

## Weekly Planner, October 24-30, 2004

<b>Sun 24</b>	Blood pressure screening in the library between services 8:30 a.m.           Worship - Laity Sunday 9:45 a.m.            Sunday School 11:00 a.m.           Worship - Laity Sunday 12:00 noon           Potato/Salad Bar Youth Fundraiser 4:45 p.m.            Laudamus Te Ringers 5:15 p.m.            Youth Choir 5:45 p.m.            UMYF 5:30 p.m.            Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting 8:00 p.m.            Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting
<b>Mon 25</b>	9:00 a.m.            ECMS: Family Music for Babies 9:45 a.m.            ECMS: Family Music for Babies 10:45 a.m.           ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers 6:00-8:00 p.m.      Sanctuary Worship Team Practice 6:00 p.m.            Cub Scouts 6:30 p.m.            Boy Scouts 6:30 p.m.            Jesus in the Gospels Bible Study 6:30 p.m.            Junior Girl Scouts 7:30 p.m.            Praise Choir
<b>Tue 26</b>	9:30 a.m.            ECMS: Music Makers: At Home in the World 1:30 p.m.            ECMS: Music Makers: At Home in the World 2:00 p.m.            Companions in Christ 4:15 p.m.            ECMS: Music Makers: At the Keyboard Year 1 7:00-8:15 p.m.      Small Group Bible Study 7:00-8:30 p.m.      Middle School Bible Study at the Minge's 7:00-8:30 p.m.      High School Bible Study at Church 7:00 p.m.            Witness Committee 7:30 p.m.            Gloria Dei Ringers
<b>Wed 27</b>	9:30 a.m.            TOPS 9:30 a.m.            ECMS: Cycle of Seasons 10:30 a.m.-12:00 noon Mothers Nurturing Mothers 10:45 a.m.           ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers 4:15 p.m.            Cherub Choir 4:45 p.m.            Junior Choir 5:15 p.m.            Church Dinner 5:25 p.m.            Jubilate Ringers 6:30-8:30 p.m.      Sanctuary 7:30 p.m.            Chancel Choir 7:30 p.m.            College/Young Adult Bible Study
<b>Thu 28</b>	9:30 a.m.            Sewing Group 9:30 a.m.            ECMS: Cycle of Seasons 10:45 a.m.           ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers 3:30 p.m.            ECMS: Music Makers: Around the World 4:45 p.m.            ECMS: Music Makers: At the Keyboard Year 2 6:30 p.m.            Singles Group 6:30-8:00 p.m.      Tutoring at Aqueduct 7:30 p.m.            Trustees Meeting
<b>Fri 29</b>	8:00 a.m.            Prayer Partners 9:30 a.m.            ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers 10:30 a.m.           ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers 12:30 p.m.           High School Retreat Group Leaves
<b>Sat 30</b>	8:30 p.m.            Alcoholics Anonymous Meeting Set your clock back one hour before going to bed so you will be at church at the right time on Sunday.

## Warwick Weekly—October 24, 2004

The psalmist wrote: “O God of our salvation; you are the hope of all the ends of the earth” (Psalm 65:5). As brothers and sisters in Christ, let us reach out to the One who gives hope and let us greet one another in Christian love. Welcome!

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS AND HYMNALS** are available for use during the worship service. Please see an usher to obtain one.

**Prayer Chain:** If you have a person in need of prayer, call **Elsie Mitchell** or the church office (877-2270) and your request will receive prompt addition to a prayer chain. You may also contact **Jim Rogers** at 68eagle@cox.net to be placed on the electronic prayer chain.

### Serving Today

Greeters:           8:30-Joe and June Buckman  
                          11:00-Janice Fritz

Ushers:             8:30—  
                          11:00—Beverly Mayeaux, Jean Scott, Beth Murray, Kathy Crossett

Junior Church Workers Today: 8:30-  
  11:00-Kate Bella  
Next Sunday:       8:30-Al Dornier  
  11:00-Michele Guyer

### Prayer Thoughts

*Keep our minds and spirits focused on you, O Lord,  
that we may not miss your message to us. Amen.*

### Altar Flowers

The flowers on the altar today are given by The Lockards and Willie Reinhart to the glory of God and in memory of Rosemary Lockard.

### New Baby

The rose on the altar is in celebration of the birth of **Jacob Michael Beavin** born on October 8th to **Major Michael and Stephanie Beavin**. Proud grandparents are **Sylvia and Alan Custer**.

### In Sympathy

We extend our sincere Christian sympathy to the family of **Rob Pierce** who died on Monday, October 18.

### Servant Leaders of the Month

If you have not taken the time to thank our Servant Leaders of the Month, **Larry and Elsie Bevins and Linda McLawhorn**, for all they do for our church family, please do so in person, by phone or email, or by mail.

## **Sanctuary - October 27**

### **“Breaking the Chains”**

This service will be the first in a series called, “*God Binds Up the Brokenhearted.*” The series will continue through the month of November, and will focus on the ways God offers us healing and new beginnings. This particular service will explore the ways God can free us from the “chains” of guilt, self-doubt, and self-hate that weigh so many of us down. Come and experience the ways our God “breaks those chains!”



### **Singles News**

**Thursday Night Together (TNT)** - every Thursday night at 6:30 p.m. Bring a dish to share in the pot luck and \$1 to cover paper goods and drinks. Varied programs.

**10/28 “Fishbowl”** – Bring your questions and get a male or female perspective

### **Eight is Enough**

New **Eight is Enough** fellowship groups will be formed for November. If you want to be added to a group or taken off the list, call Cathy Haskell.

### **Junior Church Volunteers Still Needed!**

Volunteers are needed to help with our wonderful 4-7 year olds during Junior Church. It's only a few Sundays out of the year. How easy is that?! The following slots are open: 8:30 service—week 4 starting in Oct (every other month); week 2 starting in Dec (every other month); week 1 starting in Jan. 11:00 service—week 4 for Nov, Mar, May and July. We could also use substitutes. Contact Sharon Ellis. Thanks!

### **All Saints' Sunday**

Please bring photographs (preferably framed) of people who have died in the faith to be used as part of the All Saint's remembrance service on November 7. Try to bring the pictures by October 31. Thanks!

### **Peninsula District Historical Society**

**Thursday, October 28, 12:30 p.m. lunch and meeting**

**Bethany United Methodist Church, 1509 Todds Lane, Hampton**

The cost of the lunch is \$6.00. Call the church at 826-2493 by October 25 to make your reservation.

The program will be the Reverend Elizabeth Wright portraying Barbara Heck who was born in County Limerick, Ireland, and was known as the mother of American Methodism. This past summer Libby and Ed Wright visited Ireland doing research for Libby's portrayal of this character.

**Today is the deadline to turn in information for the November newsletter. We will assemble the newsletter Thursday, October 28 at 9:00 a.m. If you are free on Thursday at 9:00, we could use your help. Thanks!**

### **Youth Stuff**

- ☺ **Today - Potato Bar for Missions** following 11:00 a.m. service.  
**Regular UMYF** - (snack supper starts at 5:45 pm, program ends at 7:30)
  - ☺ **Tuesday - Bible Studies**, 7:00-8:30 p.m.  
Middle school at Mingee's house  
High school at church - guys with Dick in the 7/8 grade classroom - “How to Change the World in Six Easy Steps”  
girls with Lauren in the Youth Room - “Nothin' But Christ”
  - ☺ **Wednesday - Sanctuary**, 6:30 p.m.
  - ☺ **Friday**-High School Retreat Group Leaves for Eagle Eyrie at 12:30.
- Next Sunday - Special Middle School UMYF: Neewollah Celebration!** (Snack supper starts promptly at 5:45 pm, program ends at 7:30 pm.)  
High School Retreat Group returns around 6:30 pm. No High School UMYF.

**Upcoming Stuff...**Watch Youth Bulletin Board for more info and signup sheets:

- Christian concerts coming to our area
    - > Third Day with Toby Mac—Friday, Oct. 29th, Hampton Coliseum, start time is 7 pm, cost is \$28 (This is **NOT** a sponsored youth event)
    - > Switchfoot - Saturday, Nov 6th, doors open at 6 pm, start time is 7 pm, cost is \$15
- This concert IS a sponsored youth group event...**sign up on the Youth Bulletin Board.
- Youth Sunday - November 28th

### **New CD**

Gary Lively and Lane Rogers recently recorded 14 all-time favorite songs from the past. Songs include *Autumn Leaves*, *Somewhere Over the Rainbow*, *Blue Moon of Kentucky* and *Unchained Melody* to name a few. The cost of the CD is \$12. A portion of all sales will be donated to the Building Fund. Contact Lane or Gary if you are interested in purchasing a CD.

### **Time for Christmas Cheer!**

Get in the holiday mood early. Come join our **Christmas Cheer!!! Mothers Nurturing Mothers** is sponsoring a *Ladies' Night Out* on Friday, November 12 at 7:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall (childcare provided). What can you expect?:

- \* Holiday Refreshments
- \* Make and Take Christmas crafts
- \* A representative from In A Tizzy: Rubber Stamps 'n' More to make Christmas cards
- \* Do it yourself manicure/pedicure station
- \* Fellowship with other Christian women (most important)

Tickets are \$7.00 and can be purchased Sunday mornings or from Jennifer Tobia.



### **The United Methodist Social Principles**

Pastor Steve will teach a two-part course on **The United Methodist Social Principles** on November 14th from 6:00-7:30 p.m., and November 15th from 12:00-1:30 p.m. There will be plenty of time for questions and input from class members. We will meet in the Aldersgate room. Please feel free to bring a brown bag lunch/supper.

### **World Food Day: Hungry No More**

Beginning Sunday, October 24 and running through early December, ABC television will air "Hungry No More", a documentary that shows the United Methodist Church and other faith groups are cooperating on resolving the social and moral issues of hunger. Check your TV listings.

### **October Local Missions**

Let's give a hand to Transitions Family Violence Services as our local missions project for October. Their biggest needs right now are:

**Household cleaning supplies:** laundry detergent, dish soap, toilet cleaner, etc.

**Toiletries:** tooth paste, toothbrushes, shampoo, etc.

**Used clothing** (women's and children's)

**New undergarments for children:** briefs, t-shirts, socks

Please place these items in the plastic bin located in the library. The United Methodist Women Circles are also collecting items for Transitions.

*"The one who blesses others is abundantly blessed; those who help others are helped."*

*Proverbs 11:25 - The Message*

### **DNA Testing**

The United Methodist and other churches are encouraging Governor Warner to catalogue and preserve all DNA samples from felony crimes. The goal is to ensure that the guilty are convicted and the innocent are set free. More information will be presented in our November newsletter. The governor can be contacted at 804-786-2211. His address: State Capital, Third Floor, Richmond, VA 23219.

### **Sunday School Teacher Needed**

The Christian Education Ministries need a Sunday School teacher for the 2nd grade class to teach one Sunday each month. If you are interested, please call Larry Bevins or Leah Lively.

### **Nursery Staff Person Needed**

Our church is recruiting for a substitute Nursery Staff employee. This paid position is needed to backup the current staff for Sunday and/or weekday evening activities. Applicants are required to be 21 years old and fulfill the requirements of the child protection training. If you are interested or know someone who would be interested in this position, please contact Tom Cochrane.

### **Text for Anthems**

#### ***There Is a Time***

There is a time, there is a season for ev'ry purpose under heav'n:  
A time to be born, a time to die, a time to plant, a time to reap, a time  
to kill, a time to heal, a time to destroy, a time to build.

There is a time, there is a time.

A time to weep, a time to laugh, a time to mourn, a time to dance, to  
scatter stones, to gather stones, a time to embrace, and to refrain,  
a time to search, a time to lose, a time to hold, a time to release.

There is a time, there is a time.

A time for silence, a time to speak, a time to love, a time to hate, a time  
for war, a time for peace.

There is a time, there is a time.

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## **Warwick Memorial Youth**

are sponsoring a

# **Potato/Salad Bar**

**Today**

***following the 11:00 am service***

**Donations will go to mission projects.**



***Thanks for your support!***



### **Sacrificial Giving Through a Labor of Love**

Volunteering is a precious gift to give. DUCO is in need of another volunteer from WMUMC to assist in their vital ministry of compassion. The volunteer should be able to donate one morning or afternoon per week for a minimum of six months. Please see Pastor Steve if you are interested or need more information.

### **Honduras Medical Mission Team Fundraiser**

#### **Frozen Pies and Live Christmas Greenery**

Stop by the table in the hall before or after Sunday School through 31 to place your order. The pies will arrive before Thanksgiving. The following pies are available:



apple	peach	berry
cherry	caramel applenut	blueberry
Dutch apple	fruits of the forest	pumpkin
pecan	French silk	Boston cream

The live greenery will arrive by December 6. Greenery items available are:

several wreaths of different sizes and styles  
a swag  
a garland  
a centerpiece



### **Thank You**

We would like to express our sincere thanks to the Warwick Memorial family for the wonderful support and love through the years and at the time of my mother's death. Your prayers, visits, cards, phone calls, food, and flowers were uplifting and a comfort as we came to the end of our "long good-bye". We are continuing to be blessed by your kindness and loving care. **Marsha Six and the Moyer Family**

### **Operation Christmas Child**

Operation Christmas Child is in full swing. Thank you for your interest and enthusiasm. Complete details for filling a shoe box are in the Operation Christmas Child brochure. Additional brochures and a suggestion list for boys and girls are in the narthex.

Please **do not include:**

- used items
- toy guns, knives, or other war-related items
- chocolate or perishable food items (Tootsie Rolls, cookies, M&M's, etc)
- liquids of any kind (shampoo, lotion, bubbles, etc.)
- medicines of any kind (vitamins, cough drops, etc.)
- breakable items.



Remember—our dedication service will be **November 14**.  
If you have any questions, please call Norma MacLuskie.