

March 30, 2014

**FIELDS CHAPEL
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**



BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday 10 am

All ages General Bible Study

Child Care provided

Monday 1 pm

Women's Bible Study

Postponed

Tuesday 6:30 pm

Men's Bible Study

Wednesday 9:30 am

Adult Bible Study

Wednesday 6:15 pm

Pot Luck Dinner

All ages General Bible Study

Child Care Provided

**All study groups are open to all who
are interested**

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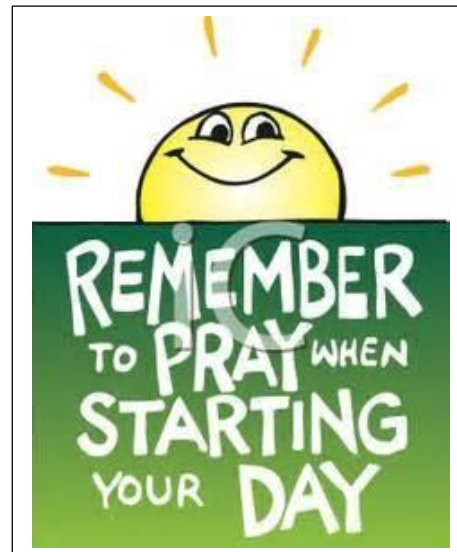
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**FIELDS CHAPEL UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**

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.

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 .

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 staffed by a CPR/First Aide trained teacher.

**BE SURE TO VISIT OUR
WEBPAGE FOR**

On- going news

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Sermon Series

12 Stones – Joshua 4:22

This happened so that all the earth's peoples might know that the Lord's power is great and that you may always revere the Lord your God."

TODAY: Foundation Stone – Isaiah 28:14-22, Romans 9:30-33

4.6.14: Stones to Food – Matthew 4:1-11

4.13.14: Stones Cry Out – Luke 19:29-40

4.20.14: Empty Tomb – Matthew 28:1-10, Mark 16:1-8, Luke 24:1-12

TWO SUNDAY SERVICES AT FCUMC

8:40 AM Contemplative Worship a setting in which we quiet ourselves in order to open our souls to the ministry of God within us.

11:00 AM a More Traditional Service
PLEASE COME AND JOIN US WE WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU WITH US.

Fields Chapel
United Methodist Church



Hope for Paws

Community Cook Out And Pet Fair

Mark your calendars now for our yearly Community Cookout. This year we will be adding a new dimension; Hope For Paws. This is our attempt to help animals in need as well as assist families with information for their pets. Watch for more info about Hope For Paws and our Community Cookout.

Saturday, May 3, 11am-2pm

Church Opening and Closings

We continue to work on our renovations. So many things have happened including another water leak this past week! Yes water, water everywhere! The extra great news is that the leak was discovered prior to us completing our renovations. We would have had to tear up floors and cabinets and painted walls...but praise God we just had to tear up some concrete and some dry wall.

We do have some issues with the Men's room and we are working on these. Until future notice the Men's room is closed, however we have another bathroom that we have designated as the men's room. It is located off of the church office.

While we take time for some walls and concrete to dry, we will begin putting in doors, priming and painting.

Please be aware that the church will be closed from Monday, April 7 through Friday, April 11 to level the floors, install new floors and install the cabinets. All activities will be cancelled for the week of April 7 – 11.

If you have any questions regarding damage, renovations, scheduling, cost, etc...please contact Rev. Anne or Kathy James.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Just a reminder that the Women of Fields Chapel meet every Monday at 1:00 pm for Bible study. All are welcome. It is not necessary to attend all classes, or is it necessary to purchase any of the materials. We also discuss personal feelings and problems that come up during the week. Please plan to join us.



MEN'S TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Just a reminder that the Men's Bible Study group meet every Tuesday evening at 6:30 for Bible study. All are welcome. It is not necessary to attend all classes, or is it necessary to purchase any of the materials. Please come and join us we would love to have you.



PLACING ADS & INFORMATION IN NEWSLETTER

If you would like to place an ad or information in the Newsletter please have your information to Kathy James no later than the Thursday before the Sunday you want your ad to appear. You can e-mail the info to k.james@fieldschapel.org



TYPE 1 CRAFTING

50% of all proceeds go to JDRF to find a cure

www.etsy.com/shop/teamleyton

See Beverly Morgan for details

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A Second Adult Sunday School Class

With Burning Hearts then
A Meditation on the Eucharistic Life

With **Burning Hearts** offers a fuller understanding of the story of the disciples on their way to Emmaus. Like these disciples, we too, come together in our brokenness before God, hear the Word and the profession of faith, and recognize Jesus in the breaking of the bread. Join us beginning, Led by Rev. Anne and Patrice Ligon.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 4.2.14:** Reinhardt University Outreach 6:30
@ Reinhardt University
- 4.6.14:** Dream Team Meeting 12
- 4.12.14:** Church Work Day
- 4.13.14:** Staff Parrish Meeting 12
- 4.14.-18.14:** Holy Week Stations of the Cross
- 4.17.14:** Passion Play presented by our Youth 7:00
- EASTER 4.20.14:** Sunrise Service 6:45
Breakfast after Sunrise Service
8:40 Early Service
10:00 Sunday School
11:00 Regular Service
12:00 Easter Egg Hunt
- 4.26.14:** Church Work Day
- 5.3.12:** Cook out & Pet Fair 11 am – 2 pm

If you are interest in information about any of the above events, please email
Pastor Anne Rex at anne.e.rex@hotmail.com

Roy "Leslie"(Les) Brackett, age 68 of Canton, passed away on March 13, 2014 at Largo FL, The family will be accepting friends on Sunday, March 30 from 2 PM to 4 PM. Funeral services are scheduled for 12:30 PM Monday, March 31,2014 at the Darby Funeral Home Chapel,Interment in Georgias National Cemetery with Military Honors.

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

- Today: Trustee's Meeting 12:00 noon**
- Mon:** Women's Bible Study 1:00 pm
- 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
- Next Sun:** 8:40 am Service
9:30 am Breakfast with Gary
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Service

Membership at Fields Chapel

We have often heard on television the phrase "Membership has its privileges." So are there privileges with being a member of The Chapel? The privilege that one receives by begin a member of The Chapel, or any church for that matter, is a personal one. It is a personal choice to join and has personal implications for your spiritual journey. Have you been thinking about joining the church? Do you have questions about what that looks like? Do you wonder what you have to do or say? What will it mean? Rev. Anne is ready to answer any and all of your questions. If you have questions that you would like to ask about the process, no commitment in the questions, please email Rev. Anne. She would like to set up a time for those interested, but would like to hear from you first. By the way...Easter is a great day to join the church!!! Rev. Anne can be reached at anne.e.rex@hotmail.com.

Youth News



JOYS AND CONCERNS

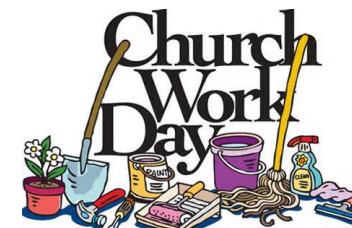
If your student has an accomplishment- SEND ME YOUR PICTURES and/or NEWS! It is our hope to begin highlighting our GIFT Club Students at the Sunday services. I will be posting pictures during the Announcement section of our Sunday Services. Additionally, if your student is going through a "concern", we need to know that information also. If you missed our Sunday announcement, no fear, we will post on our FB page at: <https://www.facebook.com/FCUMY>

GIFT CLUB FRIENDLY REMINDER

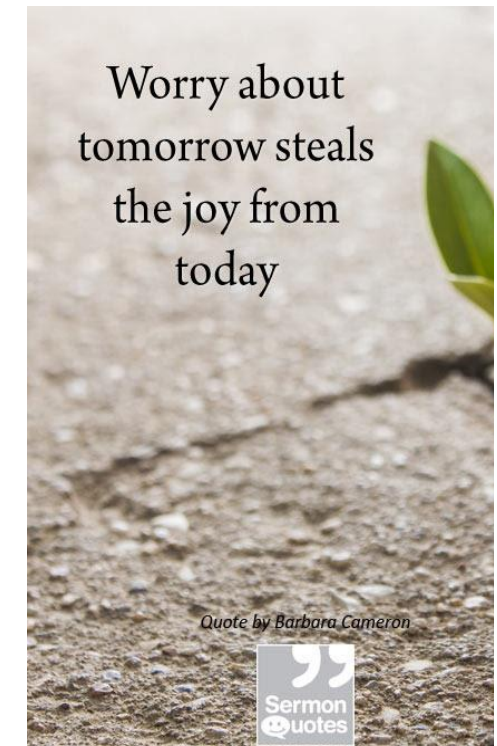
In order to attend any "off campus" church events, we must have a "Parent Packet" AND "Getting To Know Me Packet" signed and on file in the church office. This is for the protection of your students and follows our Safe Sanctuaries guidelines. Please see Shannon McNutt if you need copies or print your own <https://www.dropbox.com/home/GIFT%20Club> Thanking you in advance for your cooperation.

The GIFT (God is for Teens) Club

will be serving coffee and donuts to the Reinhardt Students of The Common Ground Worship Group on Wednesday, April 2nd at the Bannister Glasshouse on the Reinhardt University campus. We will also share in worship with the Reinhardt Students and tell them about the different ministries available at Fields Chapel. Please meet us at the church to carpool at 6:45 p.m. if you would like to attend this event.



The GIFT (God is for Teens) and the Children's Ministry will have a work day on **Friday, April 4th from 9:30-11:00 am** at the Chapel. Please feel free to join in the fun as they plant flowers and spread pine straw.





Sing: Synonyms: croon, chant, intone, hum, resonate, buzz, hum.
That's a good list, but read this: Sing joyfully to the Lord, you righteous; it is fitting for the upright to praise him; Praise the Lord with the harp; make music to him on the ten-stringed lyre. Ps. 33:1-2

At this particular moment, my washing machine is working hard to wash a blanket. Chugga chugga chugga click thump, Chugga chugga chugga click thump over and over. There may have been a time in my life when this sound would have made me grind my teeth, but I happen to know that this washing machine and its accompanying dryer were gifts from my brother and sister-in-law given to me and my daughters when we needed them, so the sounds that it makes, however odd, are music to my ears. They speak of the gift of a loving family and being thankful. Those sounds are God giving me the opportunity to stop and say thank you for providing this just when my little family needed it most. Now, you may not think of the 'chugga' noise of my washing machine as singing joyfully to the Lord, but it's as much music to my ears as any ten-stringed lyre. I don't believe that it's God who puts limits on what we use to express our 'singing' to Him. I think it's us. God thinks we sing to Him whenever we remember to say thank you and SHARE that with the people around us.

I invite you to join in on Worship God Sunday with whatever song, poem, story, skit, video clip, testimony, the contents of a sympathy letter or a card from a friend that touched you deeply, something that happened at work, anything, because any of it can be a means of worshiping God and we need to hear each other's stories. Psalm 78 requires us to teach each other and the younger

generations about our stories, our lives in Christ and what we have learned.

Remember, it isn't necessarily the BIG THINGS that are music to God's ears. It could be a piece of woodworking that challenged and was achieved. It could be a car engine that didn't work quite right, but started to hum. I'm not saying bring big pieces of furniture and autos into the Chapel, but you can bring the story about why it made you thankful. What you do in your everyday life is pleasing to God. He made you the artisan that you are. If you fix computers, that's a gift. If you succeed in a science project, that's a gift. If you score a perfect basket or a goal in soccer, that's a gift.

We had never tried this before last year, so we weren't experienced, but we do know after last year that we can't put this off to the last minute. Plan now. Let me know. Don't wait for me to come to ask you! Remember, God expects you to open the door between you and Him and when you open it for yourself, you have no way of knowing who else might see your example and follow.