

## This week at Belmont UMC

SUNDAY, AUGUST 19

11:30 a.m. Multicultural Fellowship, Parker Hall

MONDAY, AUGUST 20

6:00 p.m. Finance Committee, 202

7:15 p.m. Executive Committee, 202

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22

4:00 p.m. *The Mystic in You* book study, 124

5:15 p.m. Midweek at Belmont dinner, Community Center

5:40 p.m. Children's Chimes, 226

6:00 p.m. Outreach Committee, 201

6:00 p.m. Yoga, Parker Hall

6:15 p.m. Children's choirs, Faith Finders hall

7:15 p.m. Sanctuary Choir rehearsal, choir room

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23

8:00 a.m. Women's Centering Prayer Group, 206

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24

10:00 a.m. Parent and Child Music Group, 213

SUNDAY, AUGUST 26

11:30 a.m. Administrative Board, Parker Hall

12:00 p.m. Youth kick-off picnic in Nolensville

## Companions in Christ: Exploring Spiritual Guidance

Beginning September 5, join us for the *Companions in Christ* series, *Exploring Spiritual Guidance*. This five-week small group experience will meet on Wednesday mornings from 10:00-11:00 a.m. at the home of Donna Harrison. The study will conclude on October 3.

For more information or to signup, contact Heather Harriss ([heather@belmontumc.org](mailto:heather@belmontumc.org)).

## Did you know . . .

that Belmont UMC is on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram? You'll see photos, videos, and live-streamed events there that you won't see anywhere else. On Facebook, find us at BelmontUMC.Nashville, and on Twitter and Instagram, find us at BelmontUMC.

## Upcoming Worship Services

*Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost*  
**August 26, 2018**

Paul Purdue preaching 8:15 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. worship services.

Sarah McWhirt-Toler preaching 10:30 a.m. worship in the Community Center.

8:15 a.m. - Communion in the chapel

9:15 a.m. - Sunday school

10:30 a.m. - Worship in the sanctuary

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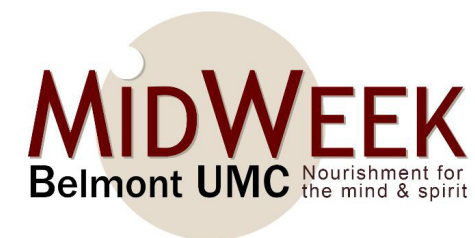
Sunday school classes collecting the offering for August: Simplicity, Covenant, Seekers

**Step into the Sacred: Practicing Worship:** We will evaluate our baptismal vows as life cornerstones. (Matthew 7:21-27)

## Administrative Board will meet next Sunday

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webpage at [belmontumc.org](http://belmontumc.org). You can now pay ahead of time with a credit card! For more information, contact Mark Hagewood ([mark@belmontumc.org](mailto:mark@belmontumc.org) or 615-383-0832, ext. 16).



**Menu for August 22:** *Adults and youth:* Balsamic pot roast, marinated vegetables, mashed potatoes, and dessert. *Vegetarian option:* Avocado, goat cheese, and quinoa stuffed summer squash. *Children:* Pot roast sliders and potato wedges.

# Belmont United Methodist Church News

August 19, 2018



*We believe every person is of sacred worth and created in God's image. We commit to Jesus' example of inclusive love, care, and intentional hospitality with persons of every race, ethnicity, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, marital status, faith story, physical or mental ability, economic status, or political perspective. We respect our diversity of opinion and expressions of faith. Therefore, as God loves us, so let us love and serve in the name of Christ.*

## Thanks, Belmont!



*UMCOR school kit assembly.* Photo by Jim and Susan Bradford

Many thanks to the children, young people, parents, teachers, members of the Foundation Class and the UMW, and other Belmonsters who donated supplies and funds and worked last Sunday morning to assemble school kits for UMCOR. Those kits will be sent to depressed areas and natural disasters areas so that children in those places can continue to learn. Your generous gifts of supplies, money, and time allowed us to meet our goal of more than 200 school kits.

## Administrative Board will meet next Sunday

The next Administrative Board meeting will take place next Sunday, August 26, in Parker Hall immediately following the 10:30 a.m. worship service.

Meal reservations are required no later than this Wednesday, August 22 and may be made online on the Administrative Board

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## Belmont UMC welcomes new Intern to Young People

We are excited to welcome Claire Ward as our Intern to Young People (children and youth) for the 2018-2019 school year. Claire is entering her junior year at Belmont University. She is pursuing a B.M. degree with double majors in Music Education and Spanish. Claire is an active member of the Belmont Wesley Foundation and the Alpha Gamma

Delta Sorority. Originally from Memphis, Tennessee, she attended Bartlett United Methodist Church where she participated in UMYF, youth choir, and missions ministry. Outside of school, she enjoys traveling and recently completed a summer study program in Argentina with plans to travel to Ghana and Cuba in 2019.

## Children's choirs resume this week!

Children's choirs will begin at 6:15 p.m. this Wednesday, August 22, on the Faith Finders hall. Children's Chimes (5th-

6th graders) will begin at 5:40 p.m. in the bell room that date also. All are welcome! For a list