



Being
United in Christ
Teaching the Word
Loving and Caring
Empowering and Enabling Disciples
Responding to Needs

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

5 Bartholdi Avenue, Butler, New Jersey 07405

Church Office (973) 838-2026

Website Address: bumcnj.org

Email Address: umcbutler@gmail.com

FAX (973) 838-8821

Reverend Michael McKay
Pastor

Lourdes Matos Delgado
Assistant Pastor

Pat Inglis, Editor

TABERNACLE TIMES

****** SEPTEMBER 2019 ******

The Word

was written that you may believe

that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God,

and that by believing

you may have life in His name.

John 20:31

Musings from Mike

I am noticing a theme in how some of you all are taking vacation time with your family and friends. You are saying, 'We took the time to breathe and it was GREAT!'

I sure hear that and I have had plenty of times where I came home thinking that I needed a vacation to get over my vacation because I ran so hard and did so much.

Over and over again in the Bible God invites people to get away from their frantic activity and allow themselves to simply be and to listen for God's voice in the quiet. Jesus often went away by himself to quiet places for prayer and communion with God.

I think it is happening to all of us. Life is getting louder, faster, and more complicated and times to breathe and figure things out are getting harder and harder to come by.

That is why I am smiling that a group of us at Butler UMC are working to bring back a part of the Aldersgate Center property back on line to support camping, picnics, and fun while at the same time allowing people to unplug and enjoy face to face conversation with other people who are unplugging.

The place is called Deitz Center and it is 20 acres located beside Swartwood Lake. It supports picnics, overnight camping, boating, sports and other activities. What it really does best is be a place where people can: Get Away; Slow Down; and Listen to God Speak.

Some beginning work on the facility has been done, but there is more to do and we want to extend the invitation to everyone who would like to come and experience the site on Saturday, September 21st. You can visit, participate in a project, and enjoy the beauty of this place that God uses to touch so many lives.

We can all join a movement to help ourselves calm down, unplug, and get in touch with the very best God has for us.

Shalom,

Pastor Mike

A MONTH OF SUNDAYS FOR SEPTEMBER

September 1st: Communion Scripture: Romans 12:1-13
Sermon: 'The Goal'

September 8th: Pastora Lourdes Matos will share the message.

September 15th: Pam Walters will share the message.

September 22nd: RALLY DAY!! We celebrate the beginning of a new Sunday School year and the folks who work in the ministry of teaching and mentoring in faith young lives.
Scripture: Mark 10:17-31
Sermon: 'A Place for You'

September 29th: Scripture: Philippians 3:12-16 and 4:4-9
Sermon: 'Pressing Toward the Goal'

SAMARITAN VISITORS MEETING – Tuesday, September 24th, 7:30 p.m.

SAMaritan Visitors is a team of people at Butler UMC who have agreed to make intentional visits to members and friends of the church once a month and work together to support one another in this ministry. Because of this team hundreds of visits have been made to people who were at home and in care centers. Lots of important relationships formed and faith has been shared over and over again.

In the last year or so many of the folks we visited have passed on and we are in a period of reorganizing our ministry. Part of that work will be a meeting for current team members and anyone interested in this ministry on Tuesday, September 24th at 7:30 p.m. in the Asbury Room (downstairs next to Gleaners Thrift Shop). We will be talking together about next steps, new folks to visit, and ways to increase our skills as visitors.

Please plan on coming by if you would like to learn more or participate in an incredible ministry.

Contact Pastor Mike (mrevmjm@aol.com) with your questions or to be part of the SAMaritan Visiting Team.



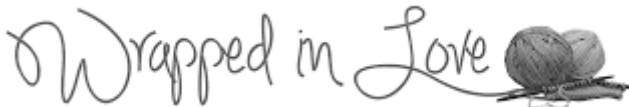
Do you sit in church and sometimes wonder who that person is that always sits a couple of rows away from you? You are probably not alone, we have had many new folks come into the Butler UMC community and to help folks identify and know each

other we are going to be creating a pictorial directory for the church before the end of the year.

We are asking you all to mark October 8th and 9th on your calendar as that is when the Directory Company will be at the church to shoot pictures of members and friends of Butler UMC. You will have the option to purchase pictures, or not, as you wish, and the ability to see your pictures the day they are taken.

For a picture sitting you will receive a complimentary copy of the Church Picture Directory and the satisfaction of knowing that you are contributing to the fellowship connections of the church's life.

Mark your calendar and sign up information will be out this month!



Wrapped In Love/Bedroll ministry is hosting a "plarn" making event on Saturday, September 21st in the Asbury Room from 9 am to 12 pm.

We have a plethora of plastic bags all over the church that needs to be prepped into "plarn" so we can make them into bedrolls. Come spend a couple of hours as we cut up plastic bags into strips and connect them to make the plarn.

Please note: We are good on stock of plastic bags for now, please hold off on donating them until further notice. We thank you very much for participating and look forward to spending some time with you on the 21st of September.

SPECIAL

Service

OPPORTUNITIES

USHERS

(Keith Worman 973-838-5538)
(wormanke@aol.com)

Greg Bailey, General
Karen Bailey
Barbara Bailey
Barry Marciano

LITURGISTS

NOTE: Dawn Kruimer is covering for Lin while she recovers. If you are willing to help out one Sunday please contact her at dksunrise@aol.com or 862-274-0631

September 1st
September 8th
September 15th
September 22nd
September 29th



COFFEE HOUR

Jill Thomas 973-879-6659
jilliethomas@aol.com
Sandy Weigel 973-835-5544

September 1st
September 8th
September 15th
September 22nd
September 29th



Sign up sheets for Liturgists and Coffee Hour are in the Narthex... won't you volunteer for one Sunday? Sign up TODAY!

VIDEO TECHNICIAN

(Pat Inglis 973-838-1916)
(jpinglis@optonline.net)

September 1st Pam Campbell
September 8th Pat Inglis
September 15th Jeff Matthews
September 22nd Pat Inglis
September 29th Pam Campbell

SOUND TECHNICIAN

(Dan Hack 973-492-1505)
(dannyparts@hotmail.com)

Jim Gawley

ACOLYTES

(Alex Nafz 973-283-2668)
(Alnafz@yahoo.com)

Katie Inglis
Riley Malone

COUNTERS

(Tim Campbell 973-768-2476)
(tjcamp13@optonline.net)

September 1st Dawn Kruimer,
Jean Bresett, Georgia Connell
August 4th Carroll Campbell,
Vickie Boyd, Betty Greig
August 11th Maurice Cailleteau,
Dot Cailleteau. Alison Bisanti
August 18th Linda Meilan,
Helen Guenter, Karen Bailey
August 25th Linda Bosland,
Connie Anderson, Janet Schaefer



SEPTEMBER 2019



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<u>1</u> 9:30am Worship, nursery Hispanic Worship at La Montaña Del Oso 10:45am Coffee Hour	<u>2</u> LABOR DAY Church Office & Gleaners CLOSED	<u>3</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 6:30pm Al Anon in Library 8:30pm Al Anon Dance In Fellowship Hall	<u>4</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7pm Bible Study 7pm Prayer Time 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>5</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 7pm Spanish Bible Study 7:30pm AlaTeen in Youth Room	<u>6</u> 6am Men's Bible Study 10-1 pm Gleaners	<u>7</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 10 am NA Meeting
<u>8</u> 9:30am Worship, nursery 10:45am Coffee Hour 11:15am Hispanic Worship	<u>9</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7-9pm Gleaners 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>10</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 6:30pm Al Anon in Library 8:30pm Al Anon Dance In Fellowship Hall	<u>11</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7pm Bible Study 7pm Prayer Time 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>12</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 7pm Spanish Bible Study 7:30 Al Anon Study Group 7:30pm AlaTeen in Youth Room	<u>13</u> 6am Men's Bible Study 10-1 pm Gleaners	<u>14</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 10 am NA Meeting 11am Memorial Service Maurice Cailleteau
<u>15</u> 9:30am Worship, nursery 10:45am Coffee Hour 11:15am Hispanic Worship	<u>16</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7-9pm Gleaners 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>17</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 6:30pm Al Anon in Library 8:30pm Al Anon Dance In Fellowship Hall	<u>18</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7pm Bible Study 7pm Prayer Time 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>19</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 7pm Spanish Bible Study 7:30pm AlaTeen in Youth Room	<u>20</u> 6am Men's Bible Study 10-1 Gleaners	<u>21</u> 9am Zumba in Hall 9-12 <i>Wrapped in Love</i> Mtg In Asbury Room 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 10 am NA Meeting
<u>22</u> 9:30am Worship, nursery 10:00am Sunday School 10:45am Coffee Hour 11:15am Hispanic Worship	<u>23</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 9-11am } <i>Loaves &</i> 7-9pm } <i>Fishes</i> 7-9pm Gleaners 7:15pm Zumba in Hall 7pm Naomi Circle	<u>24</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 6:30pm Al Anon in Library 8:30pm Al Anon Dance In Fellowship Hall	<u>25</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7pm Bible Study 7pm Prayer Time 7:15pm Zumba in Hall	<u>26</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 7pm Spanish Bible Study 7:30pm AlaTeen in Youth Room 7:30 Al Anon Study Group	<u>27</u> 6am Men's Bible Study 10-1 Gleaners	<u>28</u> 9:30-12:30pm Gleaners 10 am NA Meeting
<u>29</u> 9:30am Worship, nursery 10:00am Sunday School 10:45am Coffee Hour 11:15am Hispanic Worship	<u>30</u> 10-1pm Gleaners 7-9pm Gleaners					



"These words are written that you may know that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God and that by believing you may have life in His Name." John 20:31

We are in the midst of an exciting week of Vacation Bible School and John 20:31 is our main memory verse. Thank you for your financial generosity for this ministry and especially for your PRAYERS. I give God the Glory for continually growing kids up in this ministry to become leaders who enthusiastically bring the love and power of Jesus Christ into the lives of everyone attending.

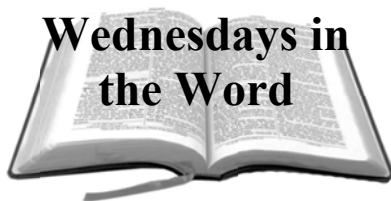


Sunday September 22, 2019

Sunday School starts off another exciting year of exploring God's Word, memorizing God's Word, living God's Word and sharing God's Word. Please pray that the kids will come to know Jesus as their Lord and Savior and to put on the Armor of God so that they are equipped to stand firm in TRUTH.

Sunday School Teacher Substitutes Needed

Please prayerfully consider being available to teach Sunday School classes on occasion throughout the year.



Wednesday Night Bible Study

Each week from 7:00 – 9:00 pm in the Church Library. All are welcome.

Books of the Bible

How many can you unscramble without help?

1. **svrbproe** _____
2. **ervleaonit** _____
3. **smtletanaoni** _____
4. **omrnas** _____
5. **gnsesie** _____
6. **bwserhe** _____
7. **eouxsd** _____
8. **haeos** _____
9. **snaaltagi** _____
10. **ojnha** _____
11. **eudtermooyrn** _____
12. **rcahahezi** _____
13. **nbuesmr** _____
14. **nsppailiiph** _____
15. **seiephans** _____
16. **oieplmnh** _____
17. **eihemjra** _____
18. **eugjds** _____
19. **hobaaid** _____
20. **hrtsee** _____

Scrapbooking/Card Making/Crafting Event

Come and be in fellowship with other scrappers/stampers/crafters before the craziness of the holidays are upon us!

October 19, 2019

Butler United Methodist Church-Fellowship Hall

Benefit: Butler United Methodist Church

9:00am – 5:00pm

Cost: \$40

*Register
Early!!*



*Seating is
Limited!!*

This Photo by Unknown Author is licensed under [CC BY-NC-SA](#)

A light Breakfast, and Lunch will be provided.

Deadline to register will be October 11th so we can make sure to have enough food for all.

Thank you!

Registration Form

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Email Address: _____ Mailing Address: _____

Dietary needs _____ Electrical needs _____

Cost: \$40

Make checks payable to:

Butler United Methodist Church, 5 Bartholdi Ave, Butler, NJ 07405

Church office phone: (973)838-2026 For questions or information, please contact Dawn Kruimer (862)274-0631 or Dksunrise@aol.com

September '19 – page 10



Loaves & Fishes

Our supply closet could especially use peanut butter, jelly and pasta sauce this month, but any of the items on the list can be used to help our families supplement their monthly food budget. Donations can be put in the cabinet at the entrance to the Narthex to help us meet the needs of this important ministry.

- Macaroni & Cheese*
- Canned Tuna*
- Canned Fruit*
- Canned vegetables / beans*
(Red, black & cannelloni)
- Canned tomatoes*
- Hot or Cold Cereals*
- Pancake Mixes*
- Pancake Syrup*
- Dried or Powdered Milk*
- Laundry Detergent*
- Cleaning Products*
- 409 or Lysol Spray*
- Dish Soap / Clorox Wipes*
- Peanut Butter***
- Cooking Oil*
- Tomato Sauce*
- Pasta / **Pasta Sauce***
- Boxed Potatoes*
- Stuffing*
- Rice Side Dishes*
- Bags of White Rice*
- Soup*
- Dried Beans – Red or Black*
- Jelly – Strawberry & Grape***
- Paper towels*
- Toilet paper*
- Tissues*
- Napkins*
- Toothpaste/Toothbrush*
- Soap / Shampoo*

*Thank you for your generosity,
Debby Smeilus, Coordinator*



RECENT BAPTISMS

On Sunday, July 28th, Jacob Derek Sharphouse, son of Amy & Michael Sharphouse was baptized

On Sunday, August 4th, Declan Michael Williams, son of Rebecca & Michael Williams was baptized

On Sunday, August 11th, Jaci Kimala Scott, daughter of Claudia Lauren Rosenblatt & Jason Keith Scott was baptized.

God Bless these little ones and their families.

IN MEMORIAM

Maurice Cailleteau
July 30, 2019

A Memorial Service of Death and Resurrection for Maurice Cailleteau will be held at 11am on Saturday, September 14th, with visiting in the Narthex at 10:00 am, followed by a repast at the church.

Our NEW Church Directory Won't Be Complete Without

You!

FREE 8x10
PORTRAIT

*for participating
families.*

- FREE Directory
for participating
families
- Specially priced
portraits and frames
- Portraits available in
Full Color, Black &
White, and Sepia
- Immediate viewing of
digital proofs

Credit Cards Accepted



Remember

Re:MEMBER Church Directories

Sign up Sheets are available at Worship

Photography will be done at BUMC

On Tuesday, October 8th & Wednesday, October 9th

From 2:30 p.m. to 8:45 p.m.

SEPTEMBER 2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
2 Kings / 2 Reyes 13:14-20a Colossians / Colosenses 3:1-11 Psalm/Salmos 28 Luke / Lucas 12:13-21	Isaiah / Isaias 54:9-17	Hebrews / Hebreos 10:1-10	2 Peter / 2 Pedro 1:1-11	1 Peter / 1 Pedro 3:13-22	1 Peter / 1 Pedro 4:12-19	John / San Juan 17:1-19
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Jeremiah/Jeremias 18:1-11 Hebrews/Hebreos 11:1-3, 8-19 Psalm/Salmos 14 Luke/Lucas 12:32-40	Matthew / San Mateo 8:1-4	Matthew / San Mateo 8:5-13	Matthew / San Mateo 8:14-17	Matthew / San Mateo 9:18-26	Matthew / San Mateo 9:27-34	Mark / San Marcos 10:46-52
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Jeremiah/Jeremias 20:7-13 Hebrews/Hebreos 12:1-2, 12-17 Psalm/Salmos 10:12-18 Luke/Lucas 12:49-56	John / San Juan 1:19-28	John / San Juan 14:1-11	Colossians / Colosenses 1:15-23	John / San Juan 6:66-71	John / San Juan 12:20-36	John / San Juan 11:1-16
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Jeremiah/Jeremias 28:1-9 Hebrews/Hebreos 12:18-29 Psalm/Salmos 84 Luke/Lucas 13:22-30	Philippians / Filipenses 2:1-8	Galatians / Gálatas 5:16-24	Matthew / San Mateo 5:1-11	Matthew / San Mateo 5:12-16	Matthew / San Mateo 7:21-28	Matthew / San Mateo 5:43-48
29	30					
Ezekiel/Ezequiel 18:1-9, 25-29 Hebrews/Hebreos 13:1-8 Psalm/Salmos 15 Luke/Lucas 14:1, 7-14	2 Corinthians / 2 Corintios 5:16-21					



CUMAC is excited to announce the return of our biggest event of the year! **FLAMES** is being held on Thursday, September 19th, beginning at 6:00 pm at Factory 220, 220 Passaic St, in Passaic, & will feature special tastings from many of Garden State's top chefs. As our lineup of chefs serve some of their favorite dishes, you'll have the

chance to enjoy some delicious drinks, live performances, and an auction full of unique prizes and experiences. Tickets are on sale now! All proceeds help feed people & change lives. For more info and to order tickets, go to www.cumac.org or call CUMAC at 973.742.5518.