

HIGHLANDS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

With Pastor Katie still on maternity leave, I am back again to share with you. For those of you who attended the "Mission Celebration", I believe that you were blessed. We truly wished that more of you could have been with us. In fact several of the Evaluation Forms said, "I wished that more people could have attended and been with us." We heard about Cuba with Robert Pinera. We had representatives from many of our current missions who told us about their missions and it was popular with most folks. We had a great talk from Rhonda Dahlin from TMS Global about "What's Next". Again, everyone seemed to love the kindness event, which is an opportunity to do hands-on mission work.

Also on Sunday we heard an amazing sermon from Kathy Walther. Then we talked about the Faith Promise and the Life Commitment/Mission Opportunities. The Faith Promise is a conversation between you and the Lord, to hear how He is asking you to support missions. We don't ask for your name, just your promise. If you haven't had an opportunity to do so, please pray about it and turn your card in by August 11th. (There are copies on the credenza in the Narthex.) The same for the Life Commitment/Mission Opportunities card. Everyone should be able to fill one out and turn it in, because everyone can pray. Pick a special mission and commit to pray for that mission everyday for a year. Please take a look and see what specific tasks you can do and fill out the form and turn it in. If you went to any part of the Mission Celebration, please pick up an Evaluation Form and turn it in. The Mission Team takes your feedback seriously in planning next year's event. Thank you to everyone who attended. It was our biggest turnout and we hope to grow each year.

I talked to one church member who came for the first time. She told me that she had no idea it would be like this and that it was wonderful! Please mark your schedule for next year's event on July 24-26, 2020.

Lori Ann Prange,
Lay Leader

August Sunday Schedule 2019

9:00 am Seeker's Sunday School Class—Education Bldg
9:00 am Children's Sunday School Class—Education Bldg
9:45 am Coffee and Fellowship—Narthex
10:00 am Blended Church Worship—Sanctuary

August Anniversaries

None were listed

August Birthdays

8-1 Mark Thomas (PLWM)
8-4 Christopher Wehland (PLWM)
8-5 Andres Adorno (PLWM)
8-6 Curtis (Ozzie) Ossman
8-10 Walter R. Sanders
8-12 Michael Angelo (PLWM)
8-12 Kelvin Brown (PLWM)
8-14 Nickie Colvin
8-18 Noah Rook (PLWM)
8-19 Eileen Thompson
8-22 Richard Neil Arney, Jr. (PLWM)
8-22 Robert Hughes (PLWM)
8-26 Scott McNeill
8-27 Billy J. Deese (PLWM)
8-30 Paul Hutchins

August Activities

8-4 Blessing of the Backpack
8-4 First Sunday-First Fruits & Communion
8-5 Friendship Circle Luncheon—11:30 am—Ruby Tuesday
8-6 Finance Committee Meeting—5:30—Office Conference
8-7 Highlands Youth—5:30—Education Bldg.
8-7 Community Campfire Worship—7 pm—Fellowship Hall
8-12 Mission Monday—10 am—Education Bldg.
8-13 Leadership Team Meeting—5:30 pm—Fellowship Hall
8-14 Highlands Youth—5:30—Education Bldg.
8-14 Community Campfire Worship—7 pm—Fellowship Hall
8-17 Fleming Family Gathering—10 am Fellowship Hall
8-21 WDCD Board Meeting—11 am—Education Bldg.
8-21 Highlands Youth—5:30—Education Bldg.
8-21 Community Campfire Worship—7 pm—Fellowship Hall
8-26 Deadline for Newsletter Articles.
8-26 Mission Monday Ministries—10 am—Education Bldg.
8-27 Prime Timers—11 am—Wesley Fellowship.
8-28 Community Dinner—5 pm—Fellowship Hall.
8-28 Highlands Youth—Assist with Community Dinner.
8-30 Friday Night Movie—6 pm—Fellowship Hall—"Wonder"



TOTAL REFERRALS FROM HUMC in June

Households	163
Adults	167
Children	173
Disabled	47
Total	387

TOTAL SERVED FOR NCSC in June

Households	161
People	380
Seniors	66
Children	478
Disabled	210
Veterans	63

Blessings from Gwen

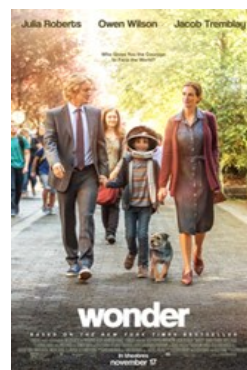
Wesley Child Development Center

VPK Registration for Voluntary PreKindergarten program for the 2019-2020 school year.

Families can go to www.VPKDuval.org to register. Eligible children must reside in Florida and be born between 9/2/2014-9/1/2015. If you know anyone with a four year old please tell them about our program at Wesley!!



AUGUST 30TH MOVIE



Doors Open 6:00
Movie Starts at 6:30PM
8-30-2019
Sm. Hot Dogs, Pizza, Popcorn And Drinks \$1.00

June Community Dinner
7/24/19
59 guests 18 volunteers

Highlands' Special Friends Please Pray for Them



Justin Wofford & Hannah - Kenya

Justin & Hannah

will be in Kenya for six months starting in January.

Dorrie Garner - India



Dorrie is so passionate about working with kids and unreached people groups. She is in India now.

Rhonda Dalin

at TMS Global - China

TMS Global supports missionaries & churches like ours. Rhonda hopes to return to China very soon.



Elise and Josh Hurst - Indonesia

The Hurst family went to Indonesia earlier this year with Elise very pregnant. That's real faith!



August 2019



BLESSING OF THE VA LAP QUILTS



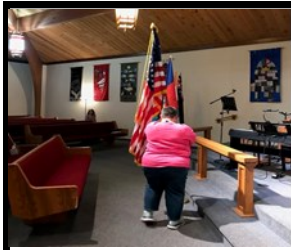
Dedicated
Quilters



We used the fabric scraps from our clothing projects to create 12 lap sized quilts for veterans that we sent to the VA Hospital in Lake City in July.

**Our new Lay Leader,
Lori Ann Prange
is responsible for representing the
laity (the members) of the church
with the Pastor and on the
managing committees and is
responsible for assisting the Pastor
when she is away.**





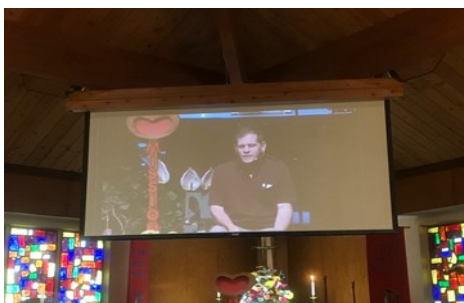
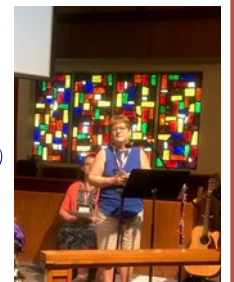
FRIDAY NIGHT FLAG PRESENTATION



← CUBA
MISSIONARY
Robert Pinera



SATURDAY MORNING MISSION PRESENTATIONS



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SATURDAY DISPLAY OF MISSIONS



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SATURDAY
LUNCH
PRIZES
AND
KINDNESS EVENT



SUNDAY MORNING
WORSHIP

