

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Please update your contact information.
- Let us know if you want to be included on any phone blasts or text message alerts.
- Zoom Game Nights start at 7 pm every Monday. Please call the office @ 918-534-2328 to get the link.
- Christmas Outreach Pledge cards are due Sunday, Oct. 4

PRAYER REQUESTS

Gladys Teel	Linda Bushong
Armstrong family	Clint Strate
Harp family	Gary & Marilyn Foster
Victoria Hammer	James Graham III
McKelvain family	Mark Ettinger
First Methodist Church (Muskogee)	

Prayer requests can be sent to us by phone at 918-534-2328 or by email at DeweyMC@CableONE.net

CARDS AND LETTERS

Do you know someone who would benefit from receiving personal letters and cards from caring church members? If so, please let the church office know and we'll add them to this list:

Linda Foster (Gary & Marilyn Foster)
1106 W 15th
Grove, OK. 74344
Or directly to
Gary & Marilyn Foster
Grove Nursing Center
1503 Har-Ber Rd.
Room 407
Grove, OK. 74344

NEW MEMBERS



Warren Williams Joined by transfer of membership on August 30th at the 9am service. His wife Shannon, daughter Abby, and son Caleb (Not Pictured), joined previously.

If you would like to join our Church, please let us know and we can make it happen!

CONTACT US

We love to hear from you.

Phone	918-534-2328
Web	www.deweymc.com
Email	deweymc@cableone.net
Address	618 N. Delaware St. P O Box 610 Dewey, OK. 64029

Spirit Connection

RELAUNCH NEWSLETTER | DEWEY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SEPTEMBER 2020

Welcome Home... Again

This Sunday, September 6th is our relaunch Sunday. It has been a long time since we worshipped face to face, and unfortunately it may be some time before we are all back together again.

Things may look completely different than you are used to when you return; everyone in masks, socially distant, singers behind plexiglass, and worst of all, no coffee. Unfortunately these are some of the trade-offs we have chosen to make, in order to welcome you back and keep you safe.

Some of you, aren't quite ready to return, we understand and honor that as well. We are currently working on ways to bridge the gap between in-person and virtual, so people can stay connected during this season of changes.

No matter when you return, we will warmly and safely welcome you home, again.

Rev. Jinx

Church Events

Sept 6—Relaunch Sunday

Sept 7—Labor Day
(Office Closed)

Oct 3—Historical Society
meets in Fellowship Hall

Oct 4—Christmas Outreach
Pledges Due

Oct 12—Columbus Day
(Office Closed)

Oct 31—Halloween

Nov 1—Church Conference

Nov 15—Charge
Conference—District

Zoom Game Nights

Miss having fellowship with your church friends? Join us on Monday nights @ 7 pm for Zoom Game Nights . You can call the office to get the link at 918-534-2328.

This is a fun and exciting way to join together virtually as a whole. After we have been open a few weeks we will offer a hybrid approach, with both in-person and virtual settings.

Update Contact Information

Please call or come by the office to update your personal contact information so that we can update the Breeze Software.

Your information helps us to be better able to reach out to you via email, phone, and address with church updates/activities. We will have forms available in the church office to fill out.

Recycling the Pandemic

Never waste a crisis, there is always something useful; the more we commit to the response, the better off we will be in both the short and long term.

Change isn't always fun, especially when it is brought about in a time of crisis. But even in crisis, there is opportunity, and I feel we have an opportunity to enrich all of our ministries during this time.

Some of you participated in the Zoom game nights, which we really need to begin again. We have already seen the changes to livestream worship. This November we will participate in a district wide collaborative sermon series using this technology. Our advent series and studies will have both an in person aspect and a virtual platform also. Our hope is to keep people involved with the life of the church, even when they aren't able to be here.

There are many other things we would like to try, maybe you have some ideas how to bridge the virtual – in-person divide. Let us know if you are interested in participating or helping with this new venture. You may be on the forefront of a new way to do ministry in this age.

Christmas Outreach Pledge

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHRISTMAS OUTREACH COMMITTEE

As tradition holds, the Dewey United Methodist Church will continue to provide Christmas gifts to children in Dewey who need assistance. However,, the process for raising the funds will look different this year.

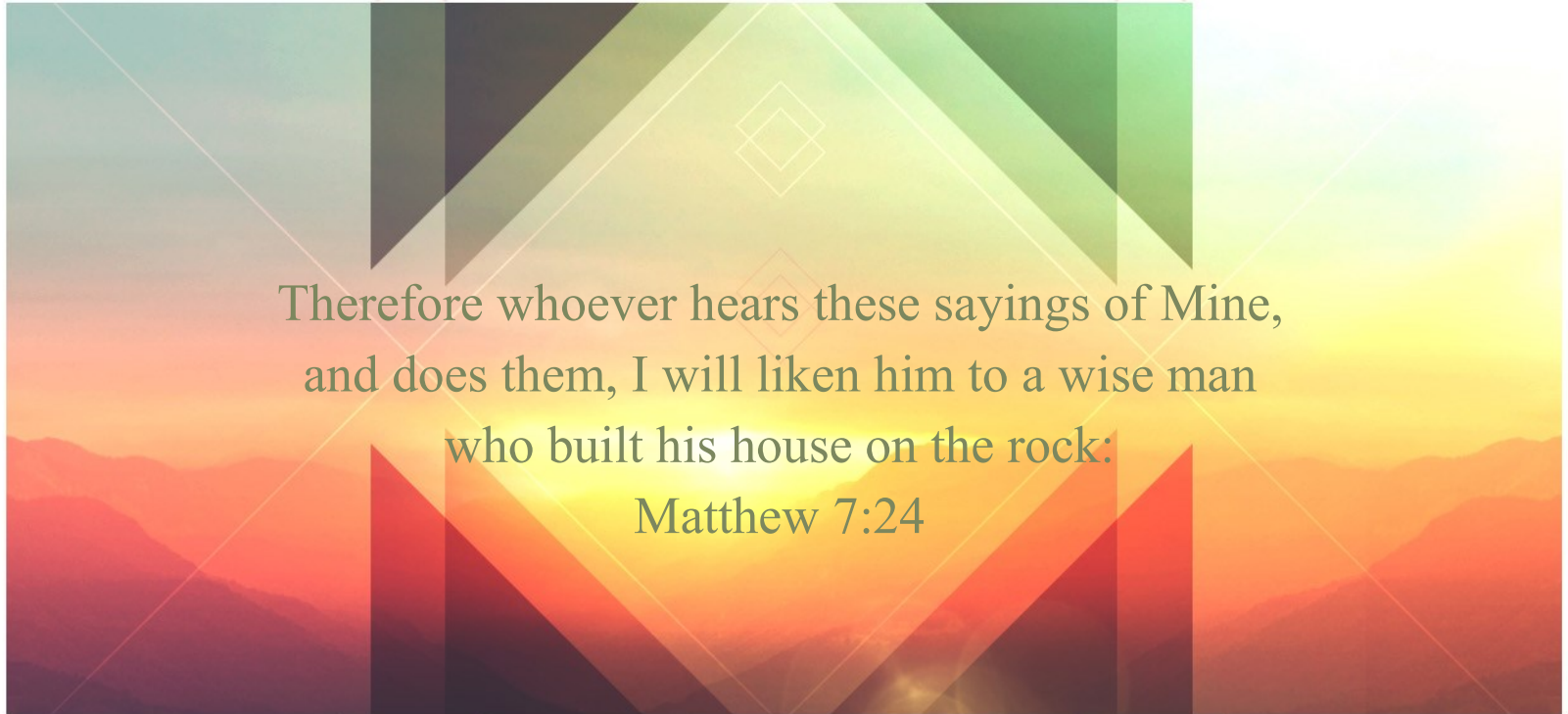
To ensure the safety of all we will not host our annual Pie Auction. Our members hearts are full of giving and that is why this mission has been so successful. Please consider how much you would have donated at the pie auction and continue to do so through this process. The pledge is due to the church by October 4th. You may mail the check to :

Dewey United Methodist Church
P.O Box 610
Dewey, OK. 74029

or you may bring it by the church office at 618 N Delaware St. Dewey, OK.

Office Hours:
Monday-Thursday 9 am– 3 pm.

May God bless you with your generosity.



Therefore whoever hears these sayings of Mine,
and does them, I will liken him to a wise man
who built his house on the rock:
Matthew 7:24

Upcoming Sermon Series

September: Show Us A Sign
October: Toward The Kingdom
November: Now Thank We All Our God**
December: Incarnation***

** District Connectional Sermon Series, we will be treated to 5 sermons from pastors across our district who tell their stories of trial and trouble and how God worked with them and others to get them through it.

***Sermon Series will also have an available in-person, and virtual bible study.