



# THE WEEKLY WORD

August 1, 2010

First United Methodist

Church of Temple

Rev. Tom Robbins, Senior Pastor

Rev. Jane Woodward, Associate Pastor

Rev. Hubert Austin, Associate Pastor

Dr. Thomas Q. Robbins, Associate Pastor

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday through Thursday:

8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Friday:

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

### SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE:

8:30 and 11:00 a.m.

Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

9:00 a.m.

Common Ground Contemporary Worship

Family Life & Worship Center

10:00 a.m.

Sunday School

### First United Methodist Church Attendance Sunday, July 25, 2010

8:30 a.m. Traditional	107
9:00 a.m. Common Ground	122
11:00 a.m. Traditional	232
Chapel	16
<b>Total</b>	<b>477</b>
7-26-2009 Attendance	575
7-27-2008 Attendance	551
7-29-2007 Attendance	544

### Methodism Class

Starts This Sunday, August 1, 2010

Sundays 10:00 - 10:50 a.m. Parlor

Taught by Dr. Thomas Q. Robbins



### Your Money at Work

As of July 27, 2010 Outstanding Construction Loan Balance  
\$2,566,487.23

As of July 27, 2010 Outstanding Organ Loan Balance  
\$232,487.09

Operations Budget Receipts for week ending July 27, 2010  
\$23,677.51

Operations Budget needs for week ending July 27, 2010  
Thank you, \$31,005.25

Charles H. Davis Church Administrator

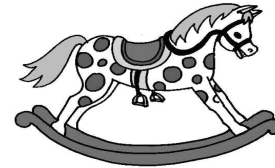
Please join us for a Church-wide Baby Shower  
honoring

Charlie & Carol Davis's Daughter

*Chelsey Pierce*

on

Saturday, August 7, 2010, 2:00pm  
in the church parlor



### Baby Boy Registry:

Target &  
Callie's Boutique  
(Pecan Plaza, 31<sup>st</sup> St, Temple)

Hostesses:

Iris Rankin, Melissa Piland, Judy Johnson, Carolyn Wagner,  
Phyllis Davis, Natalie Grisham, Patty Mayfield, Renae Massie &  
Sandra Bobo

### THANK YOU GRACIAS DANKE SCHOEN!!!!!!!!!!

WE had a wonderful response to our Backpack Buddies.  
We have 100 Backpacks assigned to First United

Methodist Church and **72** have already been adopted!

We only have **28** left to fill. If you  
are still looking to get involved please  
come see Iris Rankin at the church  
office and we will help you adopt one  
of the children to give them a great  
start to the new school year!



### Welcome New Members!!

The following joined First Methodist  
June & July 2010

*Ruth Robbins, Joey Hodges, Scott Piland,  
Wendy & Terry Flint, Margaret Galloway,  
Richard Thompson, Jr., Tom Heard*

### First United Methodist Church Archives

We are in the process of creating an official FUMC Archives. We have identified a room on the 1st floor that we are in the process of clearing out and preparing that will become the official Archive Room for First United Methodist Church of Temple. In addition, we are planning to have Archive display cases located in other areas in the church. If you possess any old memorabilia, pictures, newspaper articles, documents, etc. concerning our church's history that you would like to donate to the FUMC Archives, please contact the church office.

## JOIN US

*Reaching Children in Public Schools  
Good News Clubs - Child Evangelism Club*

FUMC is sponsoring a Good News Club at Jefferson Elementary beginning in September on Thursdays from 3 - 4:30 p.m. You can be an active part of this program

### TRAINING

**Saturday, August 7** 9-12; 1-4 Foundational Truths; message of Salvation; Demonstration of a Good News Club hour

**Saturday, August 14** 9-12; 1-4 Making Wonder Time special/ activity lessons; Giving an Invitation; Music with a Message call Ann Patterson (774-9419) or Melissa (773-5269).

## Thank You!

Thanks to everyone for your cards and visits. A Special thank you goes out to Art Tuttle for the snacks!

*Dick Waters*

## Are you a mommy of a preschooler???

### MOPS (Mothers of preschoolers) is for you!

Meetings are the 2nd Tues. of each month. Join other moms for meetings full of fun, food, Christian mom fellowship, inspirational speakers, crafts and more. Childcare (moppets) is provided. Reservations are required. (Babies are welcome in the meeting!) Contact us as soon as possible to reserve your spot for September 14th!

*Brenda Smith -774-8787, Marianna White -773-2313,  
Iris Rankin -773-5269*

Girlfriends in God

August Events

**August 14**

Shopping in Gatesville

**August 20**

“Girls Night Out”

Movie Night

Special guests from Our Lady of the Angels

Pregnancy Ctr & Family Promise

**August 27**

“Lunch & Laughter”

Middleton’s House of Tea



**Needed for the FOOD PANTRY:** Canned milk, Potatoes and mixed vegetables, ready to eat meals in a can (Beef Stew, Chicken & Dumplings), Macaroni & Cheese, Jelly, Canned Meat (Tuna, Chicken, etc.), Travel size toiletries, bottled or canned juice, granola bars or packaged snacks

## PARENT’S NIGHT OUT

**Friday, August 20, 2010**

**6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.**

Drop your kids off and have a evening to yourself!!!

Call Iris to sign-up (773-5269) or email [iris.rankin@fumctemple.org](mailto:iris.rankin@fumctemple.org)

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

### August 2010

- August 1st 4:00 p.m. Scavenger Hunt and Crazy Games
- August 2nd - August 6th 8:00 a.m. Navigator Camp 7th - 8th graders @ Glen Lake Camp (register online [www.glenlakecamp.org](http://www.glenlakecamp.org))
- August 3rd 8 a.m. Girls Shopping Trip
- August 8th 4:30 p.m. Round Rock Express Game
- August 10th 12:30 p.m. Summer Fun
- August 17th Laser Quest
- August 22nd End of Summer Party

*For more information or to sign up for these events contact Jeff Stegall (773-5269) or [jeff.stegall@fumctemple.org](mailto:jeff.stegall@fumctemple.org)*

## UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

Faith, Hope, and Love in Action

As women of **FAITH**, we trust in the promises of Christ.

As women of **HOPE**, we share the good news of Jesus by being partners in God’s mission.

As women of God, we **LOVE** because God first loved us.

We share His love in all we do for through the

**PURPOSE** of United Methodist Women.

*Without U, United Methodist Women is not Complete.*

Plan to join us on Sept. 7th at 9:30 a.m., for a special program dealing with our Sudan Study. You will hear the compelling story of struggles of the 16 Lost Girls of Sudan.

Our speakers will come from Dallas and bring one of the lost girls with them. We want to share this powerful and touching program to all who can attend.

## Cooperative School of Christian Mission

### What’s in it for Me?

Men, women, children and youth will be attending this event at Glen Lake Camp August 6th thru 8th. Sponsored by the Outreach Council of the Central Texas Conference, UMC and United Methodist Women, this school offers opportunities for adults to learn and grow spiritually and to explore mission and culture, making mission real for all attendees. It allows children and youth to have fun learning about mission around the world and clergy how to integrate mission into the church program year. Several from our church will be attending the school and we asked your prayers for them and others in attendance.

## Choir Practices Start Soon!!

- **Wesley Choir** (8:30 service choir) begins rehearsals on Sunday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, at 8:00 a.m. in the Choir Room.
- **Chancel Choir** (11:00 service choir) begins rehearsals on Wednesday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m. in the Choir room.

## Open Dates on the Flower Calendar:

*August 29th and October 3rd*

These dates are available to sponsor the flowers for the traditional worship services. Please call Melissa in the church office (773-5269)