

**The altar flowers this morning** are given by Neal & Marsha Little in loving memory of Marsha's father, Cantey Smith.

**Ministry Bags** - Each month we collect items for different ministries. For the month of October we're collecting personal items for the Food Pantry.

**Happy Anniversary to** (October 14) Ken & Beth Bowser, Oliver & Jane Oxford; (October 15) Reese & Rebecca Jacobs

**Birthday Wishes to** (October 14) Cindy Batson, Paul McLarty; (October 15) Michael Iannacone, Larry Ray; (October 16) Joan Adams; (October 17) Ginger Bunnell; (October 18) Curtis Rich, Kristen Sabouri

**We are collecting candy** to hand out to Trick-or-Treaters on Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. Please place candy in the bin at the Donation Station across from the church office or in the F&FC. Also, volunteers are needed to help. Please call Fred or Elizabeth Motz at 526-3083 to sign-up.

### **Wednesday Evening Activities for Youth**

6:00-7:00pm ~ Meet in big preschool room.

**We are collecting used backpacks** for Haywood Street shelter. Please drop off at the church.

**Birthdays & Anniversaries** - If your birthday or anniversary is not listed in the bulletin please contact the church office with your dates!

**Needed:** Men's winter coats sizes large and extra large. Please place donations in the Food Pantry bins located around the church.

**The Pumpkins are Here!!!** Don't forget to pick yours up today.

**Attendance on October 6th**            9:09-153            10:50-89



Set up one-time or automatic giving for your tithes and offerings on the website: [www.highlandsmethodist.org](http://www.highlandsmethodist.org)

You can also give on the kiosk in the Faith & Fellowship Center

**Giving**

### **Operating Fund ~ Year-to-Date - 8/31/19**

	<b>Actual</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Contributions	\$490,000	\$494,200
Expenses	\$490,800	\$510,800
Net Income (deficit)	(\$800)	(\$16,600)

### **Faith & Fellowship Center ~ Year-to-Date - 8/31/19**

Bank Loan Balance	\$1,210,200
Unrestricted Capital Cash	\$367,000
Balance Due	\$843,200

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# Homecoming Service

## October 13th, 2019

### 10:00am

Welcome Pastor Randy

Opening Music 909 Band

Passing of the Peace

Morning Announcements/Joy Time

Opening Hymn "The Church's One Foundation"

Sharing our Concerns at the Cross

Morning Prayer

Memories and Celebrations

Morning Offering  
In That Holy Place -Sally DeFord

Offering Prayer

Anthem Be In Our Gathering Choir

Sermon The Unfolding Story Pastor Randy

Reception of New Members

Closing Hymn "I Love Thy Kingdom Lord"

Benediction and Blessing of the Meal

## Welcome to the Highlands United Methodist Church

A joyous welcome to you! We are glad each of you has come to worship the Lord.

We're delighted to welcome **Edward Martin, Becky Jacobs, Glenn Morris, and Margaret Tooke** as Professing Members and **Dick & Janet Chitty** as Affiliate Members of HUMC this morning!

**Calling all Dancing Zombies** - Rehearsals are underway for our 2019 Flash Mob "Thriller" Dance on Halloween night in Highlands, and its not too late for you to join in the fun. Once again, the HUMC Zombies will emerge from the Main Street crowd to perform a choreographed version of the iconic dance routine. It's loads of fun, some good exercise, and we can always use more dancing zombies! Come out **this Thursday, October 10th at 7pm** in the Faith and Fellowship Center.

**Women's Breakfast** - Join us on Saturday, **October 26th** at 8:30am in the Faith & Fellowship Center for a women's breakfast. We'll share a prepared casual meal full of fellowship and sharing.

**Halloween Pizza Party**, Join us at HUMC at 5:00pm on Halloween, Thursday, **October 31st**, with your costumes on. We will eat pizza and be ready for Main Street Trick or Treating at 5:30pm. We won't be having our regular Wednesday Night Supper, but everyone is welcome to attend the pizza party. **Reservations are needed** so we can ensure we have enough pizza. The deadline for reservations is Monday, October 28th!

**All Saints Sunday** - Join us on **November 3rd** as we remember all those who have passed away this year.

**Charge Conference** - Sunday, **November 10th** at 10:00am in the F&FC

**Community Thanksgiving Dinner** - Tuesday, **November 26th** at 6:00pm at the Highlands Rec park. Prepared meals will be delivered to anyone in need. Let us know if you or anyone would like a meal delivered and for how many.

**Sip and See Baby Shower** - Please join us in celebrating the birth of Maggie Kay Lucas on Sunday, **October 27th** for a drop in "Sip and See" baby shower from 2:00 til 3:30pm in the Faith and Fellowship Center. Given by Beth Strickland and Carol Langford. Please rsvp to Carol Langford 770-335-9132, carolcarper@earthlink.net

**Red Cross Blood Drive** - Please mark your calendars now for our next American Red Cross Blood Drive at HUMC - **Monday, October 28th from 10am - 3pm.**