



June 20, 2022



Three Years: A Reflection

This week marks three years since I first came to Sand Springs UMC. I think when I first arrived on that Sunday in late June, none of us could have anticipated what the next three years would look like. It would only be a short 8 months before a global pandemic required us to rethink how we worship and how to

be a church in a changing world.

We've gone through ups and downs over the last three years, but I am so thankful we have been able to go through them together. I am constantly in awe of your faithfulness and servant's hearts. I've learned so much in our time together, and I hope that you've learned a thing or two from me!

I want you to know that every time I get together with other clergy, I brag about how wonderful my congregation is. Maybe that is unfair to the other clergy? I guess I just can't help it! I've been so blessed to be able to serve you.

Thank you for a great three years, and I look forward to our next chapter together. Let's continue to build God's Kingdom in Sand Springs!

Pray for Grady & Kent & our youth as they join Broken Arrow youth and travel to Princeton, Illinois for their Summer Youth Mission Trip.

They will leave this Saturday, June 25 and return on July 2.



Join us for a **BABY SHOWER** for **HAYLEE & ALEX STOCKARD**

Sunday, July 24 12:00 p.m. In the SSUMC Narthex

Haylee & Alex are expecting a baby girl in August.
They are registered at Target & Amazon



Kidzone News

We hope you had a great day celebrating your dads, grandpas and father figures in your life. What fun we had making your gift and card for them. We talked about Solomon and God asking him what he wanted. Solomon asked for wisdom to rule his people in the right way and to know the difference between right and wrong. God's wisdom can

help everyone. We shared about the wisdom of our dad and mom and that we should remember what they teach us.

Have a wonderful week- try to stay cool!! Ms. Debbie & Ms. Marty



PLAN TO JOIN US FOR VA-CATION BIBLE SCHOOL

FOOD TRUCK PARTY-ON A ROLL WITH GOD

WHEN: Sunday, July 17-21 TIME: 6:15-8:15 p.m.

Registration forms are available in the narthex or check on our Facebook page to register online. Pre-register for a free t-shirt. All kids ages 4th through 5th grade are welcome so invite all the kids you know. It's going to be a fun time!!

VBS VOLUNTEERS WORK DAYS—YOUR HELP IS NEEDED

Saturday morning, July 9th 9:30-1 Saturday morning, July 16th 9:30-?

We will be putting together craft kits, working on decorations, and other prep work. We always have a great time.

Everyone is welcome and lunch will be provided.

Thanks in advance for all your help-we appreciate all of you!

SUNDAY/WEDNESDAY VOLUNTEERS

Nursery/Children's Church

June 26 9 & 10 a.m.—Hallye & Jami 11:00 a.m.— Katherine & Jami Children's Church-Jami & Marty

July 3
9 a.m. —Gerri & Sophie
10 a.m.—Sara & Sophie
11 a.m.—Sara & Frankie
Children's Church-Jami & Debbie

July 10 9 & 10 a.m.—Lacey & Haylee 11 a.m.—Debbie & Marty Children's Church-Jami & Katherine

July 17 9 & 11 a.m.—Amanda & Susie 10 a.m.—Sara & Lacey Children's Church-Jami & Sara

Youth Dinners

June 22—Noah Class
June 29—No Youth-Mission Trip
July 6—CIA/Pathfinders
July 13—Priscilla Circle
July 20—TNT Class

Counters

June 26—Betty & Karen July 3—Sondra & Trena July 10—Jack & Kent July 17—Janie & Jami

Please arrange a replacement from the list if you are unable to attend.



Prayer Box

Harry Alford

Betty & Howard Smith

Bill Schwartz

Bruce Warren

David Allen

Dick Ford

Marsha Riffe

Dave Kvach

Donna McLain-Hope

Elsie & Roger Jones

Faye Lee Posey

Joe & Donna Woodruff

June Wilborn Leonard Brehm **Louise Read**

Betty & Linda Lund

Mary Lea Forsythe

Max Schuermann

Montie Box

Ralph Rand

Ruth Weaver

Suzanne & Valerie Jones

Vi McAllister

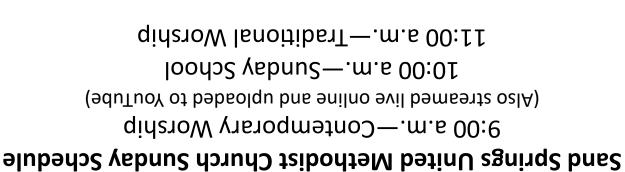
And all those affected by Covid

And Prayer Chains

And Unspoken Requests

101 W. 38th Street, Prattville The Well—Family Life Center

319 M. Main—918-245-5955—www.sandspringsumc.org Sand Springs United Methodist Church Sunday Schedule



Don't Forget the Sunscreen Ultraviolet (UV) exposure is the main cause of skin cancer. You can significantly lower your risk with sunscreen. Pro Tip: Spray-on-Sunscreen is ineffective on wet skin. Spray on dry skin and dry off when reapplying.

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