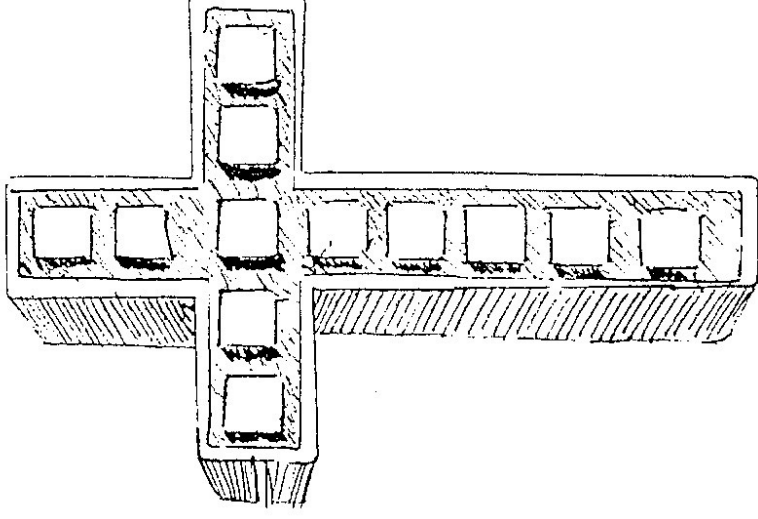


CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

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Today	8:00 a.m.	Prayer Group
	8:15 a.m.	Worship and Communion
	9:15 a.m.	Prayer Group
	9:25 a.m.	Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Coffee & Donuts
	10:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	5:30 p.m.	Jr./Sr. High UMYF
	5:45 p.m.	Co-Ed Bible Study, Children's Choir, Graceful Arts
Mon., Nov 2	6:30 p.m.	Christian Education Team, Worship/Altar Guild
Tues., Nov 3	9:00 a.m.	Women's Bible Study
	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	11:30 a.m.	Added Grace
	5:30 p.m.	UMW Board Meeting
Wed., Nov 4	12:00 p.m.	Huddle
	1:00 p.m.	Staff Meeting
	6:00 p.m.	TOPS, Vesper Handbell, "Mid-Week"
	7:00 p.m.	Altar Choir
Thurs., Nov 5	9:30 a.m.	Exercise
	6:30 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Disciple 1, Men's Bible Study
Sat., Nov 7	9:00 a.m.	Lay Speakers Training
	5:30 p.m.	Chili Tasting & Talent Show

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK



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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.

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

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 4 yrs. through Grade 2)... The kids are invited to have a worship experience of their very own in the Chapel each week. It is a great opportunity for the kids to hear the same Scripture and lesson as the grown-ups—but at their own level—and with plenty of chances to get up and 'get the wiggles out!' Parents can meet their children in the Fellowship Hall for donuts following the service. Children will be dismissed to Children's Church every week, but the first Sunday of each month they will return to their parents/caregivers in the Sanctuary before Communion is served.

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.

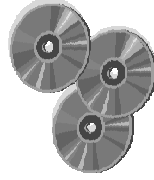
COFFEE AND DONUTS is a social time offered following our 9:25 worship service. We invite everyone to go to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments and conversation.

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 Nov 8 and 16. Contact the church office to schedule.

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!



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

AN OLDE ENGLISH CELEBRATION OF LIGHTS is coming to Grace United Methodist Church on November 29th from 6:00-8:00 pm. You won't want to miss this time of fellowship as the Town Crier, OLDE English carolers, jugglers, story tellers and English scones all help you experience Christmas in a very unique way. Mark your calendars today. Next week we will be passing out tickets to all who plan on attending this splendid kick-off to the Advent season!

ALPHA-BASICS OF THE CHRISTIAN FAITH - Beginning Sun., Nov. 1, come view the Alpha video series. Discussion and questions are welcome. Topics are: "Christianity: Boring, Untrue, & Irrelevant?", "Who Is Jesus?", "Why Did Jesus Die?", "How Can I Be Sure of My Faith?" and others. The series runs from 11-11:45 a.m. in the Growing Christians Room at the NW corner of the balcony, and will continue 15 Sundays. Anyone is welcome.

MELISSA TO SHARE ABOUT GREECE - Melissa Zimmerman will speak at the Grace United Methodist Men's meeting in November. She will be discussing her semester abroad last Spring in Greece. Melissa is the daughter of Paul and Karen Zimmerman. She is a Senior at DePauw University, and is preparing for the United Methodist Ministry.

SR. HIGH RETREAT - What you have been waiting for has finally come! **November 13-15** is the Sr. High Retreat at the cottage in North Webster, Indiana. The cost is \$50 and that pays for everything such as food, gas, and, oh, did I mention PAINTBALL!! Reserve your spot with a \$25 deposit as we only have a limited number available. Bring a friend and receive a price discount! If you have any questions call TJ at (765) 210-5517. You will not want to miss this!!!

ADDED GRACE NOVEMBER MEETING: TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3 - This meeting will be held in Fellowship Hall at 11:30 AM with Suzanne Davis as our Hostess. Our Speaker will be Glenda Mann and her title is "Thanks for the Memories", a program about being thankful. Make your reservations with Suzanne Davis today or call her at 854-0445. Deadline for reservations is Tues., October 27 as Farmer's Daughter will be catering. The cost will be \$7.00



JOIN YOUR CHURCH FAMILY FOR THE CHILI TASTING AND VARIETY SHOW on Saturday, November 7, from 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm. Do you cook a

"mean" pot of chili...or just like to eat one? Do you have a talent that you have hidden for years (or would like to show off one that everyone knows about)? This event is FREE! Just a fun time to get together and sample some yummy chili from fabulous cooks in our church and then sit back, relax, laugh and enjoy the many talents of the Grace Church Variety Show performers! To enter chili, contact Lisa Kingseed at 455-2285; to sign up for the variety show, see Jon Rodgers at 868-0703. You can also sign up after church service today in Fellowship Hall.

Chili Tasting

