

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.

DEATH.....

Lorraine Sindelar, mother of Linda Tollefson, 10/1/2012

FAMILY CONCERNS.....

Kathlyn Fowler
Linda Lee
Vivian Koenig
Joy Rutherford
Juanita Sheppard
Pat Hicks
Dot Dickson
Wava Fick
Cherie Schobelock

HOMEBOUND MEMBERS.....

Anne Bell
Mary Jo Farwell
Ruby Grizzell
Marvin, Alta Hamilton
Billie Hollingshead
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

OUR STUDENTS.....

EXTENDED FAMILY CONCERNS.....

Adam Slinkard, cousin of Tommy Williams
Heather Arnold, granddaughter of J. L. and Barbara Parks
Brian MacDonald, cousin of Joan Mazzu

Tammy Vickery, mother-in-law of Beth and Adam Walms' son
Jacqueline Terry, mother of Jackie Armstrong
Bonny Ramsey, aunt of Kelsey Johnson
Braden Murry, friend of Loralva Lakey
Sue Montgomery, sister of Dot Dickson
Trevor Pauley, friend of Nina Crawley
Arthur Arias, brother of Joyce Garza
Emily Fenlon, daughter of Susan Edge, Day School Director

LIVING IN A CARE FACILITY.....

Virginia Breedlove, Heartland Health Care at Willowbrook
Carmin Cleavenger, Treemont Retirement Community
Beverly Garton
Meriana Gee, The Hampton
Dow Harleston, Clarewood Rehab
Bill Hazlett, Colonial Oaks at Braeswood
Jo Ann Hazlett, Seven Acres
Richard Heetderks, Loving Care Cottages
Pearl Jackson, The Hampton
Monette Miller, Belmont Village West University
Gwynn Molzahn, Clarewood House
Dennis Rabalais, Lumberton, TX
Ruth Sledge, Friendship Haven, Friendswood, TX
Della Sloan, Richmond Health Care
Evelyn Smith, Colonial Oaks
Marjorie Smith, Treemont Health Center
Sallie Taggart, Seven Acres
Marie Tutton, Clarewood House
Ardith Watson, Clarewood House
Alta Lee Whimore, Conservatory at Champion Forest

Sign up for More Than Enough Love Day on Saturday, October 27. We will be serving at the Houston Food Bank from 7:30 am to 1:30 pm. Families are encouraged to volunteer together! If you're not able to stop by the Café, you can register online at <http://vss.houstonfoodbank.org>, using the Group ID: 102712wbumPam. .



Family Celebration

On Monday, October 1, Sevie Dean's daughter, Shel, gave birth to Dean Baldwin Nichols, a rather large boy (9 lbs). Neil, Shel and Dean are all fine and home now.

SENIOR PASTOR Rev. Tommy Williams

ASSOCIATE PASTOR Rev. Romonica Malone-Wardley

MUSIC & WORSHIP PASTOR Rev. R. DeAndre Johnson

SW FONDREN COMMUNITY PASTOR Ms. Hannah Terry



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It's here. We've all heard about it and seen it in the news, on social media and even face to face. The upcoming political elections can certainly bring out all kinds of responses in us. When we talk about issues we're passionate about, discussions can turn into heated debates and our words and attitudes can become edgy. No matter where you find yourself on the political spectrum, Christians everywhere can make the choice to cultivate a Christ-like character as we carry out our responsibilities and privileges as American citizens. In this upcoming 7-week worship series, we will grow in what we call the *fruit of the Spirit*: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control (*Galatians 5:22-23*).



Do you have a loved one who serves in the U.S. military?
Please email Martha Upton at martha1@westburyumc.org with their status, military branch and a current picture.

Westbury UMC will host its 5th Annual Southwest Houston School Expo on Saturday, October 20, 10:00 am to noon, in Humphrey Hall. Our goal is to empower parents to make informed choices about their children's education by providing a laid-back, geographically focused forum. Up to 40 schools in southwest Houston from all levels (elementary, middle and high school) will set up tables and provide information to prospective families. This event is free and open to the public. All parents seeking a better understanding of what schools in southwest Houston have to offer are welcome to attend.

It's your last chance to sign up for the Lakeview Retreat the weekend of November 2-4! Registration forms must be turned in to Jana Kincannon in the church office by October 14. Look in the hallway across from the Café, if you'd like more details about the plans for the weekend.

If you're a caregiver of someone with Alzheimer's, consider coming to a monthly support group sponsored by the Alzheimer's Association of Houston. The group meets the second Monday of each month at 6:30 pm at the church. The next meeting is on Monday, October 8. For more details, call the Alzheimer's Association at 713-314-1313.

You're invited to attend an Orality Training Workshop hosted by Living Water International in Stafford, on Saturday, October 13, from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. The cost is \$35/person, which includes breakfast and lunch. For more details, contact Laurie Sturdevant at 713-397-5121 or llsturdevant@yahoo.com.

Have you been visiting Westbury UMC and would like to know more? You are invited to "Coffee With the Pastors" on Sunday, October 14, at noon in the Café. Come enjoy refreshments as you are greeted by the pastors, as well as church family and staff. You will have the opportunity to ask questions and receive information about Westbury UMC.

Calendar of Events

Week of October 7-October 14, 2012

Sunday, October 7, 2012		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:15 am	Confirmation Class	H24
9:30 am	Sunday School (all ages)	All Classrooms
10:45 am	Worship Service (World Communion Sunday with Rev. Thornburg)	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Adoración en Español	Chapel
3:00 pm	No Children's Choir Rehearsal	
4:00 pm	No Youth Choir Rehearsal	
5:00 pm	Youth Art Café	Youth Café
5:00 pm	Impact (Youth)	Humphrey Hall
6:00 pm	Disciple I Bible Study	W203
Monday, October 8, 2012		
7:30 am	Day School Extended Care (M-F)	Children's Wing
8:15 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
9:00 am	Day School (M-F)	Children's Wing
9:30 am	Mother's Day Out (M, F)	Children's Wing
5:00 pm	Harmony Class Movie Night	Parlor
6:00 pm	Staff-Parish Relations Committee	103
6:30 pm	Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group	105
7:00 pm	Staff-Parish Relations Committee	103
Tuesday, October 9, 2012		
9:00 am	Handymen	101
9:15 am	Day School Chapel	Sanctuary
9:30 am	Crafters	W201
10:00 am	Staff Meeting	102
6:30 pm	Pack 705	105
7:00 pm	Community Ministries Meeting	102
7:00 pm	The 7:14 Project (Prayer)	Chapel
7:00 pm	No Small Group: <i>Invitation to Romans</i>	
Wednesday, October 10, 2012		
7:00 am	Men's Breakfast Bible Study	Servery

8:15 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
9:00 am	Exercise Class (M, W)	106
Noon	Small Group: <i>Good Books</i>	102
1:00 pm	Day School Ballet	Children's Wing
1:30 pm	Senior Adult Hang Out	105
6:30 pm	Collide (Youth)	H22
7:00 pm	Piecemakers Quilters	W201
7:00 pm	Exercise Group	106
7:00 pm	Al-Anon	105
7:00 pm	Small Group: <i>Good Books</i>	Parlor
Thursday, October 11, 2012		
9:15 am	Community Bible Study	Parlor
1:00 pm	Day School Gymnastics	Humphrey Hall
6:30 pm	Handbell Rehearsal	200
7:30 pm	Adult Choir Rehearsal	200
Friday, October 12, 2012		
Church offices closed		
9:30 am	Mother's Day Out (M, F)	Children's Wing
Saturday, October 13, 2012		
8:00 am	Basketball	Humphrey Hall
10:00 am	DAR Meeting	Parlor
4:00 pm	Kids Basketball	Humphrey Hall
Sunday, October 14, 2012		
8:00 am	Community Fellowship Time	Café
9:15 am	Confirmation Class	H22
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
3:00 pm	Children's Choir Rehearsal	200
4:00 pm	Youth Choir Rehearsal	200
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