



JANUARY 2018

PINE FOREST

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

THE PASTOR'S PAGE

Resolution One: I will live for God. Resolution Two: If no one else does, I still will.

-Jonathan Edwards

The new year is upon us and 2018 has arrived. I always look forward to the new year. It is a time of looking back to rejoice in the victories and to learn from the failures. It is a time to look forward with hope to a greater tomorrow, girded with lessons learned to reach higher than we have ever reached. It is a time when we can commit ourselves to a livelier faith in Christ, a deeper study of His word and greater love for our neighbors.

The new year is like an empty book waiting to be written with endless possibilities. So when you consider your new years resolutions, dream big, expect more from yourself than you ever have, and trust God in all things.

As for me, I have big hopes and dreams for God's kingdom and for Pine Forest and I cannot wait to get started.

In Christ, Andy



Create Disciples Connect in Community Commit to Serve

Wednesday Night Suppers

We will start back Jan 10th at 5:30pm with our Wednesday night meals. Adult meal is \$5 and kids eat free.

Daughters of the King

Will meet on Jan 9th at 6:30pm at Kathy McBride's home.

Men's Club

Men's Club will meet Jan 14th at 7:30am in the fellowship hall. All men are welcome to attend.

Friendship Circle

The Friendship Circle will meet Jan 16th at 10:30am in the fellowship hall.

Wilde Bunch

The Wilde Bunch will meet at Po Folks on 9th Ave, Sat, Jan 20th at 5:30pm. Please contact Shirley Weaver at 850-476-8122 to RSVP.

Sunday School Happenings

The New Beginnings Sunday School Class is just finishing up their Advent study of "A Christmas Carol" by Charles Dickens. In January they will return to their study of the life of Moses -- joining him in Egypt just as the plagues are about to begin. Following Moses, they will take a look at several of the minor characters who crossed paths with Jesus during his last days on earth -- using the book "On the Road to the Cross." The class is made up of men and women aged 50-90. Visitors and new members are always welcomed. The class meets in Room 204 on Sunday mornings at 10am.

New Sunday School Class

Rodney Smith will have a new class that will begin on Feb 4th at 9:30am. The first series will be a cursory glance over the Church's history. We will begin with our Methodist origins and try to relate it as best we can to what God has been doing throughout the Church's history.

Scripture Readers January & February Schedule

9:00 Service

Jan 7	Jane Webb
Jan 14	Whitney Smith
Jan 21	Trudy Youngs
Jan 28	Rick White
Feb 4	Leann Farrell
Feb 11	Mary Ann Morrell
Feb 18	George Norsworthy
Feb 25	Marilyn Bridges

11:00 Service

Jan 7	Olivia Brill
Jan 14	Jim Witt
Jan 21	Bonnie Beck
Jan 28	Marcia Nowlin
Feb 4	Roberta Loy
Feb 11	John McBride
Feb 18	Jim Witt
Feb 25	Lani Powell

BIRTHDAY'S & ANNIVERSARIES

01/01	Jeanette Webb
01/01	Richard Miller
01/02	Edwina Kirchharr
01/02	Heather Summerford
01/06	Stan Brown
01/08	Wayne Shelton
01/10	Lorinsana Reeves
01/10	James McClellan
01/11	Debbie Odom
01/13	Ashley Wright
01/14	Anna Gray
01/15	Hubert Smith
01/15	Val Smith
01/17	John B. Webb
01/17	Jan Johnston
01/18	Dawn Masters
01/19	Katharine Werhan
01/19	Marie Pierce
01/26	Jack Browning
01/28	Bill Voight
01/29	Bob Mitchell
01/30	Kathy Johnson
01/31	Jerry Shelby

Charlie & June Daniel
01/12/1957

About Us.....

STAFF & MINISTRY TEAM

Pastor	Andy Blackmon	pastor@pineforestumc.org
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Youth Ministers	TBA	
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Maintenance	Anthony (Stoney) Murphy	
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Custodian	David Johnson	
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CONTACT INFORMATION

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Mission Statement

Our purpose is to magnify the Lord our God by bringing people to Jesus and into membership within His family, nurturing them to a Christ-like maturity, and equipping them for their ministry in the church and for their mission in the world.

Recurring Weekly Events

Sunday

9:00AM	Modern Worship
9:45AM	Sunday School
11:00AM	Traditional worship

Monday

10:00AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry (FH)
6:00PM	Cub Scouts

Tuesday

8:00AM	Walk the Walk (FLC)
9:00AM	T.O.P.S Weigh In (Bldg 2) 10:00AM
10:00AM	Exercise Class (Gym)
7:00PM	Boy Scouts (Scout Hut)

Wednesday

5:30-6:00PM	Supper
6:00-7:00PM	Bible Study
6:00-7:00PM	Children
6:00-8:00PM	Youth
6:00-7:30PM	Prayer Group (Chapel)
7:00-9:00PM	Band Practice
7:00-8:00PM	Choir Practice

Thursday

8:00AM	Walk the Walk (FLC)
10:00AM	Exercise Class (Gym)

Calendar Monthly Events

1st Sunday

UMM Breakfast (FH) 7:30 AM

2nd Monday

Alzheimer’s Support Group 2:30PM (Bldg 2)

2nd Tuesday

Daughter’s of the King 6:30PM

3rd Tuesday

Friendship Circle 10:30AM (FH)

4th Sunday of each Month

Richard’s Memorial Dinner Outreach

Meet at Richard’s at 3:30PM

20th of each month

**Deadline for newsletter articles
to be in church office.**

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January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Church office reopens	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 Daughters of the King 6:30pm	10 Wed night suppers start back 5:30pm	11	12	13
14 Board Mtg/Service 5pm	15	16 Friendship Circle 10:30am	17	18	19	20 Wild Bunch 5:30pm Po Folks on 9th Ave
21 Prayer mtg starts back 5Pm	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			