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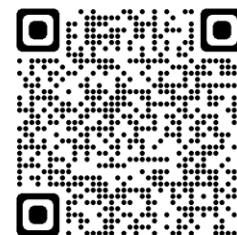
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FAIRHOPE

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Third Sunday of Lent
The Gathering: March 20, 2022 ~ 11:00 am

OPENING SONG

Faith (I Can Move Mountains)

Shea White, Praise Team

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SINGING OUR PRAISES

Learning

You Say

PSALM 63:1-8

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SENDING FORTH

CLOSING SONG

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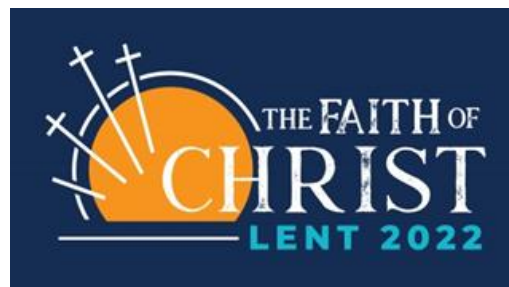
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PRELUDE

Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child

(Marianne Kim)

WELCOME AND MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

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*HYMN OF PRAISE #732

Come We That Love the Lord

*THE PSALTER #788

Psalm 63:1-8

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

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OFFERING

Come To Me

(Courtney)

*DOXOLOGY

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HYMN OF PREPARATION #413

A Charge to Keep

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CLOSING HYMN #354

I Surrender All

SENDING FORTH #347

Spirit Song

POSTLUDE

Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho

(Marianne Kim)

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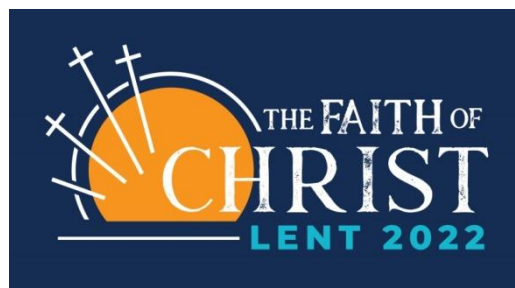
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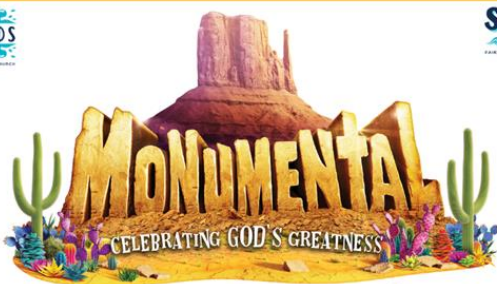
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Adult Discipleship

NEW BOOK STUDY!! Brené Brown's "Daring Greatly"

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Mondays, March 14th-April 4th, noon
(Fellowship Hall – Brown Bag Lunch optional) Facilitators: Dr. Darren M. McClellan, Rev. Antonio Christie, Rev. Laura Parker

Wednesdays, March 16th- April 6th, 6 pm (Parlor, following Wednesday supper)
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Announcement...

We are looking for handbell ringers! Once we start, rehearsals will be Tuesday nights at 6:15 pm. No experience needed ~ just a willingness to serve! Email tom.hood@fairhopeumc.org for more information.



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Many thanks to the Edith Lawson/ Mission Friends Cooking Team for restocking the Caring Ministries Freezer.

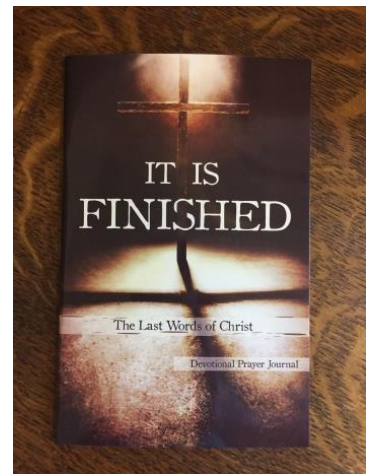


Easter Deliveries to Member's Homes

Drivers are still needed for delivery the week of April 4th - April 7th. Contact Dr. Ann Pearson at 251-928-1148 or ann.pearson@fairhopeumc.org. Every effort is made to schedule your route in your neighborhood or surrounding area if possible.

Lenten Study "It Is Finished"

Only a few booklets are left, so stop by the church office or pick up a booklet at Wednesday night dinner. Our small group discussion meetings will be after Easter, April 25, May 2 and May 9th at 1:00 pm in the CLC Fellowship Hall. Prayers for you as you continue your study.



On Going Support Groups...

- Grief Support meets on Mondays from 3:00 – 4:00 pm in B-114.
- Tough Dogs Cancer Support Group will be meeting Tuesday, March 22 from 12:30 – 1:30 pm in the Church Library. A Zoom option is available upon request by contacting Dr. Ann Pearson at ann.pearson@fairhopeumc.org.



WEEKLY PROGRAMS

Children's Choir (K-6th grades), Wesley Hall, Ed Bldg

Wednesdays, 4:15-5:00pm – We are currently working on Palm Sunday song and our Spring musical, “Once Upon a Parable!”

SWIFT (5th-6th grades), CLC Loft 2nd floor | Wednesdays, 6:15-7:30pm | Topic this week: “I am Called”

****MAKE A NOTE:** SWIFT will be meeting at 4:45pm on March 23rd to travel to Prodissee Pantry to volunteer from 5:30-7:30. Carpooling help is needed. Please contact Mrs. Jenna to sign up! **

Pier & Pier34 (K-4th grades), Wesley Hall, Ed Bldg | Wednesdays, 6:00-7:15pm

Topic this week: Crazy Little Thing Called Love: The Power of Love, Acts 9:1-21 (Saul Becomes Paul)

POWER VERSE: 1 John 1:7

ALL K-6th grade Sunday School classes meet on the Pier Hallway.

3 & 4 yr olds meet in the first Preschool classroom on the left by the office entrance of the first floor.

Join us for a SUNDAY FUNDAY! Children will be getting extra messy this week (painting and outdoor games). So, please dress appropriately! Kindergarten – Yellow Room ~ 1st Grade – Blue Room ~ 2nd Grade – Green Room ~ 3rd & 4th Grades – Aqua Room ~ SWIFT – Purple Room

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To stay up-to-date, make sure to find and join our Facebook group and don't forget to follow us on Instagram@fairhopeumc_childrens_min.

SIGN UP FOR OUR NEW TEXT SYSTEM!

This is different from our previous one and allows us to include community members! Text "PIERKIDS" to 43506 to stay up-to-date with all the latest info!

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

Blue Lake Summer Camp
July 11-15 | Completed 3rd-5th grades
Early Bird Fee \$325

PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!

Save the date and let's make plans!
Scholarships are available.
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EasterJam, our family Easter celebration, will be held on April 16th at 9:00am. There will be egg hunts for 2nd graders & younger, inflatables, family activities, and more! All the action starts in the Sanctuary, so meet us there!



Want to keep your kids busy this summer AND stay connected with our church? Scan the code to view our Summer Activities Booklet for 2022! VBS info, PJ Parties, FamJam Days, and more!



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We are partnering with the Payne Stewart Kids Golf Foundation again this year to provide a four-day golf camp for youth.

The camp will be held in the CLC Gym on July 18 – 21 and is available to all boys and girls ages 4 -9.

Sessions times are TBD and will be at either 8:30-11:30am OR 1:30-4:30pm.

Cost is \$95. To register, go to <https://paynestewartgolf.regfox.com/psge-fairhope-umc> or scan the code below.

For more information about the Foundation, go to www.paynestewart.org.

JULY 18-21, 2022

**Boys & Girls
Ages 4-9**



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CONFIRMATION 2022 UPDATE:

Service time has been changed to 6:30 pm on 4/24!

Confirmation class will meet weekly at 9:50 am in the CLC Classrooms 2 & 3. For more information, please contact the church office. The Confirmation Sunday Service is Sunday, April 24 at 6:30 pm in the Sanctuary. Our church family is invited to join us!

SENIOR SUNDAY CELEBRATION

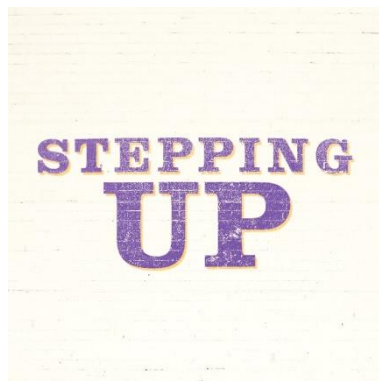
Sunday, April 24

Senior Family Breakfast

@ 9:30 am (CLC Fellowship Hall)

Senior Sunday Recognition

@ 11:00 am (Traditional Service)



STEPPING UP 2022

(For Rising 7th graders)

May 4, 11, 25 // CLC// 6:30-7:45 pm

Stepping Up is a 3-week bridge program that prepares our current 6th graders to enter into our student ministry program. We use current students in our ministry as mentors so that your rising 7th grader can get-to-know some of our crew! These 3 weeks are jammed packed with dinner, games, worship, small group discussion, surprises & prizes of all kinds.

Once they complete this program, our summer ministry begins on Wednesday, June 1 and they are all invited to DIVE IN! We cannot wait to have your child in student ministry! Please take a moment to sign-up your student on our church website.



HIGH SCHOOL MISSION

(Rising 10th grade-Class of 2022)

Cost=\$850

Come serve with our High School team throughout downtown Las Animas, Colorado. We are partnering with Group Mission Trips in the community and doing home repair. Scholarships are available to students upon request and fundraisers are going on now! Information will be sent to you after you register. Please note that the registration number is limited based on our adult chaperone participation. If you would like to serve as a leader, please contact Rachael Waldhour for more information.



MIDDLE SCHOOL MISSION

(Rising 7th-9th grade)

Cost=\$465

All rising 7th-9th graders are invited to come serve on our middle school mission team this summer. We will be providing hurricane relief in some of the hardest hit areas during Hurricane Ida. We will be continuing a partnership that we established between our church and other local churches in Louisiana directly after the storms hit. If you are interested in serving with us, please sign-up and pay your deposit online. Your student has the option of paying the trip in full or helping with fundraisers.

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MISSIONS UPDATE...



INTERESTED IN SERVING ON
THE COSTA RICA
MISSION TEAM?

TENTATIVE DATES:
MAY 25TH-JUNE 3RD

CONTACT:
JENNIFER MYRICK
MISSIONS@FAIRHOPEUMC.ORG

HOW WE ARE SERVING!



JOIN US EVERY FRIDAY!

COMMUNITY CAFE' IS OPEN FOR LUNCH!

11:00AM-1:00PM

DONATION ONLY CAFE'

*VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO PROVIDE DESSERTS!

COSTA RICA SHRIMP BOIL ARTS&CRAFTS

March 18th-20th 11:00am-2:00pm
Boiled Shrimp, Corn, Potatoes, Dessert & Drink



\$12ADULTS & \$6 KIDS

Where: Fairhope United Methodist Church Wesley Hall

DINE IN OR TAKE OUT

All Proceeds benefit Costa Rica Missions

email missions@fairhopeumc.org