

FINAL MILE CAMPAIGN (as of 10/11)



Construction Capital Needed	\$451,510
Pledges	\$444,831
Pledges Needed	\$ 6,679

Mortgage Support Needed	\$216,000
Pledges	\$186,012
Pledges Needed	\$ 29,988

<i>Pledge Amounts Received</i>	<i>\$368,981</i>
<i>Remaining Pledges to Collect</i>	<i>\$261,862</i>

*Thank you everyone for your commitment to this project.
Please send any pledge updates to edwards@scbloomington.com*

Email Devotionals: The Pastor is writing daily email devotionals during this time of isolation due to corona.
Email office@downsumc.org to be added to the list.

The Swap Room continues to have great success! Have you visited the Swap Room yet? You can donate to the church clean and gently used items that your family is done with (stuff like: small furniture, home decor, toys, games, linens, kitchenware, small electronics, sports or exercise equipment, kick-knacks, DVD's, books, etc.). Church members can shop there by making a donation for whatever they pick up.



The Swap Room is open on Sundays 10:45am until noon.
Please come browse as the items will change each week.
You can also drop items off at this time.

Have questions, use the following email address:
swaproom@downsumc.org



October 25, 2020

SERVICE ONLINE
SUNDAY MORNING
WWW.DOWNSUMC.ORG



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www.downsumc.org

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Welcome to



We are so glad you are worshipping with us on line! We would love to know who has joined us, so help us take church attendance by sending an email with the subject "Present". Please sing along if you are familiar with the songs.

If you would like to lend your talents and voices to elements of future online worship services,



FAITH AT HOME PAGE: visit www.downsumc.org to visit the "faith at home" page and find great readable and downloadable content to aid you in growing closer to Go right at home!

This page contains a wide variety of

information:

- * Instructions on creating a worship space at home
- * Spiritual Discipline instructions (new ways to pray and more)
- * Devotions for the whole family while you're home

October 25, 2020

Welcome & Announcements

Worship Song: *Stand In Your Love*

Scripture Reading: Psalm 119:25-32

Worship Song: *Walk By Faith*

Pastoral Prayer

**Offertory
Doxology**

Scripture Reading: 2Timothy 3:14-17

**Message by Rev. Ken Burgard
*Know the Truth: Why Do we Still Listen to the Bible?***

Worship Song: *Holy, Holy, Holy*

Benediction



CHAIRS FOR CHANGE

The Senior High youth has painted chairs to be part of the Recycling Furniture for Families and Habit for Humanity fundraiser that benefits those in need in our community. We invite you to check out the [Chairs 4 Change](#) site to check out all the works of art by local artists and participate in the auction on Nov. 6.

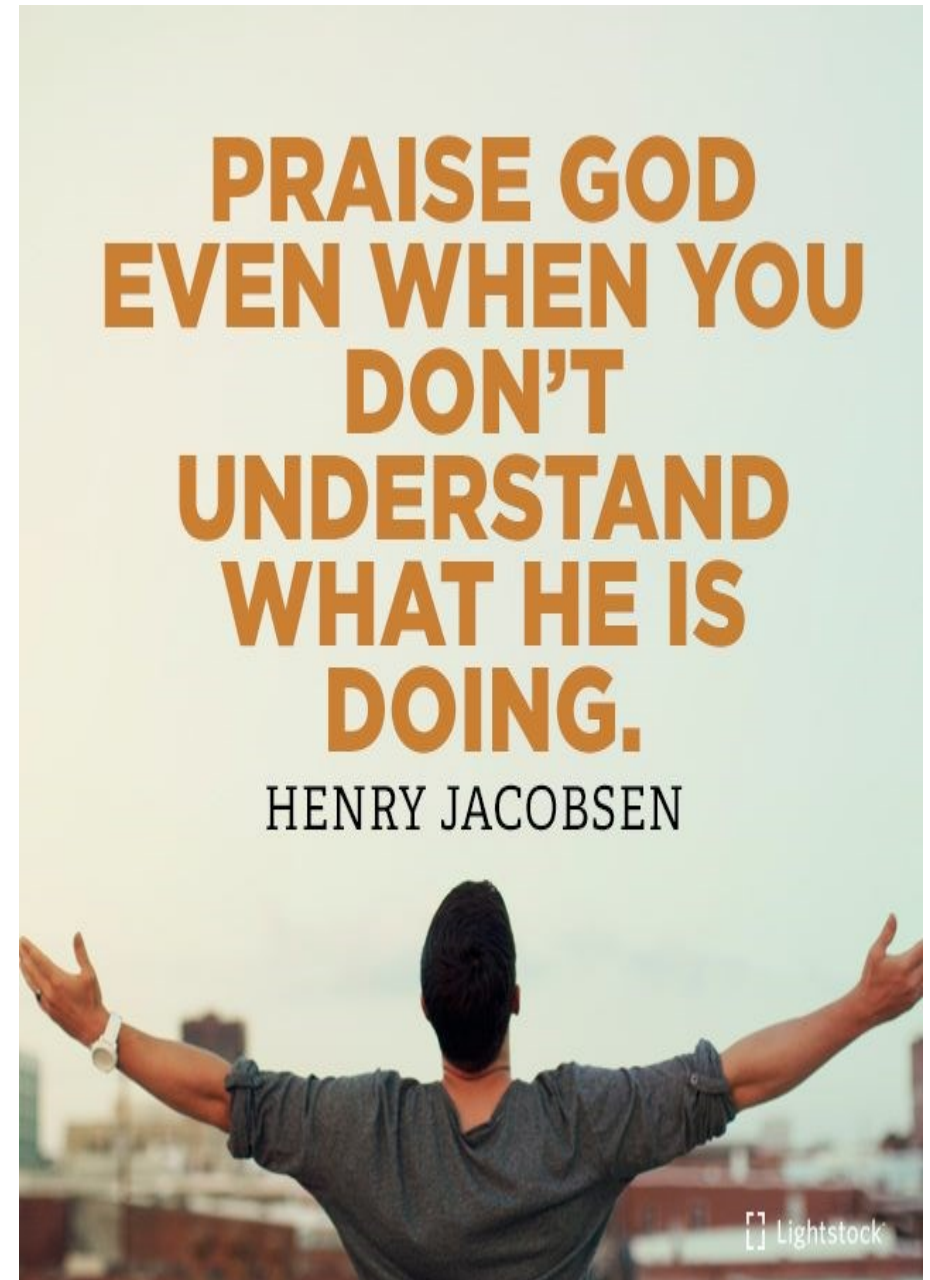
Early Response Team (ERT) Recertification: Equips individuals and teams to respond in the immediate aftermath of a disaster. The cost for this training is \$15 per participant. At the training, participants will receive an ERT Training Manual (digital copy), and upon completing the course will receive a UMCOR ID Badge. A UMCOR background check is required before receiving badges. If you were trained in 2017 this is your last chance to do the recertification and avoid having to take the full basic class again. If you are not able to attend either date, please contact Curt Franklin cfranklin@igrc.org

Registration for November 11th and 12th 6:00 – 8:00 pm

<https://igrc-reg.brtaapp.com/ERTRecertNov1112>

Registration for November 17th and 19th 6:00 – 8:00 pm

<https://igrc-reg.brtaapp.com/ERTRecertNov17192020>





Down UMC will be hosting a Trunk or Treat event on Halloween Night from 5-8pm. There will be cars lined up in the back parking lot of the church for families to stop at. Each car will have their trunk decorated by church families and volunteers.

We are only offering outdoor activities as part of this event this year. We will have a separate station set up with pre-packaged goodie bags for the families to take home. There will be no contact with the individual trunks, we will set up a dividing line to allow for our volunteers to remain 6 feet apart from each other and our visitors.

We are taking donations of INDIVIDUALLY WRAPPED AND SEALED CANDY (tootsie rolls and bubble gum won't work). Please contact the office at office@downsumc.org or 378-2651 to set up a time to drop items off.



The Festival of Trees

The 2020 HYBRID Festival of Trees offers both virtual and safe in-person options to support local kids in need.

STEP 1 - REGISTER TO BID STARTING NOV. 1. The Baby Fold's new mobile auction website allows you to browse, bid, and purchase auction items on your mobile device from the safety and convenience of your home. Early bird preview and auction registration begin Nov. 1.

STEP 2 – BID HIGH AND BID OFTEN NOV 15 - 21. All bidding takes place online through the mobile auction website starting Nov. 15 at 6 pm. Auction items will also be on display for your enjoyment at **Eastland Mall** (in the former MC Sports, by Kohl's) **November 16 – 21 from 11am-8pm daily.**

STEP 3 – PICK UP YOUR AUCTION ITEMS NOV. 22. Auction winners will be notified via email and text message after the auction closes. Curbside or walk-in pickup is available for your convenience at Eastland Mall (former MC Sports, by Kohl's) from 12pm-6pm Nov. 22. Thank you for supporting the children of The Baby Fold!

The Baby Fold's Festival of Trees is a long-standing community tradition. Because The Baby Fold is committed to the health of our community, there will be no events or entertainment this year. You can expect a beautiful, one-of-a-kind holiday display. The Baby Fold will create a safe and enjoyable environment; leveraging technology to make bidding easier, safer, and more convenient than ever before. Your support through the purchase of beautifully decorated trees, wreaths, or holiday décor helps families and children in need.

<https://www.thebabyfold.org/festivaloftrees>

Stand In Your Love

When darkness tries to roll over my bones
When sorrow comes to steal the joy I own
When brokenness and pain is all I know
I won't be shaken I won't be shaken

My fear doesn't stand a chance
When I stand in Your love
(REPEAT)

Shame no longer has a place to hide
I am not a captive to the lies
I'm not afraid to leave my past behind
I won't be shaken no, I won't be shaken

My fear doesn't stand a chance
When I stand in Your love
(REPEAT)

There's power that can break off every chain
There's power that can empty out a grave
There's resurrection power that can save
There's power in Your name power in Your
name

My fear doesn't stand a chance
When I stand in Your love
(REPEAT)

My fear doesn't stand a chance
When I stand in Your love
(REPEAT)

Standing in Your love
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Walk By Faith

Will I believe You when You say
Your hand will guide my ev'ry way
Will I receive the words You say
Ev'ry moment of ev'ry day

Well I will walk by faith
Even when I cannot see
Because this broken road
Prepares Your will for me

Help me to rid my endless fears
You've been so faithful for all my
years
With one breath You made me new
Your grace covers all I do
Yeah yeah yeah
Yeah yeah yeah

Well I will walk by faith
Even when I cannot see
Because this broken road
Prepares Your will for me

Bridge
Well I'm broken
But I still see Your face
Well You've spoken
Pouring Your words of grace

Well I will walk by faith
Even when I cannot see
Because this broken road
Prepares Your will for me

Well I will walk by faith
Even when I cannot see
Because this broken road
Prepares Your will for me
Prepares Your will for me
I want Your will for me

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Holy Holy Holy

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning
Our song shall rise to Thee
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

Holy holy holy
Though the darkness hide Thee
Though the eye of sinful man
Thy glory may not see
Only Thou art holy
There is none beside Thee
Perfect in power
In love and purity

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
All Thy works shall praise Thy
name
In earth and sky and sea
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

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Online Bible Study Group

Using the online meeting app “Zoom” we will be offering a meetings for prayer and Bible study on Tuesdays, at 10am. Pastor Ken will share a brief Bible study and we’ll have a chance to chat and pray together. We are limiting group size to 12. Please **send an email to: office@downsumc.org** to sign up. You’ll receive an email reply with an invitation to join the scheduled meeting via zoom.

PRAYER LIST

HEALTH & HEALING: Gary Adkisson, Clayton Bryan, Betty Harvey, Barb Jones, Ron Terven; Yvonne Rosenow; Axel Riordan; Karen Walters; Judy Burgard; Robert & Ruth Christmas; Ray Piper; Mary Romine; Scott Romine; Donna Clark

WISDOM: Axel Riordan Family

MILITARY: Josh McBride of the 3rd Infantry Division is going to South Korea

To be added to the prayer list please send information to prayerrequest@downsumc.org or calling the office at 378-2651. Please be sure to mention if permission has been granted to publish each individual’s name.

PRAYER CHAIN REQUESTS are done through email. To be notified of a prayer request, please let the office know that you would like to be included in that group email.

When making prayer requests, please send an email to prayerrequest@downsumc.org and it will be sent to the group.

Today & This Week



Sun 10/25	9:30am	On Line Worship
		In Person Worship with restrictions. Please see the website.
	6:00pm	High School Youth in Loft/annex Fellowship Hall
Mon 10/26	6:00pm	Boy Scouts in Education Wing
	6:00pm	Sewing Group in Fellowship Hall
Tues 10/27	10:00am	Zoom Bible Study
	2-6pm	Filming in Sanctuary
	6-7:30pm	3rd & Below in Church Basement
Wed 10/28	4:00pm	Journey Group in Classroom
	5:00pm	Sanctuary in use
	6-7:30pm	Next Gen in church basement Loft & Annex
Thur 10/29	6:15pm	Arrow of Light Cub Scouts-FH
Sat 10/31	5-7pm	Trunk or Treat in Parking Lot
Sun 11/1	**	On Line Worship Service
	9:30am	In Person Worship with restrictions. Please see the website.
	6-7:30pm	HS Youth in Annex/Loft/ Fellowship Hall

ALL meetings and groups using the facility need to schedule through Janice at office@downsumc.org.

Please don’t assume usual meeting space will be available, or that verbal okays from anyone else will guarantee your spot. Thank you in advance for your help with this.

PLEASE NOTE: The Food Pantry no longer needs empty laundry detergent bottle. Thank you for all that has been donated.