

“RISKING HOSPITALITY” WORKSHOP WITH JIM OZIER AT NEW HAVEN UMC ON MONDAY, JANUARY 16TH



The participants had a moment to “grade” their church in several areas of hospitality.



Everyone enjoyed a wonderful catered Mexican meal!

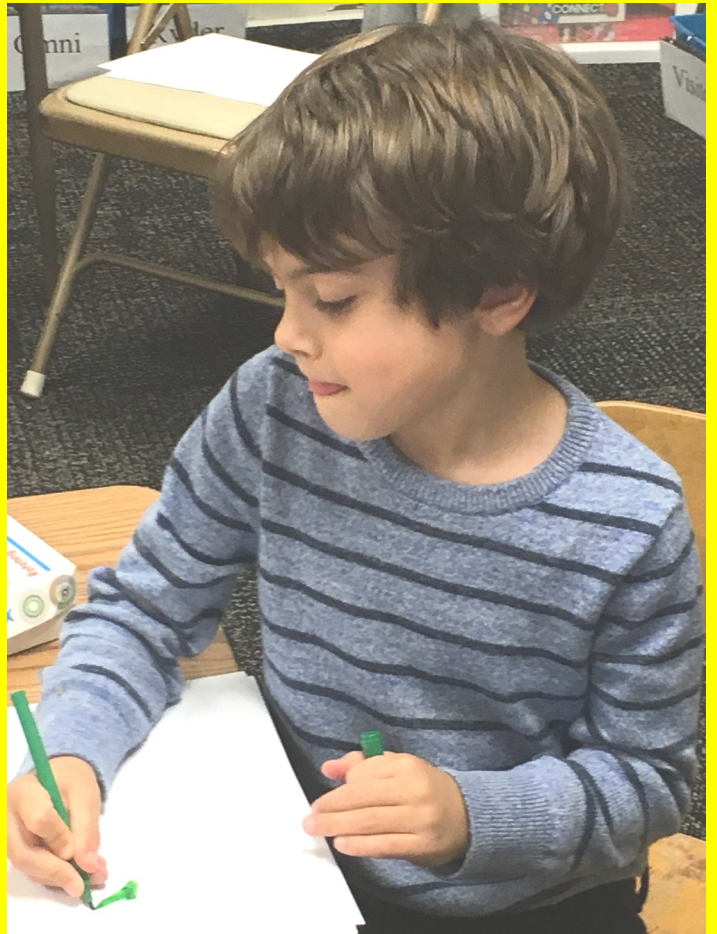


Thanks to our Hospitality Team, check-in went very smoothly and quickly!



Jim Ozier teaches and demonstrates ways we can be more intentional in our hospitality.

**OUR NEW "IMAGINATION STATION CREATIVE ARTS" PROGRAM
IN THE CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT ON SUNDAY EVENINGS!**



Mission Committee Sponsored Events Year-End 2016

Description	Volunteers (unique)	Volunteer Hours (est)	# (est) Individuals Served
Bus Stop Ministry	10	747	6,545 (avg 39 children / day)
In-Service Sunday	172	110	345
Respite Care	21	172	52 (avg 6 / event)
Murdock Villa	15	30	35
Cookson Hills Center (Adopt-A-Chick)	60	25	222
Exodus House	11	70	1
Day Center – meals and welcome boxes	55	353	405 (avg 101 / event)
Tulsa Community Food Bank	18	45	408
Ronald McDonald House	2	88	240 (avg 30 / event)
Crosses of Love	14	72	77
Undie Sunday (Project Elf)	47	23	93
Mission Sunday	75	120	365
Restore Hope	96	45	1,078
Project Transformation	27	125	83
Angel Tree	42	86	56
Totals and (Averages)	665 (44 people per mission area)	2,111 (3 hours per volunteer)	10,005 (served 15 per volunteer)

Description	Spent by NHUMC budget***	Material Donations by Individuals	Monetary Donations by Individuals
Bus Stop Ministry	1,422.20	\$0.00	\$550.00
In-Service Sunday	2,345.69	280.00	215.00
Respite Care	100.00	395.00	0
Murdock Villa	0	400.00	0
Cookson Hills Center	0	40.00	1,334.00
Exodus House	0	275.00	0
Day Center – meals & boxes	498.04	2,100.00	0
Tulsa Community Food Bank	0	0	0
Ronald McDonald House	0	880.00	0
Crosses of Love	70.00	142.00	0
Undie Sunday – Project Elf	0	1,112.00	0
Mission Sunday	197.84	8.00	0
Restore Hope	0	0	\$9,698.60
Project Transformation	249.00	1,733.00	3,026.00
Angel Tree	0	2,475.00	0
Memorial Tree	179.04	0	100.00
Other	600.00	0	570.00
Sub-total	\$5,661.81	\$9,840.00	\$15,493.60
Labor using \$7.25 minimum /per hour			\$15,304.75
GRAND TOTAL			\$46,300.16

"LET'S GET CRAFTY" MEETING AGAIN TO FINISH CHILDREN'S HATS

This past Sunday "Let's Get Crafty" met in the gym and we had about 20 people including youth come and we had fun making the hats for the children. Regina LaGrone leads, giving us complete instructions and it is so much fun!!! We cut out several different patterns in felt and passed them on to the "sewers" who began to sew them all together. We did not get them all finished so we are gathering again this Saturday at 2:00 in the gym to finish. If you did not come this time we still have work to do and we need and welcome others to join us. Regina gives complete directions so come and join us ~~ it is so much fun!!!



YOUTH RETREAT AT CAMP EGAN

From Patrick's Desk. . .

Greetings church family –

I pray that this finds each of you doing well or on the mend as it seems all kinds of bugs are making their way around and getting everyone sick. Our house just vanquished it's last foe a week ago. J The youth travelled to the Winter Retreat at Camp Egan this past weekend, and what an incredible experience it was for all. They always do, but I especially felt God's presence this weekend as we learned about being "Sparked" by Him for our faith journeys. We had small groups, and the one I participated with left me inspired. I think that the church as a whole overlooks and takes for granted the ideas, hearts, and journeys of our young people, and our groups thoughts on mission. Both in what they've enjoyed doing with their churches/youth groups, and what they'd like to see more of as it relates to reaching out into the world to reflect God's love and Christ's example. I'm so grateful for your support for these activities because it's another avenue that we're able to get the Gospel message to our young people. And any chance to introduce situations where they can find/feel His presence is time, money, and prayers well spent. My prayer for each of you that read this is that throughout your week you would listen for and seek out ways to be "sparked" for God.

Make it a blessed week!

Patrick

Opportunities of the Week

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29

- 8:45 am Contemporary Worship
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Traditional Worship
- 3:45 pm Cub Scouts Pack 67/270
- 4:00 pm Celebration Singers & WEB
- 4:30 pm Disciple I
- 5:00 pm Imagination Station (Children)
- 5:00 pm Liturgical Dance
- 5:00 pm Jr. High Bible Study
- 6:00 pm Youth Fellowship Dinner
- 7:00 pm Sr. High Bible Study

MONDAY, JANUARY 30

- 6:00 pm Writer's Group/185
- 6:15 pm Bluegrass Band Practice

TUESDAY, JANUARY 31

- 7:00 pm Boy Scouts/Gym
- 7:30 pm AA/185, 206, 210

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 1

- 6:00 pm One Spirit Choir
- 6:00 pm Youth Group
- 7:00 pm Bell Choir
- 7:00 pm ACOA/210

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 2

- 6:00 pm Praise Band Rehearsal
- 7:15 pm Yoga/Parlor

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3

- 7:30 pm AA/Gym

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4

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LATE JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 28. Jude Smith
- 29. Mike Riffin
- 30. Bayleigh Boles

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 2. Will Scruggs
- 3. J.J. Sartain
- 6. Regina LaGrone
- 9. Linda Jaeger
Caitlin Riffin
- 10. Shirley Nelson
- 15. Marianne Duiveman
- 16. Jocelyn Schifferdecker
Donita Gray
- 17. Kegan Schifferdecker
- 23. Dot Haynes
Ginny Lamkin
Stella Schwartz
Mary Anne Tyler
- 24. Jean Smith
- 26. Michael Sherwin
- 27. Mary Ann Cunningham

PLEASE PRAY FOR. . . .

Sharon Sparks
Kelly Sartain
Greg Gotcher
Dodie Wood
Mary Ann Cunningham

Friends & Family of New Haven UMC

Mark Nicholson; Peppa Smith; Linda Gregory's daughter-in-law, Lea; Mary Ann Cunningham's brother, Bob; Roland Freisen's mother; Pam Rowley; Christy; the homeless; our world, city, country, public servants & leaders.

Covenant Care (prayers & visits appreciated)

Marjorie Stewart
Ovella Followell
Rosemary Tarr
Dot and Kelly Haynes
Dorothy Koons

ATTENDANCE

January 22, 2017

Worship Services

8:45 am: 66

11:00 am: 97

Total: 163

Sunday School

Adults- 62

Youth- 10

Children- 7

Day School Chapel-83

ADULT CLASSES

Come join us at 9:45 am!

Room 161: Discovery Class
Galatians

Room 185: Fellowship Class
Adult Bible Study Curriculum

Room 210: New Friendship Class
"The Lives of Great Christians" by William Cook

Room 103 Interlude Class
"Redemption of Scrooge"

Room 206: New Haven 206
Connection Group "The Wired Word"

Parlor: Roundtable "The Faith of a Mockingbird" by Matt Rawle

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