



Board's Message Tom Erwin

As we work our way into new variations of back-to-school routines, and the ever changing requirements we are faced with, just to navigate our daily lives, I think about the words of 2 Corinthians 5:7, "We walk by faith, not by sight." If we rely only on what we see and hear, our navigation may be circuitous and take us in directions we may wish we'd never explored. However, when we remember that we are called to be "strong and courageous" and "walk by faith" we can trust that a loving Heavenly Father is out in front of our path.

With those thoughts in mind, know that the church board has been meeting and earnestly attempting to walk faithfully and lead BUMC to the best of our abilities. A few of the items we are bringing to the church this month are:

- BUMC's generosity campaign for 2020, "Shine On", will be ramping up starting up soon. You will surely see and learn more details in the worship services in upcoming weeks.
- We are targeting Sunday September 20th for the re-start of adult, youth and children's Sunday School. Of course, special precautions will be necessary but I know to many, this is a breath of fresh air and a step in the right direction.
- The Mission Marketplace is scheduled to begin towards the beginning of October, and it will be in a different format this year. While the Marketplace will be virtual this year, it is planned to be open considerably longer than in years past.
- The Board would like to thank the BUMC congregation for the support they showed at the August 9th church conference for the "one-board" plan. In an effort to maximize transparency, look for member names to be listed on the BUMC website as well as links to the meeting minutes.

Thank you for your faith and faithfulness.

Tom Erwin, Board Member



SEPT. 20TH!



A Place for Everyone! 9:45 - 10:45 AM

Meeting

- OPEN DOOR
- LIVING FAITH
- YOUNG ADULTS
- THE CIRCLE
- CORNERSTONE
- DISCIPLESHIP CIRCLE
- UPPER ROOM (CHAPEL)

Not Meeting

- WOMEN'S CLASS
- COVENANT TIGERS
- GOOD SHEPHERD

No Response

SEARCHERS

TITHES & OFFERINGS

- TEXT-TO-GIVE | Text 'GIVEBUMC' followed by the amount you wish to give to 877-570-3715
- BUMC WEBSITE | broadmoorumc.org/give
- DIRECT DEPOSIT | Call office at 318-861-0586 & talk to Rev. Terry Love or click on Direct Deposit Form, fill out the PDF form & mail to BUMC
- SNAIL MAIL | Mail to: BUMC, 3715 Youree Drive, Shreveport, LA 71105



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT KYLE BOSTON AT KYLE@BROADMOORUMC.ORG





Lunch Bags Mission Project

Thank you to all those who helped out by donating their time and money to our lunch bags missions project! They were safely delivered Sunday Afternoon! Thanks to your support, we were able to provide over 250 lunches to hard-working volunteers in South Louisiana!

UMY WILL RESUME SEPT. 13TH AT 5:00 PM!

Please wear your mask, bring a bottle of water, and help us celebrate being together for the first time in several months! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone!

SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES SEPT. 20TH @ 9:45 AM!

Please remember to wear your mask, and get ready as we start back up in our new classes!



September Missions Opportunity

Your Missions Team recently met and has decided to partner with Common Ground.

Common Ground is located in the Cedar Grove neighborhood and is committed to making a difference through compassionate outreach and acceptance of all people. This partnership offers us more opportunities to serve children and families in God's neighborhood.

After speaking with Deacon Sarah Shoup, we learned that Common Ground is in need of people helping them pack food boxes. Broadmoor UMC is looking to put together groups of volunteers (no larger than 5 people at a time) to help pack food boxes at Common Ground during the weekdays.

If this is something you would be interested in doing, please email Rev. Kelly at <u>kelly@broadmoorumc.org</u> or call the church office 318.861.0586 and ask for Rev. Kelly.



HURRICANE LAURA RECOVERY COLLECTION SITE

We will collect supplies MONDAY - FRIDAY 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. using the Anniston Ave. entrance.

People are asked to please call the office at 861-0586 to arrange for a staff member to meet you at the doors.

For a list of items needed, go to www.broadmoorumc.org | NO Clothing, please

Top needs:

- Baby food
- Peanut Butter
- Canned Tuna/Chicken
- Rice
- Beans
- Canned vegatables
- Diapers
- Hammers
- 12 penny nails
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- Tarps
- Box fans
- Work gloves
- Gas cans
- Flat blade shovels

Other needs:

- Extension ladders
- 15 gallons of chain oil
- Extension cords
- Cardboard boxes
- Packing tape
- Flat bars
- Crowbars
- Rakes
- Generators

HYGIENE KITS (SEE BELOW LEFT)

UMCOR | HYGIENE KIT ASSEMBLY

Value: \$12.00 per kit Hygiene Kit Materials

- One hand towel (15 x 25 –17 x 27 inches)
 - No kitchen, cleaning, or microfiber towels
- One washcloth
 - No kitchen, cleaning, or microfiber
- One comb
 - Must be sturdy with at least 6 inches of teeth
 - No pocket combs or picks
 - Rattail and combs without handles are acceptable but must have at least 6 inches of teeth
- One toenail or fingernail clipper
 - No emery boards or metal nail files
- Bath-size soap (3 oz. bar or larger)
 - No Ivory or Jergen's soap
 - Do not remove from packaging
- One adult toothbrush
 - Do not remove from packaging
 - Personal advertising not acceptable
- ▶ 10 adhesive bandages (¾ by 3 inches)
 - Common household bandages acceptable
- One one-gallon size re-sealable bag

Assembly Instructions

- Lay hand towel flat on a table.
- Lay the washcloth in the center of the hand towel.
- Place all remaining items on top of the washcloth (except the plastic bag).
- Fold the sides of the hand towel to cover the items.
- Grasp the bundle tightly and roll over the remainder of the towel.
- Place the tightly rolled bundle in the plastic bag, remove air, and seal.

Important Notes

- All items must be new.
- Do not wash any of the items as they will no longer be considered new.
- Do not include any personal notes, money or additional materials in the kits.
- Contents of kits or the containers of kits should not be imprinted with cartoon characters, advertisements, religious, patriotic, military or camouflage symbols

Packing Instructions

- Complete two packing lists, one for the box and one for your records.
- Place the shipping label/packing list on the outside of the box.
- Please send a check for the total amount of hygiene kits times \$2 per kit for the cost of toothpaste and shipping to Sager Brown. One check may be written for all of the kits.



FROM THE SHREVEPORT DISTRICT OFFICE

Hello Everyone,

It has been decided that we will not hold an in person Lay Servant School this fall. We are sorry for any inconvenience this may cause but we want to ensure everyone's safety and it is unknown what phase of reopening we will be in and if we would be able to properly meet the COVID-19 safety guidelines. Hopefully we will be able to offer an in person Lay Servant School in the Spring of 2021.

There is an option to do advanced and re-certification courses online and I have provided the link below. If you do choose to take an online course please just let the district office know by sending a copy of the certificate once you have completed the course. Please also let Brenda Benton, Lay Servant Director, know of any online classes you complete. Brenda Benton email: brenda.benton318@gmail.com.

If you have any questions please let me know.

https://www.beadisciple.com/lay-servant-ministries/





SEPTEMBER 2020

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY (6 WEEKS)

CHASING VINES by Beth Moore Led by Bonnie Daniel Begins Sept. 14th | 10 AM Pearce Hall Cost \$20 (for materials & books)

WOMEN'S DEVOTIONAL & DISCUSSION

Led by Kathy Ward Starts Sept. 14th Mondays | 10:30 - 11:30 AM



CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED

 The family of John Palmer, who passed on August 31, 2020

SEPTEMBER 2020

BROKEN & BLESSED (6 WEEKS)

Led by Rev. Kelly Berne & Kristin Nelson

The Bible tells us God created each of us for His purpose but so often we see ourselves as broken and wonder how God could possibly use us. In this 6 week book study we will explore Jessica La Grone's book *Broken & Blessed* where she takes a closer look at the first family in the book of Genesis. Despite imperfections that weave their way throughout this family's history, God turns their brokenness into blessings for the world. Join Pastor Kelly Berne and Kristin Nelson to see how God can bring blessings from our own brokenness.

Sept. 15th - Oct. 20th Tuesdays | 6 - 7:30 PM \$15 (for materials & books)

SEPTEMBER 2020

BIBLE STUDY

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Led by Dr. Greg Davis Sept. 16th - Nov. 11th Wednesdays | 10 AM & 6 PM \$20 (for materials & books)

OCTOBER 2020

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY (8 WEEKS)

MATCHLESS-THE LIFE & LOVE OF JESUS by Angie Smith Led by Betty Hochstetler Thursdays | 5:30 - 7 PM Starts OCT. 1st | Pearce Hall Cost \$20 (for materials & books)



BROADMOOR METHODIST DAY SCHOOL

The Day School is now registering for the 2020 - 2021 school year. We have openings in our PreK3 (3 day and 5 day) and our PreK4 (5 day) classes. If you would like more information please call Janet Northen, Director, at 861-0586.

Janet Northen, Director
Broadmoor UMC Day School and Early Learning Center