Carlson Memorial
United Methodist Church

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A SEASON OF PREPARATION

February 28, 2021
New to Carlson Memorial?

If you are a first time guest, WELCOME! We'd love to get to know you better and share with you the excitement we feel as we experience God’s presence and the miracles He’s performing in our lives.

WE ARE GLAD YOU’RE HERE!

WEEKLY SERVICES

We are currently under Phase 3 of reopening our church. On Sundays, we have worship at 10:00 am, the nursery is open and we have children’s church for our young children. The children come to church with their parents, and after the children’s sermon leave for a lesson of their own.

Sunday Worship Service 10:00 am

We began our Wednesday night programming on September 9th. At 6:00 pm we will have nursery care and programming for children of all ages (preschool through high school) and several adult classes are also available.

THIS WEEK AT CARLSON:

MONDAY
6:00 PM Trustees Meeting
7:00 PM Missions Meeting

WEDNESDAY
10:00 AM Bible Study
6:00 PM Youth Group & Wednesday Night Classes
6:45 PM Men’s Bible Study
7:00 PM Praise Band Practice

THURSDAY
6:00 PM UM Men
7:30 PM Young Adults

The most up-to-date information is on the calendar on our website.
February 28, 2021
Order of Worship  10:00 am

Liturgist  Pastor David Mullins
Welcome & Announcements

Invocation

Pianist  Vicki Chipman
Song Leader  Sue Wild

*Opening Hymns  “It’s Me, It’s Me, O Lord” v.1,2,3
                “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” v.1,2,3

*Doxology

Praise Songs  “Waymaker”
              “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”

*Affirmation of Faith  No. 881  The Apostles’ Creed

Tithes and Offerings

Children’s Sermon

The Lord’s Prayer / Pastoral Prayer

Sermon  Pastor David Mullins
“Equality With a Servant”
Matthew 20:20-28

*Closing Song  “All the People Said Amen”

* Benediction

* PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE
Prayer Requests

Church Leaders and Special Ministries
Reverend David Mullins, wife Bobbi, and children Nathan & Reilly
Church Leaders, Staff and Ministries
Gulf Coast Wesley Foundation—that they can bring students on campus to Christ
The St. Matthews House Ministry / Justin’s Place / Jill’s Place
ACT Shelter
Riverside Camp & Retreat Center
Our youth of Carlson Memorial and LaBelle
Our military, police officers and first responders
All medical personnel
Teachers and Students

Missionaries
Jesse & Kristin Kroll, Trinia and Joyah (Wisconsin)

Dear Lord, thank you for some great Bible discussions with folks in Asia and America this week, and for great testimonies shared by international brothers and sisters. We ask for you to work in the heart of a new Muslim contact to inspire seeking of You!

Dawn & Christian Williams, and their son Joshua (Indonesia)

Pray for the "lembaga disabilitas" to open and flourish with the patients and families that King Jesus leads to us. Pray that the Holy Spirit will touch their hearts during the CHE classes/teachings. We praise God for the place!!

Jimmy & Stephanie Williams, Mikhail, Emme, Lukas & Nikolai (Japan—July 2021)

We ask for prayer that we may develop more partners to help support us in many ways so that we may get to Japan on time in July 2021.

Larry & Ou Yarger (Thailand)

Pray for them to find a house, to find a new program coordinator, and safe travel back to Thailand.

Ray & Lidia Zirke (Methodist Children’s Home of Costa Rica in San Jose, Costa Rica)

Praise God, their quarantine has been lifted.

Sister Church “Jesucristo Rey Poderoso” (Jesus Christ Mighty King) in Sagua, Cuba

Prayers needed for the medical and sewing supplies sent. The items are still in holding in the Cuban port

Schools in Haiti –College of Ralph Tuthill & Nan Le Bron Community School

Members and Friends of the Church

Members and Friends who are not able or ready to come back to church

Bill Anderson, music minister at Sebring First UMC, leukemia, starting chemo
Maude Awbrey, incurable, hereditary leukemia
Bill & Diane, Sharon Bennett’s brother/sister-in-law, he’s home recovering, she’s in rehab
Robyn Blake, recovering from hip replacement surgery (2-10)
Jacob Clark, Marc & Ann’s great-nephew, brain cancer
Tom Conner Sr., health concerns
Miriam Dewitt, Joan Basquin’s cousin, bile duct cancer
Shirley Dooley, better but still recovering from hip surgery (11-19)
Sherry Elliott, recovering at home, wound care
Lisa Farrell, Mary’s daughter-in-law, health issues
Melissa Franco, friend of Sherry Elliott, needs a kidney
Phyllis Griggs, recovering from back surgery (2-3)
Ron Harbin, Jamie Bartley’s uncle, recovering in the nursing home
Bob Heldenreich, health issues
Gabriela Jauregui, friend of the Lopez’s, battling cancer
Dennie Keyes, Phil’s brother, recovering at home
Judy Lapp, undergoing treatment for breast cancer
Jenny Burgess Pile, Raymond Burgess’ granddaughter, colon cancer
Dennis Rock, in a rehab facility in Clewiston, needs a hip replacement
Jean Wallace, health issues
Nette Whitney, Linda O’Ferrell’s niece, breast cancer
Son of church member, to get full-time work

**Shut-Ins and Homebound**

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PLEASE help us keep this list up-to-date; contact the office. Thank you.

Phone: 863-675-0656   Email: CarlsonMethodist@gmail.com
ANNOUNCEMENTS

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS
Wednesday night classes continue. The nursery is open from 6 - 7 pm and there are programs for kids of all ages; pre-school through high school at 6:00 pm. To sign up, or for more information, please contact the office.

LEARN TO DEFEND THE FAITH!
Our culture is throwing more and more challenges and lies at the Christian faith every day. We want to make sure you are prepared to defend your beliefs, and speak with confidence about the hope you have in Christ. This class started Wednesday, February 24th, studying the book, Mama Bear Apologetics. You can either join on Wednesday nights at 6pm in person, or join the Facebook group and participate online. Pick up the book at https://amzn.to/3cZKD7X. See the church Facebook page for more information on the online group.

COMMUNION - NEXT SUNDAY
The Good Samaritan Fund provides temporary assistance to those in our church and community who request help with needs such as food, housing, utilities, etc. Next Sunday, during communion, there will be an opportunity for you to contribute to this fund.

REACHING CARLSON’S NEIGHBORHOOD
On the afternoon of Sunday, March 14th, we will be conducting our next outreach in the neighborhood around the church. We’ll be going door to door to give a plant, a Gospel of John and a brochure about the church and letting people know that Carlson cares about them and would like to pray for them. We will wear masks and keep appropriate distance. We’ll go in teams of two or three. If you are willing to assist with this outreach, contact Mark Lapp via e-mail at marklapp@embarqmail.com or call or text (863) 843-5000.

REMAINDER ~
COVID-19 POLICIES

Please wash your hands, wear a mask and socially distance. Please stay home if you are not feeling well, or if you have or have been exposed to someone with Covid-19. If you are not able to join us, you can watch the livestream of our service. The link is on the home page of our website.

Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Romans 12:12

NEED A NOTARY?
Kelli in the Church office is a notary and would be happy to help you. Make sure to bring your photo ID along with whatever you need notarized.
GENERAL FUND 2021
The following numbers are based upon the approved budget for 2021. The amount needed monthly is equal to 1/12th of the budget. Typically we receive more than that in the winter months which covers us in the summer when donations are lower.

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Attendance:
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Office Hours
Monday – Thursday: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Friday: 8:00 am to 12:00 noon
Closed for Lunch: 12:00 noon—1:00 pm

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