



Tower Views

The response to our new Ark has been incredible! It's a joy to watch the kids stop to play on it as they come and go from church. They had a full ship after Angelus Choir. It's also a joy to see many of the neighborhood kids come by to play.

Again, I want to thank all the people who made this project happen. From the people with the initial vision, to the families who committed memorial funds to pay for it, to the team that put it together – the whole ark project is a witness to the church being the body of Christ.

We are planning a special **Dedication Celebration** for the ark at 9:15 am on Sunday, September 25. The Angelus Choir will sing some appropriate songs and we will dedicate the ark to God's glory and mission.

I hope you can join us for this celebration!

Coming Up

Sunday, September 18th

8:15—Early Service

9:30—Sunday School

10:30—Worship Service

6:00—Lay Leadership Mtg

Monday, September 19th

5:15—Learner Bells

6:00—Chancel Bells

Wednesday, September 21st

10:15—Bible Study

3:00—UMYF-Middle School

3:30—Angelus Choir

4:30—Bible Adventures

5:00—UMYF-High School

6:00—Outreach Committee Mtg

6:00—Chancel Band

7:00—Chancel Choir

Saturday, September 24th

8:00—UMM—Golden Corral

Daily Bible Reading and Prayer

- Sun John 4:23-24
Pray that we will worship God in spirit & truth
- Mon Exodus 20:8-11
Commit to make worship a priority in your life
- Tue Psalm 100:1-5
Thank God for all of your blessings
- Wed Romans 12:1
Offer your life as a living sacrifice to God
- Thu Matthew 18:20
Pray for those who are unable to attend worship because of health & life issues
- Fri Psalm 24:1-10
Throw open the doors of your heart & invite God to fill you with Love & grace
- Sat John 7:37-39
Pray for us all to be open to the Holy Spirit as we gather for worship

LET'S GO ON A HAYRIDE



Call the church office for directions.

"Hay" Kids!

Grab your parents and grandparents and meet at Gus and Susie's Cabin. Roast some marshmallows and jump on the HAYRIDE! Mark your calendars for 5:00 PM on Sunday, October 16th.

Ark Dedication

Sunday, September 25 – 9:15 am

Special Music by the

Angelus Choir

Everyone is invited!



Church Directory Update

Lifetouch expects to ship our directories in a week, so look for an announcement in an upcoming Tower and/or Bulletin on how you can pick yours up!

Bring the Children and Grandchildren!

Saturday, Sept. 17, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.: Pioneer Life, hands-on activities for children and families focusing on pioneer skills and activities at harvest time. Henry County Museum's Homestead grounds, 200 block of West Franklin, one block off the Clinton Square, across from the Henry County Museum, Clinton, Mo. Free. Sponsored by the Henry County Museum's Children's Corner. Call 660-885-8414.

Bean Bag Chairs Needed!

We are in search of new or gently used bean bag chairs for the Sunday School room for the 3rd, 4th and 5th graders. Please bring them to the church.



THANK YOU to whoever donated 2! We just need 4 more!

Prayers Needed for:	Leon Hargrave	Sharolyn Kirby	Wilbur Slocum	Donna Pitts	J. W. Heil
	Brad Reed	Tim Glaspy	Joe Harrelson	Shirley Stone	David Willcockson
Phyllis Lucas on the passing of her father Bill Hayes	Susan Stropes	Kay Reading	Sharlene Wirsig	Rosie Banfield	Dennis and Brenda Farmer
	Duane Judd	Jeanie Eberting	Jane Mautino	Jill Bernard	
	Mike Lester	Arnie Drendel	Connie Briggs	Tom Drendel	
	Steve Coward	Kay Miller	Maxine Evans	Fred McAllister	

Worship Assistants

Song Leader 8:15—Karen Switzer

Ushers 8:15—Dennis & Debbie Sieger

Greeters 8:15 -Eric and Peggy
Dameron and Abbie

Gathering Music:

8:15— David Cummings

10:30—Marnie Bellamy

Nursery 8:15— Faith Johns

Continental Breakfast--

Donna & Roy Stern

Greeters 10:30

Les and Fern Mason

Larry and Eunice Wright

Children's Sermon—Ed Morehead

Wednesday Morning Bible Study Change

They will now meet from 10:15-11:15! Come join them on Wednesdays in the classroom by the gym!



Relay for Life—October 1st



We need volunteers to help put a team together for Relay for Life. If you would be willing to help please sign the connect card or call me at 351-5040. Thanks!

Fred McAllister - Lay Leader

United Methodist Men

All men are invited to share some fellowship and a little project time together. They meet at 8:00 AM on the 4th Saturday of each month for breakfast at Golden Corral before they get on to their project. Their next meeting is Saturday, September 24th. Contact President Ed Morehead at 885-5653 if you have any questions.



You Are Invited

Join Bright Futures Clinton at their Third Annual Community Celebration on Thursday, September 22, from 5-6 p.m., at the Rotary Building.

You will learn about the great things the community has helped the group accomplish in the past year and learn about new ways to get involved.

Light refreshments will be served.

Annual Church Conference

Sunday, October 30

Mark your calendar! Our annual Church Conference will, again, be a cluster conference with several other United Methodist Churches. Everyone is invited both to the conference at 7 pm and a special session prior at 6 pm. The special session will focus on the question: Who is my neighbor? There will also be a training session at 6 pm for our Staff-Parish Committee members.

Louisiana Flood Response

A big thank you to everyone who gave to help those impacted by the floods in Louisiana. We sent a check for \$2,751 to the United Methodist Committee on Relief to provide assistance. Your generosity will be a blessing to the people in Louisiana!



I want to thank everyone for praying for me during my heart issues. I am feeling much better.

Thank God for the doctors who care for us.

Faye Ball