

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

Today	8:15 a.m.	Worship and Communion
	9:25 a.m.	Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee & Donuts
	10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	5:00 p.m.	Morrison Youth Handbell Choir
Mon., April 30	6:30 p.m.	Jr./Sr. High UMYF
Tues., May 1	7:00 p.m.	Bible Quizzing
	8:00 a.m.	Grace Prayer Group
	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	11:30 a.m.	Added Grace - CHANGED TO GOLDEN CORRAL
	7:00 p.m.	UMW Exec. Board, Education Ministry,
		Worship Ministry
Wed., May 2	9:00 a.m.	Caring & Calling
	12:00 p.m.	Huddle
	1:30 p.m.	Staff Meeting
	4:30 p.m.	Kokomo Symphonic Society Rehearsal
	6:00 p.m.	TOPS
	7:00 p.m.	Altar Choir
	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
Thurs., May 3	6:00 p.m.	Youth Choir
	6:30 p.m.	Men's Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Disciple I, Vesper Handbell
Fri., May 4	8:00 a.m.	National Guild of Piano Teachers
	4:30 p.m.	Kokomo Symphonic Society
Sat., May 5	8:00 a.m.	National Guild of Piano Teachers

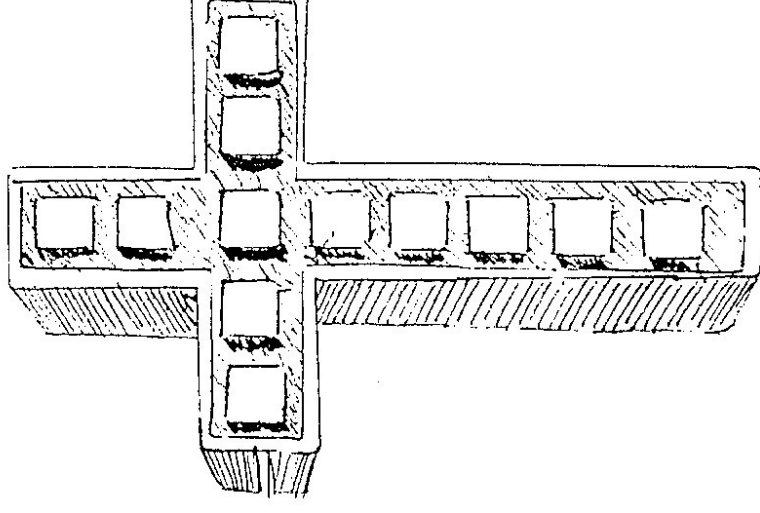
If you are in need of a pastor outside office hours the week of April 29 - May 5, please call Pastor Chris Roberts at 765-457-2841 or 765-480-8393.



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United Methodist Church is a Christ-centered fellowship called to offer the best we can possibly give to God, as we care for our community and world through...

- ...worshipping, glorifying, and honoring God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
- ...inviting all to grow in the knowledge of the Lord.
- ...living a Spirit-filled life through our actions and words.
- ...offering the love of Christ to everyone.

WELCOME to worship at Grace United Methodist Church. We are happy that you are worshipping with us today and invite you to become a part of our fellowship. This is a holy place for worship, prayer, and celebration of what Jesus Christ is doing in our lives.

CHILDREN are always welcome in our worship services. Ask an usher for a special children's activity worksheet. First-time guests under age 12 are invited to inquire at the Welcome Center for a special gift. As a courtesy to parents, childcare (nursery thru 4 years) is available across from the sanctuary in Rooms 201 & 203.

WORSHIPERS WHO ARE HEARING-IMPAIRED, are encouraged to ask an usher for an individual sound receiver to assist in hearing the worship service.

WORSHIPERS WHO ARE VISUALLY IMPAIRED, are welcome to ask an usher for a large print worship bulletin.

COFFEE AND DONUTS is a social time offered following our 9:25 worship service. We invite everyone to go to our Fellowship Hall on the lower level for refreshments and conversation.

PLEASE PASS THE RITUAL OF FRIENDSHIP PADS— Guests and members are requested to fill out the attendance pads found in the pews. Please take time to read the names as the pads are passed back so you may become familiar with the names of those around you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER IS RAPIDLY APPROACHING and we are looking for special music during these services. If you or someone you know would like to participate, please contact Randy Manning or one of the office staff.

HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE STUDENTS who will be graduating this year, please contact the church office at 457-5329. We need to make a list of those High School students who will be graduating this year and what college they will be going to. We also need to know who will be graduating from College.

THE SHOPPING CART in Fellowship Hall is the present collection point for needed items listed below. These organizations are in need of the following items: **Open Arms** - feminine products and **condiments** (such as ketchup, mustard, and mayo). **Kokomo Urban Outreach (Jeff Newton)** - jars of peanut butter. **Nesting Doves** - newborn diapers and grocery cards. **CAM** - toothpaste, TP, shampoo and deodorant.

ATTENTION THOSE PLANNING TO ATTEND ADDED GRACE on Monday, May 1, the location has changed to **Golden Corral**.

SENIOR HIGH YOUTH, the event you have all waited for is soon to be here. Senior High Institute will begin on June 24th. Be sure to have your \$135 in by the deadline of May 24, 2007. The total cost is \$275 with the church picking up half the cost. If you do not have your money in by the **end of the day of May 24, 2007**, you will not be able to go to Institute with the rest of our group. You do not want to miss out on the fun.

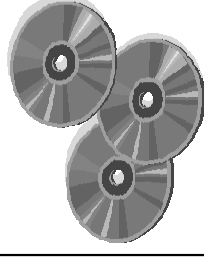
RUMOR HAS IT that Gracie has her eye on the abandoned bowls and dishes in the kitchen storage room. She'd love to sell them in her rummage sale. If you have something on the rack, please pick it up. All unclaimed items will be sold, with proceeds going to Missions.

THE MOTHER DAUGHTER BANQUET is Tuesday, May 15th at 6:30 pm in Fellowship Hall. The theme is "Once 'Apron' a Time." Kay Stough's Kitchen Band will entertain. Tickets will be on sale starting April 29th after the 9:25 service. Ticket prices are \$7.00 and \$3.00. For more information please contact Dianne Waggaman at 459-4524. Don't forget to wear your apron!

WE WILL NEED PEOPLE TO HELP clear out the boiler room and other areas of the lower level prior to the remodeling. We will be working on this the last week of April and the first week of May. Special thanks to: Jim Henry, Kathy Rebber, Mandy and Amanda Kelly who kicked off this project. Contact the church office if you are willing to help.

THE YOUTH GROUP needs your help. Please prayerfully consider joining the team of volunteers who help with Sunday night youth group, Sunday school, or with summer youth events. Contact Erik Auzins, Pastor Chris or TJ Knowland.

RELAY FOR LIFE - Grace UMC will again have a team participating in the Relay for Life, "Graceful Walkers." You can sign up for the team or contribute in the fellowship hall during April and May or on line at www.acsevents.org/relay/in/howard or by calling Mel and Barb Hobbs at 452-3159.



CD's or tapes are available for today's Sunday Worship Service. Contact the church office for more information.