

**Refuge Youth Ministries  
Lexington United Methodist Church**

*July Newsletter*



**Register For Immerse**

**Deadline for Immerse is extended  
June 30th!** Send, drop off a check to  
LUMC on for before Jun 30th! No late  
submissions accepted after this  
date!!!!

For more information:

[http://www.lexumcyouth.org/wp  
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**Come to the Water**

Join us on **Sunday nights** for a night  
of dinner, swimming, and a devotional.

**5:15-7:15pm**

June 25: Lou Ellen and Grady Decell

Jul 9: Scott and Jaimee O'Neal

Jul 23: Diane Crosby

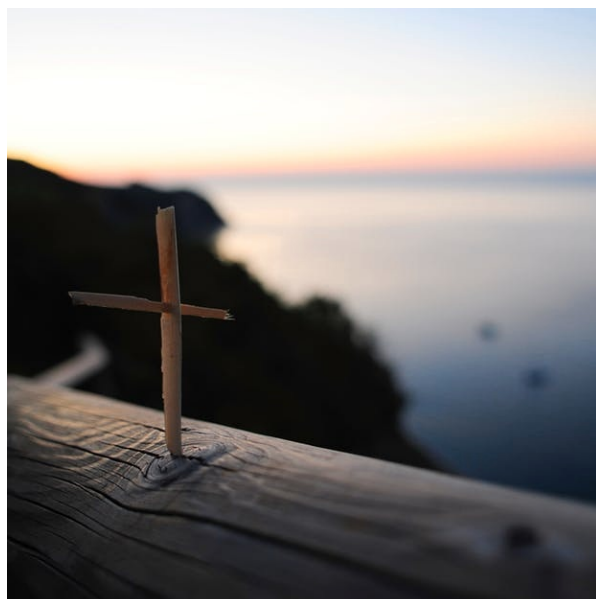
Aug 6: John Stewart

Aug 13: Water night, Mt Hebron UMC



#### **Vacation Bible School**

We are still accepting youth volunteer forms for VBS! If you have NOT signed up already and you would like a T-shirt, please email Ashley Evans at [ashleyrevans@gmail.com](mailto:ashleyrevans@gmail.com) by Jun 27th. Shirts will not be guaranteed after this date



### For Parents Only

#### **Salkehatchie coverage on WLTX:**

<http://www.wltx.com/mb/news/kids-helping-the-homeless-/451072281>

All youth 14yo+ and adults are invited to join LUMC's team next June at the Wateree in Camden, SC.

I've talked about the importance of a) youth attending *worship* on Sunday mornings and b) being active in other parts of the life of the church for a higher rate of retention as an adult in the church. Check out this blog here: <http://www.christianitytoday.com/edstetzer/2014/may/dropouts-and-disciples-how-many-students-are-really-leaving.html>

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