

# HUMC

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Newsletter of Harrodsburg United Methodist Church  
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**Dates to Remember**

August 12  
August 13  
August 18

August 19  
August 21  
August 26  
August 28

Reception for New DS-Lawrenceburg UMC 3 PM  
District United Methodist Men-Versailles UMC 6:30  
LACE-Shelbyville UMC 9 AM  
Music at the Gathering Place 1-4 PM  
Reception for New DS-Lebanon UMC— 3:00 PM  
Doris Davis Circle 10 AM  
Finance Mtg-5 PM  
Lead Team-6:30 PM



## Pastor's Notes

August is almost here!

That means school is starting back. It means another month (at least) of summer heat and humidity. It also means Pioneer Days, and August 18 when our church will be putting on a music show featuring the Kentucky Pluckers as a way of entertaining Pioneer Days folks and reaching out as a church. (I also hear that some guy named Allen is going to play then as well!)

We've finished our look at the five commissioning passages in the Gospels and the Book of Acts. We've seen that there are a variety of understandings of how the Church is to be faithful—to go and catch up with Jesus who's gone ahead of us (Mark); to let Jesus by means of the Spirit give us new understandings about the meaning of Scripture (Luke); to go out and “make disciples,” preaching and teaching the Gospel and baptizing in the name of the Trinity; to “wait for the promise of the Father... For power from on high” before going to be “witnesses” first in Jerusalem, then Judea, then Samaria, and then to the ends of the earth (Acts); and finally, to know we are sent by Jesus just as his Father sent him, to announce forgiveness and reconcile the world to God. As we work together over the coming months (and years, I hope!) we'll revisit these understandings as we listen for how God is calling us to be faithful as a congregation.

We'll be starting a new short series that will carry us to Labor Day. It's a look at a simple plan of being a faithful disciple that's found in Philippians 4:4-8. I call it The Philippian Way. It starts with rejoicing in God always, and then moves through several other practices that keep us close to God and mindful of the Spirit at work in our lives. Go ahead and read those verses, and see how they speak to you.

Lori and I are so very glad to be here with you in Harrodsburg. This first month or so have been wonderful, and we're looking forward to getting to know more and more of you, better and better.

Blessings! Allen

## Music at the Gathering Place

*KY Pluckers plus other musical groups will be playing music from 1-4 PM on Saturday August 18 during Pioneer Days at the Gathering Place Porch (just like it used to be). Come and enjoy the great music and fun. (rain or shine)  
The UMW will have some baked goods available for donations.*



## Thank You Notes

Thank you so much for helping us have an awesome Project Graduation. Your donation helped provide food, t-shirts, activities and prizes door the class of 2018.

MCSHS

Dear HUMC;

Thank you for all the support you all have given me and my family over the years. Thank you so much for always being kind and loving towards us. Also thank you so much for my graduation money and everything else you have given me.

Sincerely,  
Lily Rogers



Dear Harrodsburg United Methodist Church;

Thank you so much for the amazing and generous gift for my graduation. The money will be ideal for my expenses at Belmont University and I am excited to further my education and relationship with God there. I also appreciated the beautiful Bible and journal; they will definitely help me with my studying God's word more in-depth. I have attended the HUMC my entire life and I am grateful for my church family because of all the love and support they have shown me over the past 18 years. Through playing in the nursery, to learning about God's in activities/crafts/stories in Kingdom Kids, to Hinging of the Greens every year, to VBS every summer, to joining the youth group, to sinning solos in church, to singing in the Praise Team and choir,, to working in the nursery, to my confirmation, to the community dinners, and to all the mission trips, and the youth trips and many more amazing opportunities to serve and earn that this church has given me... I know that this church has always been with me since I was sprinkled as a baby. I have grown up in a church and found out who God wants me to be—you all all have helped me along the way. When I go to Belmont, I will be pursuing my dreams by studying acting with a BFA. I cant wait to see what God has in store for me in the future. I al confident that because of HUMC I will be confident to stand up for what I believe in and do what God intends for me to do, THANK YOU HUMC FAMILY!

Bailey Angel

## In Memory of Henry Anness

Henry T. Anness, 94, Harrodsburg, KY, husband of Frances Wiley Anness, died Monday, July 23, 2018, at the Ephraim McDowell - James B Haggin Hospital, Harrodsburg.

Born September 10, 1923, in Mercer Co., he was the son of the late Omer Woodson and Margaret Lee (Harlow) Anness. He was a retired machinist for Corning Glass. Henry was an Army veteran of World War II, a member of the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge 777 F&AM, VFW, and American Legion.

Other survivors include: one daughter, Brenda (Dan) Jeffries of Newburg, IN; one son, Tommy (Laura) Anness of Harrodsburg; three step children, Connie (Doug) Edwards of Lexington, Audrey (Harold) Lester of Harrodsburg, and Gloria Clark of Winchester; Thirteen Grandchildren; Seventeen Great Grandchildren; one great great grandchildren; special nephews, Keith & Kerry Anness, and Glenn Preston. He was preceded in death by two wives, Joyce Todd Anness and Maxine Parker Anness, a step daughter, Gail Brown, and a grandson, Jonathan Scott Anness, as well as four siblings, Verna Frances Boot, Mary Lee Preston, Buddy Anness, and Elsworth Anness.

Funeral services was Friday, July 27, 2018, at the Ransdell Funeral Chapel. Burial with military rites will follow in Spring Hill Cemetery, Harrodsburg, KY. Was Thursday at Ransdell Funeral Chapel, Harrodsburg, KY.

Pallbearers: Todd Nolloth, Brett Anness, Chris Jeffries, Christian & Chandler Goad, Kalin, Aidan, & Richard Brown. Honorary bearers: Glenn Preston, Keith & Kerry Anness, Todd, Christian & Brady Doan, Kyle Brafford, Donald & Harry Wiley, Nellus Estes, Eddie Sherrow, Donald Logue, I. C. Phillips, Charles Lewis, J. Hugh Phillips, and Richard Smith.

Memorials are suggested to: Harrodsburg United Methodist Church, 102 South Chiles Street, Harrodsburg, KY 40330.



HUMC Community Dinner

Thursday August 9, 2018 from 5:-00-6:00 PM

We would like to thank everyone that has donated money, supplies, etc. for the Community Meal. Without your help this would not be as successful as it has been. We appreciate your support and prayers.

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**Kroger Community Rewards Program**

In the past years August 1st began the re-enrollment period. Effective immediately all participants currently enrolled will roll over and stay enrolled in their organization instead of having to re-enroll each year.

Enrollment for New participants will work the same way as the past. They can sign up on [www.kroger.com](http://www.kroger.com) or call 1-800-KROGERS, option 3.

You will just use your Kroger Plus Card, save money and all your money will count towards the church's account. No loading, just spending! Easy as it can be. Go to [Kroger.com](http://Kroger.com) and register your Kroger Plus card and then pick Harrodsburg United Methodist Church as your Community Rewards Partner. When you check out on the bottom of your receipt you will see that a donation has been made to the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church.



**Make sure HUMC will get your rewards! This does not affect pricing or anything to do with your points. If you have questions see John or Carol Moffett.**

**Thanks**

**PLEASE SIGN UP NOW if not already!**

**Use Your Kroger Plus Card to Help HUMC (Wesley Food Baskets/Back Pack) programs Grow**

Helping HUMC is easy! Simply enroll your Kroger Plus Card online at [Kroger.com/community-rewards](http://Kroger.com/community-rewards). Once you've successfully enrolled HUMC will earn rewards on eligible purchases you make using your Kroger Rewards Card.



**Back Pack Filled and Given ut**

On July 23 the back packs were filled and then handed out to the students at Redi Fest on July 24t. Students and teachers were glad to get the supplies and are ready for school thanks for the support for this project. Mercer County students and teachers are greatly appreciative.



HUMC STEEPLE-AUGUST 2018

*Sunday School*  
*pre-school to high school meets Sunday 10:00 AM*



<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090b4caaab2ba57-Harrodsburg>

**—Use this link to sign up for helping in the Nursery—**

Help needed for Sunday School-1st through 4th grade-Contact Pastor Trish if interested

**NEED help—contact office!**



**YOUTH**

Meeting with Pastor Gibson—**July 29-Game Night**



Join the group for a GREAT Time learning about the Lord and his many works!

## Obituary of William Conover

William "Bill" Smith Conover, 72, Harrodsburg, KY, husband of Ruth Ann Cosby Conover, died Monday, July 16, 2018, at the Ephraim McDowell Regional Medical Center, Danville.

Born August 27, 1945, in Mercer Co., he was the son of the late Wilbur Smith and Rebecca Elizabeth (Wilson) Conover. He was Director of the Christian Life Center, a farmer, former Ft. Harrod Park Ranger, and was a member of the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church.

Other survivors include: one son, Caleb Aaron Conover of Harrodsburg; one sister, Cheryl Conover of Harrodsburg; two brothers, Michael (Carol) Conover and Alan (Carolyn Kay) Conover, both of Harrodsburg; Special Friend, Charles Matherly of Danville; several Nieces and Nephews.

Funeral services were 1 PM Friday, July 20, 2018, at the Harrodsburg United Methodist Church by Garland Hawkins and John Kesel. Burial was in Spring Hill Cemetery, Harrodsburg.

Pallbearers: Peter Conover, Woody "Butch" Wilson, Stuart Wilson, Stephen Wilson, John Kesel, and Kent Wharton. Honorary Pallbearers: John Wayne Peavler, Donn Pescatrice and The Doris Davis Circle.

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### Trustee Report

1. Parsonage flooring, painting, cleaning completed.
2. Bell Tower 2nd bid in, options being considered.
3. New LED lighting in Fellowship Hall donated and installed.
4. Sump pump in dungeon donated and replaced.
5. Water seeping into basement bathroom under investigation.
6. History of church coming alive through recovered books, pictures and articles to be on display in the Sanctuary. Watch for these!

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**IN NEED OF PRAYER—Prayer is a privilege to do in the name of others...**

**Concerns:**

Frances Alford, Henry Anness, Sue Burns, family of Bill Conover, Don Cole, Martha Davis, Naomi Derringer, Richard Derringer, Allen and Lori Gibson, Jow Harlow, Linda Heathscott, Walter Johnson, John Landrum, Joe McClellan, Betty Milam, John Wayne Peavler, Casey Sparrow, Judy Sutter, Triple Cross Arena Cowboy Church, Sylvia VanArdsdall, those traveling and those victims of natural disaster, and first responders.

**Long Term Care:**

Helen Cole, Sylvia VanArdsdall, Martha Davis,

**Missionaries:**

Shelby Gillespie, Hanak Family, Jamie and Lisa Williams; Mike and Sherry Morrisey

**Serving in the Military:**

Will Beauchamp, Chad Huff, Daniel, Crowell, Chaz Garcia, Daniel Montgomery, Ken Geoffrey Peele, Jared Prather, Caleb Smith, Jeremiah Smith, Steven Wilson.



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**College Students:**

Drew Angel, Savannah Barnett, Jae Blankenship, Meredith Brown, Jackie Cheng, Holly Hurt, Abigail Nilsson, Brittany Pridey, Mary Kate Pridey, Brittany Sims, Jenny Sutherland,

Please update the office with changes to the Prayer list

RECEPTION for New District Superintendent—Marc Gibbons  
August 12, 2018—Lawrenceburg UMC-3:00PM  
August 18, 2018—Lebanon UMC 3:00 PM

Two Opportunities to greet the new District Superintendent



**Doris Davis Circle**

Meets 3rd Tuesday of the month at 10 AM in church. Join us for a great meeting and lots of fun.

**Book Nook**

The Doris Davis Circle has given away approximately 400-500 books in the past two years from 6 months to teens. Learning to read is so important. Research shows that close to 75% of prison inmates are considered illiterate. When starting to do your Winter cleaning bring your gently used books for the Book Nook.

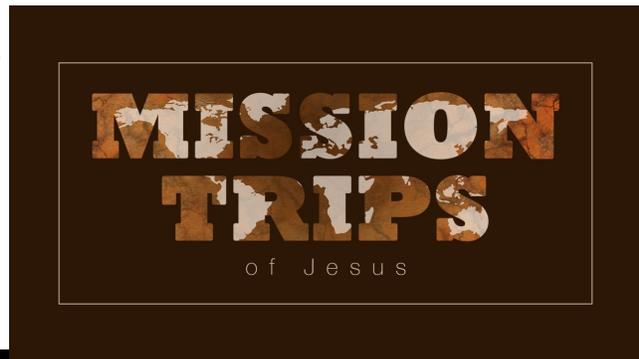
# August 2018

**Sun      Mon      Tue      Wed      Thu      Fri      Sat**

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5	6	7	8	9 Community Dinner 5-6	10	11
12 Reception for new DS- Lawrence- burgUMC-3 PM	13 Methodist Men-District Versailles UMC-6:30	14	15	16	17	18 LACE- Shelbyville UMC 9 AM
19	20	21 Doris Davis Circe 10	22	23	24	25
26 Finance Mtg 5 PM	27	28 Lead Team 6:30 PM	29	30	31	

**Mission trip-WOW God is Good**—Our trip was awesome and our work was a success. When we arrived in Florida we were greeted by Rev Terry Wines at First United Methodist Church in Bunnell, Florida. They treated us like royalty. We then went to Bill Egan’s house (78 year old , 40 year Navy veteran) who had had is house destroyed by Hurricane Irma. Our job, should we choose to accept, was to finish sub flooring, lay plywood over sub flooring and then start drywall. We also were to move belongings from one room to another room as we do this, do some landscape and then do it in another room. This we did for 5 days in 95-100 degree heat from 7:30-4:30 each day. With no complaints from any of our team. We prayed together, we slept together on the floor and we played together. We all became closer to God and better friends. We will share with you soon the details. Thanks for all your support and we are planning to go back because there is a lot more work to do in Florida.

**Stay tuned for more information!**



**Nursery**

Check Nursery door or with Cindy Angel

See Cindy or Wanda to help in the nursery

**Birthday**

- August 4 Jeff Sims
- August 5 Erica Ashford
- August 6 Tracy Ison
- August 11 Kathy Goldsberry
- Beth McClellan
- Karen Pridey
- August 15 Candace Souder
- Joann Sims
- August 16 Allan Ashford
- August 20 Kassie Barker
- August 25 David Price
- Katie Nilsson
- August 27 Mike Gabhart
- Jennifer Leith
- August 30 Paul Bosse
- August 31 Mike Price



**Anniversaries**

- August 3 Mike and Martha Gabhart
- August 4 Stephen and Jennifer Cobb
- August 12 Terrence and Judy Dunn
- August 13 Brian and Jessica Thompson
- August 23 Chris and Heather Baker

**Children's Church Leaders**

- August 5 Communion
- August 12 Betsy Fleischer
- August 19 Carol Moffett
- August 26 Kathy Shewmaker





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Check out the prayer list and pray daily!



<u>Regular Worship Times</u>		
Sunday	9:00 am	Informal Worship
	9-10 am	Fellowship Breakfast
	10:00am	Sunday School
	9:45-10:30	Praise Team Rehearsal
	10:40 am	Praise Music
	11:00 am	Traditional Worship
Wednesday	10:00	Adult Bible Study

## Harrodsburg United Methodist Church

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### Office Hours

Monday..... 9 am to 3 pm  
 Tuesday..... 9 am to 3 pm  
 Wednesday....9am to 3 pm  
 Thursday .....9 am to 3 pm  
 Friday.....9 am to 12 pm