



Vian United Methodist Church

MONTHLY NEWS



May 2013

Dates to remember:

National Day of Prayer	May 2
Mother's Day	May 12
UMM Lunch & Meeting	May 19
Choir Practice every Wednesday	2:00pm
Praise Band Practice every Saturday	9:00am
Annual Conference	May 27-30

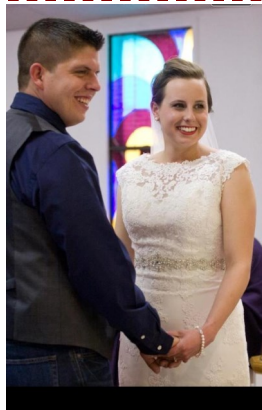
Change is good....

We would like to thank Christina for serving as the church liturgist in the past. She has done a wonderful job with announcements and all the other duties that this position involves. Now that we have a praise team, we are reducing the number of hats that she must wear each Sunday. Christina will focus on her role with the praise team each week. We are blessed to have five lay speakers in our church and they have agreed to serve as the liturgist during worship service, on a rotating basis. God always provides and we will be blessed by their faithful service.

Card Ministry

There are various ways and endless opportunities to serve within the church. I would like us to begin a card ministry. An individual is needed to insure that everyone in our church family receives a card on their birthday and anniversary. The cards and postage will be provided by the church. Is this a ministry opportunity that you feel led to fill? Please see Pastor Marcia.

Congratulations
Mr. & Mrs. Bryan Cox!



VBS

VBS is scheduled June 10-14 from 1pm-5pm each day. Start saving and collecting old boots, gallon milk jugs and Easter grass. The theme this year is "God's Back Yard Bible Camp" and we're looking forward to having the new gazebo & fire pit for part of our activities! If you can help with VBS this year, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer!

Ministry Opportunity

Child care is needed on Wednesday from 6:00pm-7:30pm during service. Is this an area where you can bless others with your service?

Mother's Day

We want to wish all of our mothers a very happy and blessed Mother's Day!



Now this is one you can "sink your teeth into!" Sunday June 16th we're hosting a Big-Bad BBQ for dad! Our UMM are helping host this event for the community at our church. This is an excellent opportunity for outreach to men & families who don't have a church home. The event will be in our new gazebo as well as fellowship hall. The men will bring grills and BBQ the meat of their choice. Start promoting this event now...spread the word!



OKLAHOMA ANNUAL CONFERENCE
May 27-30, 2013
Oklahoma City University - St. Luke's UMC

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Please take a moment to remember these members with a card, phone call or visit. Their information is listed below for your convenience.

Don & Patti Jamison
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Vian, OK
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Bill Bane
Rt. 2 Box 73
Sallisaw, OK 74955
918-773-8182

John & Billie Foster
PO Box 555
Vian, OK 74962
918-773-8278



A "New Members" class is in the works! Details coming soon.

Lord,
Hear our prayers.



Please lift up the following in prayer:

Abigail Herriman
Adam Akins
Daniel Reid
Victoria Salcedo
Felicia Opiela
Sarah Bane
Vernon & Loraine Lawrence
Billie & John Foster
Lucille Ford
Jimmy Hughes
Adrienne Elbon
Don Brockman
Don & Patti Jamison
Freddy Howard
Lucille Gossett
Dick & Bess Chamberlin
Darrel & Margalo Vix
Bill & Margaret Bane
Barbara Jean VanHooser
Richard Hawkins
Mary Ann Casteel
Juanita Long
Kyle Coke
Pete & Kelly Jack
Coraline "Corky" Reid
Tonya Roop
Diantha Judkins
Ruby Green
Linda Ball
Diana Anderson West
Keith & Amanda Dobbs
Bill Ball
Cathy Davis
Naomi Carron
Jenny Callhorn
Joney Long
Colbert Croft
Tina Thompson
Linda Brown
Justin Mills

Please pray for our country, leaders and the following in our military family:

Brandon Van Hooser
Nathan Garrett
Will Boyd
Jim (Buddy) McCoy
Jimmy Hemphill
David Atkinson
Chris Graham
Ryan Tyler
Cody Baird
Marcus Lawrence
Kevin Lamb
Kevin Bray
William Jenkins

*Birthdays
of the Month*

2 ~ Gentry & Jolie Kirk
5 ~ Billie Foster
9 ~ Ayani DrowningBear
12 ~ Sandy Brockman
15 ~ Brooke Tracy
17 ~ Hayden Herriman
19 ~ Victor Martin
21 ~ A.C. Elliott
23 ~ Judie Croisant
27 ~ Keith Boshers

*Anniversary
Blessings*

4 ~ Rob & Amy Wells

Welcome Harold Hunt ~ the newest member of Vian United Methodist Church! We're glad you joined us!