

ST. ANDREW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH PANAMA CITY, FLORIDA PRESENTS:



WONDER

THE MOVIE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2018
AT 6:15PM IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

EVERYONE WELCOME!
#CHOOSEKIND

UPCOMING BIBLE STUDY:

“METHODIST MATTERS”

WEDNESDAYS AT 6PM

STARTING SEPTEMBER 19 - OCTOBER 10

PARLOR

LEADER: REV. JOHN O. BLOUNT

For more information please contact the church office by phone or email
(850) 785-1564 | office@sa-umc.com

Join us for Wednesday night dinners at 5PM. The cost is \$20 for immediate family, \$7 for individual adults and \$3.50 for children under 10. Remember to sign up for dinner on the Sunday pew pads or by calling the church office by 3:00 on Tuesdays. Many dinners are catered by Po' Folks and we only get as many servings as are ordered. This Wednesday, the Youth Team will serve baked chicken, baked potato, macaroni and cheese, salad, tea and coffee. Please bring your favorite dessert to share.

24 HOUR LIFELINES

Life Management Center of Northwest FL, Inc:
(850) 522-4485

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline:
(800) 273-8255

FALL FESTIVAL MEETING

Join us for a Fall Festival planning meeting following the worship service today in the fellowship hall. We will have a fish fry, bazaar, firetruck for the children, games, and a “Trunk or Treat”. For more information contact MaryBeth Barnett at 867-9468.

GREETING CARD

Our UMW invites you to participate in a greeting card ministry providing encouragement to our military. To participate, sign a Christmas or general card & write a note. **DO NOT SEAL** the envelope. Cards due Nov 5. Contact Peggy Kundo at 819-4332 or peggykundo@knology.net for more information.

MEN'S CLUB

Tuesday, Sept 11th at 6:00 pm.



ST. ANDREW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 2018-2019

FEATURING:
DAVID OTT & KARA BISHOP

SEPTEMBER 23 @ 6PM

ST. ANDREW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
2001 W 11th St, Panama City, FL 32401
www.sa-umc.com

Don't forget to renew your patron membership for Music @ St. Andrew. Patron tickets (good for 2) will remain \$50 for the entire season. Tickets per concert are \$5.00 per person and students are free. Checks should be made out to SAUMC with the memo notation: Music @ St. Andrew.

READ TO ACHIEVE

Read to Achieve volunteers meet Wednesdays and Thursdays at 3:30 pm. Call, Kathy Dykes, 265-2393, if you have any questions.

FINANCE MEETING

Monday, Sept 10th at 5:00 pm

SPRC MEETING

Wednesday, Sept 12th at 1:00

OUR STAFF

Pastor: John O. Blount
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Minister of Nurture & Outreach: Ontonio Christie
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Volunteer Youth Leader: Ken Barnett
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Organist: Thera Harris

Pianist: Dr. Carolyn Joy Wilson

Custodian: Jack Cunningham

Nursery Supervisor: Dianne Bragdon

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ST. ANDREW
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

PRECIOUS
IN HIS SIGHT

-THE SANCTITY OF LIFE

GENESIS 1:27-31 | JOHN 3:16



16th Sunday after Pentecost
Sunday, September 9, 2018
10:30 AM

Reverend John O. Blount, Pastor

THE MORNING ORDER OF WORSHIP
16TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
 SEPTEMBER 9, 2018

GREETING

PRELUDE *The Gift of Love* Organist/Pianist
 Hal Hopson

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN** *Wonderful Words of Life* 600

***CALL TO WORSHIP** **Psalm 139:1-4, 13-16**
 Pulpit side: O Lord, you have searched me and known me!
Lectern side: You know when I sit down and when I rise up; you discern my thoughts from afar.
 Pulpit side: You search out my path and my lying down, and are acquainted with all my ways.
Lectern side: Even before a word is on my tongue, O Lord, you know it altogether.
 Pulpit side: For it was you who formed my inward parts, you knit me together in my mother's womb.
Lectern side: I praise you, for you are fearful and wonderful. Wonderful are your works.
 Pulpit side: You know me very well; my frame was not hidden from you, when I was being made in secret, intricately wrought in the depths of the earth.
Lectern side: Your eyes beheld my unformed substance; in your book were written the days that were formed for me, every day, before they came into being.

***OPENING PRAYER**
Almighty God, you have knit us together and formed us in your image. Your love and grace is beyond our understanding. We seek your presence this morning to remind us that we are precious in your sight. Lift us and guide us into your light, and instill in us a desire to live our lives in accordance with your will. As forgiven and reconciled children give us the wisdom and strength to forgive ourselves. Remind us that our value and purpose in this world was breathed into us by your divine care. You are mighty to save and worthy of our praise, so we pray with the Spirit in your holy name of Jesus. Amen.

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *The Apostles Creed* 881
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***GLORIA PATRI** *Glory be to The Father* 70
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

ACT OF PRAISE *I Will Be Christ to You* Choir
 Marty Parks

CONCERNS OF A CARING CONGREGATION

CALL TO PRAYER *On Eagle's Wings* Choir

PASTORAL PRAYER Ontonio Christie
 Minister of Nurture and Outreach

LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY *Sonata "Pathetique," OP. 13 No. 8 in C Minor II Adagio cantabile* Pianist
 L. V. Beethoven

***PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

DOXOLOGY 95
*Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
 praise Him, all creatures here below;
 praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts
 praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

CHILDREN'S MINUTE

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Genesis 1:27-31

***HYMN OF PREPARATION** 581
Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service

EPISTLE LESSON John 3:16

SERMON Rev. John O. Blount
Precious in His Sight-The Sanctity of Life

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP
 For those wishing to become members in this congregation of St. Andrew United Methodist Church either by profession of faith or transfer of church membership, please come forward indicating your desire during the first stanza of our hymn of invitation.

***HYMN OF INVITATION** *Gift of Love* 408

***BENEDICTION** MaryBeth Barnett

POSTLUDE *Wonderful Words of Life* Organist
 arr. Bliss

THANK YOU FOR SILENCING ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES
***PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE**

ALTAR FLOWERS

The Altar Flowers are given by John and Leslie Whited in memory of Leslie's grandmother, Ouida Lawrence.

PERSONS HELPING US EXPERIENCE CHURCH TODAY:

Ushers: Lisa Deaton, Russell Pelt,
 Skip Warrell, Sharon Warrell
Greeters: Nan Whitehurst
Organist/Pianist: Thera Harris/Dr. Carolyn Joy Wilson
Music Director: Letitia Bell
Nursery Workers: Frances McKinney

PRAYER REQUEST

Alyssa Hamman	Susan Wright	Amelia Peek
Nan Locher	Harrison & Savanna	Stacy Montero
Sadie Williams	Phil Pierce	
Sue Gagnon	Jerry Syfrett	MILITARY MEMBERS
Dena Dunnington	Sam Burkett	Tristan Goodlake
Ricky Atkins	Glenn Crutchfield	Travis Cox
Fred Zediker family	Dr. Sam Combs	Blake Creel
Julie Burke	Sharon Linton	David McClain
Rich Wright	Peggy Walker	Christine Miller
Luke	Bubba Gandy	Destiny Beamer
Judy Rolan	Floyd Trickey	Chad Bruckschen
Tommy Lou Richardson	Ted Beaudoin	Sam Trueman



UMW PRAYER REQUEST

The United Methodist Women request your prayers for the following: Missionaries, Deaconesses, Board of Missions Staff Persons; and Missionary Sites: Global: Improving people's livelihoods and nutrition by providing livestock and training.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Skip Warrell	09/09	Carolyn Fooshee	09/22
Elizabeth Rogers	09/09	Sher Johnson	09/22
Ashlyn McLain	09/09	Louise Price	09/22
Frances Prevost	09/12	James Bailey Sr.	09/24
Pat Tancredi	09/15	David McSpadden	09/28
Lonnie Melvin	09/15	Nancy Bishop	09/29
Pastor John Blount	09/17	Barbara Hale	09/30
Susie Seymour	09/18	Jim Watts	09/30
Kenny Brown Jr.	09/18	Trey Kersey	10/02
Kate Burke	09/19	Parker Walsingham	10/03

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

Sunday, Sept 9
 9:00 Donuts
 9:15 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship Service
 11:30 Fall Festival Meeting
 1:00 SPRC Meeting
 3:30 Read to Achieve
 5:00 Fellowship Dinner
 6:00 Bell Choir
 6:15 "Wonder," the Movie
 7:00 Chancel Choir

Monday, Sept 10
 9:00 Full Staff Meeting
 1:00 Visitation Meeting
 5:00 Finance Meeting
Thursday, Sept 13
 9:30 Rebekah Circle
 11:00 Line Dancing
 3:30 Read to Achieve

Tuesday, Sept 11
 6:00 Men's Club
Sunday, Sept 16
 9:00 Donuts
 9:15 Sunday School
 10:30 Worship Service

Wednesday, Sept 12
 10:00 Jesus in the Gospels

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE

Attendance Sept 2: 105
Church Operating Donations Sept 2: \$6,309.00
Totals Church Operating Donations for Sept: \$6,309.00