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Claude & Kay Bess

Logan Honaker	2^{nd}
Autumn Iannamorelli	$3^{\rm rd}$
Betty Lane	8^{th}
Mary Spearen	8^{th}
Jody Wilson-Nibert	9 th
Katie Tomlin	9^{th}
Sally Kiner	11 th
Wyatt Moses	13 th
Eric Gagich	15 th
Jessie Hudspeth	18 th
Meade Corder	18 th
Peter Gagich III	19 th
Phyllis Gagich	25 th



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Hello Friends

Halloween will be soon be here, and thoughts invariably will turn to the supernatural world of ghosts and goblins. There will be ample opportunity for each if us to have the life scared out of us by "haunted houses", "haunted trails", and "haunted hay rides" to list but a few. At any given time on Halloween you will see at least one little kid dressed up as the devil. Red makeup, horns, pitchfork and maybe even a little pointed tail. Now I am not one of those that think such costumes are damning or damaging to the children, it is all meant in fun. I dressed as a scarecrow one year but that doesn't make me one, (although I have been accused of not having a brain much like the scarecrow in The Wizard of Oz), but the sight of the little devils out there do make me think of "the devil".

In our minds, our image of the devil is often times very similar to the costumed children we will see on the 31st, but what do we read in the Bible? In the books of Luke and Matthew we hear no reference to a pointy tail or horns, but rather more of a tempter. In my mind it brings forth images of an unscrupulous salesman trying to pressure someone into a decision that the person knows is wrong, but it is very tempting none the less.

That is, I think, the devil we probably all know and should be most afraid of. The devil who speaks in whispers in our ear. The Father of Lies. Tempting us to go against what God has planned for us. Giving us ideas that seem harmless at face value, but will lead further and further down a hole that for many will be inescapable. This devil is very busy in our world today, as more and more people turn away from Jesus Christ and his teachings. This is the devil we must all fight against in our own lives, and in the lives of those who have listened to satan's advice for far too long.

So this year when you see that youngster dressed up as a little devil, remember the real one. Remember our savior Jesus Christ, and remember the strength and power we all have through Him. Just as Jesus turned away from the temptations offered to him in the wilderness, we too have the ability to do the same, in Jesus name.

Peace be with you

Pastor Rick

All Saints Sunday will be **November 3rd** and we want to take that opportunity to remember those who have gone on before us this past year.





Fayetteville's Veteran's Day Service Sunday, November 10th at 3pm at the Memorial Building. Everyone is invited!







Our Annual Charge Conference with our District Superintendent, Dr. Joe Kenaston, will be a joint Conference with Doggett Chapel and Fayetteville on Tuesday,

November 12th at 7:00 pm

at Oak Hill UMC.



Undies Sunday - October 13th

Please bring a package or two of <u>new</u> Boxers, Briefs, Undies, T-Shirts, Long Johns & Janes, Socks and/or Training pants to church. There is a box placed in the narthex for your donations. Thank you for participation in Undie Sunday!!



Doggett Chapel has a Bible Discussion Group on the 3rd Wednesday of every month at 6:30 pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. Fayetteville
United Methodist
Women
Tuesday, October
15th
6:30pm





Free Community Lunch
Saturday October 26th
11:00 am - 1:30 pm

Join us for Fellowship & Nourishment for your body and soul.

All served with the Love of Christ.

Erin's Closet

Wednesday October 24th
10 am - noon
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Saturday October 26th
10 am - 1:30 pm

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