



WELCOME TO  
LAKE GIBSON UNITED  
METHODIST CHURCH

"For I know the plans  
I have for you," says  
the LORD, "...to give  
you a future  
and a hope."  
JER. 29:11

*September 01, 2019*

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## Our Family Communications Preference

From time to time, Lake Gibson United Methodist Church believes that we may have an urgent message requiring your attention. Unfortunately, not everyone can be reached in the same manner. Therefore, we ask that you specify your contact preference so that we might “get it right”.

Please fill-in your preference and leave this card in our offering plate.

Printed Name:

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Contact us at \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ by “phone tree”, leaving a voice mail message

Contact us at \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ by “text message” on our smartphone

Contact us by e-mail at \_\_\_\_\_@\_\_\_\_\_,

Leaving us a “written message”.

**Please fill out the card in your bulletin additional cards will be located in the Narthex or Church Office.**

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

### Monday 09/02/19

9:30 a.m. ~~Intercessory Prayer~~ (OC)  
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts (FLC)

### Tuesday 09/03/19

#### \*\*\*12:00 NOON BULETIN DEADLINE\*\*\*

10:00 a.m. Olive Tree Gathering (OC)  
2:00 p.m. Trustees Meeting (Office)  
7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts (FLC)  
6:30 p.m. Praise Team (S)

### Wednesday 09/04/19

10:00 a.m. Chapel Pre-School (ALBOH)  
6:30 p.m. Choir Practice (S)

### Thursday 09/05/19

7:00 p.m. Covenant Group (OC)

### Friday 09/06/19

### Saturday 09/07/19

1:00 p.m. M&M Senior Living Meeting (FLC)

### Sunday 09/08/19

9:15 a.m. Sunday School (FLC)  
10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service (S)

**Monday September 02, 2019**

**The Church Office will be closed for Labor Day.**

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 AM

**LOVE IN ACTION & LOVE CARRIED OUT  
BRINGING IN THE CROSS AND LIGHTS**

**Hymn:** *Victory In Jesus* #370

**Hymn:** *Be Thou My Vision* #451

**Anthem:** *They Could Not* R. Harris & C. Cloninger



**PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE**

Whoever you are and whatever your petition may be, all are welcome to kneel or stand at the altar to pray and receive a blessing.

**THE WORD OF GOD**

*The Message: Pastor Steve Polk*

**"What Do You See?"**

*The Scripture:*

*Jeremiah 29:11*

***Celebration of Holy Communion***

**Solo:** *Remembrance (The Communion Song)* Bob Herrick

**GIVING OF PLEDGES AND GIFTS**

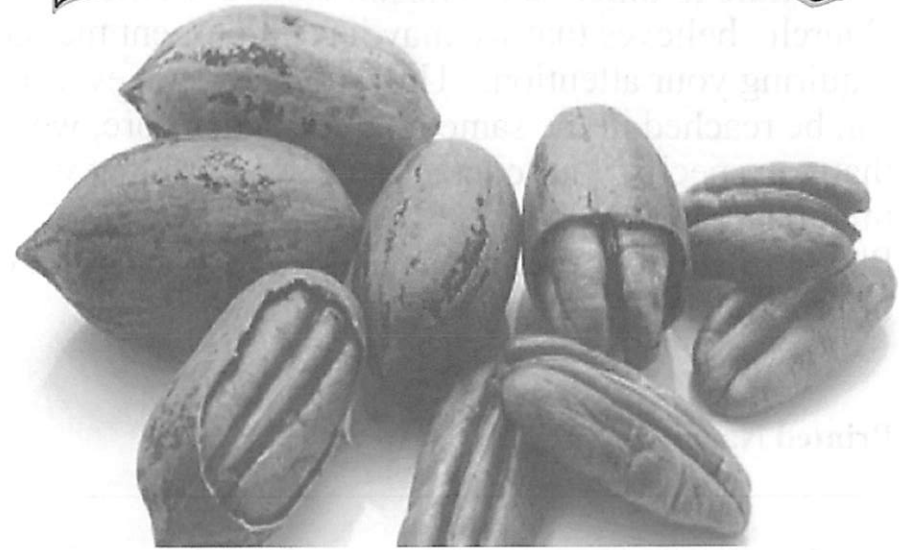
**Hymn:** *I Know Whom I Have Believed* #714

**TAKING OUT THE CROSS AND LIGHTS**

**The Dismissal**

**Postlude:** *Come, Share The Lord* B. J. Leech

# Pecans



**UNITED METHODIST WOMEN**  
**It's that time of year  
again....**

Pecans are in season and up for sale. Orders will be taken Sept. 1 through Sept. 30. To place an order contact one of the members of the UMW and they will take your order. For further information contact Pat Moon @ 863- 858-6883

*M & M*  
*Senior Living*

**Attention All Seniors**

The newly formed senior activity group would like to cordially invite all seniors 55+ to be our guest at a pizza and pop party on September 14<sup>th</sup> in the Family Life Center. We'll begin at 4 pm and end at 7 pm so no one has to drive in the dark. The only thing we ask you to do is call to let us know you will be there so we make sure that no one goes away hungry. **Please call Maria Tomas at**

**302-750-1676 or the office 863-585-5431**

**no later than September 10<sup>th</sup>.**

This group is dedicated to all seniors getting to know each other better through food, fun and activities. We have lot of things planned for future gatherings and we'll fill you in so you can mark your calendars. Hope to see you on the 14<sup>th</sup>.

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE 10:30 AM

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***TAKING OUT THE CROSS AND LIGHTS***

**The Dismissal**

**Don't Forget....**

**Sunday School 9:15 a.m. in the FLC!**

**10:30 Worship Greeters:**

**Tim & Kim Watson**

**Ushers:**

Tom Burns, Dale Gower, Jeff Acor,  
Leon & Kathy Rumohr

**Audio Visual Team:**

Kristie Summers, Debbie Moore, Lainee Grimes

**Mission:**

*Sharing God's Love Through Action*

**Vision:**

*To be a joyful church family that is crucial to our community*

**My Next Step Today Is:**

- ⇒ I will memorize Jeremiah 29:11
- ⇒ I ask God to give me a new heart & vision
- ⇒ I will pray for a mighty move of God
- ⇒ I want to be a part of this movement



Heart 2 Heart meeting has moved from September 2nd to September 9th at 10:30 am in the FLC. A volunteer is needed for the lesson & dessert. Please call Ruth Zona if you can help. Let's make sure pledges are fulfilled at this meeting.



Trustees meeting has been rescheduled from Monday, September 2nd to Tuesday, September 3rd at 2 pm in the church office.



Attention Ladies! Ruth Circle of Love will resume their monthly meetings on Wednesday, September 4th at 11:00 am in The FLC Rooms 1&2. We will be studying Mary, Mother of Jesus. You are invited to come and join us for the meeting and then for our dining out at a local restaurant for lunch. We would love for you to attend. Contact: Pat Moon

(863) 858-6883.



UMW Leadership Committee will meet on Monday, Aug 26th at 11:00 am in the FLC rooms 1&2.

## Florida Conference

**Spiritual Enrichment Retreat  
September 6 – 8, 2019**

**Life Enrichment Center  
4991 Picciola Rd., Fruitland Park**

## Expanding the Table

**Graphic from United Methodist Women  
Program Book 2018-2019**

**Then Jesus answered her, "Woman, great is  
your faith! Let it be done for you as you  
wish...." Matthew 15:28 NRSV**

**Retreat Leader:  
Rev. Dr. Geraldine McClellan  
Youth Leader: Kenya Monroe**

## *Announcements*



**A Reminder... Harvest Sunday "Food  
Pantry" is the 2nd Sunday of each month.**

### **Online Giving**

**( <http://tinyurl.com/LGUMC> )**


## *Bereavement*

- ♦ **Rev. Bill Sullivan/Atchley/Family and Congregation of Faith  
Assembly of God Church**

- ♦ **Lakeland Regional Medical Center**  
Bonnie Fuqua

# Prayer Journal

“PRAY FOR ONE ANOTHER”  
JAMES 5:16

**Prayer**  *Changes things*  
*Let us pray for you with Faith*  
*Believing*  
HE WILL LIFT YOU UP

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Upcoming Events  
In  
September

