

# THE MESSENGER

Inspiring people to **KNOW, GROW & GO** in God's love!

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## Pastor of Administration

*Rev. Terry Love*

### LIVING AND GIVING IN 1 A.D. (AFTER DEBT)

Back in the appearances and articles that I shared with you for six years about paying off the indebtedness of the church, an underlying motivation I often highlighted was that if we were not paying off debt those generous donations might be available for other purposes to grow the church. Of course, it was an overwhelming response of the congregation to give as generously as you did to become debt free. Now we are living in what I am calling 1 A.D., the first year after paying off the debt.

Each of you who made a donation to the BOLD Campaign to eliminate the debt, now has a new opportunity to assist the church to Inspire People to Know, Grow and Go in God's Love with the funds you were previously paying on the debt. Numerous members have already assigned their previous BOLD donations to other needs of the congregation. Monthly direct deposits and checks have been continued to address the need for special musicians with the choir, children and youth programming, supporting the BUMC endowment funds at the United Methodist Foundation to continue the ministry of the church far into the future. Recent special offerings have made available thousands of dollars to assist Ukraine refugees. And, with our grand worship complex there are always a list of needs to be addressed. At the present a new dimmer control system is being planned in the coming months for the Sanctuary to replace the obsolete system that is necessary for the lights to operate properly. \$150,000 has been pledged to the project with an additional \$28,000 to be raised.

It is a new day, a new era even, in the life of BUMC. There are many challenges and many opportunities too that we face in the living of each day. It is a new time for us to reexamine our gratitude for our blessed Savior and reorient the generosity in our hearts. Welcome to LIVING AND GIVING IN 1 A.D.



### New Sunday School Class

Room 315

This new Sunday School class is for families and singles who are not already connected with a Sunday School class. We hope to create a community of believers who want to learn more about faith and how to navigate this crazy world together.

*If you are interested in beginning a new step in your faith journey with others, please contact Rev. Megan Twyman at [megan@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:megan@broadmoorumc.org).*



## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT KRISTIN NELSON AT [KRISTIN@BROADMOORUMC.ORG](mailto:KRISTIN@BROADMOORUMC.ORG)



### Spots are filling up fast for TNT!

If you are ready for some Explosive Summer Fun at TNT save your spot by filling out a registration form and turning it back in to Kristin Nelson. Forms are available at the reception desk by the offices for those kids entering grades 1-5 in the fall of 2022. TNT will consist of 4 sessions, June 7-9, June 14-16, July 5-7, and July 12-14. Each session will meet

Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 9:30-2:00. Kids will enjoy an activity and lunch while they are here. Sign up for individual sessions at \$115 per session or all 4 for \$400 for some Dyn-O-Mite fun!

For more information contact Kristin by emailing [kristin@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:kristin@broadmoorumc.org). If you are looking for a fun summer job, contact Kristin as well. TNT helpers must be 16 years old.

**VACATION  
BIBLE SCHOOL**

**JUNE 21<sup>ST</sup>-23<sup>RD</sup> FROM  
9:30-12 NOON.**

\*Registration forms are  
now available at the church  
reception desk.

## JOB OPENING

*Do you have a heart for children and a desire to join our Children's Ministry Team? Well, we have just the job for you.*

Stephanie Smith, our current Buddies Director is stepping down to spend more time with her family. As much as we hate to see her go, we understand and support her decision. Stephanie has done an amazing job over the past two years and we would like for her predecessor to work along side her during the summer to help make the transition smooth. If you are interested, or know someone who might be a great fit, contact Children's Director Kristin Nelson at [kristin@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:kristin@broadmoorumc.org).



## YOUTH MINISTRIES

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT KYLE BOSTON AT [KYLE@BROADMOORUMC.ORG](mailto:KYLE@BROADMOORUMC.ORG)

### Upcoming Senior Sunday Events

#### May 1<sup>ST</sup>:

Senior Sunday in the Sanctuary (choir and bells in both services)  
Senior Breakfast during the Sunday School Hour  
Senior Night for UMY, starting at 5 PM

#### May 22<sup>ND</sup>:

Senior Sunday in the River  
Youth Band leads service  
Youth-led message

*We hope to see you there!*



**A big Congratulations!**  
**to Lucy Powers for being confirmed this past weekend!**







*A great BIG thank you to all our volunteers who helped make our Spring Pop-Up a success. We have had nothing but compliments about how welcoming everyone was. After two very long years, it was great to feel the energy of being in community with one another again. God is good friends!*



## NEW MISSION COMING UP



**Nanih Chito United Methodist Church  
Wright City, Oklahoma**

**Date: June 4th, 2022 , June 11, 2022 (rain date)**

**Needs: carpentry, plumber, electrician, painters, (a few for cooling station).**

This will be a day trip. It is 2 hours 40 minutes to the destination. We will leave at 6:00 a.m. There will be several phases to this project. Installing 2 doors, building wheelchair ramps, installing an electric water heater in the kitchen, and assessing pipes that were damaged in the freeze are part of the first phase.

The roof needs to be evaluated as to repairs or replacement needs. After the roof evaluation and repairs, painting the church needs to be done in another trip. There is also a sign that needs TLC. We are doing this with First Bossier UMC. We are looking for a relationship with this Native American Methodist Church. It is an older church, in a beautiful setting, that needs some tender, loving care! Everyone must be Safe Sanctuary trained\* and have Covid vaccinations and insurance. This all part of the Oklahoma Indian Missionary Conference guidelines.

We are also accepting monetary donation to help offset the cost of repairs. Please make your donations payable to BUMC-Missions and put "Nanih Chito" in the memo section. You may also give online by visiting our website, [www.broadmoorumc.org/give](http://www.broadmoorumc.org/give) and putting "Nanih Chito" in the online memo section.

**Questions?? Diane Valentine 318-617-7896 or Email Pastor Kelly at [kelly@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:kelly@broadmoorumc.org).**

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Shreveport, LA 71105



 **MEMORIALS**

**RESERVE FUND**

**IN MEMORY OF:**

- ♦ **Ken & Liz Cunningham** from "Class of 1992 Gator Girls", Kimberly Belanger, Leigh Ann Couvillion, Nita Griffith, Jennifer Zehnder, Paige Reagan, Jennifer Hutchison, Jenny Hemmrick, Amy Turner, Katie Hooper, Leigh Mall
- ♦ **Dick Davenport** from Adele Shafferman

**GENERAL FUND**

**IN MEMORY OF:**

- ♦ **Dick Davenport** from Allison Wray

**YOUTH FUND**

**IN MEMORY OF:**

- ♦ **Conrad Edwards** from Regina & Gayle Wren
- ♦ **Dick Davenport** from Regina & Gayle Wren
- ♦ **Ken Cunningham** from Regina & Gayle Wren

**MUSIC FUND**

**IN MEMORY OF:**

- ♦ **Dick Davenport** from David & JoNell Blakey, Tom & Bonnie Daniel
- ♦ **Mary Lynell O'Quinn** from Tom & Bonnie Daniel
- ♦ **Ken Cunningham** from Tom & Bonnie Daniel

**SOUPER SATURDAY FUND**

**IN MEMORY OF:**

- ♦ **Dorie Little** from Allison Wray

**HONARARIUM**

**GENERAL/SUNDAY SCHOOL/MUSIC/HANDBELLS/YOUTH/MISSIONS FUNDS**

**IN HONOR OF:**

- ♦ **Landes Wren** from Khaki Simank

