



Sunday, August 26th

8:45 – Early Service
 9:40 – Sunday School for all ages
 10:45 – Worship Service
 6:00 – Beth Moore Bible Study
 6:30 – Evening Worship

Monday, August 27th

9:30 – Refit
 6:30 – Sea Scouts
 7:00 – Boy Scouts
 7:00 – Missions Team Mtg.

Tuesday, August 28th

6:30 – CR-Dinner
 7:00 – Celebrate Recovery

Wednesday, August 29th

9:30 – Refit
 6:30 – Prayer Meeting
 7:30 – Choir Practice

Friday, August 31st

9:30 – Refit

Sunday, September 2nd

8:45 – Early Worship
 9:40 – Sunday School for all ages
 10:45 – Worship Service
 6:30 – Evening Worship

WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

August 19, 2018

Amount Received	Amount Needed Per Week
\$6,652.00	\$8, 849.84

Last Sunday Attendance

Morning Worship: 140	Early Worship: 29
Sunday School: 135	Evening Worship: 33

UPCOMING EVENTS

August 27 – Missions Team Meeting
 September 3rd – Labor Day (Office Closed)
 September 4th – Busy Bees First Day of School
 September 5th – All-Stars 4 Jesus Begins
 September 6th – Finance Committee Meeting
 September 8th – Western District Listening Event
 September 10 – Mojo Monday Begins/ Trustees Meeting
 September 17th – Administrative Council Meeting



CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

The purpose of Steele Memorial United Methodist Church is to ENGAGE with people in order to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord; to CONNECT them in their journey of faith; and to offer opportunities to DEVELOP their relationship with the living God through love, worship, and SERVICE.

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CHURCH STAFF

Ministers: Every Member	Emeritus: Rev. Ralph Sager
Pastor: Rev. Kevin Lantz	Youth Director: Bobby Bannister
kiplantz@yahoo.com	Music Minister: Johnna Adkins
Pastor's Cell: 304-638-4840	Pianist: Lynette Call
Secretary: Lisa Rhoades	Organist: Becky Chenoweth
Church Office: 304-736-4583	Lay Leader: John Call

**STEELE MEMORIAL
 UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

August 26, 2018

WELCOME TO WORSHIP!

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

This is a time to share the work of the Church and recognize the community of believers as we prepare our hearts and minds to worship the Lord.

*HYMN No. 154 (vs. 1-4)

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

CONCERNS AND THANKSGIVINGS

GOSPEL READING

John 15:1-17

This is the Word of God for the People of God
Thanks be to God!

MORNING PRAYER

with **The Lord's Prayer**

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*HYMN No. 298 (vs. 1-3)

"When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

SERMON

"A Fruitful Life of Love"
 Romans 5:16-26

Pastor Kevin Lantz

***CLOSING**

***POSTLUDE**

The Worship has Ended. Let the Service Begin!

PRAYER CONCERNS

Sue Ballengee	Lori Childers Godfrey	Ben Maynard
Jim Boggess	Charles Hart	Brian McMaster
Shirley Bowen	Monica Jackson	Keith Ross
Arvin Canady	Carol Johnson	Patrick Wagoner
Buddy & Lillian Dick	Whitt/Virginia Keefer	

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Jason Berkenbaugh	(Friend of Stephanie Taylor)
Avanell Cummings	(Mother of Becky Nisbet)
Charlie Insalaco	(Grandson of Mike & Lynette Call)
Morgan Miller	
Valerie Salyers	(Mother of Savannah Watson)
Joe Stickler	(Tenny Crockett's Cousin)
E. Jean Townsend	(Sister of Julia Dickens)

THE MISSION TEAM will meet Monday, August 27th at 7:00 PM in the Parlor. Please mark your calendar

CHILDREN'S CHURCH resumes Sunday, September 9th during the 10:45 worship service.

WOMEN'S CIRCLE MEETINGS will resume in September with the **Lydia Circle** on Thursday, September 11th at 1:00 PM in the Parlor and the **Esther/Ruth Circle** on Thursday, September 20th at 7:00 PM in the Old Fellowship Hall. All women are invited to attend.

ALL-STARS 4 JESUS opening night is scheduled for Wednesday, September 5th at 5:30 PM..

SPECIAL THANKS to all who serve by arranging and delivering the altar flowers each week!



SPAGHETTI DINNER AND BAKE SALE: Dine in or carry out. Fund raiser for Nate Hager's lung transplant will take place today 12 PM - 3 PM at Lavalette United Methodist Church 4623 Route 152, Lavalette, WV 25535.

The Village of Barboursville FALL FEST PARADE is Thursday, September 13!

CELEBRATE RECOVERY— A few ways to assist the men at Recovery Point would include donations to the storage closet. Items needed for both men and women are: *gently used* clothing (jackets, jeans, shirts, tees, tennis shoes and work boots, especially sizes 10 and up), back packs, overnight bags, umbrellas, and *new* underwear and socks. Also

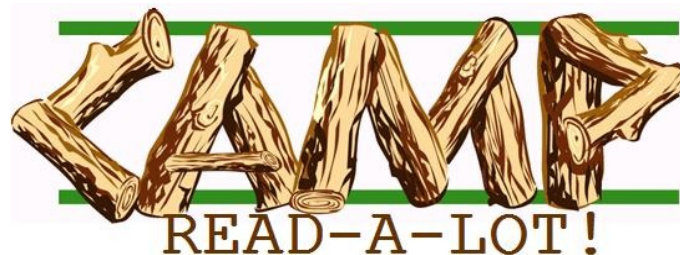
needed are bath towels (*new or gently used*) and hygiene items such as soap, deodorant, razors, toothbrushes, tooth paste and holders for soap and toothbrushes. Donations can be placed in the **MISSIONS BASKET** in the Narthex. For larger donations, please check with the church office. Thank you for your blessings to others!

ECCHO: The food item for August is any type of soup, canned, microwaveable single serve, or pouch. Please place donations in our ECCHO food box located in the Narthex.



MISSIONS PROJECT: SHOES, SHOES, AND MORE SHOES! The Missions Committee will be conducting a shoe drive during August and September...we encourage you to check your closets for items you no longer use and to look for new shoes as you are shopping.

You can place your shoe donations in the "Missions Basket" located in the Narthex, or if you would like to make a monetary donation, please place in a pew envelope and mark "Shoe Drive".



COME JOIN CAMP READ-A-LOT! I am excited to be offering "FREE" reading tutoring beginning in September for grades 1st through 3rd. Individual and/or small group sessions will be available. If your child is struggling and needs a little extra help, please contact me. Tutoring sessions will be at Steele Memorial United Methodist Church. Let's get ready for a CAMPtastic year! Call Becky Damron (304) 939-1682 or missbecky60@aol.com



STAIRWELL CHAIR LIFT AVAILABLE: If anyone is in need of a stairwell chair lift contact Betty Miller this week.



BLESSINGS ON YOUR BIRTHDAY

BIRTHDAY CARD PARTY: The family of Carole Johnson would like to honor Carole who celebrates her 80th birthday Tuesday, September the 4th with Birthday Card Party. Please send to 9385 Northchester Drive, Pickerington, OH 43147.

SERMON SERIES: The Fruit of the Holy Spirit The Bible describes the change that takes place in our lives when we come to faith in Jesus Christ through the indwelling Spirit of Christ! The nine Fruits of the Spirit will be the focus for our sermon messages throughout September and October: Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Humility or Gentleness, and Self-Control!

MOJO MONDAY gets started September 10! If you can help serve coffee one Monday a month to those who are dropping off their children at the Middle School, please contact the Church office, 304 736-4583.

CHILD PROTECTION STANDARDS WORKSHOP – Three-hour Child Protection Standards Workshop for the Western District. There is no fee, but we ask participants to pre-register by contacting the Western District Office (304) 736-9962, westernumc@aol.com September 15, 9 – Noon at Pea Ridge UMC

PRAY FOR GENERAL CONFERENCE – **The Bishops of the United Methodist Church invite all people to pray every day for the upcoming Special General Conference** (February 23-26), beginning at 2:23 p.m. and concluding at 2:26 p.m. in recognition of the dates of the conference, 2/23 - 2/26. **Will you set a daily alarm and join me in praying** for our delegates, our bishops, and our church, that the Holy Spirit may guide us all through such a time as this?

WESTERN DISTRICT LISTENING EVENT The General Conference delegates of our United Methodist Church in West Virginia will be visiting each of the nine districts across the state in order to prepare for the February, 2019 special conference. The listening event will take place at Steele Memorial UMC on Saturday, September 8, from 9-11 a.m. in the new fellowship hall.

THE RECOVERY CLOSET is in need of plastic bags (Kroger, Walmart type bags).