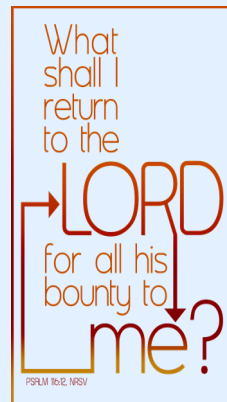


Handley Happenings

Jan 8, 2018

OPEN HEARTS OPEN MINDS OPEN DOORS
The People of the United Methodist Church



Our Gifts & Presence Sunday, Jan 7, 2018

Total Worship.....	49
Total Sunday School.....	18
Budget	\$2955

Greetings, and Happy New Year!!

I pray all of you were able to enjoy a wonderful, meaningful Christmas season with friends and family as we once again welcomed the Christ Child into our lives and into our hearts! A very sincere and heart-felt "Thank you" from me and the staff for the very generous Christmas bonus checks! They were certainly very much appreciated. Also appreciated is this congregation's love and support for all of the staff all of the time. It is truly an honor to serve this congregation.

I hope your New Year has begun well, and in particular, better than mine! I've been diagnosed with pneumonia, so you may not see me around for a couple of weeks until I feel it is safe to be around all of you. However, because of the enormous pool of talent in this congregation, I know you are in good hands. A HUGE thank you to Rev. Judy Richmond for taking my place at the last minute this past Sunday.

This week, we should be welcoming Bruce back from his travels to Myanmar (Burma), where he chose to spend a couple of weeks on vacation. Let's all pray that U.S. Customs allows him back into the country!!

While church happenings resume their regular schedule, the office staff will be particularly busy getting end-of-Year reports completed. Please keep us in your prayers as we work to accurately enumerate the reality of this congregation and lift up it's fruitfulness.

You all hold a special place in my heart, and I really look forward to being back with you very soon! Take care and do all that you can to avoid pneumonia - it's not much fun!

Blessings,

Pastor Sally

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Our official Stewardship Campaign will begin Sunday, January 14 and go through Sunday, January 28, 2018, and headed up again this year by Mike Williams. (We will give/send out Estimate cards beginning Sunday.) Thank you all for the things you do as well as your gifts throughout the year!

Jan 1, 2018 -- Dec 31, 2018 Estimate of Giving



Stewardship

The Apostle Paul said, “Give according to your means, provided there is an eager desire to give. God accepts what a man has; he does not ask for what he has not. There is no question of relieving others at the cost of hardship to yourselves: it is a question of equality” —2 Corinthians 8: 12-14.

Paul also said, “ Each person should give as he had decided for himself, there should be no reluctance, no sense of compulsion; God loves a cheerful giver”—2 Corinthians 9:7.

“Faith, if it does not lead to action, it is in itself a lifeless thing.” —James 2:17

Please fill out this portion and keep for your records. Return the lower portion on or before Jan. 28, 2018. Your estimate helps the church to plan for the year’s projects and needs.

I/We are going to estimate giving \$ _____, per week/month/year (Circle one) to the ministries of Handley United Methodist Church.

Date returned: _____

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Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Work _____

Signature: _____

UTA Wesley Foundation
311 UTA Blvd.
Arlington, TX 76010

United Methodist Women
Handley United Methodist Church
2929 Forest Avenue
Fort Worth, TX 76112

Dear Friends:

Thank you for your generous food donations to the Wesley Foundation to help feed our hungry group during finals week. This is a stressful week for our students, and it is great to be able to offer a place of relaxation and energizing snacks. We appreciate friends such as you who eagerly and willingly respond to our requests.

As a campus ministry, we depend upon the generosity of friends such as you to ensure that our students have every opportunity to grow in their spiritual lives and find the transforming power of Jesus Christ for the sake of the world.

Your faithful support of the Wesley Foundation is greatly appreciated!

Blessing,
Thank you, ladies!

Joseph

Rev. Joseph Nader
Director



In Memory Of
Stanley Wilson
(Ann Baldwin's brother)
from
Ann Burge
Wade & Elvie Walker



In honor of...

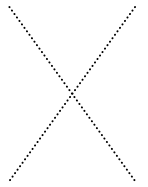
*In honor of our Friends at
Handley UMC . And in Memory of
those who have gone before us.*

John & Jackie McIntosh

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Meetings & Events Schedule

Jan 2018



January 9
Mail Out Newsletter

January 10
Backpack Buddies
Wonderful Wednesday

January 14
Begin Stewardship
Campaign

January 15
Office Closed for MLK Day
Trustees / Finance Meet

January 17
Backpack Buddies
Wonderful Wednesday

January 22
Friendship Circle

January 23
Grace Circle
Mail Out Newsletter & Calendar

January 24
Backpack Buddies
Wonderful Wednesday

January 28
UMW Sunday
& Fundraiser Lunch
+ Admin Council

January 31
Backpack Buddies
Wonderful Wednesday

Usher Schedule

01/07—Glenn Estes' Group
01/14—Bob Whitt's Group

Sunday's Service:

"Come and See"
John 1:43-51

