

## EMMAUS CLUSTER MEETING

**AUGUST 8 6:30 PM**

If you have been on a Walk to Emmaus, you are invited to a Cluster Meeting at Crossview Church, 4945 Saufley Field Rd., Pensacola. Text or call Pastor Daniel if you need a ride.

## BRIGHT BRIDGE SERVICE DAY AUGUST 15

Join us as we serve 200 + meals at our Bright Bridge Ministries in the Brownsville Community of Pensacola, FL. We carpool from the church at 8:30 AM, or you may meet us there at 9:00 AM. Either way, please contact Betty Erwin at 850-776-7125 so we can have an idea of who we can count on to help. Bright Bridge Ministries is located at 2600 W Strong Street.

## DEMENTIA EDUCATION FORUM

### CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

**SEPTEMBER 14 1:00 PM**

The support group will meet in the Fellowship Hall. There will be more information to come about the forum.

## FOOD ITEMS FOR ECUMENICAL MINISTRIES

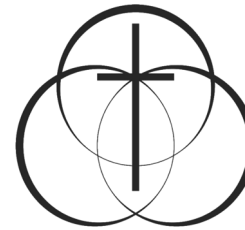
Please continue to bring canned meats, canned vegetables (other than green beans & corn), grits, hamburger/tuna helper, jelly, mac & cheese, oatmeal, pancake mix, peanut butter, powdered milk and syrup. Thanks so much for your help!

## 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.



# LILLIAN METHODIST CHURCH

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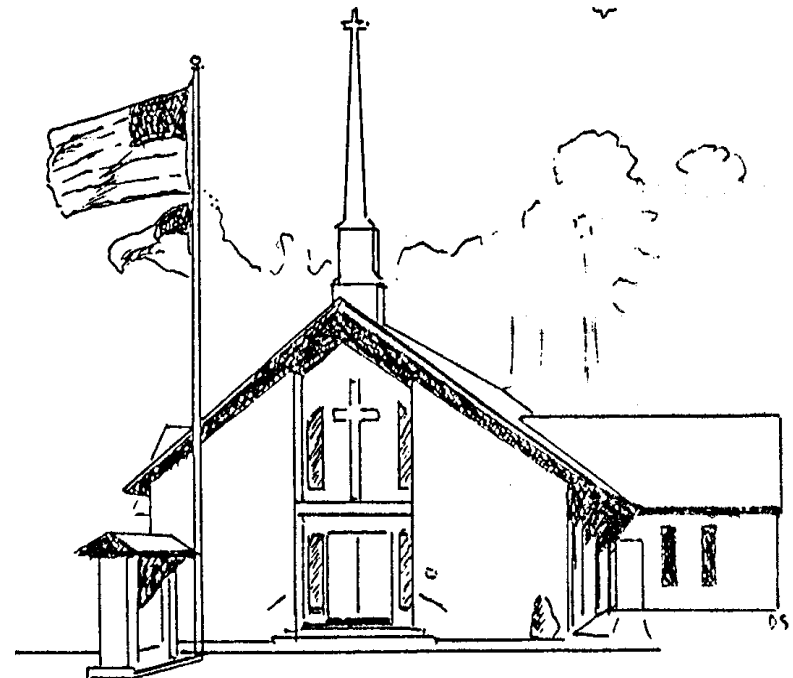
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**TO VIEW WORSHIP at 8:00 & 10:00 AM or LATER**

Go to [lillianmc.org](http://lillianmc.org), and click on Worship.

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

Email or text the pastor.

**July 23, 2023**

# Eighth Sunday After Pentecost

\* HYMN #701 "When We All Get to Heaven"

\* HYMN #881 Apostles Creed

\* **SCRIPTURE** **Matthew 13: 24-30**  
Jesus told them another parable: "The kingdom of heaven is like a man who sowed good seed in his field. But while everyone was sleeping, his enemy came and sowed weeds among the wheat, and went away. When the wheat sprouted and formed heads, then the weeds also appeared. "The owner's servants came to him and said, Sir, didn't you sow good seed in your field? Where then did the weeds come from?" An enemy did this, he replied. "The servants asked him, Do you want us to go and pull them up?" No, he answered, because while you are pulling the weeds, you may root up the wheat with them. Let both grow together until the harvest. At that time I will tell the harvesters: First collect the weeds and tie them in bundles to be burned; then gather the wheat and bring it into my barn."

**SPECIAL MUSIC** "Holy Ground"

**PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

\* HYMN #397 "I Need Thee Every Hour"

**SERMON** Don't Get Lost in the Weeds

\* HYMN #373 "Nothing Between"

**CLOSING PRAYER #607** "Wesleyan Covenant Prayer"

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

\* Please Stand, If Able.

## WELCOME VISITORS

Thank you for joining us for worship today! We pray you feel the love of Christ throughout the service. Please complete a Welcome Card located in the pews and place it in an offering plate or give it to the pastor after the service. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Pastor Daniel at DanielWRandall@gmail.com or 251-234-1122.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

23 Linda Rains	24 Andy Kaiser	24 Angela Randow
27 Jack Averitt	27 Kera Ellison	27 Weston Gaines
27 John Poehlein	29 Jean DeLille	29 Donna Rollan

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

23 Jo & Steve Nagorka 28 Mary & John Dean

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

### Sunday, July 23

8:00 AM	<b>Worship</b>
9:00 AM	<b>Sunday School</b>
10:00 AM	<b>Worship, Children's Church &amp; Nursery</b> for Children Birth to 2nd Grade Only

### Tuesday, July 25

7:00 PM **ALANON**

### Wednesday, July 26

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

### Thursday, July 27

10:00 AM **Ageless Grace Exercise for the Brain & Body** in the Fellowship Hall (Sharyon Miller, Educator 850-221-8630)

### Friday, July 28

10:00 AM **Prayer Shawl Ministry**