

CHURCH POTLUCK SUPPER

January 16 5:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Everyone is asked to bring an entrée or side dish that serves 8 people. Drinks, plates & utensils are provided.

LADIES LUNCH BUNCH JANUARY 19 11:00 AM

Join us for lunch and fellowship at Ruby Tuesday (545 N Navy Blvd., Pensacola, FL 32507) Thursday, January 19 at 11:00 AM. Please call Jane Foster (251-213-8300) by Tuesday, January 17 if you plan to go. We will carpool from the church at 10:30 AM.

CHURCH COUNCIL & FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING

January 22 3:00 PM Conference Room

CHURCH TOWN HALL

January 25 6:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Rev. Jean Tippet, Pensacola District Superintendent

This will be an informational meeting to explain the process and requirements of disaffiliating from the United Methodist Church. Rev. Tippet will answer any questions you have. There will be no voting at this meeting.

INFORMATIONAL GATHERING

January 29 3:00 PM Fellowship Hall

Gene Floor, Lay Leader of the Alabama West Florida Conference & Lay Delegate to Jurisdictional & General Conference and Rev. Larry Bryars, Alabama West Florida Conference Clergy Delegate to Jurisdictional & General Conference

They will be discussing the recent Jurisdictional Conference, why churches are pursuing disaffiliating from the United Methodist Church and answer any questions you have. There will be no voting at this meeting.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

February 5 11:10 AM Fellowship Hall

We will be voting on whether or not to schedule a Church Conference with the District Superintendent for the Lillian UMC members to vote on disaffiliating from the United Methodist Church.

A SLICE OF HEAVEN CHURCH COOKBOOKS

A Slice of Heaven cookbooks are available for \$15.00. Contact Betty Erwin (850-776-7125) or the church office (251-962-4336) to purchase a cookbook.

LILLIAN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE

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TO VIEW LIVE at 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM or LATER
Go to LillianUMC.org, and click on Worship.

**TO RECEIVE WEEKLY EMAIL UPDATES
& TO PLACE SOMEONE ON THE PRAYER LIST**
Email or text the pastor.

January 8, 2023

BAPTISM OF THE LORD SUNDAY

* HYMN #399 "Take My Life, and Let It Be"

* HYMN #881 The Apostles Creed

* SCRIPTURE **The Baptism of Jesus Matthew 3:13-17**
"Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptized by John. But John tried to deter Him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" Jesus replied, "Let it be so now; it is proper for us to do this to fulfill all righteousness." Then John consented. As soon as Jesus was baptized, He went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and He saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and lighting on Him. And a voice from heaven said, "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased."

SPECIAL MUSIC "Come, Be Baptized"

HYMN #393 "Spirit of the Living God"

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

SERMON **Baptism & New Beginnings**

HYMNAL Pg. 50 **THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT IV**
Congregational Reaffirmation of Baptismal Covenant

* HYMN #383 (vv. 1-4) "This is a Day of New Beginnings"

*PRAYER HYMN #253 **Baptism of the Lord**

* BENEDICTION "God Bless America"

* Please Stand, If Able.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

Welcome to Lillian UMC! We pray that you feel the love of Christ as you worship today. If you have any questions, contact Pastor Daniel 251-234-1122 or DanielWRandall@gmail.com. Help us get to know you by completing a Welcome card located in the pews and give it to the pastor before exiting. Thank you for being with us today!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

8 Jack Hammond 11 Alexis Mines 11 Chuck Cannon
13 Bill Monroe 14 Frances Little 14 Melissa Scott
14 Janie Wright

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

12 MJ & Jerry Rooks

THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, JANUARY 8

8:00 AM **Worship** 9:00 AM **Sunday School**
10:00 AM **Worship Service with Children's Church & Nursery** for Children Birth to 2nd Grade only
11:00 AM **Staff Parish Relations Committee Meeting**
Fellowship Hall

MONDAY, JANUARY 9

9:00 AM **United Women in Faith Fellowship**
9:30 AM **United Women in Faith Meeting**
Speaker: John Wade
5:30 PM **UM Men's Supper & Meeting**
Speaker: Beth Biggs, Director of Family Promise

TUESDAY, JANUARY 10

7:00 AM **Men's Prayer** 7:00 PM **ALANON**

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11

5 - 7 PM **Youth Supper & Fellowship**
5:30 PM **Choir Practice**

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13

10:00 AM **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14

8:00 AM **Optimist Community Breakfast at the Lillian Community Club**, Speaker: Jessica Miller

2022 YEAR-END GIVING STATEMENTS

To request a 2022 year-end giving statement, email treasurer Edi Langlois at lillianumc_treasurer@outlook.com or call the church office 251-962-4336 by January 8, 2023.