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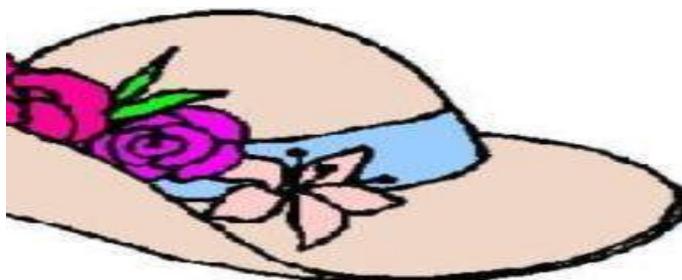
Calendar

1. Worship 9:00
Sunday School 10:15
6. Drive Thru Prayer: 11-1:00
Bible Study 1:00
Youth 5:30
7. UWIF Prayer Breakfast 9-11:00
Bell Choir: 9:00
Choir: 10:00
8. Worship: 9:00
Sunday School: 10:15
10. Finance: 10:00
Adult Luncheon 11:30
Leadership Committee 6:00
11. Bible Study: 1:00
13. Youth 5:30
14. Bell Choir: 9:00
Choir: 10:00
15. Worship: 9:00
Sunday School: 10:15
Fellowship Luncheon: 11:30
16. UMW: 2:30
18. Bible Study: 1:00
20. Youth 5:30
21. UMM Breakfast: 7:30
Bell Choir: 9:00
Choir: 10:00
22. Worship: 9:00
Sunday School: 10:15
25. Bible Study: 1:00
27. Youth 5:30
28. Bell Choir 9:00
Choir 10:00
29. Worship: 9:00 Palm Sunday
Sunday School: 10:15

Heritage Herald

Heritage United Methodist Church
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HAT SUNDAY

Don't forget the first Sunday of each month is hat Sunday. Ladies and Men wear your hat to church Sunday.



Greetings to God's Children! This month we will be looking at the season of what we are in, and that is LENT. On February 18 we began Lent on Ash Wednesday. Lent will continue to March 22 which is the 5th Sunday in Lent. As you may have read or heard about we are doing a Facebook presentation for Lent. We began on February 25 and hopefully you will join us in this Lenten Study. If you would like we have booklets, which we will be following during Lent, that you may take home and follow along or do at your own pace. We hope you will join us on Facebook and engage with us during this study.

The following is an invitation to the observance of Lenten Discipline:

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ: the early Christians observed with great devotion the days of our Lord's passion and resurrection, and it became the custom of the Church that before the Easter celebration there should be a forty-day season of Spiritual preparation. During this season converts to the faith were prepared for Holy Baptism. It was also a time when persons who had committed serious sins and had separated themselves from the community of faith were reconciled by penitence and forgiveness, and restored to participation in the life of the Church. In this way the whole congregation was reminded of the mercy and forgiveness proclaimed in the Gospel of Jesus Christ and the need we all have to renew our faith.

I invite you, therefore, in the name of the Church: to observe a Holy Lent:

- 1) By self-examination and repentance;
- 2) By prayer, fasting, and self-denial;
- 3) And by reading and meditating on God's Holy Word.

One may ask how these items above can help us during this time. If we look it is pretty apparent that by self-examination we are looking at ourselves and not that of those around us. It is very important that we take this time to look at ourselves spiritually and not carnally.

Remember that our Lord offers us a great amount of Grace therefore we should also give

Church BUSINESS Meeting

FINANCE COMMITTEE: MARCH 10TH AT 10:00 A.M.
LEADERSHIP COMMITTEE MARCH 10TH AT 6:00 P.M.
UWIF: MARCH 16TH AT 2:30 P.M.
UMM: MARCH 21ST AT 8:00 A.M.



DRIVE THRU PRAYER

Will be held on March 6th from 11-1:00 pm. This is held on the first Friday of each month. Volunteers are needed to help. Come out and support this ministry. Hope to see you there.



The UWIF/UMW will meet on Monday, March 16th at 2:30 p.m. All ladies are invited to attend.

UWIF PRAYER BREAKFAST

Heritage UWIF (UMW) are having their annual Prayer Breakfast on Saturday March 7th from 9:00-11:00 am. We would love all women to join us. Our guest speaker is Penny Chamberlain. Call Julene Anderson for more information 251-213-1889.



The UMMen will meet on March 21st at 8:00 am for their regular meeting.



Easter Egg Hunt

Open to the Community on April 4th from Noon to 2:00 P.M.. Come and bring your Easter Basket. This is open for ages 0 through 6th grade. One child's name per age groups will be drawn for a

special surprise.(0-1 yr. old, 2-3 yr. old, 4 yr. old, Kindergarten, 1st-2nd grade, 3rd-4th grade, and 5th-6th grade). Come out for a fun time of crafts, face painting, cookies and juice. Invite your friends and family. **Donations of candy (no chocolate), plastic eggs, and monetary donations are needed.** Hope to see you there.



Prayer LIST

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<u>Ongoing Prayers</u>	<u>Prayers This Week</u>
Susan Butler	Linda Trent
Janice Fairfield	
Buddy Vuyovich	
Rex and Doris Fetters	
Tommy Fairfield, Jr.	
Norma Jean Hart	<u>Shut-Ins</u>
Rose Marie Tarrant	Cora Nix
JD Matta	Ray and Margaret Roberts
Kelly Swanzy	Brita Stewart
Peggy Hubert	Lollie Cauthen



ADULT LUNCHEON

Will be held on Tuesday, March 10th. This month we will be going to Walk On's (11181 Mandal Pkwy, D'Iberville)). You can meet at the church if you need to follow someone at 11:10 am or to Carpool if needed. The sign-up sheet is in the front foyer.