UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, October 27th
Sunday Live Worship, 10 am, Sanctuary
https://www.youtube.com/user/PiratesoftheColumbia
(Click the "LIVE" link in the tool bar to see recent
worship services, as well)

Sunday, October 27th Tailgate Trunk or Treat, 4:30 – 6 pm, Parking Lot

Sunday, November 24th All-Church Potluck, 11 am, Ida Payne

Sunday, November 24th All-Church Conference, 12:30 pm, Youth Chapel

Friday News 10/25

During this worship series called *Extravagant Generosity*, some of our church friends are telling us about their joy in giving to the church, and not just their dollars. Audrey Manley and Debra Reeve, speaking also on behalf of their husbands Cory Manly and Vic Reeve, mentioned sharing their time, talent and treasure. In addition to their treasure, their money, they give their time and abilities to serve on committees, make music, and feed the hungry, among many other things.

They are not alone! So many people give in so many good and wonderful ways, making this church a great place of ministry of all kinds. Thank you to all who minister in any of these things.

Have you found the place where you can be part of the ministry? God has certainly equipped you with the knowledge and abilities to do something good, even if you do not yet know what that good thing is.

Think about the things you do regularly in other parts of your life that give you satisfaction. Is it balancing your checkbook? Organizing a closet? Finding the best contractor to fix something in your home? Setting a table for a holiday meal? Sitting quietly with someone who is lonely? Talking to

people on the phone? KFUMC needs people who can do all these things, in addition to those who provide music, lead prayer, and other more visible ministries.

Right now, I am the chair of your Nominations Committee—a committee that currently has no members except me! I am looking for people who would enjoy and find meaning by serving on our Facilities Ministry Team, our Finance Ministry Team, our Staff Parish Ministry Team, and on the Nominations Ministry Team, and several other places as well.

Do the things you enjoy doing fit with any of these ministry needs? Are you willing to share your time and talent in these ways? If yes, or if you have questions, please let me know! Email, texts, or phone calls are all good. Talk with Cheryl in the church office, or leave a message on voice mail any time! You can call the church office 24/7 and our trusty machines will capture your message. Call 509-582-2163 ext. 102 to leave a message for me!

One of the things I enjoy most about working in the church is working alongside people with their varied skills, abilities and interests. Their willingness to share what they can is both inspirational and a blessing many times over. I look forward to seeing your in action—KFUMC needs you!

The apostle Paul reminds us why we need everyone's contribution in 1 Corinthians 12

¹⁷ If the whole body were an eye, where would the sense of hearing be? If the whole body were an ear, where would the sense of smell be? ¹⁸ But in fact God has placed the parts in the body, every one of them, just as he wanted them to be. ¹⁹ If they were all one part, where would the body be? ²⁰ As it is, there are many parts, but one body.

The church is the living Body of Christ, and each of us members of it. Thanks for sharing the part of you that we need, and for bringing the rest of you so we can love all of you as Christ's siblings!

Pastor Shirley

Please Open: Flyer 10-25

10/27
Extravagant Generosity
"Bucket Lists:
Visions & Hopes are
Inspirations of the Heart"

Scriptures: Joel 2:28 Colossians 3:1 Matthew 6:33

Trunk or Treat

Invite your friends, family, co-workers, and neighbors to bring their children to join us for our annual Trunk or Treat on **Friday**, **October 27th from 4:30 – 6 pm.** Candy donations are still needed for this event. The donation drop-off is in the church narthex. Thank you to everyone who has already donated.

Fall Grounds Clean-Up

The Facilities Team is asking for your help in our annual Fall Clean-Up! The date has been set for **Saturday**, **November 16th**, **from 9:00- Noon**. The focus will be raking leaves, trimming shrubs, and general tidying up of the exterior church grounds, around the office, and the parsonage.

Please dress warmly, bring your gloves, rakes, hoes, shears, and other gardening tools that may be helpful. Any able-bodied friends and family are welcome to join us. We will have hot coffee, cocoa, and pastry to sustain us through the morning.

Every clean-up participant will be entered into a drawing for a fantastic fall gift basket! Come, show your landscaping prowess and test your luck in the drawing.

Pep's Bean Soup for Sale

Pep's Bean Soup is for sale in the church office for \$9.00/bag.

Burro Naming Contest

Congratulations to **Bob Kelly** who won this contest. The name of the burro is "**Zebedee.**" Zebedee was a fisherman whose sons followed Jesus, and his name means gift of God.

Blankets Made by Piecemakers

The blankets you see in the entryway on Sunday will go to Safe Harbor Crisis Nursery, Salvation Army, the Tri-City Union Gospel Mission, Marine Toys for Tots, and Linus through "Discount Sew and Vac."

All-Church Conference

The All-Church Conference will occur on **Sunday, November 24th** at **Noon immediately following the All-Church Potluck starting at 11 am.** All church members may vote, if you are not a member and wish to become one, or if you want to verify your membership, please contact the church office at 509-582-2163. More information will be announced later.

Church Office Staff Meetings

The Church Office meets for a Staff Meeting the first and third Tuesdays of every month from 10 am - Noon. The office is closed 10 am - 1:00 pm on those days.



EXTRAVAGANT GENEROSITY TOPIC SELECTION FROM OUR LIBRARY

170.4 SIM	FIFTY-TWO SIMPLE WAYS TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE	SIMON, PAUL	į
177.1 CON	RANDOM ACTS OF KINDNESS		Ī
223.8 STE	IS THIS ALL THERE IS TO LIFE?	STEDMAN, RAY C.	į
226.5 WIL	SECRETS OF THE VINE	WILKINSON, BRUCE	1
226.9 LUC	THE APPLAUSE OF HEAVEN	LUCADO, MAX	
232.9 JON	JESUS IN BLUE JEANS	JONES, LAURIE BETH	į
234.13 BRI	THE FRUIT OF THE SPIRIT	BRISCOE, STUART	į
261.8 BEA	BEYOND HUNGER	BEA	İ
267.23 MCC	SOLD OUT: BECOMING A MAN ENOUGH TO MAKE A D	MCCARTNEY, BILL	1
277.7 PER	SACRAMENTAL COCOA	PERRY	1
361.6 HAN	HANDS TO WORK		Ţ
FIC JAC	WHERE DO I GO?	JACKSON, NETA	į
254.8chr	Not Your Parents' Offering Plate: A New Vision for Financia	J. Clif Christopher	Ţ

ALSO CONSIDER PURCHASING TO READ:

- Practicing Extravagant Generosity: Daily Readings on the Grace of Giving, by Robert Schnase
- A Spirituality of Fundraising, by Henri J. M. Nouwen and accompanying workbook by Nathan Ball
- Committed to Christ: Six Steps to a Generous Life (Living Your Commitment to Christ) by Bob Crossman