



Tower Views



Coming Up!

Sunday, April 16th **Easter!**

8:15—Early Service
9:00—Pancake Breakfast
No Confirmation Class
9:30—Easter Egg Hunt
10:30—Late Service

Monday, April 17th

Office Closed
5:15—Learner Bells
6:00—Chancel Bells

Wednesday, April 19th

10:15— Morning Bible Study
3:00—UMYF—Middle School
3:30—Angelus Choir
5:00—UMYF—High School
6:00—Chancel Band
7:00—Chancel Choir

Saturday, April 22nd

7:30—UMM at Golden Corral

Sunday, April 23rd **Easter Musical Services**

8:15—Early Service
9:30—Sunday School
10:30—Late Service

Holy Week is meant to be just that, the holiest of weeks for Christians – a time to re-live both the pain of the final days of Jesus' life and the joy of his resurrection. I hope you will join me as we experience both the sorrow of the cross and the hope of Easter morning. Services include:

Maundy Thursday
Holy Communion Service
April 13 at 7 pm

Good Friday
Candlelight Service
April 14 at 7 pm

Easter Sunday
April 16 at 8:15 & 10:30 am

Easter Sunday will also include the **Youth Pancake Breakfast** from 9-10 am to raise funds for their mission trips this summer and the **Children's Easter Egg Hunt** during Sunday School at 9:30 am.

And mark your calendar for our **Easter Musical** on Sunday, April 23. Worship that Sunday will include special music by the **Bells**, the **Band** and the **Choir**.

Invite your family and friends to join us, as we celebrate the incredible love of our Savior!

Daily Bible Reading and Prayer

Sunday

Luke 24:1-12
Give thanks for Jesus' resurrection!

Monday

Luke 24:13-34
Ask God to open your heart & mind to His presence with you every day

Tuesday

Luke 24:35-43
Turn your doubts & fears over to God

Wednesday

Luke 24:44-49
Invite the Holy Spirit to fill your heart

Thursday

Luke 24:50-52
Give thanks that Jesus lives eternally

Friday

John 14:1-7
Give thanks for the gift of eternal life

Saturday

Acts 1:1-11
Offer yourself to be Jesus' witness



Maundy Thursday and Good Friday Services

On Thursday April 13 at 7 PM, everyone is invited as we remember Jesus' Last Supper and his prayer in the Garden of Gethsemane. This service will include Holy Communion and music by the Chancel Choir.

On Friday, April 14th at 7 PM, the Good Friday Candlelight Service will focus on the suffering and crucifixion of Jesus, and remind us all of the sacrificial love that carried Jesus to the cross for us.

Easter Sunday

We will have our two services at 8:15 and 10:30.



From 9:00-10:00, the youth will host a Pancake Breakfast and all donations will help support their upcoming summer mission trips.

At 9:30, the kids will meet in their Sunday school rooms and will go from there to the Easter Egg Hunt!



Easter Offering

On Sunday, our special Easter offering will be for the Assistance Fund, to help support the needs of community folks that find themselves in difficult circumstances.



Gathering Music:

8:15—David Cummings
10:30—Marnie Bellamy

8:15 Song Leader:

Karen Switzer

8:15 Ushers: Don Turner & Shirley Harrison

8:15 Nursery: Eunice & Larry Wright, Amber Volmer

8:15 Greeters:
Dave & Kathy Garnett

8:15 Acolytes: none

10:30 Greeters: Ralph & Linda Sites, Bettie Chapin, Mary Beth Zink

Children's Time:
Kelli Jenkins



Hurry!

Scholarship applications are due April 23rd! The Clinton United Methodist Church offers thirteen—one thousand dollar scholarships to church members who are continuing their education. Applications can be picked up in the church office.

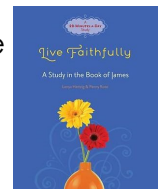
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On Sunday, April 30th at the 10:30 service, the Angelus Choir will have their spring program:

"Walls—Our Battle of Jericho".

New Women's Bible Study

We will be using the 20-minute Fresh Life Bible Study Series, *Live Faithfully*. We meet Wednesdays at 6:30PM for a continuous 12-week study. Call the church office if you are interested. Thanks! Kelli Jenkins



Meeting Friday!



UMW will meet on Friday, April 14th at 9:00. Loree Walrath will have a program on her trip to Ireland. All women are invited to join us for refreshments and fellowship prior to the program. Hostesses are Carolyn Walden and Kay Morehead. Contact Eunice Wright for more information.

Dine and Donate for Alzheimer's/Dementia in April

Each Tuesday in April, a local restaurant will donate 10% of their sales to the Henry County Memory Fund that assists those with Alzheimer's and Dementia here in Henry County.

The next restaurant participating is Courtyard Grill on Tuesday, April 18th from 11 AM—9 PM. Make plans to come out and enjoy some good lunch or dinner and help a good cause!

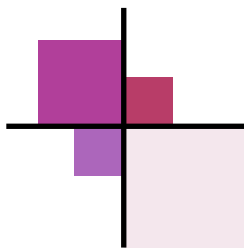


Big Purple Party Team!

The church plans to have a team at the Big Purple Party on Saturday, May 6th at 9:00 at the Old Country Club Park, Hawthorn Bank back parking lot. This event raises awareness for Alzheimer's and Dementia. There will be activities and snacks at 9:00 and a ceremony and a walk at 9:30.

Funds raised will benefit the Henry County Memory Fund. Donations of \$100 get a t-shirt. If you'd like to join us, mark the Connect Card on Sunday, or call or email the church office. Make donations payable to Henry County Memory Fund.

Even if you can't donate, come join us at the party!



Prayer Concerns

The family
of Rick Busick
Arnie Drendel
Hazel Morgan
Betty Brecht
Irene Seiler
Doug Ratcliff
Kent Batschelett
Lucille Clayton
Marty Setzer
Paul Alldredge
Marlin Rein
Harold Lam
Wilbur Slocum
Dan Glaspay
Rick Wolf
Clare Wilson
Sharlene Wirsig
Sharolyn Kirby
Jeanie Eberting
Katherine Fulton
Steve Coward
Jane Mautino
Shirley Stone
Rosie Banfield
Jill Bernard
Fred McAllister

Poster for Alzheimer's and Dementia



Starting Sunday, there will be a poster in the Green Room. We will be honoring those with Alzheimer's/Dementia and remembering those that have lost the battle. Please stop by and sign the names of those loved ones that have or have had these diseases. On Sunday, April 30th, we will have a special moment at the 8:15 service to remember those folks. Wear purple if you like! The poster will then be taken to the Big Purple Party on May 6th for our church team.

Electronic Giving

It's here for you! PushPay is our new electronic giving program. Using a credit card, debit card or a checking account, you can give through our website, through our new app (Clinton UMC - MO) or by texting "CMOUMC" to the number 77977. Once you are set up, it's so easy—you can even set it up to recur weekly, monthly, biweekly or on the 1st & 15th! Call the office for more information!

