

## WELCOME TO PARKWAY HEIGHTS UMC!

Welcome to worship! We're so glad you're here today. We pray that you will feel God's presence as we worship together. Please complete the information in the blue box below, so we can stay connected. You can remove the left panel of the bulletin and leave it in your seat. Thank you!

**SIGN-IN — MAY 17, 2026**

8:30 contemporary service    10:45 traditional service

Member    Guest    College Student  
 1st Time Visit    Repeat Visit    Wish to Join

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Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

First Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Children \_\_\_\_\_ Ages/Grades \_\_\_\_\_

My contact information has recently changed.  
*(You may also log in to parkwayheights.ccbchurch.com to update your information.)*

**CARE & SUPPORT**

Please have the staff pray for me/my family. My prayer request: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like a pastoral visit/call.

I would like the support of a Stephen Minister. *Parkway Heights UMC is a Stephen Ministry congregation. Stephen Ministers are trained lay people who provide distinctively Christian care to those facing life's challenges. To learn more, email juliecollins@parkwayheights.org.*

..... **CONNECT • EQUIP • SEND** .....

**VBS: JUNE 29-JULY 2** (Contact Lesley Ellison at [lesleyellison@parkwayheights.org](mailto:lesleyellison@parkwayheights.org))

I can serve as a small group leader.

I can serve snacks during VBS.

My youth-aged child (rising 7th-12th grade) wants to help at VBS!

I can help prepare and/or decorate for VBS for some time between 2-5 p.m. on the Sundays of:    May 31    June 14    June 28

I have items that the church can borrow for Food Truck Party VBS:

- patio umbrella with stand
- pieces of artificial turf
- inflatable pool floats shaped like food
- plastic Adirondack chairs
- fold-out picnic tables
- fold-out "sandwich boards" or children's drawing easels

**WELCOME PARTY HOST** (Contact Lyerly Christensen at [sprc@parkwayheights.org](mailto:sprc@parkwayheights.org))

I can host a welcome gathering for Larry Hilliard at my home. (Dates and times are TBD during mid-July through mid-August.)

## Wear RED Next Sunday

Next Sunday, May 24, is Pentecost Sunday - the birthday of the Church - a day to celebrate God's power and presence with us! Search your closet and find something RED to wear to church next week! The color red symbolizes the Holy Spirit's arrival as tongues of fire on Pentecost.

All children are invited to wave ribbons in a Pentecost parade at the beginning of both the 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. services. Parents, please have your kids gather outside Founders Hall a few minutes before the service.

## Kidnap Retreat Snacks

Our Youth Ministry could use your help with supply and snack donations for our Kidnap Retreat. Use this Amazon wish list to purchase items. Items are needed by NEXT Sunday, May 24. Thanks!



## Reception for Keith Keeton

Keith Keeton's last Sunday with us will be June 7. Please stop by the Atrium at 9:30 a.m. that day to say goodbye to Keith and his family, express your gratitude for their service to Parkway Heights and enjoy some cake.

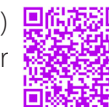
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## We're Gearing Up for VBS!

### REGISTER NOW

Children and youth helpers, get "ON A ROLL" at Food Truck Party VBS June 29-July 2! Children age four (by 9.1.26) through rising 6th graders are invited to participate, and youth (7th-12th grade) are needed as volunteers! Parents, register your kids using this QR code.



### HERE'S AN EASY WAY TO HELP!

We will gather for VBS decoration and craft preparation on the Sunday afternoons of May 31, June 14 and June 28. Volunteers can come and go any time between 2 and 5 p.m. Please sign up ahead of time.

### WE NEED YOU TO SERVE!

**We need adults to serve as small group leaders and snack servers (easy job).** Sign up in today's bulletin or contact Lesley for information.

### WE ALSO NEED SUPPLIES & SNACKS

We also need your help purchasing supplies for VBS. Please take a card (or two) from the display board in the Atrium or shop using our Amazon wish list (QR Code at right).



### MAY WE BORROW A FEW ITEMS?

We are hoping to borrow a few items to decorate for VBS. Do you have any patio umbrellas with stands, pieces of artificial turf, inflatable pool floats shaped like food, plastic Adirondack chairs, fold-out picnic tables, fold-out "sandwich boards" or children's drawing easels? Let us know!

*Thanks for helping make VBS a great experience for our children!*



## TODAY: End-of-Year Scavenger Hunt & Party

The Youth Ministry End-of-the-School-Year Party & Scavenger Hunt will be TODAY at 5:30 p.m. **Please plan to bring a side dish or dessert to share.** It's going to be a FUN night!

The next SN@P gathering will be a bowling night at Hub Lanes on Sunday, June 7.

## Youth Ministry Pillowcase Party: Wednesday

Instead of regular D-Groups this week, our youth will gather this Wednesday, May 20, at 6 p.m. in the Youth Chapel for the Kidnap Pillowcase Party. All youth are encouraged to come and help us get ready to welcome the upcoming seventh graders. Even if you are not able to attend Kidnap, please come!

## Baby Bottle Boomerang

We encourage you to pick up a baby bottle this morning for the Baby Bottle Boomerang fundraiser to benefit Hope Clinic. Hope Clinic provides support and hope to women facing unplanned pregnancies and offers services such as pregnancy testing and sonograms. The staff and volunteers work compassionately with women to help them make informed decisions.

Please fill the bottle with loose change, dollars or checks and return by June 14. Thank you!

## Welcome Parties for Larry Hilliard

Our new lead pastor, Rev. Dr. Larry Hilliard, will begin his time with us on July 12. To welcome Larry and his wife, Terry, we'd like to hold several home gatherings this summer, from mid-July to mid-August. These gatherings could be for a meal or simple snacks or dessert. Dates and times are to be determined.

If you would be willing to host a welcome party, please sign up in today's bulletin. Thank you!

## MEN'S MEAL & FELLOWSHIP

The next Men's Ministry Meal & Fellowship will be Friday, May 29, at 6 p.m. at Keg & Barrel. All men are always invited!



## Save the Date for Senior Adult VBS!



Our kids aren't the only ones who get to have fun at Vacation Bible School! Senior Adult VBS, *Luke's Table: Lessons from Meals with Jesus*, will take place Monday, Aug. 3, through Wednesday, Aug. 5, in Founders Hall, in partnership with other area churches. Rev. Trey Harper with the Mississippi UMC Conference will be our guest speaker, and Tim Rigby will lead music. Registration begins soon!



## CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP (8:30 a.m.)

### MUSIC FOR TODAY

*Hand It Over • Every Beat • Jesus the Lord My Savior • Without Him • If You Say Go*

**WELCOME & MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS** ..... David Sellers

**PRAYER** (Lord's Prayer on back) ..... David Sellers

### OFFERING

**SCRIPTURE** ..... Luke 24:44-53 ..... Dee Rasberry

**SERMON** ..... Keith Keeton

**BENEDICTION** ..... Keith Keeton

*Dr. Sam Bruton, Praise Team director*

## TRADITIONAL WORSHIP (10:45 a.m.)

(✦Stand As Able)

**WELCOME & MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS** ..... Keith Keeton

**PRELUDE** ..... *This Is My Father's World* (arr. Bennett)

❖**RESPONSIVE READING NO. 781: Psalm 47** ..... Keith Keeton

❖**HYMN NO. 154** ..... *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

❖**AFFIRMATION OF FAITH NO. 881** ..... Keith Keeton

❖**GLORIA PATRI NO. 70**

**CHILDREN'S MOMENTS** ..... Lee Anne Venable

**PRAYER** (Lord's Prayer on back) ..... Keith Keeton

❖**HYMN NO. 157** ..... *Jesus Shall Reign*

**OFFERTORY PRAYER** ..... Keith Keeton

**OFFERING** ..... *I Surrender All* (Weeden; arr. Hayes)

❖**DOXOLOGY NO. 95**

**ANTHEM** ..... *Call on Him* (Leavitt) ..... Sanctuary Choir

**SCRIPTURE** ..... Luke 24:44-53 ..... Anne-Russell Bradley

**SERMON** ..... David Sellers

❖**HYMN NO. 327** ..... *Crown Him with Many Crowns*

❖**BENEDICTION** ..... David Sellers

❖**POSTLUDE**

*Lucus Orndorff, guest conductor | Kenny Myrick, guest pianist*

## PHUMC CALENDAR AT-A-GLANCE

- TODAY, 5:30 p.m. - Youth Ministry's End-of-the-School-Year SN@P Party & Scavenger Hunt
- Wednesday, May 20, 6 p.m. - Youth Pillowcase Party in Youth Chapel
- Sunday, May 24 - Pentecost Sunday
- Monday, May 25 - Church Office closed for Memorial Day holiday
- Wednesday, May 27, 10 a.m. - Claiborne Heights worship service at the Claiborne
- Thursday, May 28, 6 p.m. - Mississippi UMC Conference Lay Executive Session via Zoom
- Friday, May 29, 6 p.m. - Men's Meal & Fellowship at Keg & Barrel
- Sunday, May 31, 2-5 p.m. - VBS Prep Day (come and go as able)
- Wednesday, June 3-Friday, June 5 - Mississippi UMC Annual Conference
- Sunday, June 7, 9:30 a.m. - Farewell Reception for Keith Keeton & Family in Atrium

**When You Pray, Please Remember...** Benson St. Louis & Evelyn Stone

### WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

- Contemporary Service: 8:30 a.m. in Founders Hall
- Sunday School for all ages: 9:40-10:30 a.m.
- Traditional Service: 10:45 a.m. in Founders Hall (temporary location)

### LORD'S PRAYER:

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name; Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day, our daily bread; And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Our website:



Our app:



Give online:



Stephen Ministry:



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