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VOLUME 19, ISSUE 48 THE NEWSLETTER OF, FOR AND ABOUT THE MINISTRIES OF PARKWAY HILLS UMC WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2009

PARKWAY HILLS WEEKLY CALENDAR

Thursday, December 10, 2009

4:00 pm Jr. High Bible Study
6:00 pm Women's Bible Study

Sunday, December 13, 2009

Adult Christmas Cantata at both services

8:30 am Blue Jean Worship Service
9:45 am Sunday School
10:45 am Morning Worship Service
4:00 pm Boy Scouts
5:00 pm Sunday Night Youth

Monday, December 14, 2009

9:00 am Women's Bible Study
12:00 pm Prayer Quilt Ministry
4:00 pm SYNAGO

Wednesday, December 16, 2009

No Wednesday Night Dinner or Activities

Thursday, December 17, 2009

9:30 am GUM goes to Bethlehem Center
4:00 pm Jr. High Bible Study
6:00 pm Women's Bible Study

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday thru Thursday — 8:30 to 4:30

Friday — 8:30 to 12:00

RICHARD ROBBINS, SENIOR PASTOR
DAVID MORRIS, YOUTH MINISTER/ASSOCIATE PASTOR
PHILIP MESSNER, MINISTER OF MUSIC
CYNTHIA GIBBS, DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY MINISTRY
TINA OATES, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT
CATHY ROBERTSON, FINANCIAL ASSISTANT

**This Sunday
December 13th
8:30 & 10:45 services**

**The Adult Choir presenting
"Christmas Mosaic"**

...a musical portrait of the very essence of Christmas. "Christmas Mosaic" incorporates songs that span generations and expresses the broad spectrum of the moods we all feel at Christmas—a holy hush; quiet introspection and jubilant praise.





Angel Tree

Remaining Angel Tree Needs

- 4 Angels still on the tree
- 2 sets of bunk beds
- 2 twin beds

Please call the church office or Debbie Craft at 601-856-6338 if you can donate these bigger items.

Children's Music Thanks

A special thanks to all of the Children, from ages 3-4 years old to 6th grade, who worked hard to prepare and perform their Christmas story presentations this past Sunday night. It was a spectacular evening.

A great deal of hard work goes into preparation for these music programs and our Wednesday night MPKids mission programming. Thank you to all of the volunteers who make this possible and especially those who direct the efforts of all involved. Without all of our wonderful volunteers we would not have the Children's Music and Mission programming that we are blessed to have.

Mark your calendars to start Wednesday night activities again on January 13th!



Sunday, December 27th
and
Sunday, January 3rd

We will have **ONE** worship service at 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School held at the regular time.

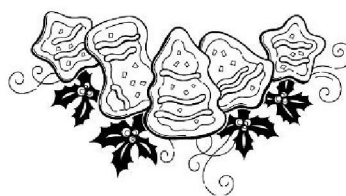
Expressions of Love and Sympathy to Those Who Have Lost Loved Ones:

Neil Olack & Family, on the death of his mother, Josephine Olack.

Hispanic Ministry Opportunity

The Fellowship and Pathfinders Sunday School classes are asking everyone to help provide cookies for the Hispanic Ministry's program. This ministry is called Las Posadas which will be held at the First United Methodist Church of Canton on Friday, **December 18th**. Please bring your cookies to the church office by December 17th.

Las Posadas is held from 7 to 9 pm if you would like to attend or you can come at 5 pm to help stuff stockings. For more information call Debbie Craft at 601-624-1365



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are invited
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and enjoy a morning of games, crafts, songs and FUN!!!

All proceeds will fund PHUMC youth summer trips.

Must let David know by Wednesday, December 16th.

****Cut off date for turning three years old: 8/31/09****



Wednesday Nights will resume January 13th, 2010

Stewardship Report

As of December 7th, we have received 108 pledge cards totaling \$538,734. Thanks for your response. If you have not yet turned in your pledge card, it is not too late. Please bring your card on Sunday or drop it in the mail.

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Prayer Quilt Ministry

The Prayer Quilt Ministry will have quilts in the Sanctuary this Sunday, December 13th.

The quilts were made for children at the Christians in Action shelter for abused children. Please take a minute to stop and pray for each child's specific request and tie a square knot on the quilt. We will take the quilts to the shelter to wrap the children in your prayers.

Record of Our Faithfulness Sunday, December 6, 2009

Attendance: 8:30 am – 92 10:45 am – 176 SS – 144
Amount Received: \$20,730.25
Amount needed each week to fulfill our ministry: \$16,657

Year-to-date – November 2009
Income \$700,718.09 Expenses \$713,485.77

This Sunday's Worship Services Sunday, December 13, 2009

*Zephaniah 3:14-20; Isaiah 12:2-6; Philippians 4:4-7;
Luke 3:7-18*

Acolytes 8:30.....Anna Sanders
Acolytes 10:45.....Mallory Burson, Laura Turner
Nursery Volunteer.....Phyllis Nowicki
Extended Session.....Matthew & Molly Kirk
Greeters 8:30.....Johnny & Deanie Fanning
Greeters 10:45.....Alan & Janet Leach, The Templeton Family
Welcome Team.....Debbie Craft, Jerry & Carla Smith
Ushers 8:30.....Robert Abney, Dewey Boles,Dave Cannimore, Steve Lewis, Charles Smith
Ushers 10:45.....David Bowers, Justyn Dixon,Matthew Kirk, Kyle Miller, Rick Moore, Bob Russell
Offering Counters.....Teresa Chappell, Ben Williams
Youth Snack.....Mark & Lisa Sandefur

Prayer Concerns

Elisha Adcox
Betsy Yarbrough's daughter
Jay Alexander
Kevin & Tiffni's friend
Jim & Ruby Atwell
Terri Cribb's friends
Mary Lou Ballard
Marilyn Collins' friend
Eric Baumgartner (Iraq)
Kermit & Julie Baumgartner's son
Bruce Bohne
David & Margo Bowers' friend
Catharine Brackens
Caroline King's mother-in-law
Gordon Brown
Terri Cribb's friend
Annie Browne
Judy Loper's mother
Brian & Alison Chapman
Bob & Kay Abney's friends
Betsy Clarke
Nita Miller's co-worker
Marjorie Coker
Paul Hegwood's mother
Ronnie Coleman
Horace & Betsy Yarbrough's nephew
Anne Cook
Charles & Sandra Guess' friend
Bill Cook
Bob & Kay Abney's friend
Mary Dent Deaton
Paul Nader's aunt
Lisa Dirckx
Dionna Howard's friend
Nell Dismuke
Lisa McLain's mother
Judd Drewry
Jan Brister's father
Linda Fancher
Libby Fain
Terri Cribb's friend
Bill Farris
Ron Farris' brother
Sherry Felder
Sarah Watts' mother
Al & Carol Fielder
Gene & Barbara Kreuz's friend
Shirley Flatt
Ann Fornet
Gene & Barbara Kreuz's friend
Henry Fox
Scotty Irby's friend
Larry Franck
Bob & Kay Abney's friend
Robert & Emogene Fudge
Cathy Robertson's parents
Claudia Fugler
J. O. Gibbs
Chris Gibbs' grandfather
Demetris Gibson
Janet & Alan Leach's brother-in-law
Will Graves
Mark & Lisa McLain's friend
Tom Guest
Lucy Slaughter's father
Melinda Haddad's Family
Rick Kolar's co-worker
Betsy Hardy
Beth Duff's mother
Alice Harvell
Terri Cribb's aunt
Rexine Henry
Rick & Sherry Dallas' friend
The Horne Family
Lucy Slaughter's sister
Leonard Horton
Allen Williams' co-worker
Linda Carol Hudson
Bruce Kirkland's sister
Mary Lee Johnson
Delone & Cathy Wilson's friend

Marilyn Kagelmacher
Lynn Dean's mother
Madeline Kelly
Susan Taylor's co-worker's daughter
Tammy Lass
Rick Moore's friend
Joyce Leonard
Wayne Johnson's sister
Georgi Marlowe
Lisa Sanderfur's brother
Sabrina Martin
Marilyn Collins' friend
Jo Ann MaxLiner
Wayne Jones' sister
Mitch McCaskill
Nita Miller's nephew
Melinda McClinton
Debbie Burson's friend
Don McConnell
Jim & Cathy's Robertson's brother-in-law
Bo McLeod (Iraq)
Angie Williams' brother
Bill McMonus
Paul Nader's brother-in-law
Laura Moon
Casey & Corey Allen's friend
Evelyn Moore
Ron Farris' relative
Tim Moore
Ann Moore's brother
Manita Morgan & Family
Debbie Case's friends
Opal Pace
Teresa Whitehead's mother
Johnny Peet
Pat Franklin's friend
Jewel Pettus
Terri Cribb's friend
Roxann Reidel
Tina White's cousin
Roy & Pat Ryals
Angie Ryals' parents
Cynthia Sherman
Susan Taylor's friend
Debra Shultz
Bob & Darlene Roberts' neighbor
Lucy Slaughter
Louise Johnson's daughter-in-law
Geneva Smith
Boyce Christopher's friend
Dorothy Stegura
Margo Bowers' mother
Harry & Kathleen Stroud
Terri Cribb's friends
Matthew Sullivan
Mary Evelyn Harper's nephew
Dot Taylor
Jeana Taylor's mother
Peggy Taylor
Lisa Agent's aunt
Susan Taylor (Bruce & Susan)
Paula Ticcio
Dave Cannimore's friend
Michelle Villarrubia
Savannah McDonald's friend
Gene Wardlaw
Beth Taylor's friend
Martha Weatherall
Mark McLain's aunt
Andrew White
Evelyn White
Thomas White's mother
Bob Wilkinson
Henry & Lisa Agent's friend
Trent & Kay Williams
Nan Tarlton's friends
Lee Wyse

Family & Friends of Melvin Bolland

**For our nation, our leaders, our service men/women and their families and the conflicts in Iraq and around the world. For those in nursing homes or homebound. For our church. For each other. For ourselves.*