

# THE MESSENGER



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BROADMOOR UMC NEWS & HAPPENINGS!

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## BUMC Governance Board

*J.P. Brawley, Member*

### PROJECTS

There are a number of new projects and improvements in the works at BUMC.

- ◆ Replacement of electronic sign on Youree Drive
- ◆ New equipment and curriculum material for ELC and Day School
- ◆ Work to maintain and resurface the fellowship area stairway
- ◆ Replacement of carpet in Youth area located in Anderson Hall basement

These items will be funded by a grant that was recently awarded to BUMC.

Other upcoming work includes landscaping around the property thanks to a donation from a generous BUMC member. This work will include areas around the sign on Youree Drive, at the front under the steeple, and on the east side around the main entrance.

The ongoing air-handler replacement for the HVAC system in Anderson Hall is nearing completion with expected installation during the week of August 9th.

### Stewardship

Our next Stewardship Campaign is scheduled to kick off in January 2022. The campaign will invite commitments and estimates of giving at the first of the year, rather than in the Fall, when we have historically held these generosity planning efforts. It is believed that this shift in timing from the fall to the beginning of the year can offer several benefits. Most people have a better understanding of anticipated income and cost of living adjustments at the beginning of the year. This can minimize some uncertainties that influence estimates of giving. The Fall can also be a busy time full of activities and holiday events. Holding the campaign at the beginning of the year can allow more focus for reflection and consideration of a renewed commitment to stewardship and increased generosity.

### Faithful BOLD

***As of early August, the Faithful BOLD Campaign has reduced the BUMC indebtedness to \$59,408.***

## WHICH OPTION IS FOR YOU?

Disrupted and erratic schedules can get in the way of our best intentions. This is an important reason that we suggest various options for recurring giving to the church. You can choose what works best for you.

- ◆ Direct Deposit, also known as Automated Clearing House payment (ACH) has been found to be most convenient and reliable for many of our participants. You complete an authorization form here at the church and we process your gift with your bank. You specify how much is drafted each month and to which fund/s you wish to give. You can adjust the arrangement at any time and there is no service fee from your bank.
- ◆ You can setup a recurring arrangement on your credit or debit card by going online to Broadmoor UMC.org and processing your gift under BUMC WEBSITE. Select "YES" when asked if you want this to be a recurring gift.
- ◆ You can TEXT-TO-GIVE by texting 'GIVEBUMC' followed by the amount you wish to give to 870-570-3715.

Recurring giving is faithful assurance that you're investing year-round in life changing ministry that happens all year long even when you are not able to be present. Which option might assist you in your busy schedule? For any information about any of these options or other inquiries about giving to BUMC, please call 861-0586 for Terry Love or Ashley O'Quinn.



## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

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

### Rocky Railway VBS was a Success!

A special thank you to Angie Daniel, Amy Simon and all our volunteers that made it an amazing week.



## Broadmoor Methodist Day School



*We still have some spots left in the Day School. If you, your family or your friends have a child who is three or four, we would love to have them come to our school. We have been busy getting ready for the children to come and we would love to have a few more friends join us!*



## YOUTH MINISTRIES

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

### Back to School Sunday



#### **Broadmoor family,**

As the month of August rapidly progresses and we move toward a new school year, we invite you to join us Sunday, August 22nd, in all three services as we celebrate all those who are headed back to school.

We will spend some time in the service recognizing students, school teachers, administrators, principals, etc. before providing a special blessing over them.

We also encourage you to join us at 5 pm under the carport for a time of prayer for all of our schools, as well as individual blessing, as desired.

We know that our back to school plans may look a little different, that we may be experiencing big changes. But we have joy as we remember that our God is with us through it all. In a world of so many changes, God is our constant. We love you and look forward to celebrating with you!

Blessings,

**Your Children's and Youth Ministries**



### Grand Gathering 2021

***This year's Grand Gathering will take place outside to ensure social distance!***

We will have a color war, foam slip and slide, tie dyeing options, and more!

There will be a parent meeting at 4:30 pm, followed by the event from 5 - 7:00 PM.

*If you would like more information, or are interested in volunteering for that night, please reach out to Kyle at [kyle@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:kyle@broadmoorumc.org) OR call the church office.*

## Fall Sunday School Opportunities

**Hop into a study from 9:45 - 10:45 AM!**

### Open-Door Class (Room 200)

*SERMON ON THE MOUNT: A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN BY AMY-JILL LEVINE*

Description: Aug. 22-Sept. 26, This study introduces the major topics in the Sermon on the Mount, explains historical and theological contexts, and shows how the words of Jesus echo his Jewish tradition and speak forward to reach hearts and minds today.

*SCRIPTURE AND THE WESLEYAN WAY BY SCOTT AND ARTHUR JONES*

Description: Oct. 3-Nov. 21, Wouldn't it be fascinating to attend a Bible study led by John Wesley? This study uses Wesley's own words to address questions that many of us in the twenty-first century still struggle with today.

### Young Adults (Room 202)

*THE COST OF DISCIPLESHIP BY DIETRICH BONHOEFFER*

Description: Bonhoeffer illuminates the relationship between ourselves and the teachings of Jesus. What is the call to discipleship? What did Jesus mean to say to us?

*THE EVERLASTING MAN BY G.K. CHESTERTON*

Description: Retelling mankind's story from the very beginning, Chesterton shows how all human desires are fulfilled in the person of Christ and Christ's church.

### Upper Room (Room 300)

*WHAT SCRIPTURE SPEAKS TO YOU? BY UPPER ROOM SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS*

Description: The Upper Room Class invites pastors and Sunday school members to share what scripture speaks to them.

### Cornerstone (Room 306)

*BELONG: ADULT BIBLE STUDY SERIES FALL 2021 BY COKEBURY*

Description: This unit of lessons looks at the various ways that the Bible makes clear how we belong to God's people even when we appear to be outsiders.

### Living Faith (Room 311)

*SAVIOR: WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT THE CROSS BY MAGREY DEVEGA.*

Description: We know that Jesus' death on the cross saved us from our sins, but how? In Savior, you will learn the different theories about how Jesus' death cleansed us all of sin.

*IN HIS MIGHTY STRENGTH BY RANDY FRAZEE*

Description: Frazee teaches us to walk daily in the same power that raised Jesus from the Dead. Saying YES to Jesus means breaking free of addictions, habits, and destructive thoughts that hold us back.

### Covenant Tigers (Room 312)

*JEREMIAH-LAMENTATIONS STUDY IN AUGUST-SEPT.*

Description: What do Jeremiah and Lamentations have to teach us today?

*BEGINNING THE NEW TESTAMENT*

Description: We will look at how the Old and New Testaments are similar and different. How do they teach us today?

### Women's Class (Room 315)

*TASTE AND SEE BY MARGARET FEINBERG.*

Description: August 15, This is a culinary exploration of Scripture beginning with the Garden of Eden in Genesis. We will end this study with a potluck brunch on Sept 26.



## BROADMOOR STEM

### ITEMS NEEDED

- PENCILS
- PENCIL SHARPENERS WITH CONTAINER
- HIGHLIGHTERS DRY
- ERASE MARKERS (ANY COLOR)
- LOOSE LEAF PAPER
- WIDE RULED PAPER
- 24 COUNT CRAYONS
- 8 LARGE SIZE CRAYONS
- COLORED PENCILS
- WASHABLE MARKERS (PRIMARY COLORS)
- COMPOSITION NOTEBOOKS
- FOLDERS WITH BRADS AND POCKETS
- 5 SUBJECT NOTEBOOKS
- 3 RING BINDER (2 INCH SIZE)
- LARGE AND SMALL GLUE STICKS
- 12 INCH RULERS
- PINK ERASERS
- COLORED CONSTRUCTION PAPER / NO PADS
- INDEX CARDS
- FISKAR SCISSORS (SMALL, BLUNT AND SHARP TIPS)
- ZIPPER POUCHES FOR SUPPLIES
- POST IT NOTES
- LARGE KLEENEX BOXES
- PAPER TOWELS
- DISINFECTANT WIPES

# THE RIVER @ BROADMOOR UMC

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*Next Messenger August 26, 2021*

## UPCOMING *Mark Your Calendars* EVENTS



# DISCOVER BROADMOOR CLASS

**WHEN:** AUG 26 @ 6:30 PM

**WHERE:** Pearce Hall

*A chance for you to learn more about who we are, to ask questions, to look at some resources of our current programs, and to explore ways to get plugged in.*



*Are you or someone you know a visitor or recent new member to Broadmoor UMC? Come and Discover Broadmoor! Come and get connected and learn about ministries with us.*

For more info email: [office@broadmoorumc.org](mailto:office@broadmoorumc.org)

### QUESTION...

Our congregation has been collecting "can pop tops" for over a year. These days, no one seems to know where to drop them off for donation. If you know of an organization who can use these "pop tops" in some way, please contact Sue Thomson at the Welcome Desk in front of the Administration Offices. You can call 318-861-0586.

## MEMORIALS

### CHILDREN & YOUTH

#### IN MEMORY OF:

- ♦ *Josephine Coile* from Marilyn & Gary Joiner

### BUILDING FUND

#### IN MEMORY OF:

- ♦ *Danny Wade Cupples* from Beth Cupples

## HONARARIUM

### BUILDING FUND

#### IN HONOR OF:

- ♦ *BUMC Staff* from Jim & Shirley White

SUMMER SCHEDULE  
Led by Nancy Beauvais

# Book CHAT



## LOVE TO READ???

**Please join us at Book Chat this summer for some great, lively discussion. Our summer schedule is as follows....**

- ♦ August 26 - *The Stationery Shop* by Marjan Kamali

*All gatherings take place in the church Parlor at 5:30 PM*

*Happy Reading!*