

Let us gather as a community to celebrate the blessings that surround us.



A Word from Rev. Tyler Flowers, Senior Pastor

Hello church Family,

March has been wonderful. We started our Lenten prayer service at 9:00am in the chapel. We have had consistent attendance and are thankful to be able to revisit some church traditions.

We are all hard at work getting ready for Easter and have been preparing our hearts with "24 hours that Changed the world" in our Bible Study. It has been eye-opening to revisit the last day of Jesus' life and to remind us of what his love is all about. I wish you the very best of blessings for the rest of this Lenten season, and I look forward to what God brings for us all this April.

Peace and blessings, Pastor Tyler

Sunday Services

With Rev. Tyler Flowers

- Senior Pastor

Prayer Service 9:00 - 9:30 am

Worship Service 10:00 - 11:00 am

Sunday Schools

- Chapman
- Prime Movers
- Travelers

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Bascomb Kids

With China Allmon, Children's Director

Sundays 4:00 - 6:00 pm

Bascomb Youth-LOFT

With Nick Yother, Youth Director

Sundays 4:00 - 6:00 pm

From our Adult Activities Director, Whitney Gaeta

We have some exciting updates at Bascomb UMC. As many of you may remember, the Bascomb UMC Communications Team was formed at the end of 2024 with a mission to refresh our church logo and brand identity. After much thought, prayer, and creativity, we are thrilled to introduce our new logo! It features the United Methodist Cross and Flame, with the addition of a heart—symbolizing the very foundation of our church: LOVE. At Bascomb, we love as God loves us. You will see our new logo at the top of this month's newsletter.

To help share our refreshed identity with both our congregation and the community, we now have branded ink pens available in the Narthex, along with magnetic chip clips as a small gift to add to the visitor welcome bags. In addition, new Bascomb UMC t-shirts will soon be available for purchase! Ordering details can be found in the Narthex or by emailing activities@BascombUMC.org.

Some of our March event highlights include our "Crafters Club" who hosted a wonderful Quilting Showcase led by professional quilter and YouTuber Joyce Demond. Joyce shared more than 40 of her beautiful quilts and took us on a journey through her quilting process—from her humble beginnings to her award-winning creations. It was an inspiring event filled with creativity, fellowship, and admiration for her artistry!

We were also pleased to welcome Tax Attorney Josh Nelson, Founder and CEO of Nelson Elder Care Law, for our March Special Program: Tax Tips. This free and informative session offered valuable insights into tax and financial planning, especially for seniors. We were thrilled to see new faces from the community who discovered the event through social media and joined us for this helpful discussion!

We are so grateful for the many ways God is moving in and through Bascomb UMC! We encourage you to invite friends, family, and neighbors to our events so they can experience the warmth and fellowship of our church. Sharing our event calendar is a simple but powerful way to help others discover all that Bascomb has to offer!

Blessings, Whitney Gaeta

Quilts made by Joyce Demond



From our Youth Director, Nick Yother

March has been a great month for Bascomb Youth. One of the things we really focused on this month was the story of Saul becoming Paul. We talked about how God can use even those of us who seem to be the worst. A question we talked about is how can we see people in our community the way Jesus sees them?

Outside of the lessons we had some great snacks, fun games, and even joined in the church for some fun improv comedy.

Looking ahead in April, if you would like to donate some Sodas or individually Bagged Chips or Candy Bars for the Youth to sell at the upcoming Spring Market on April 26th, we would greatly appreciate it.

Our last Sunday of the year will be May 18^{th,} and we will have a messy games night that will be epic. Invite your friends and your neighbors, Sunday Nights from 4-6pm. We would love to have you!

In the grip of grace, Nick Yother



Improv Comedy Show Fun

Spring Market Youth Concessions 2024



From our Children's Director, China Allmon

March was a great month for Bascomb Kids as we learned about the parables Jesus taught and welcomed a new student to the group at our last meeting in March. Heading into April, we are getting ready for the Easter season by learning about Jesus' life and what Easter is truly about.

Bascomb Kids would like to invite you to be a part of our Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 19th, from 10am to 12pm. If you would like to help set up, we will be out on the lawn near the live nativity at 8am to set up activity stations and hide eggs. Bascomb Kids will team up with the Bascomb Youth group to help pack our eggs and would appreciate any candy donations to be turned in by April 13th.

Bascomb Kids will be closing this semester out with lots of fun activities, including our Easter Egg Hunt, water day, and party day. We will close in celebration of a wonderful year together as we move two of our students up to our Youth group on May 18th.

Grace and Peace, China Allmon



Pictures with the Easter Bunny



Egg Hunt Fun!



Crafts

From our Preschool Director, Kathi Underwood

BUMP is finishing and beginning another year! As 2024-2025 ends, we are preparing for 2025-2026. Registration is now open, and registration is going well.

It's been a busy month with parent/teacher conferences and a successful book fair.

We look forward to celebrating spring! It has been a BUMP tradition for over twenty-five years to adopt a group of caterpillars in the spring. We love to watch them grow as they eat their way into the chrysalis stage. Then we wait patiently for seven days for our butterflies to emerge. It's so much fun to share this with the boys and girls at preschool. Once the butterflies emerge, we release them onto the grounds of the church, so keep your eyes open. You just may see a painted lady butterfly that once lived at Bascomb Preschool.

Kathi Underwood







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Weekly Bible Studies



Bible Study - Thursdays

With Pastor Tyler Flowers 1:30pm (Chapman Classroom) and 6:30pm (Big Room)



Mens Bible Study - Tuesdays

Journey Group 1:00pm (Chapman Classroom)

This Month Special Events



Potluck - April 13th at 11am

Join us for our monthly potluck in the Fellowship Hall, please bring a side dish or dessert.



Spring Market - Sat. April 26th

Join us from 11:00am - 3:00pm Come shop & support local vendors! Contact us if you'd like to be a vendor.



Maundy Thursday Service

With Pastor Tyler Flowers Join us Thursday April 17th at 6:30pm in the Sanctuary.



Car Show - Sat. April 26th

Join us from 11:00am - 3:00pm Come see some amazing cars! Bring your old car to show if you have one.



Easter Sunrise Service - April 20th

Sunrise Service - 7:00am - Chapel Pancake Breakfast - 7:30am - FH Worship Service - 10:00 am -Sanctuary



UMM BBQ - Sat. April 26th

Enjoy a BBQ plate from 11am-2pm Pre-order your BBQ Butt by April 20th.

This Month Events Continued

Recurring Events



Exercise Classes - Free

Every Tuesday in April Chair Yoga - 5:30pm-6:00pm Ab Work - 6:00pm-6:20pm



Music Jam - April 2nd.

7pm-9pm in the Fellowship Hall Come Listen, Come Play! Bluegrass & American Music!



Veterans Meetup - April 15th

12pm-1pm in the Fellowship Hall Appreciation lunch provided!



Beginner Ukulele Class - 2nd Tues.

Wed. April 9th at 7:00pm in the Preschool Big Room.
Come on out to learn the Ukulele!



Crafters Club - Crochet Workshop

Wednesday April 16th - 6pm-7pm in the Fellowship Hall Bring your own supplies.



Special Program - Spring Gardening

Join us for a Special Presentation! April 24th from 2:30pm-3:30pm in the Fellowship Hall



United Women in Faith Meeting

Tuesday April 8th at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall Bring your lunch!



United Methodist Men Breakfast

NO Breakfast Meeting this month. UMM is serving Breakfast on Easter Sunday Morning.



Super Seniors Luncheon

Wednesday April 16th at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall