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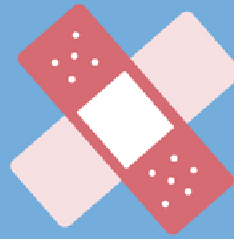
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If you would like to be added as a patron, please e-mail Jarie with your name, address and e-mail.



# HEALTH CARE REFORM FORUM

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

LINK CENTRE – RECEPTION HALL

*Luncheon Provided*

Seating is limited, so please RSVP with KC Grist by Friday, July 7, 2017 at [kc@kcgrist.com](mailto:kc@kcgrist.com)

Health Care Policy Briefing

Panel Discussion: Caring for the Uninsured

AHCA and BCRA Impact on Mississippi

Medicaid Program

## Topics and Speakers:

**Amanda Ptashkin**  
*Community Catalyst*

**Valerie Long**  
*CATCH Kids*

**Dr. Corey Wiggins**  
*Hope Policy Institute*

**Cindy Sparks**  
*Good Samaritan Clinic*

**The public is welcome to attend.**

Please join us for a dialogue regarding health care reform issues - a discussion of the American Health Care Act and Better Care Reconciliation Act of 2017 - with a focus on the implications for Mississippi.

1800 Main Street, Tupelo, Mississippi

Sponsored by: Mississippi Health Advocacy Program and CATCH Kids

# CHILDREN'S

# SUMMER FUN!

1ST-5TH GRADES

WEDNESDAYS IN JULY

9-11 a.m.



WE NEED YOUR HELP

# *Eagle Scout Project*

For his Eagle Scout project, Carter Brown, son of Chan and Marty Brown, is collecting worn and tattered U.S. flags that need to be retired in the proper manner. Carter is a life scout with Troop 12 which is sponsored by FUMC Tupelo and is an active member of our youth program. Boxes are located in Wesley Hall and in the Gathering Room. He will be collecting flags for the next month and will have his flag retiring ceremony at the Army Aviation Facility in August. Please look around in your house for any worn United States flags, bring them to the church, and he will retire them in a proper manner.

## *MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS*

### GIVEN IN MEMORY OF:

...Rev. Hershel Wiygul

By: Dot Harrelson  
M/M John Pearch  
M/M Don Wiygul  
Friends of Britt Wiygul  
Mabel Crawford  
Liz Rice  
R/M Roy Ryan  
M/M Gerry Green  
Mrs. Billy Potts  
W.L. Potts  
M/M Marshall Montgomery  
Carolyn Boggan  
M/M Bobby King  
D/M Barney Guyton

...Thomas Mize

By: M/M Jim Black  
M/M Jameson Rogers  
M/M Howard Hinds  
M/M Russell Pardin  
M/M James Wiygul  
D/M Richard Warriner  
Dot Harrelson

M/M Scooter Carr  
M/M Bobby King  
M/M Tom Foy  
D/M Fred Mothershed  
M/M Robert Siedell  
M/M David Brevard  
M/M Johnny Bruce  
M/M James Harris  
Joyner Elementary School  
Dr. W. Thomas Oakes, Jr.  
M/M Drew McDowell  
M/M Nat Leathers  
M/M Henry Dodge  
Dona Porter  
M/M Drew Clayton  
M/M Porter Robinson  
M/M Roger Bland  
Judy Thomas  
M/M Steve Edwards  
M/M Gus Jones  
M/M Jack Reed  
M/M Jeff Short  
M/M Dean Stacy  
D/M Barney Guyton

...Rev. B.F. Lee

By: M/M Marshall Montgomery  
D/M Vernon Barrow  
D/M Barney Guyton

...Rev. E.S. Furr

By: M/M Marshall Montgomery

M/M Carthal Wardlow

By: Lisa, Kathryn & Neely  
Johnson

...Jane Stallings Holland

By: Liz Rice

...Loretta Monts

By: Mattie Edwards

...Angela Ronan

By: M/M Henry Dodge  
D/M Barney Guyton

...Madie Young

By: Winds of Grace SS Class  
D/M Barney Guyton

### GIVEN IN HONOR OF:

...D/M Tom Groome

By: Lisa Johnson

...Maggie Shepherd

By: M/M Kevin Tackitt  
D/M Mark Shepherd

...M/M George McGreger

By: D/M Vernon Barrow

...Jubilation & Jubilee Choir  
Teachers

By: Corinne & Lillian Pace

# SUMMER PUBLISHING DATES

*The newsletter will publish every two weeks during June and July.*

**JULY 5 & JULY 19—Weekly publication will resume on August 2**

# STEWARDSHIP

2017 BUDGET GOAL.....\$2,424,213.45  
2017 NEEDED WEEKLY .....\$45,739.88  
2017 SIX MONTH BUDGETED AMOUNT .....\$1,212,106.23

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING THROUGH 06/29.....\$44,783.07  
2017 OFFERING THROUGH 06/29.....\$1,227,262.64  
SPENT TO DATE 2017 THROUGH 06/29.....\$1,135,801.67

## SERVING SUNDAY, JULY 9

### TV OPERATORS:

JOE BAILEY, HAROLD HUDSON, JASON PANNELL

### SANCTUARY SOUND:

8:45: BUTCH DENDY

11: LEE MCKENZIE

### GREETERS:

8:45: COSTA HILL

11: PEGGY CARTER

8:45 INVITATION: LIBBA/MICKEY AKERS

### USHERS:

8:45: JIM BLACK, JIM DENTON, RON STEPHENS, PHILLIP WIL-  
LIAMS

8:45 INVITATION: CHAN BROWN, JACK FOSTER, LYNN HOL-  
LAND, DAVID PACE

11:00: MICKEY AKERS, MIKE ARMOUR, MARSHALL BRISCOE,  
RANDY DANIEL, PHIL RUFF

## SERVING SUNDAY, JULY 16

### TV OPERATORS:

JIM HOLDER, JIM KARRANT, JASON PANNELL

### SANCTUARY SOUND:

8:45: DAVID DILLARD

11: JIM KARRANT

### GREETERS:

8:45: COSTA HILL

11: BRENDA CHASE

8:45 INVITATION: LIBBA/MICKEY AKERS

### USHERS:

8:45: JIM BLACK, JIM DENTON, RON STEPHENS, PHILLIP WIL-  
LIAMS

8:45 INVITATION: CHAN BROWN, JACK FOSTER, LYNN HOL-  
LAND, DAVID PACE

11:00: BILL BEASLEY, SCOOTER CARR, MAC CURLEE, JOHN M.  
HOLLIDAY

## CALENDAR FOR JULY 9-22, 2017

### SUNDAY, JULY 9

8:45 WORSHIP, SANCTUARY

8:45 WORSHIP, WESLEY HALL

9:45 FELLOWSHIP, GATHERING ROOM

10:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 WORSHIP, SANCTUARY

### MONDAY, JULY 10

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 PRESCHOOL SUMMER FUN DAYS

10:00 YOUTH BOYS' BIBLE STUDY

10:00 YOUTH GIRLS' BIBLE STUDY, 207

5:15 WORSHIP COMMITTEE, CR

### TUESDAY, JULY 11

8:00-11:30 CLOTHES CLOSET OPEN FOR DONATIONS

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 STAFF DAY APART

5:15 TRUSTEES, CR

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 12

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 PRESCHOOL SUMMER FUN DAYS

9:00 OLDER CHILDREN'S FUN DAY, FH

1:00 YOUTH OPEN GYM

7:00 CHANCEL CHOIR

### THURSDAY, JULY 13

7:15 PRAYER GROUP, CHAPEL

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 INVITATION PLANNING, WH

### FRIDAY, JULY 14

7:30 CASA, CLC

### SATURDAY, JULY 15

9:00-12:00 HELPING HANDS OPEN

### SUNDAY, JULY 16

8:45 WORSHIP, SANCTUARY

8:45 WORSHIP, WESLEY HALL

9:45 FELLOWSHIP, GATHERING ROOM

10:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL

11:00 WORSHIP, SANCTUARY

### MONDAY, JULY 17

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 PRESCHOOL SUMMER FUN DAYS

10:00 YOUTH BOYS' BIBLE STUDY

10:00 YOUTH GIRLS' BIBLE STUDY, 207

1:30 AGE LEVEL STAFF MEETING, CR

5:15 STUDY COMMITTEE, CR

5:15 STEWARDSHIP COMM., 205

### TUESDAY, JULY 18

8:00-11:30 CLOTHES CLOSET OPEN FOR DONATIONS

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 INVITATION PLANNING, CR

10:30 STAFF MEETING, CR

5:15 FINANCE COMMITTEE, FH

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 19

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 PRESCHOOL SUMMER FUN DAYS

9:00 OLDER CHILDREN'S FUN DAY, FH

1:00 YOUTH OPEN GYM

7:00 CHANCEL CHOIR

### THURSDAY, JULY 20

7:15 PRAYER GROUP, CHAPEL

7:30 CASA, CLC

9:00 INVITATION PLANNING, WH

### FRIDAY, JULY 21

7:30 CASA, CLC

### SATURDAY, JULY 22

9:00-12:00 HELPING HANDS OPEN