



CLINTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Brad's Message

Sunday will be Commitment Sunday for our Forward in Faith campaign to expand and renovate our building. This important project for the future of the church will provide space to expand and grow our ministries. It will also make the building more welcoming. We will have a special time in worship for everyone to bring their commitment forward.

I want to thank everyone who has invested their time, energy and commitment in this project. From the Study Committee, to the Building Committee, to the Capital Campaign Team, this has truly been a team effort. Thank you to all of you!

Sunday from noon-2 pm we will host our Forward in Faith Celebration. The Celebration Team is planning lots of great food and wonderful activities. You'll find more details in this newsletter. Please join them as we celebrate our church!

June 2 will also be my final Sunday with you. It has been a blessing to be your pastor. It has been a joy to grow deeper in our faith together and to spread God's love together.

As Raven and I begin a new chapter in our life, I am pleased to know that you are taking a wonderful step forward into an exciting future!

Coming Up!

Sunday, June 2nd

Commitment Sunday

8:15—Early Worship

9:00—Fellowship Time

9:30—Sunday School

10:30—Late Worship

12:00-2:00—Celebration

Event—all invited



Tuesday, June 4th

8:30—Pickleball/Ping Pong

5:15 pm—Pickleball/Ping Pong

Thursday, June 6th

8:30—Pickleball/Ping Pong

Sunday, June 9th

8:15—Early Worship

9:00—Fellowship Time

9:30—Sunday School

10:30—Late Worship



Daily Bible Reading and Prayer

Sunday

Joshua 1:1-10

Ask God to give you strength and courage to be faithful to Him

Monday

Proverbs 3:5-6

Invite God to lead you and to lead our church

Tuesday

Jeremiah 29:11-13

Give thanks for the plans God has for you and for our church

Wednesday

Matthew 4:18-20

Pray for those in our community who don't know the saving love of Jesus

Thursday

Romans 12:1-2

Offer your life as an offering to God

Friday

Matthew 5:14-16

Invite God to use you to be a light of love, joy and hope to others

Saturday

Colossians 3:12-17

Pray that our church will have the heart of Jesus



Office Host: Angelia Entrop

Gathering Music:

8:15—Frances Harvey

10:30—Brenda Ford

Children's Time: Brad Reed

8:15 Song Leader: Zac Maggi

8:15 Nursery: Anna Zink

8:15 Ushers:

Susie Wetzel &
Mary Jo Cable

8:15 Greeters:

Carroll & Judy McVeigh
Jim & Sandi Cox

Continental Breakfast:

Jean Graham &
Loree Walrath

10:30 Ushers:

Pam, Zach & Abby Jones

10:30 Greeters:

Sara Campbell &
Margie Davis

Bus Driver: Joe Wagoner



Everyone is Invited!

Next Sunday, June 2nd at noon—
Commitment Sunday—the
Celebration team is preparing a party
you won't want to miss! Live music
with the band "Seeds of Agape" from
Springfield, food, games, children's
activities and fellowship! This will be
both an indoor & outdoor event it's
so big! Celebrate our commitment to
the church and the love we share as
Clinton UMC friends.

Even if you didn't RSVP, still come—
we've ordered plenty of food and you
won't want to miss out!



Underwear for Kids

June is the month we collect
underwear for students in need in
sizes for preschool-high school, so
kids and adult sizes welcome. The
underwear will be distributed
through the Bright Futures Back-
to-School Fair.



Middle School Mission Trip

The kids leave today, Thursday,
May 30th, to head to Camp
Wilderness for 4 days, where they
will help get the camp ready for
another season of campers. They
thank all of you for your support
of their bake sale and pancake
breakfast fundraisers. Please pray
for safe travels for the kids and
adults throughout the weekend!

Prayers are needed for:

Clifton Billings, Richard McQuitty, Charlise Shoemaker,
Tamie Smith, Ted Bolich, Loyd Zehnder, Maxine Evans, Jill Bernard, Wilbur Slocum, Kent Summers,
Ben Doup, Betsy Owens, Matt Palmer, Danny Miles, Steve Winther, Karen Partridge,
Jeremy Thomas, Jim Bilbruck, Jarrod Boyles, Donny Burton, Tom Ross, Caroline Wilson,
Melvin Dennis, Vickie Sims, Sharlene Wirsig, Jean Ann Sidwell, Chastity Gillen,
Margie Best, Rick Wolf, Mike Lester, Rosie Banfield



2019 Friend of Education

We are pleased to share that our church was honored by the Clinton School District as the 2019 Friend of Education!



Our church was recognized for all of the many ways we support & assist the school district, including:

- Providing more than a dozen Reading Buddies for Henry Elementary.
- Providing substitute moms & dads for Henry Elementary's parent events
- Hosting the Archery Team for Clinton High School.
- Hosting ACT & AP Testing for Clinton High School.
- Hosting Fifth Quarter after home football games.
- Supplying Socks & Underwear for students in need for the Bright Future's Back-to-School Fair.
- Organizing the Thank You Card Table for the Back-to-School Fair.
- Delivering Cookies to Say Thank You to the teachers & staff throughout the district.
- Praying for the schools through our Prayer-a-Van to all of the schools.

It is exciting to see all the ways our church and our members support the students, teachers and staff of the Clinton School District.



VBS is just around the corner!

VBS is June 17-21 from 9AM–11:30 AM! We can use all the help we can get—teachers, as-

sistants, recreation leaders, snack helpers, and youth helpers! Kids age 4 through recent 5th graders are invited and bring your friends! Sign up forms available at church and on our Facebook page. We also will need cookies! Sign up to help on the Connect Card on Sunday or contact the church office.

Coming Up!

May 30th–June 2nd—Middle School Mission Trip to Camp Wilderness

June 2nd—Capital Campaign Commitment Sunday

June 2nd—Noon-2:00—Capital Campaign Celebration Party!

June 2nd—Brad's Last Sunday

June 17th-21st—Vacation Bible School

July 4-7—Olde Glory Days

July 7th—First Sunday with New Pastor Steve Blacksher

July 7-13—Senior High Mission Trip

July 8-12th— Art Camp for Grades K-6 with Bridgette McCoy

July 14th at 6 pm—Ice Cream Social

July 22nd-July 27th—Missoula Children's Theatre—Aladdin!

Pickleball Changes!



Evening Pickleball has moved to Tuesday nights at 5:15. Also with youth activities finished, the gym will be available all week long, so come play with friends! We still have a great

group coming Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 8:30 AM

Celebration of Life

Jean Graham invites everyone to the Celebration of Life for her brother, Dr. Donald Ross Kelsey. It will be held this Saturday, June 1st at 2:00 PM at the Elks Banquet Hall.

