

Let Us Pray

This list is provided by the Living Water Caring Ministry. Let us know your prayer requests by calling the church office at 713-723-0175 or fill out a card in worship.

FAMILY CONCERNS

Steve Stone
Ursula John
Juanita Sheppard
Jimmy Robertson
Sarah Winkel
Donna Babin
Jane Doerr
Dottie Proper
Ken Knox
Lynn Hanson
Dot Dickson
Millicent Banks
Deborah Liggan
Pat Hicks
Wava Fick
Cherie Schobelock

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

Anne Bell
Mary Jo Farwell
Marvin, Alta Hamilton
Evelyn Houghton

U. S. ARMED FORCES

Ibim Briggs, Jr., Navy
Ryan Brokaw, Army
Clint Caughman, Marine Corps
Caleb Crosby, Army
Dale Dumo, Marine Corps
Toni Coleman, Air Force
Benjamin Goodhart, Navy
Sean Neufeld, Navy
Michael Palazzotta, Marine Corps
Richard Pennard, Navy
Ayodele Sokoya, Navy
Ben Steves, Navy
Joshua M. Terry, Marine Corps

OUR STUDENTS

EXTENDED FAMILY CONCERNS

Theola Booker, friend of
Audrey Griggs
Frenchie Henderson, father of Ken
Henderson
The Culberson family, friend of
Cindy Parker
Nathan Sikes, friend of Romonica
Malone-Wardley
Wayne Winn, friend of Lorlva Lakey
Kyla Newport, great-granddaughter
of Lorlva Lakey
Yvonne Pleasant, niece of Juanita
Sheppard

Milton Baker, friend of Lorlva Lakey
Stanton Toler, cousin of Helen Smith
Donald and Frances Scherer,
parents of Donald Scherer
Allen Schleimer, friend of
Donna Babin
Richard Hall, grandson of
Viola Howard
Lana Short, friend of Cynthia Kinzer
Tammy Vickery, mother-in-law of
Beth and Adam Walmus' son
Jacqueline Terry, mother of
Jackie Armstrong
Trevor Pauley, friend of Nina Crawley
Arthur Arias, brother of Joyce Garza
Mark and Emily Fenlon, son-in-law and
daughter of Susan Edge, Day School

LIVING IN A CARE FACILITY

Carmin Cleavenger, Treemont
Retirement Community
Marjorie Duval, The Hampton, Galleria
Kathlyn Fowler, University Place
Beverly Garton
Meriana Gee, The Hampton,
W. Airport Blvd
Emmitt Griggs, The Hampton @ Pinegate
Dow Harleston, Clarewood House
Bill Hazlett, Colonial Oaks at
Braeswood
JoAnn Hazlett, Belmont Village
West University
Richard Heetderks, Loving Care
Cottages
Billie Hollingshead, The Terrace @ W.
University
Pearl Jackson, The Hampton,
W. Airport Blvd
Monette Miller, Belmont Village
West University
Gwynn Molzahn, Clarewood House
Dennis Rabalais, Lumberton, TX
Naomi Schobelock, Manor Care at Bellerive
Della Sloan, Richmond Health Care
Marjorie Smith, Treemont
Health Center
Sallie Taggart, Seven Acres
Marie Tutten, Clarewood House
Ardith Watson, Clarewood House
Alta Lee Whimore, Conservatory at
Champion Forest

Welcome to Hillary Peete, new director of children's ministries!

We're pleased to welcome Hillary Peete, our new Director of Children's Ministries. Hillary joins the staff of Westbury UMC on Monday, July 15.

Hillary was born and raised in Atlanta, Georgia. She graduated from Agnes Scott College and Candler School of Theology with a Master of Divinity. She met her husband, Brandon, while in seminary. He is an Episcopal priest serving at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church. They have a 9-month-old son, Felix.

"Moving from East Texas, we're looking forward to everything the big city has to offer," Hillary says.

"We love going to independent films, checking out new restaurants and spend most evenings taking our rambunctious dogs for a walk! I am very excited to join the Westbury UMC family. I can't wait to meet all of you, and I'm eager to envision new possibilities for children's ministry at Westbury UMC."



Hillary Peete with son Felix

SENIOR PASTOR Rev. Taylor Fuerst
ASSOCIATE PASTOR Rev. Romonica Malone-Wardley
MUSIC & WORSHIP PASTOR Rev. R. DeAndre Johnson
SW FONDREN COMMUNITY PASTOR Ms. Hannah Terry



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Pack a picnic dinner and come enjoy our next summer concert in the breezy Memorial Gardens!

Westbury UMC's Summer Concert Series presents Mark Mireles on steel drums this **Saturday, July 20, at 6 pm**. Mark has prepared a Caribbean-inspired concert featuring steel percussion and acoustic guitars. He is the steel pannist for the Texas beach music band, Jerry Diaz and Hannas Reef, which tours mostly on the Gulf Coast. He has also toured with many different types of bands across the country but he considers it nothing compared to the calling he received on his life to write music for the greater glory of God.

We've already enjoyed recent concerts by the Deci-Belles barbershop chorus and the reggae-style Waazobia Band (see photos above). All concerts are free and open to the community; a love offering is collected to support the musicians. Come with a friend or neighbor to relax and give thanks for God's gift of music in a beautiful setting here in the Memorial Gardens. For more details, contact Rev. DeAndre Johnson at 713-723-0175 or deandre1@westburyumc.org.

Bring a summer salad to PrimeTimers on Monday, July 22, in the Parlor. It will be a time for fellowship and entertainment by our own Tom Mazzu on piano and accordion. Games will begin at 9:30 am, then a general meeting at 10:15 am. The potluck lunch of salads and desserts will be served at 10:30 am with entertainment to follow.

Are you one of the seven adults we still need who can serve as VBS “shepherds?” Your job would be to guide your group of children from station to station each day at our “Everywhere Fun Fair” Vacation Bible School (August 5–9, from 9 am–noon). Sign up at the table in the East Foyer. One-hour training sessions will be held for volunteers on the date of your choice: Monday, July 22, at 7 pm, or Sunday, July 28, at noon.

Freedom School leaders report that the six-week literacy program is going extremely well. We have a total of 52 scholars enrolled with us this year (ranging in age from 3 to 19). Furthermore, we are immensely grateful for all of the help given and hospitality shown to us by St. Martin’s Episcopal Church, St. Luke’s UMC, and especially Westbury UMC. With each passing day, we see the lives of these children being changed for the better.

Save the date for Sunday, July 28, at noon for a retirement reception for Martha Upton. We will have refreshments in the Café, and all are invited to come offer words of gratitude for Martha’s many years of dedicated service to our congregation. We pray for and encourage her as she enters into this new season.

Westbury UMC’s youth will be participating in Neighbors in Action this week to help out with a VBS program in Port Houston. Neighbors in Action serves Port Houston, a community located four miles east of downtown Houston where many people live below the poverty line. Let’s pray for the youth who will be sent out to lead, learn and grow, as well as the children in Port Houston who will be taking part in the VBS program.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, July 14, 2013		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)	All Classrooms
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Adoración en Español	Chapel
Noon	Coffee with the Pastors	Café
5:00 pm	Youth Mid-Summer Worship	H22
Monday, July 15, 2013		
8 am–3 pm	Freedom School (M-F)	Westbury Facilities
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
Tuesday, July 16, 2013		
8 am–3 pm	Freedom School (M-F)	Westbury Facilities
8:30 am–12:30 pm	Youth at <i>Neighbors in Action</i>	Off-site
9:00 am	Handymen	103
9:30 am–2 pm	Mother’s Day Out (Tu, Thu)	Children’s Wing
10:00 am	Staff Meeting	102
7:00 pm	The 7:14 Project (Prayer)	Chapel
Wednesday, July 17, 2013		
7:00 am	Men’s Breakfast Bible Study	Servery
8 am–3 pm	Freedom School (M-F)	Westbury Facilities
8:30 am–12:30 pm	Youth at <i>Neighbors in Action</i>	Off-site
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
1:30 pm	Senior Adult Hang Out	102
6:00 pm	Community Night for FAM (Fondren Apartment Ministry)	Los Arcos Apts (11315 Fondren Rd)
6:30 pm	Youth go to Starbucks	Meet at church
7:00 pm	Piecemaker Quilters	W201
7:00 pm	Exercise Group	106
7:00 pm	Al-Anon	105
7:30 pm	Zumba (dance fitness class)	Humphrey Hall

Thursday, July 18, 2013		
8 am–3 pm	Freedom School (M-F)	Westbury Facilities
8:30 am–12:30 pm	Youth at <i>Neighbors in Action</i>	Off-site
9:30 am–2 pm	Mother’s Day Out (Tu, Thu)	Children’s Wing
2:00 pm	Day School Ballet	Children’s Wing
Friday, July 19, 2013		
Church offices closed		
8 am–3 pm	Freedom School (M-F)	Westbury Facilities
Saturday, July 20, 2013		
6:00 pm	Summer Concert Series (Mark Mireles, steel drum percussionist)	Memorial Gardens
Sunday, July 21, 2013		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)	All Classrooms
10:45 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Adoración en Español	Chapel
Noon–4 pm	Youth to the Astros game	Meet at church

NOTE: Calendar items, locations and times are subject to change.
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The Gospel of Luke: Summer Preaching Schedule

July 21	Romonica Malone-Wardley	Luke 10:38–42
July 28	Jenna Purdy, Pastoral Intern	Luke 11:1–13
August 4	Hannah Terry	Luke 12:13–21
August 11	Romonica Malone-Wardley	Luke 12:32–40
August 18	Romonica Malone-Wardley	Luke 12:49–56
August 25	DeAndre Johnson	Luke 13:10–17