



From Dave's Desk...

School has started, summer vacations are completed, and the fall schedule of events begins at church once again. We started a summer Monday evening service at 6:30 and it was on the most part pretty well attended. The last Monday service will be September 6th, Labor Day weekend. One event is ending and another will be beginning. Planning is being made to begin Home Bible Studies the third week of September. We are looking for people to host this in their homes over an eight week period. The study will be an overview of the New Testament books with some good study and learning experiences. Each person will receive a workbook and each session will have a DVD study. If you are interested in hosting a study please contact the office at 296-3399.

Make plans to attend a Sunday school class this year. We have classes children of all ages and we have 4 adult

classes. Triple F (Fun, Food, and Fellowship) is reading and studying the Bible from beginning to end. Hope Class has short studies that change throughout the year. Disciple 101 is now studying "What It Means to be United Methodist." They also have short studies throughout the year. The Joy class does a traditional semester style study of theme throughout the Scriptures.

Come join us for worship and study this fall. There are ample opportunities to learn more about what God has planned for us.

Pastor Dave



Worship This Month *Jeremiah's Stories*

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| 5th | Communion-Jeremiah 18:1-11 | "Clay Play" |
| 12th | Guest Speaker | |
| 19th | I Timothy 2:1-7 &
Jeremiah 8:18-9:1 | "No Balm, No Calm" |
| 26th | I Timothy 6:6-19 &
Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15 | "Sealed Deal" |

Vacation Bible School

Shout it to the north, south, east and west...VBS was a wonderful week! We had about 30 children sign up and a great time was had by all. The children learned songs, made crafts, played games, had yummy snacks and learnt about a good and caring God.

I want to thank some very talented and giving people...first to Kathy Seager and her church for loaning us the amazing decorations! Bob Waugh made us a wonderful boat that the children LOVED! Lastly, the amazing people who volunteered their time: Carol Nagy who did a great job as Director, Rene' Kemmerer, Vicki Hastings, Beth Carter, Rita Cornell, Michelle Albitz, Andy Albitz, April Farley, Elaine Simon, Tom Simon, Nancy Doyle, Trish McDonnell, Susie Kelsey, Kayla Simon, Steve Percy, Julie Percy, Pastor Dave, Cathy Harden, Dania Remaly, Kevin Garrett, and all of you who donated items to VBS this year. We could not have had VBS without all of your help!



God Bless!

*Patty Wright
Education Chair*

United Methodist Women

Schedule change:

September's meeting will be

Thursday, September 2nd at 6:30 in the church basement. This will be a brief business meeting.

Greetings from Wee Blessings

Summer is over and the sounds of children are abundant in our classroom! Our open house was held in August and it was so exciting to meet all the children and their parents. Mary Kay and I have planned our activities and we know that it will be a wonderful year for the children.

Our first day of school was filled with excitement and fun. The children wrote the rules of our classroom and did an outstanding job! We also started working on our Bible verses, our letters, making art projects, and writing our stories based on the letter of the week!

We invite each of you to come and visit our classroom. We would love to have volunteers, so if you are interested please let me know!

God Bless,
Mary Kay and Patty

UMW WENT TO A PICNIC

The United Methodist Women were invited to a picnic at Gloria Dei. Other Church women were also guests. The food was delicious and lots of sharing and laughter was heard! Kathy Selvey was the guest speaker. She is the teacher at *Rainbow Haven* in Frankfort. *Rainbow Haven* is transitional housing for women and children. They rely on donations of money to support their budget and they also need volunteers to do extra labor at the home. The UMW who attended were: Rene Kemmerer, Betty Campbell, Barb Seager, Ronnette Peden with guest Deb Davis, Jean Sutton, Marie Myers, Wilma Howe and Vicki Hastings, & Carol Schaub.

****Many thanks** to the UMW for preparing salads and desserts for the Sue Bass family. Those ladies were: Janet Fisher, Ronda Hall, Barb Seager, Beth Carter, Betty Skiles and Sandy Seager. The family was most appreciative.



**Saturday, September 18th
from 8 am to 1 pm**

The Evangelism Committee would like to thank everyone for their generous donations toward school supplies for the Community Family Fun Day. You're wonderful! A special thanks for all our volunteers who helped too-Craig & Beth Carter, Roger Lewis, Ed Fisher, April Farley, & Joanne Weber.

Although the skies were gloomy, there was joy in the faces of all who came and participated. This mission endeavor was a true blessing to many families. Who knows how far-reaching all the blessings will be?

In total, 74 filled book bags were given out, including a few to last years preschoolers, and high schoolers. The remaining book bags will be distributed in a number of ways. Some will go directly to Clinton Prairie for their registration day. Others will be given out from Abba's Place, and some may even be delivered to the Mulberry Retirement Home workers who have children attending school.

The water balloons and other outdoor games were a big success, as was Mimi the Clown's face-painting. The cupcake decorating was enjoyed by everyone (some more than others). Thank you again for being such a blessing to so many in our community. I'm pretty sure God was smiling down on Mulberry's Park that Sunday (and it never did rain)!

Evangelism Committee

Administrative Council

Minutes will continue next month
There was no council meeting
in August.

Save your GENTLY used items to donate.

Bring items Sunday, September 12th-Friday, 17th.
Donations may be put on the large green table in the basement or in the parsonage garage.



Mountain Mission Donations Information

Good usable household items and clothing left from the garage sale will be donated to the Mountain Mission Program. If you would like to make a donation to the Mountain Mission please wait until AFTER the garage sale. Sunday, Sep 19-Friday, Sep 24th. We will collect these donations in the parsonage Garage.



Frankfort Quilt Guild annual quilt show Sept 10, 11 (9:00 -5:00) & 12 (1-5) at Frankfort library.

Quilt will be raffled off and some quilted items for sale. The display will be up through September 24



It is so hard to think about our **Christmas Boutique** when it is so warm/hot, but it is coming up quicker than I can believe. I hope you've saved the date of Saturday **November 13, 2010** from 8am to 2 pm.

As I write this in July, we still have a few spots left for vendors and if you or someone you know would like a booth space, please have them call me at 296-3764.

We will also be having our UMW table to sell items made by the women (or men) of our church, so I hope you are thinking of items you can make and share. Quilt tickets will be available in just a few days.

More information will be forth coming...just remember save the date November 13th.

Nancy Doyle

Missions News

...and the survey says, overwhelmingly: Native American Reservation project. Thank you for your comments and suggestions. There were several votes for Haiti and comments to continue financial support there. Also, there is interest in returning to Henderson Settlement, doing local projects, Gulf Coast clean-up and Africa. Many responded they would like to participate in our next trip. We will review the survey responses at our September meeting and start planning for next year.

On September 8th, Stockwell UMC is having a carry-in and sharing about their recent trip to South Dakota to work at a Native American Reservation. Contact me for more info.

Continuing support for Haiti KIDS' COLLECTION for a Haiti Shelter System. Total cost is \$1100 and provides a 10 person shelter intended to last at least 2 years while a permanent home can be built. It includes:

- wood-framed shelter for 10
- built-in bunk beds for children
- a bed frame for the parents
- metal roof
- rain collection barrel
- BIO-SAND water purification system
- weatherproof sheeting walls

<p style="text-align: center;">SHELTER FUNDS AS OF 8/22 \$476.20</p>

The project is sponsored by Samaritan's Purse.

Henderson Settlement Work Team Again, many thanks for your support of this team and project. We had 11 first-time missionaries on this trip. Much good work was completed and many new friendships formed, as well as old friendships strengthened. We saw God's hand in many instances throughout the week. Just ask a team member! Many thanks from the entire team, Tom "Timmy" Simon, Elaine "Doodle" Simon, Larry "sup" Garriott, Ginny "the Shad-ow" Miller, John "One-eyed Jack" Harden, Paul "Pappy" Reddix, Randy "Ground Control" Thies, Lori "OSHA Lady" Thies, Matt "He-man" Simon, Wendy "the Enforcer" Simon, Andrea "Twisty Cap" Burke, Whitney "Foam Girl" Simon, Freida "the Blonde" Weber, Sam "Tap Out" Waugh, Kayla "Rice Krispy" Simon, Brett "What time is it" Simon, Nicole "Tumbleweed" Burke and Deb "Fearless Leader" Schutz.

Next Committee Meeting— September 1st at 7:00 in the Hope classroom.

*Blessings,
Deb Schutz for Missions*



Worship Assistants

*If you are unavailable on your date, please call the office at 296-3399.

Traditional Service 8:45 a.m.

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Greeters</i>	<i>Worship Leader</i>	<i>Prayer w/ Pastor</i>
9/5	Jerry & Nancy Doyle	Vicki Hastings	
9/12	Dan & Dania Remaly	Vicki Hastings	Wayne Walker
9/19	Jerry & Wilma Fultz	Vicki Hastings	
9/26	TBA	Vicki Hastings	Wendy Simon

Blue Jean Service 11:00 a.m.

<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Greeters</i>	<i>Scripture Reader</i>	<i>Children's Church</i>
9/5	Reddix Family	Deb Schutz	No C. C.
9/12	Deb Schutz	Deb Schutz	Elaine Simon
9/19	Ed & Janet Fisher	Deb Schutz	Trish McDonnell
9/26	Tom & Elaine Simon	Deb Schutz	Need a Volunteer

Arrive 20 minutes early to greet, review the scripture, or pray with the pastor.

Attendance & Offering

<i>Date</i>	<i>Total Attend.</i>	<i>Sun. School</i>	<i>Gen. Fund Offering</i>
7/4	99	55	\$3,809
7/11	127	59	\$3,607
7/18	134	57	\$4,576
7/25	140	65	\$3,481

*General Fund Offering does not include money designated to specific funds, groups or activities.

September Birthdays

9/3	Steve Pearcy	9/15	Barb Seager
9/4	George Culbertson	9/19	Terry Thayer
9/4	Jerry Farley	9/20	Stacie Gascho
9/4	Lori Thies	9/22	Jackie Jessee
9/10	Lucy Coons	9/25	Kevin Garrett
9/10	Brian Garriott	9/27	Michael Cook
9/12	Jane Leak	9/27	Wilma Fultz
9/12	Dan Nagy		

If your birthday or anniversary is not listed, please call 296-3399

September Wedding Anniversaries

9/1	Dave & Suzie Kelsey	9/18	Rick & Deb Garriott
9/2	Mark & Diane Walker	9/18	Randy & Shelly Surber
9/12	Bill & Ella Kathryn Davis	9/29	Janet & Denis Neidigh
9/12	Mark & Beth Newhart		
9/13	Max & Sarah Coffman		

NewsLetter
DEADLINE

**Submission
Deadline: 15th
each month.**

Pastor: David Hummel
Choir Director: Mary Lou Clendenning
Pianist: Esther Creamer
Organist: Angie Schilling
Nursery: Sherry Gouvan
Custodian: Jerry Fultz
Admin. Asst: Wendy Simon

Traditional Worship: 8:45 am Sun
Sunday School: 10:00 am Sun
Blue Jean Service: 11:00 am Sun

Bible Study: call for information
Women's Bible Study:
Tue at 6 am at the Church
Men's Bible Study 8 am 2nd & 4th Sat.

Office Hours: Mon-Fri 8:30-1:30
Church Office: (765) 296-3399
Pastor's Home: (765) 296-3390
Abba's Place: (765) 296-2090
Church Email: mlbymc@mintel.net
Web-site: www.mumc-in.org
Food Pantry: By Appointment
Call Church Office

Wee Blessings Preschool:
Director & Teacher: Patty Wright
Assistant Teacher: Mary Kay Finnerty