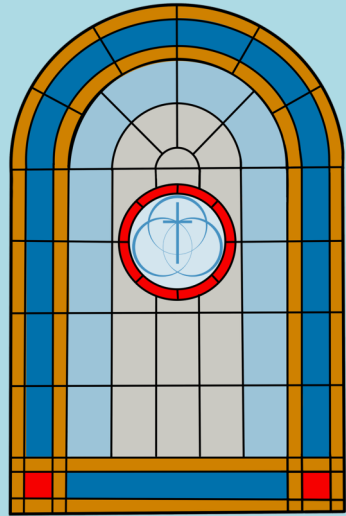




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FLOWER DELIVERY: (Contact Patsy Simmons)

September 6	Bo and Kathy Harvey
September 13	Roseann Mitchell
September 20	Cecil & Diane Sparks
September 27	Sandra Honey

SUNDAY SCHOOL FLOATERS

September 6	Kylie Basinger
September 13	Heather Collum
September 20	Chad Talley
September 27	Hayden Talley

COMPUTER TEAMS (Contact Joan Parris)

September 6	Jimmy McCollum
September 13	Sue McGee
September 20	Angie James
September 27	Sherri Hester

ISBELL'S PUMPKIN FARM

Sunday, September 27
Meet there at 2:00pm

\$12 per person



LOVE PACKAGES

Filling eager hands with God's Word

Serve Day

Saturday, September 12th

The church van will leave the church
at 8:00 and return around 4:00.

If you'd rather, you may meet us there at 9:00.

Scan the code below or there is a sign up sheet outside
the church office. (Please include your phone number.)



Sunday Morning

Adult Groups

10:00 am

Character Builders

Men of all ages

B104 - Off the

Fellowship Hall

Sister's in Christ

Women of all ages

F201 - Family Life Center

Adult Small Group-Couples

& singles of all ages

F202 - Family Life Center

Men's Class

Men of all ages

B103 - Off the Fellowship Hall

Women of Faith

Women of all ages

S101 - Sanctuary Building

Ethel Gary Class

Married & Single men

& women

S201 - Sanctuary Building

Kathryn Mills Class

Couples & Singles 60 & up

BS102 - Chapel -

Sanctuary Building

Sarah Ann Maples Class

Couples & Singles 50 & up

S202 - Sanctuary Building

College Class

College age Young adults

E203 - 2nd floor of

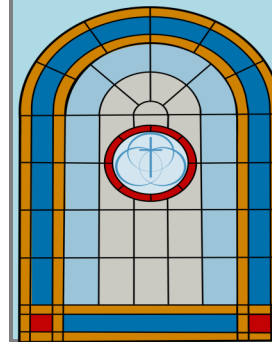
Education Building



Men's Breakfast

September 6

7:45 am



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16 Rejoice always, 17 pray continually, 18 give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus. – 1 Thessalonians 5:17

You have probably read and heard me talk about General Conference until you really don't want to read any more. However, our church chose to be part of the Global Methodist Church and you should want it to be the best it can possibly be, honoring God in all we do to help further the work of the Kingdom of God. Denominations aren't real popular these days but they are important in that they give us direction and guardrails. The beauty of the GMC is that in the midst of theological and administrative direction and guardrails, there is a great amount of flexibility to create a local church expression of Methodism that fits the local context. The work of General Conference in the next two weeks will shape the future of the denomination for the next six years. The delegates will make important decisions which will shape who we are and how we function. I've seen and read all the proposed documents and I am excited about what we will be voting on. Our future is bright. I will have to tolerate much to do over nothing and lots of wordsmithing, but I will survive and so will the integrity of the GMC. Without sounding like a "homer," this is the denomination I thought I was being ordained into in 1984 and there is never a better time to be a follower of Christ and choosing Methodism to guide your journey. No, it is not perfect, but I believe it is worth being part of this movement of the Spirit.

There are many ways you can pray for us. Travel, discernment, wisdom, unity, a spirit of celebration, etc. I sum it up with 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18. Pray that the spirit of these verses will invade every aspect of General Conference. Plus pray for all the specific things you can think of. I appreciate the gathering of our church at each service on Sunday to pray for General Conference and specifically for me. You are much loved and appreciated.

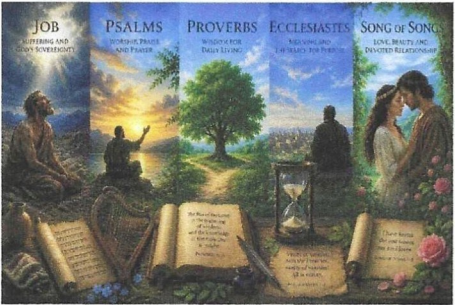
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September 2026 Church Event Calendar

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6 7:45 Men's Breakfast 8:00 Prayer Walk 9:00 Contemporary 10:00 Small Group 11:00 Traditional Worship 12:00 Shepherd's Table	7 LABOR DAY OFFICE CLOSED	8 7:00 Mary Martha Circle (Church Parlor)	9 10:00 am Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study 6:00 Kid Zone 6:00 Youth Worship 7:00 Choir	10	11	12 LOVE PACKAGES DAY 8:00 Meet at church to ride in van (return around 4:00) 9:00 - Arrival at facility for van and those driv- ing separately
13 COMMUNION SUNDAY 8:00 Prayer Walk 9:00 Contemporary 10:00 Small Group 11:00 Traditional Worship 12:00 Shepherd's Table	14	15 EMMAUS CLUSTER 6:00 P.M. NORTHWOOD UMC	16 10:00 am Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study 6:00 Kid Zone 6:00 Youth Worship 7:00 Choir	17	18	19
20 8:00 Prayer Walk 9:00 Contemporary 10:00 Small Group 11:00 Traditional Worship 12:00 Shepherd's Table	21	22	23 10:00 am Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Kid Zone 6:00 Youth Worship 7:00 Choir	24	25	26
27 8:00 Prayer Walk 9:00 Contemporary 10:00 Small Group 11:00 Traditional Worship 12:00 Shepherd's Table 2:00—Children meet at Isbell Pumpkin Patch	28	29	30 10:0 am Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Adult Bible Study 6:00 pm Kid Zone 6:00 Youth Worship 7:00 Choir			

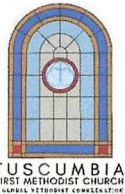
Reading Through the Old Testament - 2026
Job, Psalms, Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, and
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Monday, August 3	Job 1:21
Tuesday, August 4	Job 19:25
Wednesday, August 5	Job 23:10
Thursday, August 6	Job 28:28
Friday, August 7	Job 38:4
Saturday, August 8	Psalms 1:1-2
Sunday, August 9	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, August 10	Psalms 16:8
Tuesday, August 11	Psalms 18:2
Wednesday, August 12	Psalms 19:14
Thursday, August 13	Psalms 23:1-2
Friday, August 14	Psalms 23:4-5
Saturday, August 15	Psalms 23:6
Sunday, August 16	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, August 17	Psalms 27:1
Tuesday, August 18	Psalms 34:8
Wednesday, August 19	Psalms 34:18
Thursday, August 20	Psalms 37:4
Friday, August 21	Psalms 46:1
Saturday, August 22	Psalms 46:10
Sunday, August 23	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, August 24	Psalms 51:10
Tuesday, August 25	Psalms 55:22
Wednesday, August 26	Psalms 56:3
Thursday, August 27	Psalms 62:1
Friday, August 28	Psalms 91:1-2
Saturday, August 29	Psalms 100
Sunday, August 30	Sabbath Day of Rest

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Monday, August 31	Psalms 103:1-2
Tuesday, September 1	Psalms 107:1
Wednesday, September 2	Psalms 119:11
Thursday, September 3	Psalms 119:105
Friday, September 4	Psalms 121:1-2
Saturday, September 5	Psalms 139:14
Sunday, September 6	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, September 7	Psalms 150:6
Tuesday, September 8	Proverbs 1:7
Wednesday, September 9	Proverbs 3:5-6
Thursday, September 10	Proverbs 4:23
Friday, September 11	Proverbs 9:10
Saturday, September 12	Proverbs 15:1
Sunday, September 13	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, September 14	Proverbs 16:3
Tuesday, September 15	Proverbs 31:30
Wednesday, September 16	Ecclesiastes 1:2
Thursday, September 17	Ecclesiastes 3:1
Friday, September 18	Ecclesiastes 4:9-10
Saturday, September 19	Ecclesiastes 7:20
Sunday, September 20	Sabbath Day of Rest
Monday, September 21	Ecclesiastes 12:13
Tuesday, September 22	Song of Songs 2:4
Wednesday, September 23	Song of Songs 2:16
Thursday, September 24	Song of Songs 4:7
Friday, September 25	Song of Songs 8:6
Saturday, September 26	Song of Songs 8:7
Sunday, September 27	Sabbath Day of Rest



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