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## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

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Today

- 8:15 a.m. Worship and Communion
- 9:25 a.m. Worship
- 10:30 a.m. Coffee & Fellowship
- 10:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 1:00 p.m. Piano Studio for Barbara Hobb Recital
- 5:00 p.m. Graceful Arts, Sunday at the G.C.C.
- 6:30 p.m. Jr./Sr. High UMYF

Tues., Nov. 9

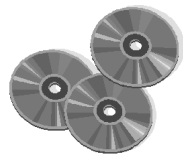
- 9:00 a.m. Women's Morning Bible Study
- 9:30 a.m. Exercise
- 7:00 p.m. Letters from Dad, Trustees, UMW  
General Meeting

Wed., Nov. 10

- 10:00 a.m. Celebration of Lights Meeting
- 12:00 p.m. Huddle
- 1:00 p.m. Staff Meeting
- 5:15 p.m. Youth Bells
- 6:00 p.m. TOPS, Vesper Handbell
- 7:00 p.m. Altar Choir

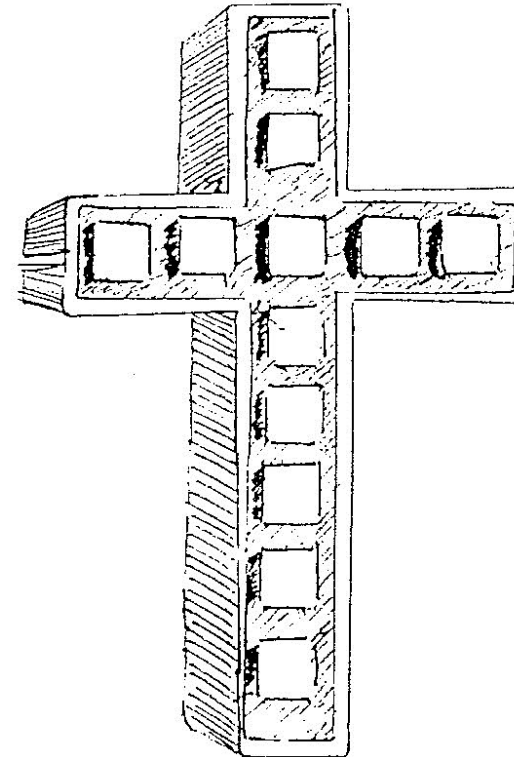
Thurs., Nov. 11

- 9:30 a.m. Exercise
- 6:30 p.m. Women's Evening Bible Study
- 7:00 p.m. Disciple 3, Men's Bible Study



CD's 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.*



# United Methodist Church

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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 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



*Grace United Methodist Church*

Presents

### **FFH in Concert**

Sun., November 14 at 6:30 pm

Tickets available in Fellowship Hall  
Or the Church office

Tickets \$10.00 in Advance,  
\$12.00 at the Door.  
Groups of 10 or more  
\$8.00 in Advance

**UMW WORLD THANK OFFERING**—This Tuesday, November 9th at 7:00 pm is the UMW World Thank Offering Meeting. Julia Mills will speak about the needs of the Kokomo Schools Headstart Care Closet. We encourage everyone to bring a donation of children's sweatpants, underwear or socks sizes 3-6 to help stock the Care Closet. We'll approve the budget and slate of officers for 2011. We'll also announce the recipients of this years' donations to local missions. Finally we'll present our World Thank Offerings. We hope to see you there. If you need a ride, please contact one of the UMW officers and they'll arrange for someone to pick you up.

**SHOPPING WITH JOY** - The Mission Ministry Team continues with the "Yellow Bag Collection". The items that are requested by organizations in the community are on a list inside the bag, so it will help you remember what donations are needed. Please bring your donated items to the parlor area, so that the Mission Ministry Team can distribute the items to the different organizations. Grace Church has always responded so generously when asked to extend our love and care to the Kokomo Community. We know you will continue to embrace this collection method with the same enthusiasm.

**MEN FROM GRACE** and Kokomo Huddle are planning a mini-mission weekend at Hope Community Church in Detroit, MI on November 19-21. The pastor at Hope is Kevin Butcher who is originally from Kokomo and is the son of Kokomo attorney Jim Butcher. Hope Church is located in one of the toughest neighborhoods in Detroit, and our group will be helping with odd jobs, painting, cleaning, etc. We are also collecting any type of clothing—coats, gloves, shoes, etc...toys, used electronic gadgets, TV's, microwaves, etc. If you are interested in donating something or would like to join this group for the trip to Detroit, please contact James Stamper at 451-0790 or james.a.stamper@delphi.com.

**SOCK DROP** - Kokomo Urban Outreach has requested help to collect socks for children in need. Pastor Jeff Newton would like to have three pair of socks for each child. A "sock drop" will be set up in the parlor so if you feel called to assist with this KUO mission, just drop off your donation there. The socks are needed for distribution at Thanksgiving so the ideal time to contribute would be between now and mid-November. The missions committee will attempt to assess what has been collected by early to mid-November and decide if additional support is needed.

**CHICKENS AND PIGS AND GOATS, OH MY!** Once again the Kids@Grace are collecting loose change for Heifer International. Last year they collected over \$200 and were able to buy a goat and some boxes of baby chicks to send to a farmer in a poorer country! This year they want to collect even more! There will be a donation box in the Children's Department, as well as a collection taken during Children's Church. A few extra coins can make a big difference!

**LETTERS FROM DAD** - Men, leave a legacy of faith, hope, and love to your family. Join us for the FREE "Letters from Dad" kickoff dinner, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm on Tuesday, November 9. Menu: smoked beef brisket, baked potato bar, corn O'Brien, spinach salad, cheesecake or tiramisu. We'll offer 2 drawings for prizes. No obligation. Call the office for reservations(457-5329). See you then.

**UPWARD BASKETBALL AND CHEERLEADING**- The KOKOMO 6 Cluster is beginning a program for the children of our UM cluster and local communities, K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. It is the Upward Basketball and Cheerleading programs. We are very pleased to be able to offer this exciting Christ-centered athletic program to our children and youth. The Upward Basketball program will begin with registrations to be filled out by **November 20**. The cost per child for the basketball or cheerleading program is \$53.00. We are also looking for persons/parents who would be willing to 'coach' one of the teams. For more information, contact the church office or brochures will be available at the welcome center.