

## BASCOMB NEWS

**AUGUST 24, 2022** 



UMM is collecting money to be donated to MUST Ministries for turkeys for those in need. If you'd like

to contribute, make checks payable to Bascomb UMM with "turkey drive" in the memo. They will be collecting through October.

## 12-Hour Scrapbooking Crop Bascomb UMC Fundraiser Saturday, October 1, 9am-9pm

For more information and to register, go to Special Events on our church website (<u>BascombUMC.org</u>) or contact Susan Austin.





If you are interested, please contact Jaime McLemore at jaimeleta@yahoo.com.



August 28 — 12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost Sermon Title: "Proper Behavior" Scripture: Luke 14:1, 7-14

Growing up, I was taught that I needed to show signs of proper behavior. Like opening the door for others, especially women. Never interrupt adults if they were talking. Say thank you when someone does something for you. Never be late for an appointment, along with other examples of proper behaviors.

I believe in our world today, many examples of proper behavior have almost totally disappeared. It seems like it's every person for themselves. I find this is especially true when it comes to driving. And almost no one knows what proper behavior looks like when they're behind the wheel. No turn signals, pulling out in front of others, whatever drivers do to aggravate the safe drivers of today.

In our Scripture for this week's sermon, Jesus was eating at the home of a prominent Pharisee. As he waited for others to arrive, Jesus noticed how the people were choosing the best seats to sit in. He called out to them and told those listening about a parable where people's behaviors showed whether or not they would be sitting in the best or worst seats.

When you arrive, make sure you arrive early so you can get the best seats to hear the sermon!



## The Disaffiliation Process

The United Methodist Church is currently seeing some member churches going through a disaffiliation process. For information on why that is happening, please see our website for a message we shared during worship or reach out to our Leadership Team. While churches may start this process, it does not mean they will or will not disaffiliate. Starting the process means a church will inform and begin discussions with the District Superintendent, leadership and the congregation, which may ultimately culminate in a vote of the entire membership. If the congregation passes the vote to disaffiliate, the final decision will be at the Annual Conference of 2023. A church may also decide to stop the process at any time. For churches to remain as members of the United Methodist Church, no action is required.

At the quarterly Admin Council meeting on Sunday, a motion to begin this process was made and accepted. The next step will not take place until the Admin Council meets again to vote in favor or against. Before that meeting, town halls will take place for discussions among our Bascomb family. Additional details will be shared after the services on Sunday and posted to our website. We ask for your continued prayers as we work to gain better understanding and share what we learn and answer your questions. If you have questions, please reach out to Pastor Dan or Kevin Smith.



Join our Remind! Text @loft2022 to the number 81010 to get updates for Bascomb Youth.



Join Bascomb Youth for the first night of "The Gathering" worship service. This is a social event for students in grades 6-12 which includes a Color War, free pizza, worship and a short message! August 28<sup>th</sup> 5:30 p.m. at North River Baptist Church in Roswell. Carpooling options are available, please email Macie at youth.bascomb@gmail.com for info.

## Visit Our Thrift Store!

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Tuesday – Friday 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



Volunteers needed! If you are available to help, contact Susan Austin at BascombMissionThrift@gmail.com.

Food Pantry needs: canned meats, canned fruit, soups with meat. Food can be left in collection bins at the church or can be delivered to the Thrift Store — you'll probably find something you need while you're there!



