

# FIELDS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

## WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you have any questions, please see our Pastor, Rev. Anne Rex.

Our restrooms, nursery, classrooms, offices, kitchen and fellowship hall are located on the lower level of the church. Please make yourselves at home.

Children of all ages are welcome to stay and worship with us. However, children 6 years and under may visit the nursery which is located downstairs and is staffed by a CPR and First Aide trained teacher.



### SERMON SERIES

#### 5 THINGS THAT WILL DESTROY YOUR MARRIAGE

Presented Aug 18 – Sept 22

We dream about one day finding that special someone and starting a life together. What happens when life collides with that dream? How do we handle managing work, relationships, and obligations so we do not give our partner the leftovers? What do we do when we wake up and realize we have not kept God at the center of our relationship? How do we handle life when our expectations far exceed our realities and the person we thought would be our best friend forever lets us down? How do we reconcile forgiveness, truth, and hurt?

Today	Failing to Forgive	Matt 18: 21-35
Sept 15	Withheld Truth	2 Samuel 11 – 12:7
Sept 22	Renewing of Vows	

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### SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Worship Service 8:40 am  
Breakfast by Gary 9:30 am  
Bible Study (all ages) 10:00 am  
Worship Service 11:00 am  
Nursery Available for all services

### Fields Chapel United Methodist Church Vision

Fields Chapel UMC will be an instrument of God where people are transformed through God's love and grace for the transformation of the world.

## This Week's Schedule

**Today:** New Sermon Series  
Failing to Forgive  
Dream Team Mtg 12:00  
noon

**Mon:** Women's Bible Class  
1pm

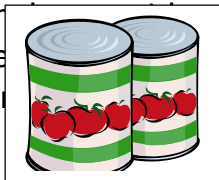
**Tues:** Men's Bible Class  
6:30 pm

**Wed:** Adult Bible Study  
9:30 am  
Pot Luck 5:45 pm  
Bible Studies 6:15 pm  
Children's Programs 6:15 pm  
Youth Programs 6:15 pm  
Choir Practice 7:00 pm

**Sun:** 8:40 am Service  
9:30 am Breakfast with Gary  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Service

## MUST MINISTRIES

We are extremely low on food in our pantry. If any are able to help, please bring the following items to meet the needs of our neighbors, we would greatly appreciate it.



- Canned Soups
- Boxed Pasta
- Pasta Sauces
- Canned Meats
- Baked Beans
- Canned Fruit

Thank you for your hearts of service.

## LEADERSHIP 2014

I know it is crazy to be talking about 2014, but we are already into August of 2013!! Yikes!! We are in the process of seeking individuals who would like to be a part of the leadership of The Chapel. Are you interested in a certain aspect of ministry? Is God leading you to step out beyond your comfort zone? Do you want to be a part of something bigger than you? If so..we have the answer, right here at The Chapel! Please see Rev. Anne to discuss your thoughts and ideas!



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 9.8.13: Dream Team Meeting 12:00 noon
- 9.15-22.13: Team 316 Sign up
- 9.15.13: Charge Conference 7:00 pm
- 9.21.13: Trustee's Work Day
- 9.22.13: Forever Fed
- 9.22.13: Trustee's Meeting 12:00 noon
- 9.22.13: Staff Parrish Meeting 12:00 noon
- 9.22.13: Site Planning Committee Mtg 5:00 pm
- 9.23.13: Women's Retreat Committee Mtg. 8 am
- 9.27-29.13: Men's Retreat
- 10.6.13: Dream Team Meeting 12:00 noon

If you are interested in information about any of the above events, please email Pastor Anne Rex at [anne.e.rex@hotmail.com](mailto:anne.e.rex@hotmail.com)



## Youth Ministry Fund Raiser

Team 316 is off to a FANTASTIC start!! We have 6 families who have already joined the TEAM!! They have agreed to contribute \$3.16 a week over the next year to support our youth ministry outreach efforts! Thank you so much to all of our team members. Our goal is 30 Team members this year. Please consider joining the team. Remember we are all in this together!!

Several events are already planned for the year and we want you to be a part of them!! Sign up now or wait for our sign up dates the 15th and 22nd of this month.

If you need more info, please see Rev Anne. Lets go team!!!

### **Bible Studies**

**Sunday 10 am**  
All ages General Bible  
Study  
Child Care provided

**Monday 1 pm**  
Women's Bible Study  
David

**Tuesday 6:30 pm**  
Men's Bible Study

**Wednesday 9:30 am**  
Adult Bible Study  
General Studies  
(Old Testament)

**Wednesday 6:15 pm**  
Questions & Answers on  
the Bible  
Child Care Provided

## SERV Ministry and Fields Chapel Youth

Since July 1st, our youth have been collecting your change to help feed the needy of the world. Through SERV Ministry we are able to help provide meals for the hungry at 5 cents a meal!!! We have begun to count the change that you have so graciously contributed. As of Wednesday night our total was \$367.50!!! That is 7,350 meals!!!! Seriously do you believe that!! And we are not done counting!

One of our goals at The Chapel is to elevate hunger, not just in our community but around the world. Some may think that this is crazy. We don't, we believe it.

**Brad Sherille is returning to  
Sixes United Methodist Church  
to perform The Gospel of John  
Saturday November 2 at 7:00 pm.**

Last year he performed to a *Sold Out* crowd so be sure and get your tickets early.

Tickets will be \$15.00 per person

See Darrell James or Wes Frye for Tickets

## POWER POINT PRESENTATION

Anyone interested in participating in doing the Power point presentation on Sundays please see Kathy James. We would like to have several so no one has to do it all the time. Six people would mean you would only do it for 1 month 2 times per year. Its fun and keeps you informed with what the church is doing.

## Women's Retreat

Friday, Oct 18 - Sunday, Oct 20

Ladies, If you have not signed up for the upcoming Women's Retreat please do so asap. We are in the process of purchasing materials, ordering food, and making some final arrangements.

The brochure is in the back of The Chapel with all of the information and the registration forms. If you have any questions, please see Rev. Anne or Kelly Ruthruff.

If, because of family, work, or other circumstances, you are not able to make a decision about the retreat until closer to the date, please contact Rev. Anne and let her know.



### ***FIELDS CHAPEL BUSINESS CARD***

Do you love The Chapel? Want to get the word out? We want to help you! The Chapel has designed and printed a business card for you to give to your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers etc. Please feel free to take as many business cards as you would like...we can make more! Our goal is to give out 1000 cards in the next 6 months. Will you help us? Do you own or know of a business that would be willing to leave cards out for those visiting? We would love for you to take some for those businesses as well. Yeah Fields Chapel! Yeah God!!



### **WOMEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY**

The Women are studying, David, Seeking a Heart like His. Become a woman after God's Own Heart! If you have ever experienced doubts, temptations, inconsistencies, losses, or anguish over family problems, join us on an exciting and intimate journey to know King David, the name after God's own heart. This 11 week study is written and presented by Beth Moore. The cost of the materials is \$20.00. As always, we never want cost to be an issue for anyone to join in any activity at The Chapel...just let Rev. Anne know and it will be covered for you! And don't worry if you can't make all 11...one is better than none!!!

### **On Going News**

- ✚ Directories are now available
- ✚ Forever Fed Info
- ✚ Celebrate Recovery Info
- ✚ Prayer Garden's Brick Sales
- ✚ Lawn Mower & Small Engine Repair
- ✚ Affordable House Cleaning
- ✚ Jail Ministry

For details on these and many more activities go to our web site at [www.fieldschapel.org](http://www.fieldschapel.org)



## Choir News

The Lord is in His Holy Temple  
Let all the world keep silence.

Lots of worship services are begun with those words all over the world. What do they mean to you? Are they just words that are announced, ignored and float by you? Maybe hearing words like these are just an annoyance and you just want to get on with the first hymn or the announcements or the first prayer. It's hard to know what one thing focuses people on God in worship, because there *isn't* just one thing that works for everyone. In the tradition in which I was raised, certain statements of give and take between the worship leader and the congregation focused all of us together on the gift of God's Presence in our midst and made us more of a family unit.

Worship Leader: O Lord, open Thou our lips.

Congregation: And our mouth shall show forth Thy praise.

What's so special about those two little lines? Well, first, God is the only power at work in the room. Only God instigates action, but He gives us the gift of being reciprocal, of being in a relationship with Him based on our response. Second, we are asking God as obedient and respectful children to let us praise Him. Third, we respond to God, not allow God to respond to us. We proclaim that we will praise Him to the ends of the earth. We want to do it. We are ready to do it. We can't wait. Lunch plans can wait. Chit chat about the ball game can wait. We can't wait to be with God. So, for me, those two little statements carry an awful lot of responsibility. The great thing is that all of my brothers and sisters in Christ carry that responsibility with me and the weight of promising praise becomes light and joyful, like the biggest family ever all sitting down to Sunday dinner together.

Last week, I mentioned invocations, musical and non-musical. Both of the statements I listed above could be non-musical invocations or musical if you hear them set to music. Finding such a statement that works for us is very important as a means of silencing the babble in our heads and getting us to do what we are in church to do, worship God. Sometimes, watching someone light candles focuses us. For some people, hearing the church's bell in the bell tower calling people to worship does it. There is no one answer. Most often, it's not any one thing, but a group of things that achieves this goal. Worship is, after all, a process, a lifelong, all-consuming process. What could be a better way to spend your life than worshiping the God who gave it to you?

That's what church music and worship arts are all about, giving our *time* and *attention* back to God along with the talent God gave to us. I truly believe that voices lifted to God together to speak His Praise are music to God's ears. So, there are no non-musicians in any congregation.



## ADULT SINGLE'S INTER-CHURCH BIBLE STUDY

**Who: Singles in the Canton area aged 25-50**

**What: Interchurch singles bible study**

**When: 7pm Monday nights  
Starting September 23, 2013**

**Where: Liberty Hill UMC  
(At the mill on Railroad St. downtown Canton)**

**Why: So that singles in the area can gather together and invest in their faith as an inter-church community**

**For more information, see your pastor, or call Hickory Flat UMC, or Liberty Hill UMC**

**Or contact: Darcy Miller @ 209.988.8871  
darcyjeileen@hotmail.com**

## Site Planning Committee

A new Site Planning Committee is being formed and we would like to know who would be interested on serving on this committee. Every- one is welcome to attend all meetings, however here are the guidelines...

1. Pray. Pray about what the Lord is asking of The Chapel.
2. Come with an open and loving heart. No suggestion is too outrageous and nothing is sacred.
3. Everyone in attendance will have a job to do. We are thrilled to have any and all comments, but that gets nothing accomplished. If you wish to join us, please be prepared to be part of the solutions!

This committee will meet monthly to gather information about the current facilities and plan for future expansion. They will gather facts and figures and present these to the appropriate committees for further action.

Current needs for this committee...secretary, volunteer coordinator, and other tasks to follow. The first Site Planning Committee meeting will be held, **Sunday, September 15, 5:00 pm**. The meeting will be one hour in length. Please see Rev. Anne for additional info.

## HELP NEEDED

The Transition House associated with the Cherokee County Jail Ministry is looking for bunk beds and other household items for a new house which will be opening as soon as it is furnished. If you have or know someone who has bunk beds, pots and pans, cooking utensils, dishes etc. please contact

Darrell James 770-715-1642 or  
Wes Frye 770-757-7672