#### \*\*\*MONTHLY / WEEKLY MINISTRIES\*\*\*

Are you using your gifts & skills to build up the Ministry of Jesus Christ?

\*\*\* (See specific month for additional ministries' activities) \*\*\*

#### **SUNDAYS**

First, Third & Fourth Sundays ~ 10:55 a.m.

(Third Sundays – Noah's Ark Special Offering)

#### Second Sundays ~ 9:00 a.m. (Tentative: To be evaluated June 2020)

Outreach Ministry Special Offering Fellowship Breakfast after Worship Sunday School ~ before & after Worship Service

Fifth Sundays ~ 8:00 a.m.

#### **TUESDAYS**

Together Baton Rouge, 12 noon – 1:30 pm, Variable Locations Prayer Band Ministry, 6:00 p.m.

#### WEDNESDAYS

Men's Bible Study, 12:00 noon Disciple Bible Study, 5:30 pm

#### THIRD SATURDAYS

Outreach,  $10:00 \text{ am} - 12:00 \text{ Noon} \sim \text{Living Out Matthew } 25:35 - 40$ 

#### **CHOIR REHEARSALS**

If you have been given the gift of music, are you here?

Madrigals - Monday & Thursday before 1st Sunday at 6:30 pm Contemporary Choir - 2 Saturdays prior to 2nd Sunday at 1:00 pm Young Voices for Jesus - 2 Thursdays prior to 3rd Sunday @ 5:30 pm Praise Team - Every Monday at 6:30 pm (except when the Madrigals rehearse) Male Chorus - 2 Tuesdays prior to 5th Sunday at 6:30 pm

#### Legend:

LCOAABC – LA Coalition of African American Breast Cancer Survivors

SSS — Sisters Supporting Sisters SRW — Status & Role of Women UMM — United Methodist Men UMW — United Methodist Women UMCOR — United Methodist Committee on Relief

• with Sunday = UMC Special Offering

# Camphor Memorial United Methodist Church Nominations of Officers & Calendar For 2020 \*\*\* (This Calendar is subject to change. Please check monthly calendar, weekly bulletin, website, facebook.) \*\*\*

#### Year of the Family

A Prayer for the Family

Guide our footsteps today O God. Be our shield as we leave our homes

or remain in it. Preserve and Strengthen our family. Let our separation

from one another through school, work or other activities serve to strengthen our unity upon our return together.

Guard our home O, God, that no hurt, harm or danger will come upon it

in any form while we are away or remain in it. Let it be a sanctuary of blessing, comfort, shelter and love for each one of us. Let it always be a restful place for at the end of the day.

Continue to protect us, O God, as we rest at night. Allow no intruders or calamities to disturb our home. We trust in Your Almighty power to keep

#### us safe from any form of evil. In the Name of Jesus the Christ, by the Power of the Holy Spirit we pray. Amen and Amen!

Distributed: Sunday, March 1, 2020

#### Report of the Lay Leadership Ministry

Church Council

E. Val Lavigne, Chair
Willie Johnson, Jr.
Willie Laws

Lay Leader(s) Press Robinson

Gregory Handy, Sr., Associate

Chairperson of FinanceHenry KnoxChairperson of Staff-Parish RelationsGail McKayChairperson of TrusteesJohn BrownFinancial SecretaryErnise SingletonTreesurerLosh E. McDanie

TreasurerJosh E. McDaniels, Jr.Lay Delegate to Annual ConferenceWillie Johnson, Jr.

E. Val Lavigne, 1<sup>st</sup> Alternate Gregory Handy, 2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate

Lay Servants

Press Robinson
Gregory Handy, Sr.
Michelle Handy

#### **CHURCH COUNCIL**

All Members of the Church are encouraged to attend the Church Council Ministry Meetings. Your input and/or questions are appreciated and welcomed as we work together to fulfill the Ministry of Jesus Christ. Voting Members of the Church Council are: Chairs, Presidents, Coordinators, Lay Leader, Associate Pastors & Senior Pastor. In their absence, their representative becomes a voting member.

#### **TRUSTEES**

John Brown, Chair
Paula Hayes, Secretary
Linda Harleaux, Ex officio

#### Geraldine A. Simms, Ex officio

Class of 2020Class of 2021Class of 2022Reginald JonesRobbyn MathewsBarbara DaigreEric Jones, Co-ChairPaula Hayes, SecretaryCarl WatkinsErnest Emery, Sr.Eric SingletonDele Bakare

#### October ~ Breast Cancer Awareness & Pastors' Appreciation Month

4 – World Communion Sunday\*

7 & 8 – Pastoral Communion Visitation

8 – Seniors' Ministry: Mental Health Forum

11 – UMW Meeting following worship

17 – Outreach Distribution

18 – Laity Sunday

25 – SRW: Breast Cancer Awareness Initiative; UMM Breakfast Meeting

29 – 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter Church Council, 6 pm

#### **November**

TBA s— La Coalition of African American Breast Cancer Survivors; Seniors' Ministry:

Breast Cancer Awareness & Thanksgiving Dinner; UMW Outreach Project

1 – All Saints Day Observance & Beginning Poinsettias' Donations (\$10); Daylight Savings Time Ends—(Fall back)

4 & 5 – Pastoral Communion Visitation

5 – 2019 Budget distributed by Finance Ministry to Ministry Chairs for setting 2020 Budget; Calendar dates requested from Ministry Chairs

8-UMW Meeting following worship

10 – Stewardship Ministry, 10 am

15 – Recognition of Veterans & Active Military Service

19 – Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism, 7 pm

21 – Outreach Distribution

19 – Deadline for 2021 Budget Requests Submitted to Finance Ministry

22 – SRW: A Thanks-giving Initiative; UMM Breakfast Meeting

29 – UM Student Day\* & Special Offering & First Sunday of Advent

#### <u>December</u> ~ Seniors' Ministry Caring for Sick & Shut-In ~ Adopt-a-Senior Gift Baskets

1 – World AIDS Day

2 – Advent Study Fellowship with St. Mark, 12 noon @ St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor

5 – Hanging of the Greens & Chrismon Tree

9 & 10 – Pastoral Communion Visitation

9 - Advent Study Fellowship with St. Mark, 12 noon @ St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor

- 13 UMW Meeting following worship
- 16 Advent Study Fellowship with St. Mark, 12 noon @ St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor
- 17 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Church Council, 6 pm to set: Setting 2021 Budget, Setting 2021 Calendar & Ministry Chairs present 2021 Goals
- 19 Outreach Distribution; UMW Annual Holiday Tea & Mission Project, 3 pm 5 pm
- 20 Christmas Concert, 3 pm
- 31 Watch Night Observance, 6 pm

#### June ~ Assess 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday Service

- 1 5 UMW The Holy Land Experience Trip in Orlando, FL
- 4- Senior Leadership, 11:30 am; Executive Leadership, 6 pm
- 7 Trinity/Confirmation Sunday & Peace with Justice Sunday\*
- 9 Stewardship Ministry, 10 am
- 10 & 11 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 10 13 Annual Conference, Shreveport Convention Center
- 14 UMW Meeting following worship
- 15 19 Holy Grill, 11 am 12 noon
- 20 Outreach Distribution & Seniors' Ministry: Prayer Breakfast w/ Fathers & Family
- 21 Father's Day
- 22 26 VBS, 6 pm 8 pm
- 28 Founder's Day Celebration; UMM Breakfast Meeting

#### <u>July ~ Seniors' Ministry Service Month</u>

- 8 9 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 12 UMW Meeting following worship
- 18 North Baton Interfaith (Scotlandville) Community Health Fair @ Immaculate Conception
- 19 Parents' Day Sunday
- 23 Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism Ministry, 7 pm
- 26 Ushers' Anniversary Observance;
- 30 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Church Council, 6 pm

#### <u>August ~ Seniors' Ministry Back-to-School Drive</u>

- 5 6 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 9 UMW Meeting following worship
- 15 Outreach Distribution
- 23 –UMM Breakfast Meeting

#### TBA – Lay Leadership Ministry Review for Charge Conference

#### <u>September ~ Seniors' Ministry Service Month / Christian Education Sunday</u>

**TBAs** – UMW Day of Pampering / Church-wide Fall Cleaning

3 – Senior Leadership, 11:30 am; Executive Leadership, 6 pm

- 8 Stewardship Ministry, 10 am
- 9 10 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 13 Grandparents' Recognition Sunday; UMW Meeting following worship
- 15 Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept. 15 Oct. 15)
- 19 Outreach Distribution
- 24 Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism Ministry, 7 pm
- 27 –UMM Breakfast Meeting; Ribbon Blessing

#### MINISTRY ON STAFF PASTOR-PARISH RELATIONS

Pastor Elenora Mackey Cushenberry Dr. Press Robinson, Lay Leader

Willie Johnson, Jr., Lay Member of the Annual Conference

Class of 2020Class of 2021Class of 2022Patricia PhilipsGail McKay, ChairMonica McDanielEric SingletonEdith CoxJasmine DavisLaura BrownGlenda ChappellEddie August

#### MINISTRY ON LAY LEADERSHIP & NOMINATIONS

Pastor Elenora Mackey Cushenberry, Chair Dr. Press Robinson, Lay Leader

Class of 2020Class of 2021Class of 2022Carla SingletonWanda HendersonKerry JonesLaTasha JonesIsadore BrownDell MarsWillie Johnson, Jr.Mada Clark McDonald

#### **FINANCE MINISTRY**

#### Henry Knox, Chair

Ernise Singleton, Financial Secretary Jaemma Davis, Assistant Financial Secretary Josh McDaniels, Jr., Treasurer Press Robinson, Lay Leader E. Valerie Lavigne, Church Council Chair\* John Brown, Trustee Chair\* Willie Johnson, Jr., Lay Member Linda Harleaux, Stewardship\* Gail McKay, S/PPR Chair\* Dianne Shelmire, Recording Sec. Pastor E. M. Cushenberry

#### **Class of 2020**

Alex Coleman, Jr. Etopia Emery Johnson

#### **STEWARDSHIP**

Linda Harleaux – Co-Chair Ruby Sanchez, Co-Chair

Juanita Bates
Prince Armstrong

E. Val Lavigne Josh Mc Daniels, Jr.

Enika Wade

Jacqueline Johnson

#### **MINISTRY GROUPS**

#### **NURTURING MINISTRIES**

Worship Michelle Handy

Stewardship Linda Harleaux/ Ruby Sanchez

Campus & Higher Education Ministry Wanda Henderson

Christian Education Sunday School Superintendent & Assistant

Teachers: Sunday School & Bible Studies

Vacation Bible School Co-Chairs

#### **WITNESSING MINISTRIES**

Membership Mary Emerson, Co-Chair / Glenda Chappell, Co-Chair

Evangelism Gregory Handy / Susie Mines

Hospitality Sherryl Lott

#### **OUTREACH MINISTRIES**

Adults/Seniors' Ministry Barbara Brown / Dianne Shelmire /

Glenda Pittman

Church and Society Bobbie Ned
Community Outreach Mary Emerson

Daughters of Naomi Annette Yancy/Mary Emerson/DeQuetta Jackson

Habitat for Humanity Paula Hayes

Health and Welfare Robbyn Mathews / Dell Mars

Holy Grill Fredessa Collins

Interfaith Federation Ernise Singleton / Robert Newman

Sie & Fannie Terrell
LCAABCS & SSS

Julia Bradford Moore

Mission Luella Johnson/ Gwendolyn Herson

Religion and Race Randell Henry

Status and Role of Women
Together Baton Rouge (TBR)
Vacation Bible School
Frankie Walker / Katina Patterson
Press Robinson / Claude Tellis
LaTasha Jones / Carla Singleton

#### March ~ Continue

22 – SRW: Salute to Women of Camphor; UMCOR Sunday\*; UMM Breakfast Meeting Easter Lily Donations Begin

25 – Lenten Study Fellowship with St. Mark: 12 noon at Camphor; 6 pm at Camphor

26 – Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism Ministry Meeting, 6:45 pm

28 – UMW Woman of the Year Banquet, 11:30 am

#### April ~ The Power of Christ's Resurrection

TBA – UMW Youth Project

1 – Deadline to Apply for United Methodist Scholarships

- Lenten Study Fellowship with St. Mark, 12 noon at St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor

5 – Palm Sunday – *Christ Outside the Walls* 8 & 9 – Pastoral Communion Visitation

9 – Holy Thursday Service

10 – Joint Good Friday Service, 10 am @ Wesley UMC, 544 Government St

**TBA** – Seniors' Ministry: Easter Observance for Children

12 - Resurrection Sunday; UMW Meeting following worship

14 – Stewardship Ministry, 10 am

18 – Outreach Distribution

26 –UMM Breakfast Meeting

Native American Ministries Sunday\*

30 – 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Church Council

#### May ~ Christian Home Month

TBA – Seniors' Ministry: Luncheon with Pastor

- Safe Sanctuary Training

5 – 15 – General Conference

6 – 7 – Pastoral Communion Visitation

9 – Mother's Day Brunch, 10 am – 12 noon

10 – SRW: Mother's Day & Living Legends Presentation; UMW Meeting following worship

16 – Outreach Distribution

17 – Graduation Recognition

- 21 Ascension Day Observance with Mount Pilgrim
- 23 UMM Man of the Year Banquet
- 24 –UMM Breakfast Meeting
- 25 Memorial Day Holiday
- 28 Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism Ministry Meeting, 7 pm
- 31 Day of Pentecost

#### Calendar For 2020

#### January

- 1 New Year's Day
- 2 Online Audit Opens
- 5 Epiphany Sunday
- 8 & 9 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 12 Baptism of Our Lord & Installation of Officers for 2020
- 16 Senior Leadership Ministry, 11:30 am; Executive Leadership Ministry, 6 pm
- 19 Human Relations Day Sunday\*
  Online Audit Ends
- 20 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.'s Observance Day
- 23 Worship Ministry Meeting, 6 pm; Evangelism Ministry Meeting, 7 pm
- 26 UMW Sunday; UMM Breakfast Meeting

#### **February**

#### **TBA** – Youth Gathering

- 5 & 6 Pastoral Communion Visitation
- 9 UMW Meeting following worship
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 15 Outreach Distribution
- 18 Seniors/Adult Ministries Celebration, 1 pm
- 23 –UMM Breakfast Meeting
- 26 Ash Wednesday Service, 6 pm
- 27 29 What's Next Careers & College Fair
- 29 What's Next Gala, 7 pm

#### TBA – Church-wide Spring Cleaning

#### March ~ National Women's Month Observance & Camphor's Living Legends

- 4 Lenten Study Fellowship with St. Mark: 12 noon at St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor
- 4 & 5 Pastoral Communion Visitation

- 8 Daylight Savings Time Starts; UMW Meeting following worship
- 9 13 Holy Grill, 11 am -12 noon
- 11 Lenten Study Fellowship with St. Mark: 12 noon at Camphor; 6 pm at Camphor
- 12 Senior Leadership, 11:30 am; Executive Leadership, 6 pm
- 13 & 14 District Lay Servant Ministry Training
- 18 Lenten Study Fellowship with St. Mark: 12 noon at St. Mark; 6 pm at Camphor
- 21 Outreach Distribution

#### AGE-LEVEL AND FAMILY MINISTRIES

Coordinators: Barbara Brown / Vanessa Emery / LaTasha Jones / Glenda Pittman / Annette Yancy

Jannette Davis (Children)

Bridget Martin (Youth)

Vanessa Emery (Young Adults)

Barbara Brown / Glenda Pittman / Dianne Shelmire

(Adults & Seniors' Ministry)

Blanche Smith (Singles)

Eric Jones / Latasha Jones (Family)

Sie Terrell / Fannie Terrell (Couples)

Shaune Sims (Disability Ministries)

Joyce Faggett (S.E.N.I.O.R.S.)

#### MINISTRY ON RECORDS AND HISTORY

Julia Bradford Moore, Co-Chair

Mary E. Vivian Baranco Mada McDonald Clark

Geraldine Simms

Marilyn Ray-Jones, Co-Chair

Wesley Belton Wanda Morgan Blanche Smith

#### **PROGRAM AGENCIES**

President, United Methodist Men Isadore Brown
President, United Methodist Women Marilyn Ray-Jones

President, United Methodist Youth Fellowship

President, Usher Board

President, Young Adult Usher Board President, Youth Usher Board TBD Barbara Daigre

TBD

TBD

President, Communion Stewardess Board President, Young Adult Fellowship Vice-President, Young Adult Fellowship Beverly Vincent

TBD TBD

Clyde B. Watkins, Chair

PRAYER BAND

Pat J. Mc Daniels, Co-Chair

#### MINISTRY GROUPS ~ CONT'D

#### **MUSIC MINISTRY**

**Marcus Haney, Director** 

Praise Team Corey Hill

Young Voices for Jesus LaTasha Jones /Lauren Simpson

Madrigals Marcus Haney / Corey Hill

Male Chorus/ United Methodist Men Chorus Corey Hill
Contemporary Choir Jarred Hayes

Liturgical Dance Ministry

Lurtisha Wade-Simon / Lauren Simpson

#### **EVANGELISM**

#### **ALL MEMBERS OF THE CHURCH**

**Gregory Handy, Chair** Willie Johnson, Jr.

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Pastor Elenora Mackey Cushenberry

Luttrell Cox Mada McDonald

#### **STATUS AND ROLE OF WOMEN**

Frankie Walker, Chair Katina Patterson, Co-Chair

#### **MINISTRY TEAMS**

#### MINISTRY TEAMS ~ CONT'D

#### **SENIOR USHERS' MINISTRY (AGES 31+)**

Barbara Daigre, President Luella Johnson, Vice Pres. Edith Cox, Secretary Audrey Palmer, Asst. Sec. Robbyn Mathews, Treas. Willie Johnson, Jr., Chaplain Geraldine Simms, Hist. Mary Emerson, Co. Hist. Alton Bates Alton Bates II Alex Coleman, Jr. Renard Compton Luttrell Cox Herman DaigreSr. Jarred Hayes Wanda Henderson Jackie Hamilton John Hammond Diane Henry Gwendolyn Herson Corey Hill Henry Knox, Jr. Larry Palmer Mattie Robinson Josh McDaniels, Jr. Gail McKay Lurlean Wade Ceasar Wilson Billy Simpson Sandra Sterling

Ricky Williams Esau Wright

#### YOUNG ADULTS USHERS' MINISTRY (AGES 18 – 30)

Jade Chappell Alex Cox Bailey Greenidge **Ernest Emery** Kerry Jones Thomas Mars, II Chad Mason Corey Mason Mya McDaniels Patrick McJulien Tahi J. Patterson Nicole Mathews Marcus Simon Malcom Singleton Enika Wade Lurtisha Wade-Simon

#### JUNIOR USHERS' MINISTRY (AGES 10 – 17)

Robert Kilbourne Monet McDaniels Tamia Patterson

#### **WORSHIP**

Michelle Handy, ChairLuttrell CoxRuby SanchezAshley BossardSusie MinesAeneid MasonBarbara DaigreSherryl LottEric Jones / Eric SingletonPatricia McDaniels

Johes / Effe Shigheton Fathera Me.

#### **OTHER OFFICERS**

Church Secretary – Administrative Assistant Superintendent of Church School Asst. Superintendent of Church School Secretary of Church School Custodian

Custodian
Sexton
Alternate Weekend Custodian

Carol Kinard Robert Newman Lurtisha Wade Simon Michelle Handy/Bridget Martin Golden Ootsey Luttrell Cox

Frederick McCray

Willie Cliff Armstrong Ronald Kennedy Frankie Walker Clyde Watkins

#### MINISTRY TEAMS ~ CONT'D

#### **OUTREACH MINISTRY**

Fredessa Collins, ChairJuanita BatesRandell HenryDell MarsThomas Mars, IIWillie Dean MarsNicole MathewsRobbyn MathewsPat J. McDanielsCodie Mc JulienPatrick McJulienRuby SanchezDianne ShelmireGeraldine A. SimmsRose White

#### **POINSETTA MINISTRY**

Sharon Lott Thomas Jasmine Craig

#### **PHOTOGRAPHY & ART MINISTRY**

Randell Henry Eric Jones
Ronald Kennedy Eric Singleton
Ernise Singleton

#### **RACE AND RELIGION**

Randell Henry, Chair Fannie Terrell

#### **ACOLYTES' MINISTRY**

(Children: Ages 6-12)\*

#### Mary Emerson, Coordinator

Erin Jones, Assistant

\*After confirmation, youth move to Liturgical Readers & Worship Leaders

#### **ADULTS & SENIORS MINISTRY**

Barbara Brown, Co-Chair
Dianne Shelmire, Co-Chair
Willie Nell Johnson, Chaplain

Pat McDaniels, SecretaryJuanita BatesHallique DawsonElma DavisRuby SanchezRose K. WhiteBarbara WilsonEsau Wright

#### **COMMUNICATIONS MINISTRY**

Mada McDonald-Clark, Chair Katrina Spottsville, Co-Chair

#### **COMMUNION STEWARDS' MINISTRY**

#### **Emeritus**

Carrie Henry Demetria McJulien-Lassiter

Gertrude Wilson

Beverly A. Vincent, President Prince Armstrong, Treasurer Glenda Pittman, Vice-President Pat J. McDaniels, Chaplain

Mary CharlesBrenda DavisVanessa EmeryJoyce FaggettGwendolyn HersonLuella JohnsonRuby SanchezShaune SimsClyde WatkinsBarbara B. Wilson

#### **DISASTER RESPONSE TEAM**

**Ernise Singleton, Chair** 

Teresa Taylor Claude Tellis M. Robbyn Mathews

Carol Kinard

#### MINISTRY TEAMS ~ CONT'D

#### **GRANT MINISTRY**

Eileen Kennedy

E. Val Lavigne

Annette Yancy

### GREETERS' MINISTRY ALL MEMBERS

#### **HEALTH AND WELFARE**

Dell Mars, Co-Chair Robbyn Mathews, Co-Chair Jada Armstrong Randell Henry

Mary Emerson Julia Moore

Claude Tellis

#### **LAY VISTATION MINISTRY**

Isadore Brown Willie Johnson, Jr. Glenda Pittman Clyde Watkins Joyce Faggett
Pat J. McDaniels
Ruby Sanchez
Gloria Faye Wilson

Annette L. Yancy

#### **MISSIONS**

Luella Johnson, Chair

Robbyn Mathews Gail McKay Glenda Pittman Clyde Watkins **Gwendolyn Herson, Co-Chair** 

Josh McDaniels, Jr. Susie Mines Geraldine Simms

#### **MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY**

Eric Singleton, Co-Chair

Ernest Emory, Sr. Willie Johnson, Jr. Ernise Singleton

**Shaune Sims** 

Eric Jones, Co-Chair Marcus Haney Charlene Jones

Carla Singleton

## Attitude

"The longer I live,
the more I realize the impact of attitude on life.
Attitude, to me,
is more important than facts.
It is more important than the past, than education,
than money, than circumstances,
than failures, than successes,
than what other people think, say or do.
It is more important than appearance, giftedness
or skill. It will make or break
a company... a church... a home.
The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day
regarding the attitude we embrace for that day.
We cannot change our past... we cannot change the fact
that people will act in a certain way.

that people will act in a certain way.

We cannot change the inevitable.

The only thing we can do

is play the one string we have,

and that is our attitude...

I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me

and 90% how I react to it.

And so it is with you...

We are in charge of our Attitudes!"

Charles Swindoll