

**Mission Statement: To Love and to Lead**  
*The Mission of Heritage United Methodist Church is to Love God and people passionately and to Lead people into a passionate relationship with Jesus Christ.*

**WORSHIP WITH US EVERY SUNDAY!**

**8:05 AM**  
**Awakening Service**

**9:30 AM**  
**Traditional Service**

**11:00 AM**  
**Contemporary Worship**

Nursery provided for all services.

**Sunday School for All Ages**  
**9:30 & 11:00 AM**

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## FROM YOUR PASTOR'S HEART... FROM ROMANS TO REVOLUTION!



We spent nine awesome months in Romans. Now, we are moving into a Revolution! A revolution is "a turn around" or a "deep or significant change." We are going to be exploring **discipleship's missing link** on Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings. That missing link is **EMOTIONAL HEALTH**. You cannot truly mature spiritually while remaining emotionally immature. This study and these messages are designed to help you escape the lifelessness of unhealthy spirituality and experience a fresh

faith charged with authenticity, contemplation and a hunger for God that leaves you filled up and overflowing instead of burnt out and exhausted.

Our Sunday morning topics will include ...

- June 30: – 1 The Problem of Emotionally Unhealthy Spirituality
- July 7: – 2 Knowing Yourself that You May Know God
- July 14: – 3 Going Back in Order to Go Forward: Breaking the Power of the Past!
- July 21: – 4 Journeying Through the Wall: Living in Brokenness and Humility
- July 28: – 5 Enlarging Your Soul Through Grief and Loss
- August 4: – 6 Discovering the Rhythms of the Daily Office and Sabbath: Receiving the Gift of Limits
- August 11: – 7 Growing into an Emotionally Mature Believer
- August 18: Education Appreciation – 8 Go the Next Step to Develop a "Rule of Life."
- August 25: 9 Putting It All Together – The Joy of a Healthy Walk With God!



It is time to follow the ancient pathway! I believe this revolution will lead to deep renovation of our hearts! This renovation will lead to true revival!

Come join the REVOLUTION! See you Wednesdays and Sundays!

## On the Inside

- Pulse Update • The Beat Buzz
- Memorials and Honorariums
- New Members • Volunteer Chaplains

## In Our Thoughts & Prayers

Hospital:  
**John Lovelace** (Health South)

At Home:  
**Margene Bules, Jim and Gerlinda Dibble, Myron Kirksey, Jeri Nash, Linda Seubold, Sandra Thompson**  
**All Military Personnel** all around the world

Nursing Home:  
**Jean Stratton** (Legacy Lodge)

Assisted Living:  
**Billie Jacks** (Alma Health Care)  
**Maxine Fahrner** (Ashton Place)

**Mary Coble** (Crawford H & R)  
**Lena Mae Smith** (Crawford H & R)

In Thanksgiving:  
**Marty, Amanda and Dalton Anderson** in the birth of their daughter and sister, Brielle Kaylea. Proud grandparents are Ron and Rebecca Kaszubowski.

In Sympathy:  
**Curtis Gardner and family** in the death of his mother, *Aline Gardner*.  
**Deanna Stinnett and family** in the death of her mother, *Jane Stinnett*.

## July Volunteers

### Ushers

<b>8:05 am</b> John Poole Mike McSpaden Mike Kneeland Myron Kirksey	<b>9:30 am</b> Wayne Stewart Connie Mendenhall Mark Stafford Mark Evans Jerry Frederiksen	<b>11:00 am</b> Eddie Prince Daniel Chisolm Matt Oliver Malia Putman Jon Talley
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### Greeters

**8:05 am:**  
 Mary Dempsey  
 Darlene Craft

**9:30 am:**  
 Gail Sly and John Ferrell  
 Kim and Nathan Teague

**11:00 am:**  
 Kelly Nash  
 Grace Kelly

## Upcoming Events

**Sunday, June 10:**  
 RIVER VALLEY SUMMER CELEBRATION  
 AT OAKS MANOR  
 6 PM

**Wednesday, July 10:**  
 HERITAGE FAMILY FUN NIGHT  
 ALMA AQUATIC PARK  
 5:30 PM

Have an Announcement for the Bulletin or Newsletter? Email it to office@heritagevb.org.



**MEMORIALS  
AND HONORARIUMS**

In memory of **ELMO EVANS** by:  
Niolene Stanley (FLC)

In memory of **ROY DYER** by:  
M/M Russ Williams (FP)

In memory of **PAUL ROGERS**  
(uncle of Leslie Wagner) by:  
Margene Bules (BF)

In memory of **ALINE GARDNER**  
(mother of Curtis Gardner) by:  
M/M Johnny Parker

In honor of **MAX AND MARILYN  
GOINS' 50TH WEDDING  
ANNIVERSARY** by:

M/M Jerry Goodson (MF)

In honor of **WES AND ALLISON  
HILLIARD** by:

M/M Dorvan Wiley (BF)

In honor of **CHARLES AND NINA  
SULLIVAN'S 50TH WEDDING  
ANNIVERSARY** by:

Sue Stranathan (BF)

MF - Missions Fund BF - Building Fund  
FLC - Family Life Center FP - Food Pantry

**PLANTING SEEDS FOR THE FUTURE:  
Pulse and South Dakota!**



Going into this trip, John Boster and I knew one thing: this is a long term ministry opportunity. The theme? IT ALL BEGAN WITH A GARDEN. And that is where we started this year in South Dakota with the Lakota people. We tilled, we weeded, we planted, and now we get to see God provide water and growth. This will take time; this will take relationships that can build trust over time. I am so excited to see God's movement over the next few years as we target a beautiful people who need one thing: the love of Christ seeded in their hearts! I believe it is God's call for us. Thank you for your prayers and support, and for allowing us to meet Jesus in South Dakota. He is there!

*Brian Seewald, Youth Minister*

**NEW MEMBERS**



Barry and Shawna Mason joined Sunday. They have three children: Nicole, Bethany and Audrey.



Bethany Mason joined and was baptized Sunday. She is the daughter of Barry and Shawna Mason.

**INFANT DEDICATION**



Harper Marie Boblett was dedicated Sunday. She is the daughter of Jake and Jennifer Boblett.

**BAPTISMS**



Ryan Chisolm joined and was baptized Sunday. He is the son of Daniel and Melinda Chisolm.

**AREA MISSION PROJECT: The Beat**



This past week we had our first Area Mission Project (AMP) for The Beat. The youth learned about what it means to serve and minister to others, and about becoming unified, not only as a youth group, but also as a body of Christ. On the first day, we went downtown and cleaned the sidewalks and windows of the businesses. Day two, we went to Pointer Trail Rehab and played games, did crafts and prayed for the residents. On the last day, we went back downtown and into the stores and prayed with the owners and employees of every business on the street. We prayed for their lives, their families, their businesses and the entire downtown area. We believe that those that we came in contact with this past week will never be the same and that through Christ, we have become One with them.

*Bob Odiorne, Middle School Minister*

**VOLUNTEER CHAPLAINS  
NEEDED**

Summit Medical Center in Van Buren is looking for volunteer chaplains. If you enjoy listening and praying with people, contact Max Goins at 926-5157. There is an application and training that is necessary to be certified.

**CHAMPIONS**



Congratulations to our Youth Pastor Brian Seewald whose tennis team won the USTA Arkansas 40+ Men's Division State Championship. They will now represent the state of Arkansas in the regionals at North Carolina!

**CHILDREN'S SUMMER CAMP**  
(for children entering 3rd - 6th grade this fall)



The camp is July 31 - August 2 at Pinecrest Camp in Ozone, Arkansas. The cost is \$75 per student. For scholarship info, see Debbie Marsh. Registration deadline is Sunday, **July 7th**. Forms are available at the computer check-in stations.

**PRAYER MEETING**

The next River Valley First Monday Community Prayer Meeting is Monday, July 1st from 7-8 pm in the Student Union at Alma High School. Join our friends as we lift the River Valley in prayer.

**TIME TO CELEBRATE**



TNT Fireworks at Lake Lou Emma is now OPEN!

Support ONE Student Ministries of Van Buren!

Hours: 9am - 9pm weekdays... open later on weekends!

**SUMMER CELEBRATION**

Join Christians from around the River Valley Sunday, June 30th for an evening under the stars at Oaks Manor. The evening will include food, singing and a devotional time given by our own Wes Hilliard. Dinner of BBQ chicken and all the trimmings cost \$10 per plate and begins at 6 pm. Worship starts at 6:45 pm. Contact the church at 474-6424 for information as to where you can purchase tickets. Bring your lawn chair or blanket and dress patriotically.

**HALO REPORT**

On the night a bunch of fellers and me got together to play sum bluegrass at the Halos final two games of the season, my cousin Jarlow rode his mule backwards on the evening of a full moon the night before Halos played Butterfield. As it turned out the Halos lost their first game of the season. The loss might have been attributed to the fact the Halos only played with 8 n'sted of 10 ball players. Me and my band witnessed the whole thang. Dem Halo didn't make it close 'till one of their fans gave 'em a snickers bar. Now it must a done sum good 'cuz Wheuuuuu!! Dawgeee!! 'Dem Halo boyz show'd they can play sum ball. My band come equipped with a Mountain Home-dulcimer, 12-string guitar, two banjos, a big double bass fiddle, en one of 'dem litt'fiddles too. We couldn't pick notes as fast as those Halos could score runs in 'dat second game. The Halos went to swinging lumber quick. B'fore you knowd it my banjo players wuz justa dueling fast as they could. Da boyz frum Grand Avenue seemed to be chasing chickens n'sted of chasing that little optic yeller ball. By the time their defense threw the ball home the Halos wuz a pickin' en grinnin' in the dug out.

**TIMOTHY TEAM**

Registration is underway for Timothy Team & Tiny Tims! (for children 2 yrs. old through 5th grade as of 8/1/13). We will study the Book of Luke. Deadline to register is August 4th. Registration forms are available at the computer check-in stations!

**DISASTER RELIEF**



There is still a need for volunteers to work in Oklahoma to assist with the recovery. Please contact Bob Bretch at rbretch@cox.net to let him know when you are available. Also contact Bob, if you are interested in being trained to be a part of the Early Response Team with UMCOR (United Methodist Committee On Relief.)

**REKINDLE THE FLAME**



The 2013 Conference with Rick Bonfim is scheduled for July 25-28 at the Classic Center in Athens, Georgia. For a list of conference speakers and schedule or to register, go to [www.latterain.com](http://www.latterain.com).