missions and Fall Festival Planning w/lunch	11 Columbus Day  Noon News Deadline	12 10:00a Koinonia/Rebecca 7:00p Love Hope	13 6:00 Angelfood Orders 6:00p Fellowship & Study 7:30p Choir Rehearsal	14 10:00 Bible Study	15 Offices Closed	16 9:00 AFLS 9:00a Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk @ Survivor's Park 
17 <b>Children's Sabbath</b> 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 12:15p UMW Executive Cmte. 12:30p Angelfood Orders	18 Noon News Deadline	19 <b>Directory Photos</b> 	20 6:00p Fellowship & Study 7:30p Choir Rehearsal	21 10:00 Bible Study	22 Offices Closed	23 9:00a UMW Program Planning 9:00a AFLS 10:00a Angelfood Distribution Golf Tournament 
24 8:30a Fall Festival Planning 9:45a Sunday School 10:55a Worship 2 to 3p Trick or Trunk 	25 Noon News Deadline 	26 <b>Directory Photos</b>  6:30p Charge Conference	27 6:00p Fellowship & Study 7:30p Choir Rehearsal 	28 10:00 Bible Study	29 Offices Closed	30  <b>8 to 2 Fall Festival</b>

31 **All Hallow's Eve**  
9:45a Sunday School  
10:55a Worship



**Sign up for Church Directory Photos**

Yes! Its time! Its happening this month! We are preparing a new church directory! Photo dates are Oct. 19th and 26th. Please pick a convenient time, between 2:30 and 9 p.m. on these dates, for your family to have pictures taken with Life Touch. All will be done digitally so you will get to choose your directory photos immediately. Also, please be sure your information is correct on church records—address, phone, cell, email. We want everything to be current when the directories are printed.





## Happy Birthday

Oct. 1	Joyce Kernodle Amberlee McCollum Teresa McMullin Keith Wilson
2	Kathy Haggard Clifford Watson
3	Kathryn Ragan Amanda Robertson
4	Don Speraw
7	Lois Fagan Frances Molnar Betty Ray
9	Frances Coffman Evelyn Goddard
10	Tucker Schneider
11	Keith Coffman
13	Karl Hughes
15	Jamie Craft
16	Sharon Lockhart
20	Dixie Bradshaw
22	Tonya Mabry
23	Michael Fergie Rhonda Hicks Marsha Lewis
26	Earl Galloway
31	Rick Robbins

Please help us keep our records current. If there are any omissions or errors, please call the church office.



## Happy Anniversary

Oct. 18	Gary & Laura Schneider
26	Tom & Sharon Lockhart

### ASSISTING IN OCTOBER

<b>Greeters</b> .....	Lou Pennington Sue Swett
<b>Liturgist</b> .....	Bruce Hughes
<b>Scripture</b> .....	Brother Paul Judy Stanley Tom Lockhart Dean Tutor
<b>Children's Time</b> .....	
<b>Lock-up</b> .....	Emmett Parrish



# OCTOBER 2010 MENU

Christmas and Thanksgiving Boxes Now Available for Delivery during November and December Distribution!!!

### B2 - Bit O' Blessing Box

- 2 lb. Fully Cooked Entrée (Lasagna with Meat Sauce, Country Fried Steak with Gravy or Chicken Noodle Casserole)
- 1.5 lb. Breaded Chicken Nuggets
- 12 in. Supreme Pizza
- 1 lb. Hot Dogs
- 1 lb. Lean Ground Beef
- 1 lb. Broccoli Florets
- 1 lb. Corn
- 1 lb. Rice
- Dessert

**\$21.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### B4 - Fast & Flavorful Cuisine

Convenience meals great for seniors and people living with diabetes!

Ten perfectly seasoned, nutritionally balanced, fully-cooked meals - just heat and serve. Each meal has been developed with dietary needs of senior citizens and people living with diabetes in mind.

- Boneless Pork Patty w/Hickory BBQ Sauce
- Country Herb Chicken
- Fish Fillet
- Macaroni & Cheese
- Meat Lasagna
- Breaded Chicken Parmigiana
- Spaghetti With Meatballs
- Sweet 'n Sour Pulled Pork
- Chicken and Penne with Creamy Tomato/Basil Sauce
- Pot Roast with Vegetables

**\$28.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### S1 - OCTOBER SPECIAL #1 \$25.00\*

- Steak Combo Box (5 lbs.)
- 2 lb. Ribeye Steaks (4 x 8 oz.)
- 3 lb. Sirloin Strip Steaks (6 x 8 oz.)

### S2 - OCTOBER SPECIAL #2 \$35.00\*

- Seafood Variety Box (6 lbs.)
- 16 oz. Buffalo Butterfly Shrimp (Oven Ready)
- 20 oz. (10) Stuffed Crab in Natural Shell (Oven Ready)
- 16 oz. Battered Fish (Oven Ready)
- 16 oz. Tilapia
- 11 oz. 2 Stuffed Salmon Portions
- 17 oz. (4) Crab Cakes (Oven Ready)

### S3 - OCTOBER SPECIAL #3 \$23.00\*

- Premium Fresh Fruit and Veggie Box
- 3 lb. Red Potatoes
- 3 lb. Sweet Potatoes
- 2 lb. Yellow Onions
- 3 lb. Tangerines
- 1 lb. Cello Carrots
- 1 Head Green Cabbage
- 1 Head Cello Lettuce
- 1 Golden Ripe Pineapple
- 1 6-Pack Apple Sauce Cups
- 2 Green Peppers
- 4 Navel Oranges
- 4 Pears
- 1 AFM Fruit and Veggie Recipe Sheet

\*all prices are plus sales tax where applicable

### B1 - Bread of Life Signature Box

Balanced nutrition and variety with enough food to help feed a family of four for about a week.

- 4 lb. IQF Chicken Drums & Thighs Combo
- 1.5 lb. Hamburger Patties (4 x 6 oz.)
- 1.75 lb. Fully-Cooked Breaded Party Wings
- 20 oz. Steak Fajitas
- 1 lb. Battered Fish Bites
- 1 lb. Lean Ground Beef
- 7 oz. Beef Link Sausage
- 1 lb. Fajita Blend Veggies
- 1 lb. Peas & Carrots
- 1 lb. Corn
- 20 oz. Shoe String Fries
- 1 lb. 16 Bean Soup Mix
- 1 lb. Rice
- 7.25 oz. Mac & Cheese
- 7.5 oz. Corn Muffin Mix
- 32 oz. 2% Shelf-Stable Milk
- 1 Dozen Eggs
- 1 Dessert

**\$31.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### B5 - Just 4 Me After School Box

An assortment of child-friendly snacks. Great for after school or any time.

- 1 lb. Breaded Chicken Rings
- 1 lb. Mini Corn Dogs
- 1 (14 oz.) Stuffed Breadsticks
- 2 (2.8 oz.) Peanut Butter & Jelly Jamwich
- 1 (16 oz.) Stuffed Sandwiches (Pk of 4)
- 3 (5 oz.) Pigs in a Blanket
- 2 (3.7 oz.) Charbroiled Beef & Cheese Sandwiches (Twin Packs)
- 1 (4.75 oz.) Pancakes & Sausage
- 2 (2.2 oz.) PBJ On Graham Wafers

**\$24.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### S5 - OCTOBER SPECIAL #5 \$36.00\*

Thanksgiving Box - for delivery in November

- 7.5 lb. (avg.) All Natural Perdue Roasting Hen
- 3 lb. Boneless Netted Ham Roast
- 12 oz. Corn Bread Stuffing Mix (2 packages x 6 oz. = 12 servings)
- 1 lb. Frozen Cranberries
- 12 ct. Mini Corn Cobettes
- 2 lb. Green Beans
- 2 lb. Diced Sweet Potatoes
- 12 ct. Whole Wheat Dinner Rolls
- 1.7 oz. Brown Gravy Mix (2 packages x .87 oz. = 2 cups gravy)
- Dessert
- Recipes and Cooking Instructions

#### Orders Due/Distribution Day:

Contact Your Local Host Site  
\*Please contact your local host site for information or visit our website to locate a host site near you  
www.angelfoodministries.com

## NEW!!!

### B3 - Bountiful Blessing Box

- 4 lb. IQF Chicken Drums & Thighs Combo
- 2 lb. Chicken Stir Fry Skillet Meal
- 1.5 lb. Hamburger Patties (4 x 6 oz.)
- 1.75 lb. Fully-Cooked Breaded Party Wings
- 1 lb. NY Beef Wieners
- 20 oz. Steak Fajitas
- 1 lb. Battered Fish Bites
- 1 lb. Lean Ground Beef
- 28 oz. Fettuccini Chicken Alfredo with Broccoli
- 7 oz. Beef Link Sausage
- 1 lb. Fajita Blend Veggies
- 1 lb. Green Beans
- 1 lb. Peas & Carrots
- 1 lb. Corn
- 20 oz. Shoe String Fries
- 1 lb. 16 Bean Soup Mix
- 1 lb. Rice
- 7.25 oz. Mac & Cheese
- 7.5 oz. Corn Muffin Mix
- 2 lb. Fresh Apples
- 8 oz. Breakfast Cereal
- 32 oz. 2% Shelf-Stable Milk
- Dozen Eggs
- Dessert

**\$41.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### Back by Popular Demand

#### B6 - Allergen Free Food Box

- 1 lb. Breaded Chicken Breast Nuggets
- 1 lb. Breaded Chicken Tenderloins
- 1 lb. Breaded Breast Fillet Patties
- 1 lb. Breaded Boneless Chicken Wings
- 1 lb. Breaded Cubed Steak

**\$25.00**

(plus sales tax where applicable)

### S4 - OCTOBER SPECIAL #4 \$36.00\*

Christmas Box - for delivery in December

- 7.5 lb. (avg.) All Natural Perdue Roasting Hen
- 3 lb. Boneless Netted Ham Roast
- 12 oz. Corn Bread Stuffing Mix (2 packages x 6 oz. = 12 servings)
- 1 lb. Frozen Cranberries
- 12 ct. Mini Corn Cobettes
- 2 lb. Green Beans
- 2 lb. Diced Sweet Potatoes
- 12 ct. Whole Wheat Dinner Rolls
- 1.7 oz. Brown Gravy Mix (2 packages x .87 oz. = 2 cups gravy)
- Dessert
- Recipes and Cooking Instructions

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