

**Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8-12 & 1-5
Closed Friday**

Pastor, Amanda Crice
Monday 9:00 - 3:30
Tuesday study out of the office;
Wednesday & Thursday 9:00-4:00
Friday or Saturday Sabbath depending
on the ministry needs of the church

Director of Music & Worship Arts,
Chrissy Hamilton
Monday & Wednesday 8:00-2:00
Tuesday & Thursday: 8:00-2:15 Kids Day Out
Sunday Worship 10:00

Pastor of Students & Nurture, Bryant Fisher
We celebrate with the Fisher Family as they
have welcomed Baby Julia Fisher. Bryant will
be taking parental leave until November 11th.
Should you have any questions about Student
Ministry, please contact the church office.

Director of Children, Jennifer Vincent
Monday 8:00-5:00 (ROOTS 3:00-5:00)
Tuesday & Wednesday 8:00-11:00

Financial Secretary, Kathy Smith,
Wednesday 8:30-4:00

Administrative Assistant, Judy Mehan
Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday
8:00-5:00 Lunch 12:00-1:00

Building & Grounds Supervisor, Ken Hogan
Monday -Friday 7:30-4:00

Chancel Choir Director, Robert Mancusi

Minister of Visitation, Bro. Randy Cooper

2024 Council Chair: Claire Wade
Lay Leader: Andy Lewter
Worship Chair: Gayle Emro-Cooper
Nurture Chair: Caroline Ideus
Serve Chair: Mary Margaret Chester

INTERCESSORY PRAYER CONCERNS: *We ask for your prayers and continued prayers for these we know of. Several more have asked us to keep their situations private. If God places someone's name on your heart, please consider sending a note or giving them a call.*

Ongoing Concerns: All impacted by Hurricane Helene & Milton. Herman & Vicki Smith. Penny Knipper. Linda Davis. Glenda Nanney. Doris Jackson. Jake, Caroline & Josie Claire Reynolds. Carter Unger. Sarah Byars. Greg Moore. Teddy, Tanner & Stevie Owensby. Richard Guthrie. Bryant, Amy, Ella, Jack & Julia Fisher. Steve Lemond. Stephanie Mueller. Chris Smith. Carol & Dave Politte. Mary Beard. David & Carol Reed. Don Clements. Donna Webb. Wally Crider. Leslie Morris. Linda Davis. Magen, Braden and Jase Cooper. People in Israel and Palestine. Steve Mohler. Patsy Coates. Marion Pitts. Rosemary Capers. Diane Broughton. Donna Flynt. Paula Moore. Bob & Kay Carroll. Will King. Janice Noble. Kristen Havener's son, Kaden. Jim & Gina Johnson. Gail Beard Yates. Frances Brewer. District Superintendents Stephen Handy & Nancy Varden. We Care Ministries. UTM Wesley – Mollie June Miller & Megan Lewter. Dresden UMC. Exceptional Worship.

Prayers for Friends and Relatives: Jackson's colleague, Jolene. Allen Beard's father-in-law, David. Mona Abu El-assal and family. Doug Owens's mother, Mary. Katharina Speelman. Robert Lovell's mother, Joyce Lovell. Mary Beard's daughter-in-law Patrea Beard. Michael Johnson's father, Jerry. Karen Hester. Dee Cannon's friends, Amy Garner & Jeff Wright. Jeff Stockton's dad, Sam Stockton. Jen Galey's mother, Janet Flynn. Chris Bowman's father. Dave Politte's brother, Alan. Janice Noble's sister, Peggy. Roger Johnson's mother. Crawford & Nancy Gallimore. Renee LaFleur and Ricky Garlitz. Kristy Shumake's mother, Brenda Dublin.

Van Ayer: Bob Smith, Patsy Coates, Don Clements, Sarah Byars

Arbors: Linda Hall.

Weakley County Nursing: Alan Moody, Jean Vincent
Greenbrier Residential: Bev Eaton.

At Home: Mary Vowell, Janiece Peeler, Marilucile Counce, Jane & Jim Rea, Sue Wright.

Away: Bertha Lou Smith, Betty Henderson.



**Martin First United Methodist Church
Worship, Nurture and Serve in Love
All Saints Day
November 3, 2024**

ENTRANCE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Amanda

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP Pastor Amanda Crice

OPENING PRAYER Andrew Lewter

OPENING HYMN *O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing*
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PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION Andrew Lewter

OLD TESTAMENT READING Deuteronomy 6:1-9

ANTHEM *Come to Jesus* Choir

CHILDREN SERMON Pastor Amanda

GOSPEL Mark 12:28-34

SERMON Pastor Amanda

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE Pastor Amanda

OFFERING
Offering Steward: Mike Hinds

THANKSGIVING & COMMUNION

COMMUNION

REMEMBERING THE SAINTS: Virginia Clendenin, Harry Henderson, Charline Freeman, Patsy Haley, Billie Sue Walker, Terry King, Angeline Damron, Sabrina Snider, Keiko Stroud, Betty Tinkle, Dale Overton, Jimmy Jackson, Walter Nanney, Peggy King

RINGING THE BELLS

LORD'S PRAYER

You are invited to light candles to honor the saints.

SENDING FORTH

HYMN *Hymn of Promise* **707**

BENEDICTION

Thank you

Thank you, dear friends, for your support, gifts, and witness to the Wesley Foundation last weekend at our fundraiser. We are lucky to have such incredible servants of God in this space. Thank you to our outstanding fundraising committee; Mike Johnson, Donnie Davis, Nancy Hinds, Kari Beth Neville, and Caden Neville—a HUGE shoutout to the Lovell family for their BBQ donation. We are grateful for your support and look forward to the fruits of our combined labor.

Take Heart, *Mollie June Miller & Megan Lewter*

HAPPENINGS

November's Communion Offering will benefit **Hunters for the Hungry**. Their goal is to raise \$20,000.00 to process venison for the hungry people in Weakley County.

Christ-centered people who worship God, nurture disciples, and serve our neighbors with love

Join the Serve Committee Tuesday at 12:00 as we pack backpacks with food as part of the **Weakley County Backpack Program** at the Dresden First Baptist Church. Church bus leaving at 11:30 if you need a ride.

Do you have your luncheon ticket for a sitdown luncheon from 11:00 to 1:00 at our 15th annual **Christmas Bazaar?** \$15/ticket. Can't win a trio of ceramic crown candleholders without a \$1/chance. Time to get out your favorite recipes and gather the ingredients and start baking items for the bake sale. Bring your creations to the fellowship hall Friday from 3:00-8:00 pm or Saturday 7:00-8:00 am. Please identify your pies, cakes, candy, cookies, pies, bread, rolls, & cupcakes. Bazaar hours are 9:00-1:00. See you there!

All are invited to an **Exceptional Worship of Thanksgiving** next Sunday at 2:00 pm in the chapel.

Our ROOTS kids and volunteers will pack hygiene bags for **Carl Perkins kids** on November 11. Needed are: full size shampoo & conditioner, face wash, feminine products, deodorant, body wash & bars.

Worship with **Wesley of UTM** students, every Wednesday night at 6:00 pm during the school year. Free dinner at 5:15.

Our **Church Charge Conference** is Monday, November 18th at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary.

Disciple 1, 2 & 3 are in session!

Disciple 1 Wed. 5:30 Jim Byford Rm. 201
Disciple 2 Tues. 5:30 Jenise & Chris Butler Rm. 209
Disciple 3 Wed. 5:30 Mike Hinds Rm. 212



Children's Library

Betty Confetti in memory of Betty Kuehnast; **Bedtime Prayers for Little Ones** in memory of Walter Nanney; **A Year of Bible Promises** in memory of Peggy King

Calendar

Sunday, November 3

3:00 Worship Committee/Pastor's Study
4:00 Hands for Him
5:00 Youth/youth room

Monday, November 4

3:00 ROOTS

Tuesday, November 5

12:00 Weakley County Backpack/Dresden
5:30 Disciple 2 with Jenise Butler

Wednesday, November 6

6:45 United Methodist Men/FHall
9:30 Bazaar Workshop
Wee-Ones Wednesday
5:15 Wesley UTM free dinner; 6:00 Worship
5:30 Disciple 1 w/Jim Byford &
Disciple 3 w/Mike Hinds
7:00 Choir
Serve Committee/parlor

Thursday, November 7

6:00 The Vineyard Beau Monde Winery

Saturday, November 9

9:00-1:00 **Christmas Luncheon, Bazaar & Bake Sale (lunch 11:00-1:00)/FHall**

United Women in Faith

Prayer Calendar

Mission Focus—USA

Camden, New Jersey—The Neighborhood Center

Mission Focus—International

Israel/Palestine—Wi'am Community Empowerment
& Conflict Transformation

Memorials & Honorariums

Honoring and remembering those we love...

Budget in memory of Jimmy Jackson, Walter Nanney

Weakley County Backpack in memory of Bob & Betty Cheeseman