

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
Tues., July 3	8:00 a.m.	Grace Prayer Group
	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	7:00 p.m.	Education Ministry Team
Wed., July 4	12:00 p.m.	HUDDLE
	1:30 p.m.	Staff Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	TOPS
Thurs., July 5	9:30 a.m.	Exercise

LOWER LEVEL REMODELING UPDATE:

- Concrete slab has been poured to level the entrance from Fellowship Hall to the boiler room and new chair storage.
- Installation of new walls in the classroom area has been started.
- Several former door openings have been closed as new openings are created.
- Floors in the education area have been leveled.
- New plumbing lines for the new ladies restroom have been installed.
- REMINDER: Fellowship Hall will not be available beginning July 1.



If you are in need of a pastor outside office hours the week of July 1-July 7, please call Pastor Larry Newberg at 765-453-3797 or 765-438-8742.

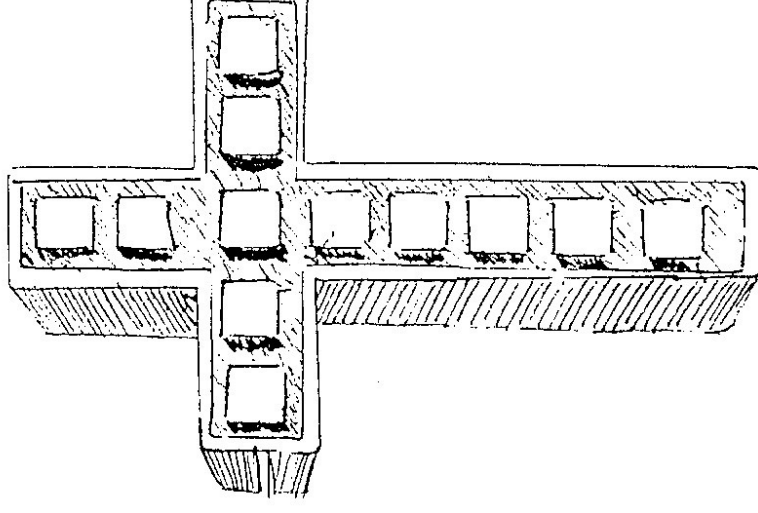


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United Methodist Church is a Christ-centered fellowship called to offer the best we can possibly give to God, as we care for our community and world through...

- ...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

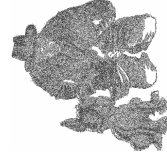
THE SHOPPING CART in the hallway outside of Fellowship Hall is the present collection point for needed items listed below. These organizations are in need of the following items: **Open Arms** - feminine products and condiments (such as ketchup, mustard, and mayo). **Kokomo Urban Outreach (Jeff Newton)**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

GUEST PREACHER - Rev Frank Beard, Kokomo District Superintendent, will be preaching on Sun., July 8th. Please plan on attending and hearing his wonderful message.

ADDED GRACE JULY MEETING - Our July meeting will be held on Wednesday, July 4, 2007 at the shelter house across from Big Ben in Highland Park. We'll have an old fashion picnic and then go down to the Band Shell for the annual Patriotic Concert by the Kokomo Park Band. Please bring a folding chair to use during the concert. The cost is \$5.00 per person and everything will be provided. Reservations can be made with Peggy Hobbs today or July 1 or by telephone at 452-4394.

BEEF & BOARDS TRIP ON AUGUST 2, 2007 - We have 44 places reserved for the play "Smoke on the Mountain" at Beef & Boards for the matinee performance on August 2, 2007. This is reported to be an excellent play with a lot of old time favorite hymns being sung and the audience is encouraged to participate. The cost for the trip is \$40 per person. We need to have all reservations made by July 1. Please call Hazel Hodge at 453-2794 if you would like to attend.

CARD SHOWER - Help **Bob Hotchkiss** celebrate his **100th birthday** on July 15. Please send a card to him at 1604 W. Jefferson Rd., Kokomo IN 46901. Let's make this the best birthday EVER!



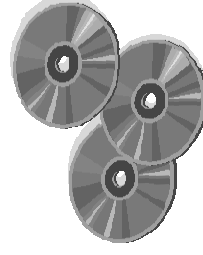
UNCOVER THE TRUTH ABOUT JESUS AT QUEST FOR TRUTH on Mon., July 16th - Fri., July 20th from 6:30 pm - 8:15 pm at Trinity United Methodist Church. Kids ages 3-12 meet friends, explore Bible stories, do fun activities, sing great songs, make crafts, play games, and eat snacks. We expect a great response, so enroll your child today. To register, give the form in the bulletin to an usher or register at the church office. If you have any questions, please call the church office at 457-5329.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY - Our church is going to publish a new pictorial directory through Olan Mills. Reserve your appointment time today in the Parlor or Fellowship Hall. Each family/household that comes for photography and portrait viewing at the church will receive a complimentary directory and 8x10 Custom Color Portrait. You will be able to view and select your portraits electronically from a variety of poses. Additional Olan Mills portraits will be available for purchase. Your entire appointment will normally take less than one hour. Appointments will be available Thurs., July 26; Fri., July 27 and Sat., July 28 or Thurs., August 16; Fri., August 17 or Sat., August 18.

VBS VOLUNTEERS - Any one interested in assisting the Vacation Bible School should attend a training session on Mon., July 9th at 7:00 pm at Trinity United Methodist Church located at 1701 S. Locke. Parking available in the Delphi lot. The meeting will be held downstairs in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, please contact Lana Afseth at 455-1297.



TWILA PARIS AND KOREAN CHILDREN'S CHOIR - This concert event will be here at Grace UMC on Monday, August 6 at 7:00 pm. Mark your calendar now. Tickets (\$10.00) are available after church on Sunday or online at iTickets.com (additional service fees apply on iTickets.com). This is going to be an inspirational and spectacular concert.



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