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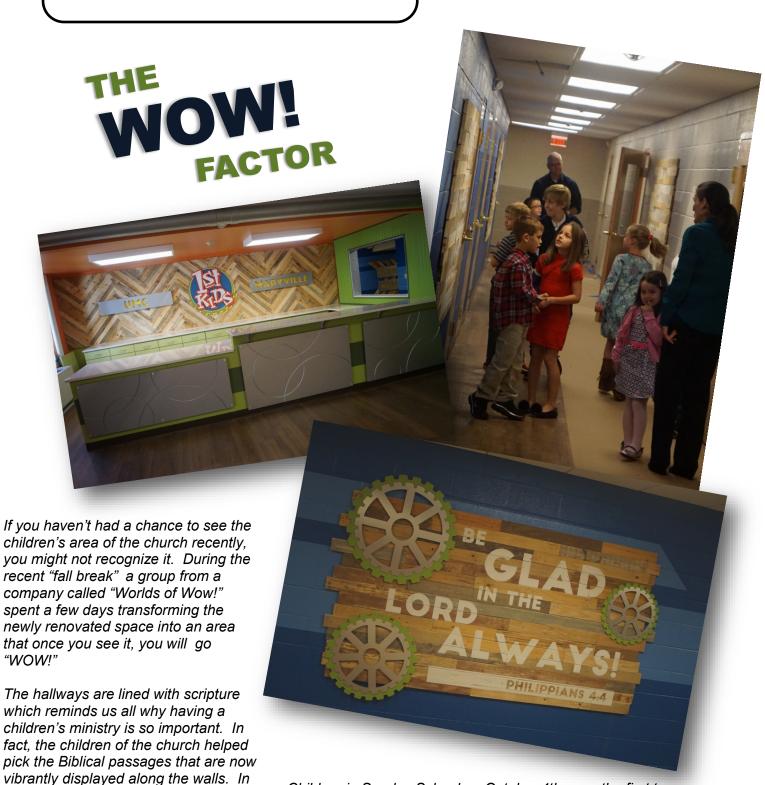
addition, there are new signs pointing

people to the right rooms.

# Church Bell 5

Issue 19 October 12, 2015

Transformed by Christ, we will: TELL,TEACH,TOUCH the World.



Children in Sunday School on October 4th were the first to see the transformation, spending a little time during class to take it all in. The children's check-in area and the gathering space across from it aren't quite finished. For pictures of the transformation, check out the photo gallery in the "Renovation News" section at <a href="https://www.1stchurch.org">www.1stchurch.org</a>.

#### Where are the kneelers?

The kneelers have not been built yet; they will be when we make decisions about quantity and length and placement.

We are learning and experimenting with 'furniture placement' just as you do when you buy new furniture for a room! It takes a while of living with the furniture to realize the best configuration. Before we make a permanent decision about how many kneelers and what length, let's give ourselves some time to 'live with' communion, handbell tables, children's choirs coming and going, baptismal font placement, etc.

We do have options that we have not had before. and we want to use our resources wisely. One thing to consider is not just the kneeling rails but the traffic flow, or rather, people flow! We want to have room for people to navigate comfortably while receiving communion. Thank you for your patience as we 'live with' our new space.



## Chancel Area Walls

You will notice some 'deconstruction' in the chancel area as some adjustments are being made to the air handlers. Hopefully, what work will be completed as quickly as possible.

Catherine

## **Memorials & Honorariums**

	Managed at Free d
	Memorial Fund
In memory of:	Given by:
Peggy Winck	Dan & Jan McCoy
Peggy Winck	Jack & Jean Gibson
Peggy Winck	Van & JoAnn Myers
Lucille West	Larry & Lynn Ladd
Lucille West	Wanda Jo & Pepe Mendez
Lucille West	Ron & Ruby Coffman-Jones
Peggy Winck	Bill & Amy Broome
Peggy Winck	Don & Lora Harless
Lucille West	Marvin & Jimmie Eaves
Lucille West	Paul & Brenda Manis
Gene Coleman	Harry & Wanda Newberry
Lucille West	Jay & Ann Frick
John Wisecarver	Harry & Wanda Newberry
Lucille West	Frieda West
Lucille West	James & Regina Watson
Lucille West	Timothy & Melinda Best
Lucille West	James & Ellen Xoinis
John Wiscarver	Gene Roberts
Emily Paulk	Heritage SS Class
Emily Paulk	Bob & Lila Eby
Steve Dorner	Gary & Sherry Hensley
Tressa Benson	Gary & Sherry Hensley
Ferguson	
Lucille West	Jerry & Frances Hodge
Jon Wisecarver	Bob & Peg Haresnape
Steve Dorner	Steve & Martha Shieilds
Lucille West	Shields SS Class
John Wisecarver	A.B. & Eula Gray
	Goddard
Lucille West	A.B. & Eula Gray
	Goddard
Peggy Winck	John Steiner
John Wisecarver	John Steiner
	Audio System
In honor of:	Given by:
Chris Lee	R.T. & Clara Ousley
Randy Rogers	R.T. & Clara Ousley
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	<b>Bayou Mission Fund</b>
In memory of:	Given by:
Jay Reynolds	J.D. & Ruth Moor
Jay Reynolds	Phil & Amy Large
Jay Reynolds	Bill Mueller
	<b>Building Fund</b>
Gene Coleman	Tim & Trish Badge
John Wisecarver	Tim & Trish Badge
Peggy Winck	Ivanell Farber
Lucille West	Ivanell Farber
Gene Coleman	Blanche Badgett
John Wisecarver	Blanche Badgett
Lucille West	Blanche Badgett
	Family Promise
In memory of:	Given by:
Al Dockter	John & Julie Roch
Gene Coleman	John & Julie Roch
John Wisecarver	John & Julie Roch
Becky Pirtle	John & Julie Roch
Richard Daugherty	John & Julie Roch
Peggy Winck	Naomi Cunningha
Gene & Mary Lee	Naomi Cunningha
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	<u>Organ Fund</u>
In memory of:	Given by:
John Wisecarver	Naomi Cunningha

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## **HAPPENING AT**

For more information on any of these events or to sign up for them please visit www.1stchurch.org or call the church office at 982-1273.





## NOVEMBER 8TH 9:00 AM TO 2:00 PM

Come shop the world all in one place as 1st UMC hosts the annual Alternative Gift Fair. This year, there will be more than 15 vendors representing non-profit groups, fair trade organizations, and groups within the church. This is a great place to do a little holiday shopping and buy gifts that actually "give twice!"

## Our church family

#### In Memoriam:

Martha Bird
Joined First Church
September 22, 1996
Entered the Church Triumphant
September 21, 2015

Gene Coleman
Joined First Church
July 5, 1970
Entered the Church Triumphant
September 29, 2015

John Wisecarver
Joined First Church
June 1954
Entered the Church Triumphant
September 29, 2015

## FALL FESTIVAL @ 1st

CTOBER 31ST



2:00 pm until 4:00 pm

Activities for all ages

FREE!

Volunteers needed to help make this event a success. If you are interested in helping go to the "1st Ministries" tab at <a href="https://www.1stchurch.org">www.1stchurch.org</a> and click on the volunteer link or call Denise Johns at 982-1273.



Lunch and program:
Health Rhythms
(Gaye King—Holston Conference)

Wednesday, October 28th Noon Cost is \$5

# Celebrate Recovery

**Each Wednesday Night!** 

### October 21st -

Teen Challenge: Voices of Victory Choir

October 28th - Lesson 10 Spirit Invent Part 1

November 4th - Lesson 11: Spirit Invent Part 2 www.crmaryvilletn.com

## **Congratulations to:**

Jim & Kathie Kruse on the birth of their granddaughter, Addison Lauren Russell born to their daughter Lauren and her husband, Eric Scott Russell

Gavin Ross who was baptized on September 27, 2015



Our fall stewardship campaign, *Tell, Teach, Touch*, begins Sunday, November 1.

We encourage everyone to pray as we prepare for this journey.

Commitment Sunday is November 15.



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