

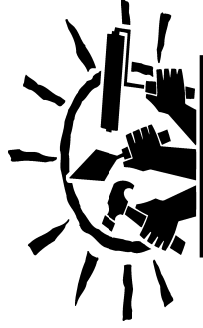
CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

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
	1:00 p.m.	Cluster Charge Conference - Main St. UMC
	5:30 p.m.	Youth Handbells
	6:30 p.m.	Jr./Sr. High UMYF
	8:00 a.m.	Grace Prayer Group
	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	11:45 a.m.	Added Grace - Jefferson House Retirement Home
	4:45 p.m.	Master Teacher Tutoring
	7:00 p.m.	UMW Exec. Board Meeting, Altar Guild
	7:30 p.m.	Kokomo Symphony Audition
Wed., Nov 7	12:00 p.m.	Huddle
	1:30 p.m.	Staff Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	TOPS, Vesper Handbells
	7:00 p.m.	Altar Choir
Thurs., Nov 8	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	7:00 p.m.	Disciple 5, Disciple 1
Fri., Nov 9	7:00 p.m.	Leave for Jr. High Retreat
Sat., Nov 10	6:30 p.m.	American Red Cross Gospel Concert

LOWER LEVEL REMODELING UPDATE:

- Near completion. An announcement will be later as to when everything will be available.
- Anyone wishing to assist in moving items, please contact the Church office.

We appreciate your assistance in not walking through the construction area and will keep you informed.



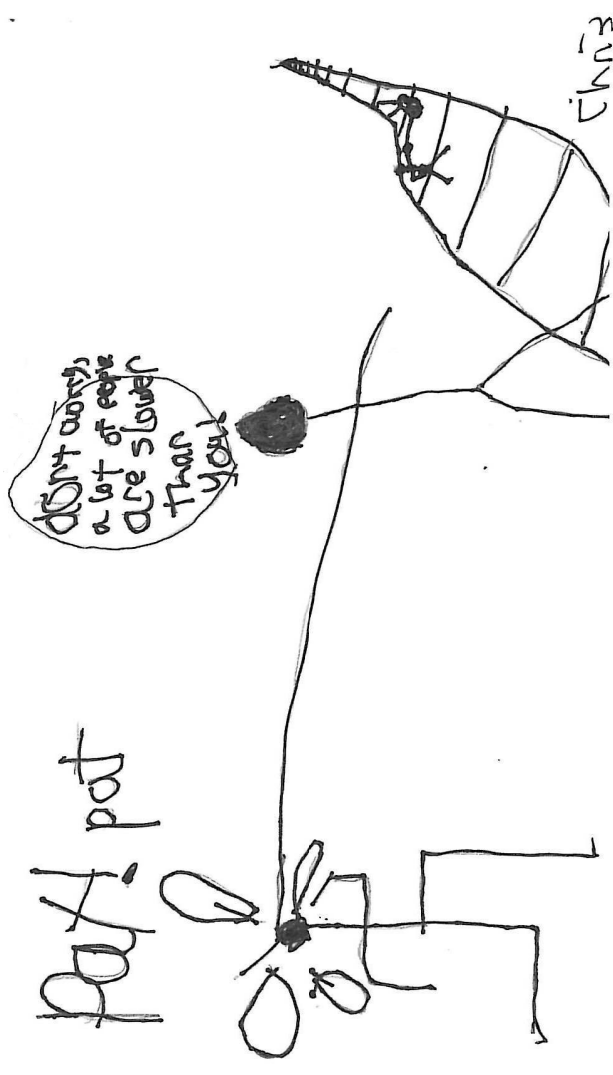
If you are in need of a pastor outside office hours the week of Nov 4-Nov 10, please call Pastor Steve Beutler at 765-455-0515 or 765-432-1088.



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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...

...worshiping, 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.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH, for children preschool through Grade 2, is a time for worshipping the Lord in a more relaxed and interactive manner. We ask that parents please come and pick up your child(ren) from the Chapel at the conclusion of the service. There is no Children's Church the first Sunday of each month.

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 Parlor across from the Sanctuary 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

ALTAR FLOWERS ARE NEEDED for December 2 and 9.

NOVEMBER ADDED GRACE CHANGE - Our November meeting will be at Jefferson Manor Retirement Center on Tuesday, November 6. The time has changed to 11:45 am for four then followed by lunch. The cost also changes to \$5.00 per person. Suzanne Davis is hosting. Reservations may be made with Peggy Hobbs.

ADDED GRACE will be going to Beef and Boards for the Christmas Trip. It will be Wednesday, Dec. 12, 2007. The cost will be \$53.00. A bus will leave the Grace Parking lot at 10:00 am and return at approximately 4:00 pm. Hope to see you there. For more information and reservations contact Hazel Hodge (453-2794).

JR. HIGH FALL RETREAT! November 9th-11th is going to be our Fall Retreat for the Jr. High. We will leave the church at 7 pm, Friday the 9th and will return Sunday the 11th at 12 noon. The cost is \$30 and this will cover food while at the cottage, 2 games of Laser Tag at LaserX in Fort Wayne, and a meal in Fort Wayne before laser tag. If you have any questions please contact T.J. Hope to see you there!!

GOSPEL CONCERT featuring Family Ties, Kerry Ellison, Sally Duke and our own Randy Manning and many more is on Sat., November 10 at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary. Admission is free. A free will offering will be collected to support disaster relief by the American Red Cross Howard-Tipton Chapter. All members of the congregation are invited to attend.

ALTAR CHOIR - The Altar Choir is singing a Christmas Cantata during the 9:25am service on December 2, 2007. It is called "Emmanuel Has Come" and has two parts. The first part is for Christmas and the second part is for Easter. We are looking for people who might want to participate in the Cantata both during Christmas and Easter. If you don't have the time to join the choir full time, but would like to sing in the cantatas, please contact Randy Manning or any of the office staff.

THE YOUTH ARE IN NEED OF VOLUNTEERS for meals before youth meeting beginning November 11th. Please sign up at the Welcome Center.

PARENT MEETING for all Junior and Senior High Youth Parents on Sun., November 11th from 5:00 pm - 6:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall to discuss events and programs. A meal will follow. This is a very important meeting so hope to see you there!

CLUSTER CHARGE CONFERENCE scheduled for **today at 1:00 pm** at Main St. United Methodist Church. Everyone is encouraged to bring finger foods. Please plan on attending.

"BOUNTIFUL BLESSINGS" - Please plan on picking up your tickets for the Sat., November 17th "Bountiful Blessings" Stewardship Dinner at 6:00 pm in the "New" Fellowship Hall and Education Wing. Tickets are available in the Parlor or at the church office.

"NEW" FELLOWSHIP HALL AND EDUCATION WING - If you are available to help move items back to their original or new location, PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE FOR DAY AND TIME.

REV. JEFF NEWTON will be the guest speaker at the Monday November 19 meeting of Grace's United Methodist Men. Jeff heads up the Kokomo Urban Outreach, as well as serving as Pastor of Trinity and Cassville United Methodist Churches. Jeff and KUO are mission projects of Grace Church. He will bring us up to date on KUO's current concerns, such as back packs for school kids, bicycle transportation, crisis child care, smoking cessation classes, and the recent Call to Action Conference. Women are always welcome to attend Grace's UM Men's meetings. Reservations are needed only for the meal. Reservations for the 6:00 p.m. catered meal may be given to Val Harris @ 453-6952.

J.R./SR. HIGH YOUTH GROUP is collecting socks of all sizes to give to the Kokomo Urban Outreach so they can give out at Thanksgiving. Socks can be placed in the laundry basket in the parlor.