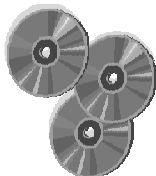


# CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

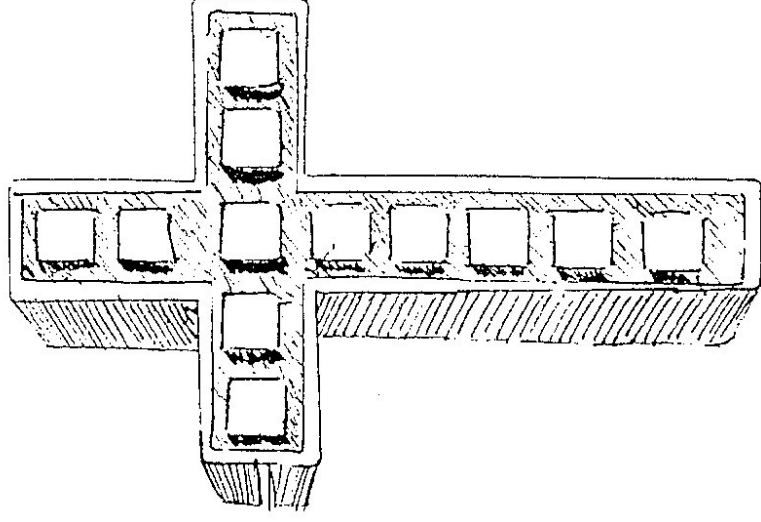
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- Today 8:00 a.m. Prayer Group, Leave for Ball State to attend Pastor Stacee's Ordination  
 8:15 a.m. Worship and Communion  
 9:15 a.m. Prayer Group  
 9:25 a.m. Worship  
 10:00 a.m. Pastor Stacee's Ordination  
 10:30 a.m. Coffee & Donuts  
 10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
 10:00 a.m. Brunch Bunch  
 9:30 a.m. Exercise  
 7:00 p.m. Nursery Toddler Task Force  
 10:00 a.m. Staff Meeting  
 6:00 p.m. TOPS, Midweek  
 9:30 a.m. Exercise  
 5:30 p.m. Added Grace - Conner Prairie 4th of July Celebration (leave church)  
 6:30 p.m. Beth Moore Bible Study  
 Office Closed
- Mon., June 29
- Tues., June 30
- Wed., July 1
- Thurs., July 2
- Fri., July 3



CD's or tapes are available for today's Worship Service. Contact the church office for more information (457-5329).

*If you are in need of a pastor outside office hours 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...

- ...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.

# CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

**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 Multi-Purpose Room 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 the Fellowship Hall 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 NEEDED** for July 12, 26 and August 9, 15, 23 30. Contact the Church office to schedule.

**THE LITTLE "HELPING HANDS"** are weekly in the pew or baskets to give you an opportunity to share how Grace Church as the body of Christ is sharing our loving hands with others. Are you showing Christ's love to a neighbor, a friend or a family member?. Are you serving at Kokomo Urban Outreach, or CAM?. Are you showing others the love of Christ through your actions? No matter how large or small your gift may feel to you-if Christ has laid that need on your heart, then please share it. By putting your "Helping Hands" into the offering plate every Sunday, you will be encouraging others to continue God's work by putting His love into action. How have you loved someone this week?

**DON'T FORGET TO "SHOP WITH JOY FOR MISSION!"** Kokomo Urban Outreach, The Kokomo Rescue Mission and CAM are needing many items we collect in the yellow bags. Take one home today!

**THE PRAYER CHAIN:** The Prayer Chain is a vital part of the prayer ministry of Grace Church. If you would like to be a part of the Prayer Chain, please contact Adair Younce at 457-7104. **THE BEREAVEMENT DINNER TEAM** is in need of new members. If you have a heart for serving those in their time of grief, please contact Phyllis Grant at 455-6999. These are ministries that don't take a lot of your time but they mean so much to members of your church family in their times of need.

**ADDED GRACE:** There will not be a regular meeting in July. The trip to Conner Prairie will be our meeting. Conner Prairie 4<sup>th</sup> of July Celebration – July 2, 2009 –Please remember to bring a lawn chair and if it remains so hot you might want to bring an umbrella. The bus will leave the church at 5:30 PM and return about 10:30 PM. We have room for a few more reservations. If you haven't already made a reservation and want to come, please call Hazel Hodge at 453-2794.

**"THAT THING" VOLUNTEERS** are needed!! If you are interested in helping with the Sr. High Camp, from July 5 - July 10, please see TJ as soon as possible for available times. Volunteers are needed for over night chaperones and for cooks for dinner one night.

**CALLING ALL FEMALES!** The Sr. High need a female chaperone for their upcoming mission trip to Mississippi from August 1 - August 9. Please see TJ if you are interested. If there is no female chaperone, the mission trip has to be cancelled. Please consider serving along side the youth.

**MEET OUT NEW ASSOCIATE PASTOR!** Pastor Stacee Gehring will begin worshipping with her new Grace Family on Sun., July 12. Please plan on attending and meet Pastor Stacee, her husband Jeff and baby Evie.

### Specialized Ministries

Randy Manning, Director of Music	Barbara Hobbs, Pianist/Organist
Jacque Hunt, Chamber Ensemble Director	Cindy Lovegrove, Office Manager
Debra Long, Volunteer Parish Nurse	Phill Montgomery, Counselor
Carisa Durham, Childcare Provider	Brandy Dodd, Childcare Provider
Tina Browning, Childcare Provider	TJ Knowland, Youth Director

Our Greeters today are Larry & Barbara Moss and Larry & Norma Reyburn. Fellowship Time will be hosted by Larry & Norma Raber and Mel Hobbs.

The Altar Flowers were given to the glory of God by Lloyd & Dorothy Johnson in honor of their 61st anniversary and from their Family in celebration of Barbara Bourff's birthday.