

The Messenger

of Munholland United Methodist Church

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PLEASE JOIN US FOR A CHURCH



AND AN OPPORTUNITY TO HEAR ABOUT
LOUISIANA VOLUNTEERS IN MISSION (LAVIM)

on

Wednesday, July 30th

in the Fellowship Hall

(Dinner at 5:30 pm followed by program and dessert)



The Louisiana Volunteers in Mission offers many exciting opportunities for people of all ages and stations in life to get involved with mission projects. Groups or individuals might find themselves participating on a medical team in Northern Mexico, part of a construction team in Ecuador, part of a vacation bible school program in Cambodia, part of a ministry team in South Africa or working to build the Mount Sequoyah Conference and Treatment Center in Fayetteville, Arkansas.

Tony Fontenot with Asbury UMC and Larry Normand with LAVIM will be the speakers at this event. They will give us a first hand account of the experiences they have had working on mission trips. If any one of you has ever considered working on a mission project this is the perfect opportunity to find out what is involved and how you can participate in an experience that will ultimately prove to enhance your life as you learn how you can serve others.

Please join us for dinner and a delightful presentation by these two gentlemen.



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

There are no Executive or General meetings scheduled in July...

The next UMW Executive Meeting will be held on Tuesday, August 5th at 9:15 am in the Parlor. The General meeting will follow at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall.

There will be no Circle Meetings scheduled for July, or August. The meetings will resume again in September.



Summer Midweek Meals

Mark your calendars for: **July 30th**, **August 13th**, and **August 27th** for summer midweek meals from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm.

Janet Miller-Schmidt is our wonderful chef. If anyone is interested in cooking for other dates or would like to help, please contact Janet at 835-8253.

Everyone is welcome to join us for a great meal and good fellowship.



Mark your calendars for Monday, October 6, 2008 for the 29th Annual Methodist Home Golf Classic

Look for more information in upcoming Messengers...



The Shawl Ministry will meet on Saturday, July 19th at 10:00 am in the Fellowship Hall.

All knitters and crocheters are welcome to join this special ministry.

MEMORIAL FUND

A Memorial Donation was made in memory of Audrey Chevis Johnston from Mary Elizabeth Shaw, Doris Clement, and from the Sauls family...

A Memorial Donation was made in memory of Ruth Blessey from Jett Arthur...



Elementary Sunday School Teachers are needed for either a two week or 4 week rotation.

If you are interested, please contact Rev. Janet Cavalier at 834-9910.

CARE TEAM MEETING
July 15th at 6:30 pm
in room 211

2008 MISSION PROJECT

Every year the Munholland Mission Committee sponsors a school supply drive for Ella Dolhonde School. At the same time the UMW participates in a state-wide effort to support three local facilities: Dulac Community Center, North Rampart Community Center, and MacDonell Children's Services. This year we have decided to combine our efforts and collect for all four facilities at the same time.

We need your help as we focus on giving these children a bright start on their new school year. Please take this list with you as you shop. **We will start collecting the items on July 13th through August 3rd.** Bins will be set up in the Fellowship hallway.

Ella Dolhonde School

comp & reg. notebooks
tablets (letter & legal)
book bags (no wheels)
pencils & pens
paper towels
glue
colored paper
crayons
homework folders
erasers
wipes
tissues

Dulac Community Center

soap (bar or liquid)
shampoo
color books & crayons
body lotion

North Rampart Community Center

leather basketballs
hula hoops
heavy duty jump ropes

MacDonell Children's Services

hair combs
hair brushes
toothbrushes
shampoo & conditioner
deodorants

If you would prefer to make a cash contribution, please make your check payable to Munholland UMC with the detail indicating Ella Dolhonde School or make your check payable to the Louisiana Conference United Methodist Women for the other three agencies.

UMW's WHITE ELEPHANT SALE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 27th, 2008
8:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

The United Methodist Women need your "treasures" for our White Elephant Sale. "Your trash may be another's treasure". Donated items should be clean and free from major defects. We are in need of household - furniture, antiques, lawn, small appliances, toys, games, books, electronics, etc. Also, jewelry, accessories, and only vintage clothing, please.

We will start collecting items on the stage in the Fellowship Hall on Saturday, August 16th until noon or during church office hours - Monday through Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm and on Fridays until 3:00 pm. We will also collect items on Sundays after Sunday School or contact Phyllis Zansler at 455-9942 or Lorrie Dobrovolsky at 443-4641.

Then come "treasure hunting" on Saturday, September 27th from 8:00 am - 2:00 pm. Join us for lunch after shopping (take-outs available from 10:00 am). We will have frozen gumbo and assorted soups for sale.

Schedule of Ministry Event

Meetings and Special Events

July 15	6:30 pm	Care Team Mtg (211)
July 16	6:00 pm 7:00 pm	Evangelism Mtg (211) Neon Puppet Show (FH)
July 17	7:00 pm	Greater N.O. Photo Society Mtg (FH)
July 19	10:00 am	Shawl Ministry (FH)
July 21	1:30 pm	Staff Meeting
July 28	1:30 pm	Staff Meeting
July 30	5:30 pm	Summer Midweek Meal
	5:30 pm	VIM Dinner (Tony Fontenot, Speaker)

Every Week at Munholland

Sunday (Worship 8:30 am, 9:45 am and 11:00 am)
 9:30 am Sunday School
 4:30-6:00 pm Disciple and related Bible Studies (various classrooms)
 5:00-6:30 pm MUMY (200)

Monday

9:30-1:30 Kid's Day Out Summer Program

Tuesday

10:00 am Staff Meeting (see July's sch.)

Wednesday

9:30-1:30 Kid's Day Out Summer Program
 5:30 - 6:30 pm **Summer Midweek Meals held on 7/30, 8/13, & 8/27**
 6:15 pm Communion (Parlor)
 6:30 pm Cursillo (Parlor)
 7:00-8:30 pm Chancel Choir (113)

Thursday

9:30-1:30 Kid's Day Out Summer Program
 7:00 pm Nicotine Anon. (Choir Room)
 7:30 pm N.A. (111)
 8:00 pm A.A. (Parlor)

Friday

9:30-1:30 Kid's Day Out Summer Program
 12:00 pm Friday Friends Bridge
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 7 (201)

Due Date

The next edition of *The Messenger* goes to print on, **Friday July 25th**. We will include in the newsletter, all articles received by **10:00 am** on Thursday, July 24th. Any article received after the due date will be included in the next edition of *The Messenger*. Thank you for your help in imparting ministry news to the congregation.

Weekly Worship Attendance

	June 22	June 29
Sunday		
8:30 am	87	98
9:45 am	62	66
11:00 am	<u>178</u>	<u>181</u>
Other	15	15
Total	342	360
Sunday School	190	161

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Sunday	
8:30 am	62
9:45 am	83
11:00 am	<u>136</u>
Other	15
Total	296
Sunday School	146

JULY'S CHOIR SCHEDULE

Littlest Angels – Wednesday
(Rehearsal-Columns room)

There will be no choir practice during July

Altar Choir – Sunday
(Rehearsal-Elementary Music Room)

There will be no choir practice during July

Chancel Choir – Wednesday

07/16/08	Choir Time	7:00 pm–8:30 pm
07/23/08	Choir Time	7:00 pm–8:30 pm
07/30/08	Choir Time	7:00 pm–8:30 pm

MUMMY CALENDAR

(Munholland United Methodist Youth)

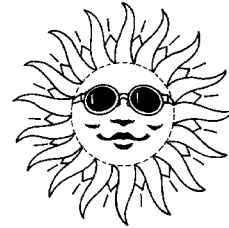
July 2008

July 16	7:00 pm	Neon Puppet Show
July 20	5:00 pm	Youth Meeting

Mark your calendars for July 24th – 27th for Weekend of the Cross, Ruston, LA ...

All meetings begin at 5:00 pm unless otherwise stated. The cost of the supper is \$2.00.

For more information, please contact Ford Dieth, Jr. at 834-9910.



KIDS DAY OUT

KDO's last day of camp will be Friday, July 18th, 2008.

We look forward to seeing our KDO families again in the fall.

Information regarding Orientation and Registration will be mailed to our families in August.

Our 1st day of school will be Wednesday, September 3, 2008.

If you have any questions, please contact me at 834-0920.

Pitrina Messina
KDO Director



Discovery Club and Young Youth

Mark your calendars:

Neon Puppet Show
Wednesday, July 16th @ 7:00 pm
in the Fellowship Hall

