



Broadway United Methodist Church
701 Broadway
Paducah, Kentucky 42001



ALIVE

October 2011

**New Interim Bishop
Benjamin Chamness
Speaks at Broadway
UMC, October 9**



Clergy and laity of the Memphis Conference will have a chance to hear and meet Bishop Benjamin Chamness, the new Interim Bishop of the Memphis Conference Sunday night, October 9, at 6 p.m. The event will be held at Broadway United Methodist Church and include a worship service and reception. The worship service will be held in the sanctuary and the reception will be in Iger Hall.

Bishop Chamness took office Sept. 1 as the new Interim Bishop in Residence of the Nashville Area of The United Methodist Church and will serve through Aug. 31, 2012.

The Nashville Area includes the Memphis and Tennessee Conferences.

Chamness follows Bishop Richard J. (Dick) Wills, who retired early (Sept. 1) for health reasons. Wills served the Nashville Area since 2004.

Everyone is invited. Please make plans to be here and welcome the new Bishop to our church.

**Retirement Celebration for
Rev. Bob Fejes**

On Sunday, October 23, Broadway will host a retirement celebration for the Rev. Bob Fejes. The celebration will be held in Iger Hall immediately following worship. This occasion will provide us the opportunity to express our appreciation and gratitude for the twenty years of service Rev. Fejes gave to us, and his service to the ecumenical community. It will provide an opportunity to reflect upon the many significant contributions Bob made to the growth and strength of our church, and all the ways he helped us to personally experience the grace and love of Christ. Truly, I already feel his absence in a number of ways.

Bob's retirement culminates forty years of ministry. It is said that at the end of the rainbow is a pot of gold and in the song "Walk On," there is a line that says, "At the end of the cloud is a silver lining." It is my prayer that at the end of forty years of service to God through the Order of Deacons is a time of joy, peace, happiness, and much deserved rest.

We do ask the entire congregation to join us for a fun-filled, joy-filled, memory-filled, and loved-filled celebration. We want to honor Bob also with a special gift from the church. We are asking for contributions towards the cost of the celebration and the retirement gift. Please designate your gifts, "Fejes Retirement" and made payable to Broadway UMC. Please be as generous as you can.

We are grateful for the members of the Retirement Committee for taking leadership in planning this event. Members of the committee are: Sara Penry, Pam Collins, Nancy Ryan, Dot Bruce, and Lynn Johnson. Please feel free to share with them any ideas that will help make this a wonderful celebration.

You often hear me make reference to what a loving and wonderful congregation this is. I say so because it is so. Please know that my family and I appreciate all the love and kindness you have shown us. As your pastor, I am most thankful for the love and kindness shown each other. It is so important that we share our love and kindness with the members of the household of faith. As a church family, we now have opportunity to surround Bob and his family with God's Agape.

Grace and Peace,

Joe

BUMS PAGE

Broadway United Methodist Student Ministry



Tentative Fall Schedule

- Oct 2-9: Fall Break
- Oct 16: BUMS Sunday Nights (6-7:30)
- Oct 23: Garden of the Gods (2-6)
- Oct: 30: COSTUME Bonfire (6-8:30)
- Nov 4-6: Lakeshore UMC Fall Retreat
- Nov 11-12: Paducah Retreat (TBD)
- Nov 10: Casting Crowns Concert in Murray
- Nov 13: BUMS Sunday Nights (6-7:30)
- Nov 20: BUMS Sunday Nights (6-7:30)
- Nov 27: Advent Walk (4 p.m.)
- Dec 3: Chili Supper Youth Fundraiser (4:00-7:00)
- Dec 4: BUMS Sunday Nights (6-7:30)
- Dec 11: Christmas Caroling (6-7:30)
- Dec 18: BUMS Christmas Party (6-7:30)
- CHRISTMAS BREAK

Calling ALL 6th Graders!!!!

UP AHEAD: Confirmation Class

Feb 1-Mar 28 (Wednesday Nights after Meal) 6:15-7:15
 Confirmation Sunday: March 25
 Lakeshore Confirmation Retreat: February 3-5



Above: Dalton Tipton, Brandy Miller, Millie Wyant & Maggie Malone photographed after helping serve at the Legacy of Lakeshore fundraiser dinner.
Far left: Josh Ferguson and Izzy at the LOMS/PMS football game.
Right: Olivia Bates won Runner Up at the Ms. Metropolis Pageant!!!

Walking Through The Valley

At a youth ministry training our speaker spoke about “branding” our ministries. He shared that within his childhood youth group their “thing” was to speak only in British accents. I shared the accent idea with our youth group while talking about what our “brand” should be and we had a little fun with it. Even in our silliness, the reading of Psalm 23 with a British tongue was quite beautiful. My favorite line in that psalm is:

Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I shall fear no evil. Psalm 23:4.

Brother Joe preached a little while back on this scripture. He brought our attention to the words “THROUGH the valley”. If one is walking through the valley, then he/she is not standing still. This implies that there is an end to the valley time ahead. Oh, how we all need to know there’s an end ahead when we are in the valley!

What are some things we can do while we are in the valley?

May I suggest three scriptural “to do’s”:

- 1.) *Praise God.*
 Through Jesus, therefore, let us continually offer to God a sacrifice of praise—the fruit of lips that openly profess his name. Hebrews 13:15
- 2.) *Trust God.*
 Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. Acknowledge him in all your ways and he will direct your path. Proverbs 3:5-6
- 3.) *Look for ways to bless others.*
 The one who blesses others is abundantly blessed; those who help others are helped. Proverbs 11:25 MSG

Walking through the valley is not easy. While at a Community Bible Study, we sang a spiritual called “Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley” The chorus goes like this:

*Jesus walked this lonesome valley.
 He had to walk it by Himself;
 O, nobody else could walk it for Him,
 He had to walk it by Himself*

In closing, we must not forget that because Jesus has been fully man, experiencing all possible temptation and mind blowing trials, that he understands and EVEN Better: Christ Jesus who died—more than that, who was raised to life—is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. Romans 8: 34
Your sister in Christ,
Rebecca O’Brien

Members in Action

Broadway offers something for everyone!

Contact the church office at 443-2401 for more information on these opportunities.

Porch Visit Team

October 2: Betsy Pickens
 October 9: Bob Johnston
 Kate Johnston
 October 16: Barbara McGinty
 October 23: Betsy Pickens
 October 30: Bob Johnston
 Kate Johnston

Bread Baker Team

October 2: Helen Fejes
 October 9: Debbie Davies
 October 16: Barbara McGinty
 October 23: Karen Jackson
 October 30: Stacy Johnson

October 2: Bob Bohle, Tom Brown, Bert Jody, Mike Buckner, David Sparks, Rowland Hancock, Ben & Joni Hogancamp, Barry Smith, & John Wampler

October 9: Jay Collins, George Boland, Ricky Ball, John Dunn, Mike Gentry, Jack Johnston, Paul Carroll, & Larry Hantle

October 16: Rodger Lofton, Lanny King, Gail Giltner, Tom Hines, Blann Hancock, & John Lynn.

October 23: L.V. McGinty, Lynn Habacker, Bob Hayes, Gary Houston, Bob Johnston, Mark Whitlow, & Bill Williams

October 30: New Team

Van Drivers

Additional van drivers are always welcome. No special license is required, just a valid driver's license.

October 2: Bob Bohle

October 9: Logan Gay

October 16: Tom Hines

October 23: Blann Hancock

October 30: Bob Ragland

Prayer Chapel

Additional volunteers are needed for the rotating list of those who pray in the Prayer Chapel during morning worship on Sunday. You can stay during the entire service or part of the service. Please contact the church office for more information.

Community Kitchen

Each Sunday, BUMC's Community Kitchen offers a free meal from noon to 1:00 p.m. in Iger Hall.

Meal Providers include:

October 2: Grace Episcopal

October 9: Collins/Russell Team

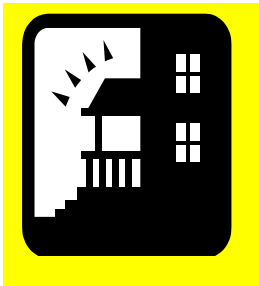
October 16: Russell Class

October 23: Julia Roberts Class

October 30: Debbie Wagner's Team

Paducah Cooperative Ministry

Collection for October is "Meal in a Can" – stew, spaghetti, ravioli, soups, etc.



GREETERS

Each Sunday morning, greeters are stationed at the sanctuary doors in the Narthex. We have many doors at Broadway and would love to have greeters stationed at each door. A smile and a handshake are all you need to be a Broadway Greeter!

October 2: Tom Brown & John Barker

October 9: Lynn & Pat Habacker

October 16: Ben & Joni Hogancamp

October 23: Bill & Gail Clifton

October 30: Jennifer Gay & Martha Baker

If you are unable to greet on your Sunday, please change with someone else on the list.

SYMPATHY

With Janean Tinsley and family on the death of her uncle, Jim Carter.

With Lou & Tara Kolb on the death of his grandfather Louis C. Kolb Sr.

With Kate Davis Gay on the death of her grandfather, Russell Davis, M.D.

With the family of Anna Frazier on her death
With John Paul Vick and family on the death of his sister Laura Jean Vick Wuest

Former Broadway member Thomas Turpin died at his home in Aurora, Co. He was a member of BUMC from 1977-1997.

PRAYER CONCERNS

REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVE

Our thoughts and prayers are with the members or relatives of Broadway UMC members who have been deployed to hazardous duty because of the war: Jeffrey Jett; Andy Mutchler, grandson of Dr. Brad Mutchler and Charley Curtis, grandson of James Curtis.

We celebrate the safe return home of Eric Hogancamp!

Thank You

Grace Russell wants to thank everyone for the cards, prayers, phone calls, food, etc. during her recent illness.

Ruth Walsh wants to thank her Broadway friends for the beautiful altar flower in honor of her 92nd birthday.

Belated Happy Birthday Wishes

Rupayne Akin celebrated her 102nd birthday on September 14, 2011! We wish her good health and best wishes!



WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Barbara Osbourne joined Broadway UMC on September 25, 2011 by Transfer of Membership from the Presbyterian Church. We welcome her to our church family!



12 Step Addiction Ministry

Providing the community the hope of God's salvation, despite the disease of addiction. Clients are offered licensed, professional counseling in regards to addiction, as well as family support. Services include Christ-driven individual and group sessions, education and referrals, when necessary. For more information contact Janean Tinsley at 270-408-1489 or firststepministry@comcast.net. Office located at 702 Jefferson Street.



New Directions Counseling
Stress Sadness Abuse Rocky Relationship

Everyone needs help every now and then!

Call: Carol Harmon, MA, LPCC (270-217-2753)
Office Hours By Appointment Only

Children at Broadway



How Can I Help?

Needed: an adult to ride in the van during God'zOwn pickup on selected Wednesdays.

Sunday School News -

Two Sunday School classes are available in our nursery and preschool department for 2-year-olds and three/four-year-olds. Special Bible stories, songs and activities are presented in these two classes, with a team of teachers ready to interact with the children each week.

Elementary classes will be finishing a lesson series about Shadrach, Meshach and Abednego and Daniel, and how God can do miraculous things when you trust in Him.

God'zOwn

Broadway's afterschool program for Grades K – 5th Grade

Term 2: Thank You Very Much! -- begins Wednesday, October 26 for four weeks from 4 – 5:45 p.m. School pick-up will be available from Clark, Community Christian and Lone Oak elementary schools. Please register to let us know those we need to pick up.

This program involves a wide range of activities including interactive Bible Study, music and enrichment opportunities during each session. We will participate in crafts, mission and service projects, games and more. For the second fall term, 4 weeks beginning Oct. 26 through Nov. 16, we will creatively explore what God has given us and the parables of Jesus that help us learn ways to be full of Thanks-giving and Thanks-living!

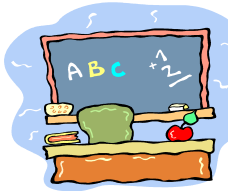
Congratulations to the following third and fourth graders who received their Bible during last week's worship service:

- Hannah Tipton Bryan Pont
- Max Thompson Adie Rae Usrey

Operation

Christmas Child

Oct.16 – Nov. 13



**Paducah Highlands
Latin Cottage School
Meets At
Broadway UMC**

Thank you to BUMC for allowing the Paducah Highlands Latin Cottage School to use your facilities for our inaugural year of classes. Our goal at PHL is to provide our students with a classical education of the highest quality and to create a private school which is a model of excellence in both academics and Christian character.

A Cottage School is one-day-a-week only classes targeting homeschool students who then complete the remainder of their assignments at home working with their parent/teacher.

PHL is affiliated with the prestigious Highlands Latin School in Louisville, and will mark the fourth campus for HLS. Highlands Latin School is a traditional school. In the traditional classroom, a knowledgeable, enthusiastic teacher carefully leads students into an understanding of each subject. Classrooms are quiet, orderly, and disciplined. Lessons are incremental, content is age-appropriate, and students learn the important skill of quality written work completed in a timely manner. Homework is moderate and is for the purpose of practicing or preparing for a lesson. The traditional classroom is consistent with human nature and the experience of many decades has demonstrated its superiority over the modern child-centered classroom. Why Latin? The intensive study of Latin in the grammar school years develops the minds of students as no other subject can. Students who have learned *how to learn* with Latin become better students in all other subjects. The study of classical languages and the Greek/Roman classics provides a path to wisdom and knowledge that cannot be attained by any other method. In the tradition of western civilization, education and classical education have always been synonymous.

Jessica Pope Marvin is the headmistress, Jeremiah Davis and Karen Story are classroom teachers. This year our students encompass third through sixth grade. Again, we appreciate you so generously opening your facilities to us!

Karen Harris Story

Our Stewardship

Budget Amount Needed Each Week: \$15,080.00

September 4, 2011 Offering

Budget: \$13,933.00

Building: \$1,181.00

Communion: \$1,850.00

September 11, 2011 Offering

Budget: \$11,028.00

Building Fund: \$1,675.00

September 18, 2011 Offering

Budget: \$9,437.00

Building Fund: \$735.00

September 25, 2011 Offering

Budget: \$9,118.00

Building Fund: \$1,280.00

Worship Attendance

September 4: 255

September 11: 314

September 18: 222

September 25: 270

Broadway's Community

Kitchen Served:

September 4: 83

September 11: 110

September 18: 99

September 25: 114

Garden Groomers will have a work day on Tuesday, October at 10:a.m. Everyone who would like to get your hands dirty, just show up with your gloves and tools. It is time for fall planting and there are still things that need to be purchased. If anyone would like to make donations for these plants just mark Garden Fund on your check.

**Wednesday Nights At Broadway - SUPPERTIME
Are In FULL SWING!**

Wednesday Nights SUPPERTIME meals are back and approximately 60-70 people have been attending for the good food and wonderful fellowship time.

Our great cooks Jean Flye and Diane Bailey returned with delicious southern meals followed by a brief program or praise and worship time.

Dinner is served from 5:30 -6:00 p.m. with program/praise and worship at 6:15. Meal cost is \$6.00 for individuals...and \$20 per household. Please RSVP in the church office so we can put you on our list. Child Care Is Provided!



- October 2:** Communion Offering POPS
- October 3-7:** Fall Break
 - No MDO
 - NO KEYS II
 - NO Chancel Choir Practice
- October 4:** Garden Groomers work day 10 a.m.
- October 7:** Wedding Rehearsal
- October 8:** Wedding
- October 9:** Meet the Bishop –BUMC 6 p.m.
- October 11:** POPS 6-8 p.m.
- October 16:** United Methodist Men 6 p.m.
- October 18:** Finance Committee 5:30 p.m.
- October 20:** United Methodist Men Sub -District Meeting 6:30 p.m. Igert Hall
- October 21:** Wedding Rehearsal
- October 22:** Handy Person Ministry “Make A Difference Day”: The Handy Person ministry will once again be insulating homes for the winter. If you would like to participate, just meet in the front parking lot of the church at 8:30 a.m.
- October 22:** Wedding
- October 23:** Reception honoring Bob Fejes Following morning worship
- October 26:** Church Council 6:45 p.m.
- October 26:** GodzOwn Term 2 begins and goes through November 16

Looking Ahead: Live Nativity at Broadway UMC December 22 & 23

Gifts To Broadway UMC

In Honor of Leon Johnson , In Honor of Joe Beal ;In Honor of Bob & Patty Fejes ;In Honor of Nancy Ryan

In Memory of Eleanor Russell; In Memory of Joel Scarbrough; In Memory of Russell Davis; In Memory of Anna Frazier given by: Jean Wells and Jeanne Griffin (General Fund).

Baptism



September 11, 2011
 We celebrate the baptism of Liliana (Lili) Lorraine Cortes, daughter of Carlos & Rainey Rafferty-Cortes and granddaughter of Jim and Pam Rafferty.

Welcome (Back) To Broadway

Ron and Janice Cowherd have served in music ministry for many years in the Methodist Church. They both earned Bachelors of Music Education degrees at Murray State University and did graduate study in music at Indiana University with Ron earning a Master of Music in Education and significant work toward the Doctor of Music Education degree while at IU.

During their years in music ministry Ron and Janice have worked as a team. Janice selects the music and sings while Ron teaches the music and directs the choir.

Choir has always been an integral part of their musical endeavors as they continue to enjoy participating in church worship music at BUMC in an interim position.



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November Issue: October 19

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