



July 2019

News About People

Dixon's Grillin' and Chillin'



Grillin' and Chillin' is on it's way to Dixon on July 20th This annual event has become a favorite of many in the area, with great barbecue and beautiful classic cars. This year, our church will be hosting a craft activity for children, and a picnic area. We will take some of our table and chairs over to the Women's Improvement Club Park and

share some hospitality. We need people to assist with craft activities, as well as people who can keep the picnic area clean and tidy. Volunteers are needed between 10:00 a.m. & 4:00 p.m. A sign-up sheet will be available. For more information, talk with Audrey Madden or Pastor Cathy



Dixon United Methodist Men's Barbecue & Silent Auction August 25th at 5:00pm



Tri-tip & Chicken Salad Baked Beans Pies

Tickets

\$15 for those over 12 \$5 for those under 12 \$40 family maximum



The Entertainment

The Narrow Gauge String Band **The Silent Auction**

In addition to the delicious meal and delightful music, there will be a silent auction with items donated by congregation members. So, look round the house for some special treasures, or donate a talent or service.



Church News

Ross and Gladys Hanna Community Concert Series

2018 Community Concert Series

Mark your calendars and buy your series tickets for the fall concert series. And please invite friends to join us.

September 9th, 6:00 p.m.

Orquestra Borinquen, Salsa by the Bay October 14th, 6:00 p.m.

Frankie and the Fabletones November 11th, 6:00 p.m.

Matthew Grasso, Classical Guitar

Team Dixon Sponsors Needed!

This year, Team Dixon and their buddies will be part of the fun with the Frankie and the Fabletones. We are seeking 25 more sponsors who can contribute \$20.00 for each Team member and his or her buddy. For more information, contact Audrey Madden or Pastor Cathy Morris



<u>Lawn and Garden Appreciation</u> <u>Sunday, July 1st.</u>

It's time to say **THANK YOU** to those who, have over the past many year's, have given of their time and sweat to keep our church grounds looking beautiful and welcoming. We will honor those who have faithfully mowed the lawn, planted, weeded, pruned, and dead-headed. These hard workers will be recognized during our morning worship services and celebrated during fellowship time.

Special Charge Conference

On Wednesday, July 11th at 7:00p.m., there will be a Special Charge Conference to approve a revised Pastoral Compensation Package, increasing the current appointment from half-time to full-time.

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Children & Youth

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We all had fun at To Mars and Beyond VBS

2019. It was a great success with 58 children 4 Babies participating. There were 13 youth and 35 adults who provided great leadership. Thank you one and all!!

Director: Janet Hull

Registration: Megan Villasenor & .Jana Gabby

<u>Decorations</u>: Kathryn DeFay & Jeremy Brothers

Storytelling: Robert Scott & Glenn Pender

<u>Crafts</u>: Melissa Glide, Carol Garcia & Sue Schoemaker

Science Station: Pam Cozzoli & Kim McGreevey

Recreation: Kiarra Madden

Snacks: Debbie Davidson & Pat Inderbitzen

Music: Erin Brothers.& Hannah Miller

Assembly Leaders: Grace Gabby, Freyja Horn &

Eli Jurado

Preschool Leader: Kate Alloway & Terry Miller

Guides: Kathy Wallace, R.K. Van Every,

Shanon Jurado, Katelynn Barr, Nielda Bailey, Audra Lacey & Ardath Wood

Cooks: Chris Hatfield, Dorothy Wiley, Shirley, Wygal, Julie Skaug, Audrey Madden,

Tim Wright, Gerald Stringer & Eric

Warnken

Rolling River Rampage Crew:

Lola Bernhardt, Jazmyne Williams, Ethan Hurtao, Jessica Franceschi, Matthew Schroeder, Libby Mustard, Joe Marsh, Amelia Fife, Savannanh Lindley, Brandon Castillo, Stuart Davidson & John Currey



VBS 2019







Children's Ministry

Sunday Morning Schedule for Children

10:00 a.m. Worship with Children's Story and Children's Songs in Community Singing

11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time

11:30 a.m. Sunday School: Deep Blue

11:45 a.m. Kids Choir

12:15 p.m. Sunday School Dismissal

Deep Blue Themes

July 7 July 14

July 21 July 28 Abraham & Sarah Sarah & Isaac Isaac & Rebekah

Jacob & Esau

Youth

UMYF July Movie Outing

Ant Man and the Wasp

July 6th, meet at the church at 5 p.m.

Fall 2018 Christian History Made Easy

This 12-week study of Christian history will cover 2,000 years of events and topics that have challenged the church: establishing the Early Church, monasticism, medieval conflicts, the Protestant Reformation, the Great Awakening, 19th Century Missions, Modernism, and Postmodernism.-Class sessions will begin in September.

Winter 2019 The Wesleyan Way

Starting in January, there will be an 8 week
Study of the core beliefs and practices of Christian
Faith in the tradition of the Wesleyan revival movement that gave birth to the United Methodist
Church.

- 1. Following Christ Is a Way of Life
- 2.Live Ultimately Wins
- 3.It's a Good World with Issues
- 4. Turn Your Life Around with Grace
- 5. You Are Not Alone
- 6. Transform Yourself and the World
- 7.Invite Others on the Journey
- 8. Christ No Matter What

DUMM Think Tank

DUMM Think Tank is a time for the older men (actually we use the term: OLD GUYS) to gather around the coffee pot and reminisce how great we were in our younger days and to support each other in our quest to continue to be and feel relevant in the "NOW."

When: Mondays at 10:00am Location: Fellowship Hall

Faith and Frappuccino

Join a lively group of women who gather once a week at Starbucks for tea, coffee and conversations about daily spiritual living. Drop in as you can.

When: Wednesday afternoons at 4:00

Location: Starbucks Leader: Audrey Madden

United Methodist Women News

UMW is spear heading a fundraising drive to purchase new pew cushions to replace the yellow cushions that were purchased sometime in the 70's! The new cushions will match the cushions at the back of the sanctuary and the chairs up front. It will cost about \$3,500 to purchase the new cushions. UMW started out the drive with a \$1,000 donation. As of June 10th, we have collected a total of \$1,800 so we are half way to our goal! Each foot of cushion costs about \$25. If you would like to make a donation to this fundraiser just put your donation in the collection plate. Be sure to label it PEW CUSHIONS, so that it gets credited to the correct account.

UMW and Grace Circle will take the summer off. They will resume in September.

Jubilee Circle, July 3

Mary's Pizza-1460 Ary Lane All women of the church, all ages, come together to dine at a local restaurant on the first Wednesday of the month at 5:30pm

Music & Worship

Choir

The summer has arrived. Summers are the times of rest for the Choirs, a Sabbath of sorts for our musicians, but do not fear! Music is still alive in the summer! We will sing a lot of hymns and we still have fun at the end of each service with the songs for the kids. And since the choirs are taking some time off, that leaves plenty of room for musical offerings from other people, solos, ensembles, vocal, instrumental, you name it! If you would like to present a musical offering sometime this summer,

Please let me know and we will find a special Sunday just for you and or your group.



It is such a blessing to have collaborated with so many wonderful people this past year. A special thanks goes out to the amazing musicians who have made this ministry possible and provided the congregation with a spirit-filled offering every Sunday. You are dedicated and strong and you make it a joy to come to work every week. Thank you for being Christ's hands and feet in service to our mission of music!

Adult Choir will resume August 29th, Handbells on September 1st, and September 8th for the Kids' Choir. God Bless and have an amazing summer!

July Scripture Readings

July	7	2 Kings 5:1-14 Psalm 30
		Galatians 6:1-16
		Luke 10:1-11, 16-120

July 14 Amos 7:7-17
Psalm 82
Colossians 1:1-14
Luke 10:25-37

July 21 Amos 8:1-12 Psalm 52 Colossians 1:15-28 Luke 10:38-42

July 28 Hosea 1:2-10
Psalm 85
Colossians 2:6-19
Luke 11:1-13

Liturgist

July	7	Dawn King
July	14	Nancy Blankenship
July	21	Sharon Burr
July	28	K.C. Baltz

Flowers

July	7	Sally Galindo	
July	14	Tim & Kathy Wright	
July	21		
July	28	Ed & Mary Heeney	

Fellowship

July	7	
July	14	Dawn King
July	21	Paul Abrams
July	28	Ed & Mary Heeney

Sign up for Flowers, Fellowship or Liturgist in the Fellowship hall or online at: http://vols.pt/XcRuzr

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Birthday & Resource Ministry

Outreach

Happy Birthday!



Joe Bock	July 1
Scott Bruce	July 2
Sam Marshall	July 3
Allegra Ngoy	July 3
Peter Morris	July 5
Janis Patterson	July 5
Daniel Paulson	July 7
Jamie Bair	July 10
Evan de Bie	July 11
Cody Franceschi	July 11
Riley Currey	July 13
Asher DeFay	July 13
Peter Glide	July 15
Lila Gabby	July 17
Eric de Bie	July 18
Victoria Van Buskirk	July 21
Edwina Koonce	July 24
Andrew Polik	July 24
Rena Wood	July 25
Sarah Bell Galindo	July 27
Shirley Wygal	July 27
Dana Miller	July 28
London Ngoy	July 28
Chanda Williams	July 28
Mary Peppers	July 29
Madelyn Robinson	July 30
Violet Jones	July 31

Anniversaries

Clint & Nielda Bailey K.C. & Stephanie Baltz	July July	
Jay & Suzanne Galloway	July	13
John & DeAnn Atallah	July	16
Wayne & Chanda Williams	July	18
Richard & Jennifer Crawford	July	21
Gary & Tina Engel	July	25
Erik & Shelly de Bie	July	26
AJ & Cicely Bernhardt	July	29
Dan & Pat Paxton	July	30

Stephen Ministry News

Stephen Ministry has been in operation at our church for 12 years. The ministry of the Stephen Ministers has been a blessing to individuals, to the lay ministers themselves, and to the whole congregation. In order to continue and expand this ministry of care, we are beginning another Stephen Ministry training class in September. Take advantage of this opportunity to share the love that God has given you. You will find that being a Stephen Minister will not only be helpful to others, but it will be one of the most fulfilling and joyful experiences that you have ever had.



An Invitation to an Open House

Cathy and Peter Morris are inviting all members of the congregation to an open house on Sunday, July 29th from 2-6 p.m. Their son Michael, his wife Jessica, and their daughter, Elaina will be in Dixon for a visit. Please stop by to say *hello*. The address is 1645 Dailey Dr., near Tremont school.

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Monthly Food Offering

Remember! The first Sunday of the month is Food Offering Sunday. Please bring food items, laundry detergent, paper products, and toiletries on July 7th and place them in the offering bin in support of Dixon Family Services.

Meeting Schedule

Staff Parish Relation Committee
July 2nd at TBA

Finance Core Team
July 14th at 11:15 a.m.

Board of Trustees
July 10th at 6:00p.m.



Church Council

July 10th at 7:00 p.m.

Stephen Ministry Supervision Meeting
July 15th at 6:30pm

Adult Faith Formation Meeting July 18th at 6:30 p.m.



Lawn Mowing Schedule for July

July 7 Stuart Davidson

July 14 Eric Warnken

July 21 Brent Watney

July 28 Kevin Heeney

Income for May

TOTAL INCOME	\$14,442.82
PLEDGES&OFFERINGS	\$13,427,82
DISIGNATIED GIVING	\$630.00
BUILDING USE	\$385.00

Expenses for May

ADMINISTRATIVE	\$3,121.53
MINISTRIES	\$1,006.33
NON-BUDGETED	\$713.00
STAFF	\$14,962.51
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$19,803.37

Building Fund Report

Current Amount	\$0	
Original Loan amount		\$34,300.00
Maturity Date		03/05/2025
Last Payment	06/13/2019	\$734.75

Paid off 6 years early!

Vital Signs Recording for May

Attendance		<u>Worship</u>	<u>S.G.</u>
May	6	113	45
May	13	124	46
May	20	95	34
May	27	114	27

Average Worship Attendance: 111 .50

Average Small Group Attendance 38.00

Average Weekly Mission Outreach: 2.25

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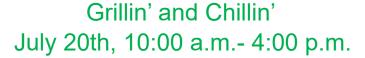


Staff Hours

Pastor Cathy Morris Mon, Tues, & Wed. 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Secretary Carrie Senecal Mon, Tues, & Thurs 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.



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