

## VBS JUNE 5-9 5:30 PM - 8:15 PM

Stellar VBS is for children 5-12 years old. Supper will be served each night. The VBS celebration program will be June 11 at 10:00 AM followed by a cookout and waterslide. If you have any questions, please call Joyce Ellison 251-752-5062. You may register your child at [lillianmc.org/vbs](http://lillianmc.org/vbs). Donations needed for VBS are small bottled water, Capri Sun and Kool-Aid Jammer drinks.

## METHODIST MEN'S SUPPER JUNE 12 5:30 PM

Come enjoy a delicious meal of hamburgers/hotdogs and hear Wendy Vix, CRNP from the Lillian South Baldwin Medical Group.

## BLUE ANGEL EMMAUS CLUSTER JUNE 13

6:30 PM BELLVIEW METHODIST CHURCH

Everyone who has been on a Walk to Emmaus is invited to bring a food item and join together for a time of fellowship and worship. We will also work on items for upcoming walks. We will carpool from the church at 6:00 PM.

## ECUMENICAL MINISTRIES

### FOOD PANTRY ITEMS NEEDED

Ecumenical Ministries is critically low on the following food pantry items: canned meats, canned vegetables (other than green beans & corn), grits, hamburger/tuna helper, jelly, mac & cheese, oatmeal, pancake mix, peanut butter, powdered milk and syrup. Thanks so much for your help!

## ALUMINUM POP-TOPS & GREER'S RECEIPTS

Please place your aluminum pop-tops for the Ronald McDonald House and Greer's "Apples for the Students" receipts in the marked receptacles on the counter outside the church office.

## A SLICE of HEAVEN COOKBOOKS

To purchase *A Slice of Heaven* cookbook for \$15, contact Betty Erwin 850-776-7125 or the church office 251-962-4336.

**TO RECEIVE WEEKLY EMAIL UPDATES  
& TO PLACE SOMEONE ON PRAYER LIST**

Email or text the pastor.



# LILLIAN METHODIST CHURCH

REACHING OUT WITH GOD'S LOVE

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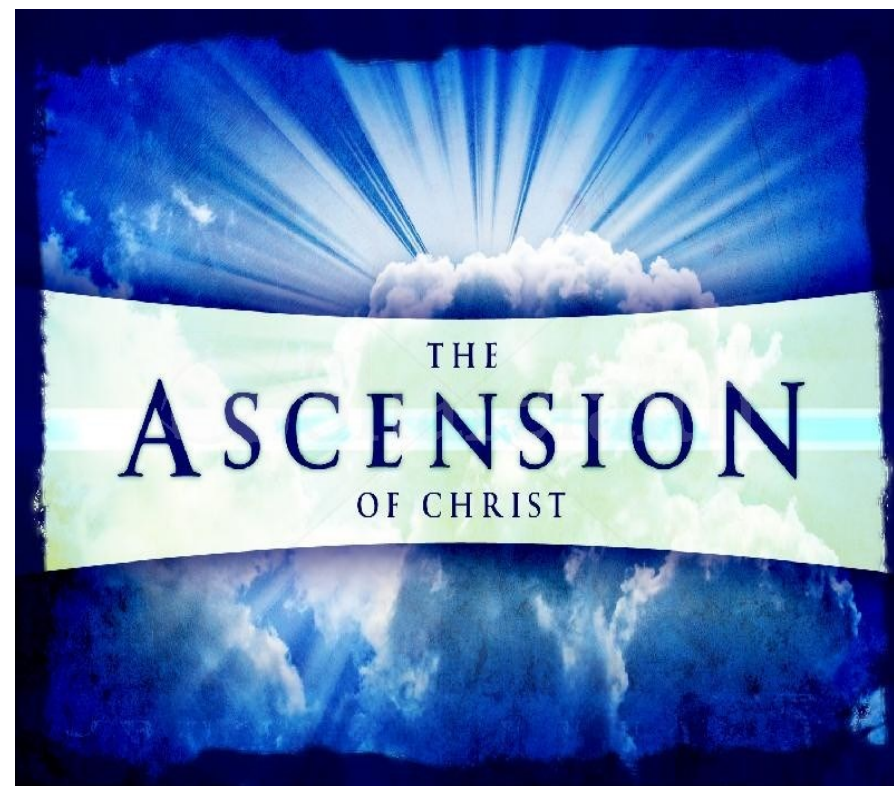
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**TO VIEW LIVE at 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM or LATER**  
Go to [lillianmc.org](http://lillianmc.org), and click on Worship.

**May 21, 2023**

# ASCENSION SUNDAY

\*HYMN #154      *"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"*

\* HYMN #881      **The Apostles Creed**

\* **SCRIPTURE**      **Acts 1:1-11**

"In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach until the day He was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles He had chosen. After His suffering, He presented Himself to them and gave many convincing proofs that He was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. On one occasion, while He was eating with them, He gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit." Then they gathered around Him and asked Him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." After He said this, He was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid Him from their sight. They were looking intently up into the sky as He was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. "Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen Him go into heaven."

## ENSEMBLE/CHOIR SPECIAL

HYMNS #174, 176 & 177      *"Jesus Medley"*

## PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

SERMON      **The Ascension**

\* HYMN #327      *"Crown Him with Many Crowns"*

\* HYMN #323      **The Ascension**

\* **BENEDICTION**      *"God Bless America"*

\* Please Stand, If Able.

## WELCOME GUESTS & VISITORS

Thank you for joining us for worship! We pray you feel the love of Christ as you worship with us today. Please complete a Welcome card located in the pews and give it to the pastor before exiting. If you have any questions, please contact Pastor Daniel at 251-234-1122 or DanielWRandall@gmail.com. Thank you for being with us today!

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

21 Ken Grounds	24 Adele Hartman	25 Tanner Silsbee
26 Betty Erwin	26 Cindy Herndon	27 Tonda Adams
27 Annabelle Kennedy	27 Debbie Wright	

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

21 Jane & Ken Foster	23 Evie & Steve Duckworth
25 Betty & Leonard Covington	26 Karen & Larry Jackson
26 Norma & Bill Hall	27 Diana & Jim Hartley

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

### SUNDAY, MAY 21

8:00 AM      **Worship**      9:00 AM      **Sunday School**  
10:00 AM      **Worship, Children's Church & Nursery**  
for Children Birth to 2nd Grade Only  
11:15 AM      **VBS Meeting** in the children's room

### MONDAY, MAY 22

5:30 PM      **Church-wide Spaghetti Supper and Game Night**  
Bring any games you like for great fellowship and lots of fun!

TUESDAY, MAY 23      7:00 PM      ALANON

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

7:30 AM      **Men's Prayer**      5-7 PM      **Youth**  
9:00 AM      **Gospel of John Study**      5:30 PM      **Choir Practice**

### FRIDAY, MAY 26

10:00 AM      **Prayer Shawl Ministry**

### SATURDAY, MAY 27

9:00 AM      **Optimist Breakfast** at the LCC