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the **VOICE**

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Church-Wide FAMILY NIGHT: RICE & BINGO For All Ages

**Friday, March 8
6:00-8:00 p.m.
Dunn-Smith Center**

Enjoy Tim's famous
Hot Dog' n Chili
supper (\$2 each).

Of course, prizes are
awarded to Bingo
winners.

Admission is a bag of
rice per person for the
Harvest Hope Food
Bank.

Reservations:

Email Lesli Wood at
lwood@shandon-
umc.org by Thursday,
March 7.

Children must be
accompanied by an
adult. Childcare is
available by reservation
for very young children.

Genuine Concern for Others

How does God's love abide in anyone who has the world's goods and sees a brother or sister in need and yet refuses help? 1 John 3:17

As Christians, we ought to exemplify the ways of our Lord Jesus Christ in our daily lives. The hallmark character trait of being a Christian is genuine concern for others. Over and over again, the Bible commands us to care for our brothers and sisters in need: Leviticus 25:25, Deuteronomy 15:11, Psalm 82:3, Proverbs 14:31, Jeremiah 22:16, Isaiah 58:7-8, Philippians 2:4-5, Hebrews 13:13, Luke 14:13 and Matthew 25:31-46 – just to name a few!

Established in 1979, The Columbia Family Shelter is the only agency in the Midlands that provides emergency shelter services to homeless children and their families. Families are given a place to stay for up to 120 days. During their stay, they are provided with resources for building a stable home. Some of these needs include bus tickets, gas cards, childcare assistance, life skills workshops, assisted job searches, etc. They are also given general toiletries and hygiene products.

Shandon has just kicked off a Capital Campaign where 25% of all gifts will go towards helping the Family Shelter build a new kitchen and community center on their campus. Our campaign theme, Blessed to Serve: Debt Free and Mission Forward, is centered on the idea that God has blessed us so greatly, and we are called to give beyond ourselves. Anyone who has ever been on the Family Shelter's campus understands how desperate their need is.

One of my personal prayers for this campaign is for Shandon folks to connect with the Family Shelter in real and meaningful ways, realizing the great impact we can make on the lives of homeless families here in Columbia. I want as many folks as possible to visit the Family Shelter's campus to see first hand the great need and inspiration behind our giving. Keep an eye out for upcoming tour dates in March and April, and encourage all your Shandon friends to participate!

May the abundant love of God flow forth from our hearts into the lives of others!

In Faith,
Rev. Julie Songer Belman

YOU'RE INVITED SUNDAY

March 3 and 10

8:45 a.m. Traditional Worship

SERMON 3rd: "Could this Be The Year For Figs?,"

Dr. Michael Guffee

Scripture: Luke 13:1-9

SERMON 10th: Dr. Michael Guffee

MUSIC: Celebration Choir

Ushers 3rd: Ed Watson, Jr. 10th: Dan Vismore

Ambassadors 3rd: Janet Hancock 10th: Dana Wolfe

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship

SERMON 3rd: "Could this Be The Year For Figs?,"

Dr. Michael Guffee

Scripture: Luke 13:1-9

MUSIC: Chancel Choir

SERMON 10th: Rev. Julie Songer Belman

Ushers 3rd: Gary Daves 10th: Jim Bogle

Ambassadors 3rd: Emily Davis 10th:

11:05 a.m. LifeLine Worship

SERMON 3rd: Rev. Josh McClendon

Scripture:

MUSIC: LifeLine Band

SERMON 10th: Dr. Michael Guffee

Nursery Opens at 8:30 a.m.

	March 3	March 10
8:45 a.m. worship		
Crib	Jenny Triplett	Caitlin Bruner
Toddler	Pamela Adams	Raven/Scott Gambrell
Two-year-olds	Jennifer/Jonathan Hethcox	Staff
Three-year-olds	Staff	Staff
11:00 a.m. and 11:05 a.m. worship		
Crib	Stephanie Bridgers	Jennifer/Michael Rice
Toddler	Allison/Jeff Crane	Candler Rhodes
Two-year-olds	Elizabeth Burt	Jason/Karen Snyder
Three-year-olds	Staff	Staff

Adult Sunday School

Join us at 9:45 a.m.

Acts 2:21 (Bruner221)

Chapel Bible Study-Not a Sunday School Class (Chapel):

Commitment (Knox205): Joining with 10th Grade

Foundation (Knox208)

Genesis (Knox214): March 3: Keller Kissam

March 10/17: Ruthie Taylor/Carolyn Talbert

George Huggins (Knox209): A Minority, Bill Whitehead

Project: Killingsworth Home for Women

Growing Disciples (Knox201)

JOY (Bruner220): Book of Romans, Harvey Allen

New Beginnings (Knox204)

New Generation (Bruner224): Mental Health, Liz Knight

Wesley Fellowship (WH): Daniel's Vision of Change,

Beth Burnett

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COMING UP AT SHANDON

Sunday: 8:45, 11:00 & 11:05 Worship; 9:45 Sunday School

SUNDAY, MARCH 3 Luke 13:1-9

9:45 Asbury Hills Camp Pres/Children's SS - Player Hall

3:00 Eagle Scout Ceremony Reception - Wesley Hall

4:00 Eagle Scout Ceremony - Sanctuary

4:00 Youth Choir Rehearsal - Bruner 206

4:00 Disciple II - Knox 209

5:00 UMYF - Youth Zone

5:00 Confirmation Class - Gym

6:00 Lenten Worship Service - Sanctuary

MONDAY, MARCH 4 Mark 5:21-43

5:30 Wesley Ringers - Bruner 201

6:30 Men's Study: Wild at Heart - Knox 204

6:30 Themes of the New Testament - Knox 209

6:30 Book of Acts Bible Study - Knox 205

TUESDAY, MARCH 5 Mark 6:1-13

12:30 Lunch Bunch - Player Hall (Pre-Lunch Fun: 10:00 PH)

6:30 Divorce Support Group - Parlor

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6 Mark 6:13-29

6:30 Men's Open Gym - Gym

6:45 Bovotions (Sr Highs) - Bojangles on Devine

6:45 GAP Walking Devotion Group (Young Adult) - Outside Dunn-Smith

9:00 Disciple II - Knox 209

9:30 P&K Chapel - Chapel

5:15 Wednesday Night Manna - Gym

6:00 Children's Choirs, Trackers, Synago - See Back Cover

6:00 Men's Study: Wild at Heart - Knox 209

6:00 Celebration Choir Rehearsal - Bruner 206

6:00 Evangelism Committee - Conference Room

6:00 Wednesday Manna Second Helpings - Player Hall

6:00 Shandon Book Club - Bruner 221

6:00 Outreach Committee - Wesley Hall

6:15 UMYF Adult Meeting - Bruner 220

7:15 Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Bruner 206

THURSDAY, MARCH 7 Mark 6:30-46

10:00 Thursday Women's Study - Parlor

6:30 Major Gift Event - Palmetto Club

6:30 Boy Scout District Committee - Conference Room

FRIDAY, MARCH 8 Mark 6:47-56

6:00 Family Night: Bingo - Gym

SATURDAY, MARCH 9 Mark 7:1-23

SUNDAY, MARCH 10 Luke 15:1-3, 11-32

12:15 Green Team Lunch - Player Hall

4:00 Youth Choir Rehearsal - Bruner 206

4:00 Bishop's Listening Session - Sanctuary

4:00 Disciple II - Knox 209

6:00 Lenten Worship Service - Sanctuary

MONDAY, MARCH 11 Mark 7:24-37

5:30 Wesley Ringers - Bruner 201

6:00 Bible Stories Through New Eyes - Knox 209

6:30 Men's Study: Wild at Heart - Knox 204

6:30 Book of Acts Bible Study - Knox 205

TUESDAY, MARCH 12 Mark 8:1-10

12:30 Lunch Bunch - Player Hall (Pre-Lunch Fun: 10:00 PH)

4:00 Memorial Committee - Conference Room

6:30 Divorce Support Group - Parlor

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13 Mark 8:11-26

6:30 Men's Open Gym - Gym

6:45 Bovotions (Sr Highs) - Bojangles on Devine

6:45 GAP Walking Devotion Group (Young Adult) - Outside Dunn-Smith

9:00 Disciple II - Knox 209

5:15 Wednesday Night Manna - Gym

6:00 Children's Choirs, Trackers, Synago - See Back Cover

6:00 Bridge Meeting - Conference Room

6:00 Wednesday Manna Second Helpings - Player Hall

6:00 Men's Study: Wild at Heart - Knox 209

7:00 Info Distribution Team Training - Wesley Hall

7:15 Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Bruner 206

THURSDAY, MARCH 14 Mark 8:27-9:1

10:00 Thursday Women's Study - Parlor

5:00 Pastor & Program Leaders - Conference Room

6:00 Major Gifts & Pastor - Bruner 221

6:30 Boy Scout Leaders - Bruner 216

7:00 Leadership Team - Wesley Hall

8:00 Advance Commitment - Player Hall

FRIDAY, MARCH 15 Mark 9:2-13

9:00 Packet Assembly Meeting - Wesley Hall

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 Mark 9:14-29

Caring for Creation

Workshops & Green Activities: Lake Junaluska

April 4-7 (1-4 day options)

In the spectacular nature setting of Lake Junaluska, choose from 20 workshops and experiences led by renowned scientists, professors, and clergy who are top in the field of creation care. It's the perfect getaway with a purpose!

Flyers are in the Bruner hall and Dunn-Smith lobby. See full details and register at www.lakejunaluska.com/caring-for-creation. Or call 1-800-222-4930. Register on your own. Contact Anne Cox about carpooling possibilities and financial assistance that may be available (acox@shandon-umc.org/256-8383 ext. 115).

Our church has been represented at the Conference for the last few years. Let's have a big group go from Shandon!

Some of the Workshops & Activities Offered:

- Keynote Speaker via Skype: Dr. James Hansen, head of NASA Goddard Institute for Space Studies in New York City
- Mountain Top Removal
- Biblical and Theological Basis for Creation Care
- Sketching Nature
- Introducing Global Warming's Six Americas
- Balance & Harmony – Spiritualism of the American Indian
- Bees – Their Importance in Our Food Supply
- Container Gardening

Lake Junaluska Conference and Retreat Center is an agency of the Southeastern Jurisdiction of The United Methodist Church. The mission of Lake Junaluska is to be a place of Christian hospitality where lives are transformed through renewal of soul, mind, and body.

Event Fee:

\$90 Individual or \$255 Team of 3 (by March 10) \$95 Individual or \$270 Team of 3 (after March 10)

Housing & Meal Fees at Lambuth Inn: Thursday Dinner - Sunday Breakfast = \$283 (single) \$205 each (double)

ENTER JERUSALEM

An Interactive Holy Week Experience for Children & Adults

Sunday, March 24, Dunn-Smith Ministry Center Gym

Join us as we enter the city on Palm Sunday and visit craft/activity stations which remind us of significant events and places relevant to Holy Week. Biblical characters in costume will interact with participants and talk about the happenings during the week. Registration information is available through the education office by contacting Sam Apple, sapple@shandon-umc.org. The deadline for registration is Sunday, March 17. A donation of \$5 per family is appreciated and may be given at the event.

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP DURING LENT

March 3, 10 and 17, 6:00-6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

The services will include "Taize" music, with prayers, silent meditations and scripture readings.

The music will be lead by our Youth Choir.

A Wholeness and Healing Service: March 17, 6:00-6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary

The service includes anointing with oil.

Please plan to attend and invite a friend.

Mark Your Calendar

Good Friday – MARCH 29, 7:00 p.m., Sanctuary

"The Seven Last Words of Christ" by Theodore Dubois presented by the Chancel Choir and soloists.

PROOF OF HEAVEN, by Dr. Eben Alexander, M.D.

March 6 Book Discussion – 6:00-7:00 p.m., Bruner 221

Join this Wednesday's discussion about Dr. Alexander's NDE (Near Death Experience) that profoundly changed this religion skeptic and academic neurosurgeon into one who believes that God and soul are real and that death is not the end of personal existence but only a transition.

UPCOMING BOOK DISCUSSIONS

April 3: Pompeii, by Robert Harris **May 1:** America Aflame: How the Civil War Created a Nation, by David Goldfield



UNITED METHODIST WOMEN CIRCLE MEETINGS

New members are always welcome for wonderful fellowship, spiritual growth and service.

Augusta Beckman: Monday, March 11 at 6:30 p.m., home of Barbara Adams, 601 Arcadia Lakes Drive East (29206)

Bruner/Major/Richardson: Tuesday, March 12 at 11:00 a.m. at Shandon in room 209

Mary Campbell: Tuesday, March 12 at 6:00 p.m. at Shandon in Player Hall

Mary and Martha: Tuesday, March 12 at 12:45 p.m. at Shandon in Player Hall

Ola B. Taylor: Tuesday, March 12 at 10:30 a.m., home of Pat Beckler Wildwood Downs

Susannah Wesley: Tuesday, March 12 at 6:30 p.m., home of Jennifer Davis 4217 Havana Ct. 29206

THE OUTSIDERS *Shandon's fellowship community for young adults.*

SEE YA AT THE CANTINA Monday, March 4, from 6:00-8:00 p.m.

Laid-back fellowship meal for young adults at Cantina 76 (2901 Devine Street). Come on out!

THE BIG MO Friday, April 19, at 5:30 p.m.

Meet at the church to caravan out to the "Big Mo" Drive-in theater in Monetta (about a 45-minute drive).

Bring a date, fly solo, or bring the whole family. Admission is \$8 for adults, \$4 for kids. Double features start at 6:30 p.m. Contact Josh with questions (joshtmcc@gmail.com).



[SoT] is the new men's ministry at Shandon. Together, men of all ages are challenged to be in fellowship, to share hefty meals, to play and be active, to dig into study, to serve, and more.

[SoT] BLOG – Visit <http://shandonthunder.wordpress.com> for news and updates.

OPEN GYM

Men are invited for basketball every Wednesday morning from 6:30-7:30 a.m. No skill level required. Showers are available.

THIRD THURSDAY

This month, our fellowship night falls on Thursday, March 21, so come out for a little bit of March Madness. We'll meet in the gym with man-food and the giant screen, to touch base together and watch some ball. Contact Josh with questions (joshtmcc@gmail.com).

COOKOUT FOR KIDS

The Sons of Thunder have volunteered to help with the annual fundraising "Cookout for Kids" to benefit Epworth Children's Home. All men are challenged to enlist to help on April 26 & 27 as we cook meat, prepare plates, and fellowship together. More info to come later.



Discover God...Share with others...Have fun in faith... and Live-out being a Christian everyday—at home, school and play. Don't miss the adventure.

SUNDAY SCHOOL: March 3 & 10. See you on Sunday at 9:45 a.m.

Twos: Jesus said, "Follow me." (Mark 1:17)

Threes-5th Grade: *Jesus teaches me what God's kingdom is like.*

March 3: Jesus Washes Feet (John 13:1-15)

March 10: The Passover Meal (Luke 22:14-23)

6th Grade: **March 3:** Praising Jesus (Entry Into Jerusalem)

March 10: Having the Heart of a Servant (Jesus Washes the Disciples' Feet)

ASBURY HILLS: CAMP PRESENTATION

Our Elementary Sunday school classes will host a question/answer session with a representative from Asbury Hills Camp on Sunday, March 3, in Player Hall during the Sunday school hour beginning at 10:00 a.m. Parents are welcome to join us. Asbury Hills is a camp where children experience God like never before through fun, faith, and fellowship. Check it out at www.asburyhills.org.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Vacation Bible School and Day Camp: June 10-14

Basketball Camp (rising 1st-6th graders): August 5-8



If you're a 7th-12th grader – You'll make REAL friends and have REAL fun, be able to ask REAL questions and get REAL answers, have a REAL voice and share REAL ideas, discover REAL faith and make a REAL difference. Get SMY REAL.

UMYF [United Methodist Youth Fellowship]

Come on out this Sunday evening! We will meet at our regular time, 5:00-6:30. The latter part of UMYF will be the worship service in the Sanctuary!

WINTER JAM Friday, March 15. Cost is \$10 at the door.

We will meet at the church around 4:00 p.m. to head over to the Colonial Life Arena and stand in line (It is first come first serve seating). Need a strong head count by March 4 because we are limited by the number of buses we can use that day. Please let Travis know ASAP if you and/or your youth want to join us.

ADULT MEETING Wednesday, March 6

ALL of the adults who are involved with and/or have a youth in Shandon's UMYF will gather together to hear the new year's vision for the program. We want to provide an opportunity for every adult to learn, discuss, and pray about the wonderful things our youth are doing throughout the year.

This youth program cannot sustain without the support of our church's adults. Please clear your schedule for March 6th from 6:15-7:30 p.m. so we can meet together in Bruner Room 220 to enable our youth group to continue to thrive!

Thank You, Shandon

This year UMVIM teams from South Carolina will travel again to the Dominican Republic to work with The Dominica Orphanage and School in La Urena, Santo Domingo, Dominican Republic.

Lee McDonald will be coordinating the teams and construction for the summer. She will be working with director and founder, Dominica Rosario, to build a two story building for the younger elementary children now attending The Dominica Orphanage and School. When this structure is complete, approximately 70 additional children from an area the Dominicans call "The Cry of La Urena" will be able to attend afternoon classes. Last summer, Shandon was one of the four UMVIM teams from South Carolina who helped construct the second floor of the existing school building.

The Dominica Orphanage and School has over 470 children attending each day. Over 200 of these children live in an area called "The Cry of La Urena," a community located near the school. The area has been given this name by the Dominicans because of the extreme poverty. These children are part of a program Dominica has named The Social Program. They are abused, neglected, abandoned and some are orphaned. All have been placed in Dominica's care and she is responsible for everything – clothes, education, meals, a place to live, etc. The community calls her "The Mother of La Urena." The children live with volunteer foster families. The school and orphanage are financed through a sliding scale tuition for those able to pay and donations from various groups in the U.S. and Canada. Finances are tight and many times bills have to go unpaid due to the demands of caring and educating the children. But the lack of funds has not dampened Dominica's spirit. No, is not in her vocabulary and she truly believes God will provide for His children.

Dominica has a special place in her heart for these children – she and her brother, Alexis, grew up in an orphanage in Santo Domingo. They decided at a very young age, they wanted to dedicate their lives to helping children.

Two UMVIM-SC teams led by Joan Suda arrived January 21 and departed February 16 with the goal to complete the first floor of the new building. The first summer team will arrive beginning the second week of June and the last team will depart on August 3. Shandon will be sending two teams this summer – one lead by Meredith Dreibelbis and one by Lee McDonald. Meredith's team is scheduled to travel July 20-July 27, and Lee's team will travel July 27-August 3. The Shandon teams will pass in the airport in Santo Domingo!

BIBLE STORIES THROUGH NEW EYES

Register Now for This Short Course!

3 Mondays, 6:30-8:00 p.m., March 11, 18, 25

At the beginning of each session, we'll explore one of these Bible stories with Dr. Amy Jill Levine, a brilliant and entertaining New Testament scholar at Vanderbilt Divinity School (25 min. DVD teaching): The Prodigal Son, The Canaanite Woman, Jesus with Mary & Martha. Then leaders Alix Hay and Margaret Hays will engage us in discussions that make us wonder and think, as we dive deeper into what we believe. Read the Bible story ahead. Attend any of the stand-alone lessons, but after one, you'll come back! In Knox 209. Register on the hall tables or contact Anne Cox by March 6.

EASTER LILIES FOR THE SANCTUARY AND LIFELINE

If you would like to place an Easter lily in the Sanctuary or at LifeLine in honor or in memory of a loved-one, please complete this form and place it in an offering envelope with check or cash and return in the offering plate or to Winifred Rodgers. You may also make a donation to the landscape fund. The cost of each lily is \$19.00 and the order deadline is March 24.

_____ Put a lily in the sanctuary _____ Make a gift to the landscape fund

_____ In memory of _____ In honor of

Name: _____

Given By: _____ Enclosed: \$ _____

LISTENING SESSION

Bishop Jonathan Holston, newly appointed bishop of the South Carolina Conference of the United Methodist Church, will hold a listening session in the sanctuary at Shandon on March 10 from 4:00-6:00 p.m. Laity and clergy from the Columbia District are invited to hear of Bishop Holston's vision for South Carolina Methodism and to share your hopes and dream for our conference with the bishop. Shandon laity are urged to be present to meet Bishop Holston and offer a warm greeting and welcome to laity and clergy from our district.

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING CONSIGNMENT SALE

March 17 - March 22

Dunn-Smith Ministry Center

All proceeds go to the Commitment Class missions.

Drop Off: Sunday, March 17
Pre Sale: Monday, March 18
Sale: Tuesday, March 19-Thursdays, March 21

How it Works:

Go to www.myconsignmentmanager.com/shandonumc to register. If you have consigned through this system before, simply login and add our sale. For questions, email sumcchildrensale@yahoo.com

Clothing:

Bring clean, SPRING AND SUMMER children's clothing (newborn – 16) on hangers, priced and tagged. No sleepers or onesies, please. New looking stylish shoes. Tie them together or put them in large zip top bags.

Second Helpings, Player Hall, 6:00-7:00 p.m.

HELP PREPARE FOR ENTER JERUSALEM!

March 6, 13, 20: Help the children's ministry. Relax and enjoy talking with other church members while you make a big difference! Children not in choirs are always welcome.

Treasurer's Update

FEBRUARY 24, 2013

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School	572
Worship	731

OPERATING BUDGET

February 17	February 24	Year-to-Date
Revenues	Revenues	Revenues
\$36,747	\$32,828	\$290,506
February 17	February 24	Year-to-Date
Expenses	Expenses	Expenses
\$3,991	\$72,234	\$296,818

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ON FEBRUARY 24 were given to the glory of God and in memory of **Bo Mullis** by Bonnie Mullis.

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ON MARCH 3 are given to the glory of God.

THE FLOWERS AT THE ALTAR ON MARCH 10 are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Inez Watson** by Janice, Harry and Kyle Brown.

MEMORIALS

IN MEMORY

Margie Ellis by The JOY Class

Charles Fitts by June Alexander, Karen & Dick Coulter, Jewel Dailey, Sylvia Anne Derrick, Mr. & Mrs. Jimmy Garner, Mr. & Mrs. Carl Garner, Stefanie Heller, Shirley & Bob Henderson, Martha Hilton, Mr. & Mrs. Charles E. Hill, Richard & Jane Kennedy, Jack & Penny Nieri, Chris & Dede Nuckols, Louise & Charlie Sanders, Debbie Spraker, Mattie Ruth B. Stevens, Robin Walsh

Kathryn King Gering by Sally & Don Elliott, Donna & Major Pearman

Dick Pregnall by James O. Metze, Donna & Major Pearman, Tom & Carolyn Silvester

Nancy Bowman Stutzman by Janice, Harry & Kyle Brown

SYMPATHY

Randy and Suzanne Grant on the death of his aunt, Jennie Grant on February 18 in Georgetown, SC.

CONGRATULATIONS

Molly and Justin Craig Bagby on the birth of a son, Cullen Craig Bagby on February 26 in Durham, NC.

BAPTISM

Rutledge Ann Flake (10/9/12), daughter of Charles Lee Flake and Kimberly Thomas Flake on February 17.

Lauren Winifred Guffee (7/19/12), daughter of Michael Loyd Guffee, Jr. and Colleen DeMars Guffee on February 24.

HOSPITALS

Palmetto Health Richland: Kemper Zeigler

Our ministers are on call for weekend emergencies. Contact the minister by calling our emergency beeper at 654-8973 and then entering your phone number.

Senior Minister

Michael Guffee, Sr.

Minister of Evangelism and Outreach Ministries

Julie Songer Belman

Minister of Assimilation and Discipleship

Josh McClendon

Church Business Administrator

Michael Hart

Minister of Music and Arts Ministries

Eddie Huss

Director of Christian Education and Adult Ministries

Anne Cox

Director of Student Ministries

Travis Pearson

Director of Children's Ministries

Lesli Wood

Director of Preschool/Kindergarten

Bea Daves

Director of Kitchen Ministries

Timothy Scott

Director of Communications

Melanie Owen

Finance Administrative Assistant/Organist

Nancy Kelley

Administrative Assistant to the Senior Minister

Winifred Rodgers

Education Administrative Assistant

Samantha Apple

Administrative Assistant to Associate Ministers and Music

Debbie Rountree

Child Care Coordinator

Heather Corley

Sound Technician

Cindi Reid

Maintenance Supervisor

Bobby Douglas

Custodial Staff

Thomas Brunson, Eladio Cruz,

John Whetstone

Security

Wade Carlisle

Lay Leader

Jonathan Roquemore

Church Council Chair

Jan Bilton

Parish Nurse

Nancy Reynolds

Mission Statement

Shandon United Methodist Church gathers to worship God, nurture Christian faith, and go out into the world in mission.

Wednesday Night Manna

NO RESERVATIONS NEEDED

Good food, warm fellowship & activities for everyone.

SERVING: 5:15-6:15 p.m. in the gym**COST:** \$5 adults/youth over age 12 \$2.50 children age 2-12 under age 2 eat free**March 5:** Lasagna, buttered noodles, salad, dessert**March 13:** Pot roast, seasoned potatoes, green beans, spinach salad, dessert**ACTIVITIES**

- **Children's Activities & Bible Verses** for a prize: 5:30-6:00 p.m., gym (age 3-5th grade)
- **Trackers for 4th & 5th Grade Boys:** 6:00-6:45 p.m., DuBose 202, 2nd fl.
- **Children's Choirs for K4-5th Grade:** 6:00-6:45 p.m., DuBose, 2nd fl.
- **Synago Bible Studies for Youth (6th graders, too):** 6:00-7:00 p.m., Youth Zone
- **Child Care for Infants-5th Grade:** 5:30-7:30 p.m. 2-years-old & under, Knox 106; 3- to 5-years-old, DuBose 105; 1st to 5th graders, 6:45-7:30 p.m., DuBose 105
- **Second Helpings:** Most Wednesdays, 6:00-7:00 p.m., Player Hall

Simple ways to be of service. Set-up by a ministry area leader or staff member who needs help. Relax and enjoy talking with other church members while you make a big difference! Children not in choir are always welcome. Contact Anne Cox, acox@shandon-umc.org, to reserve a Wednesday for your ministry area to receive help.