



TOWER VIEWS

January 31, 2013

Clinton United Methodist Church
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MINISTRY STAFF

Dr. David A. Maggi - Pastor
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Jennifer Kiely - Youth Leader
Rev. Carl Whitacre - Pastor Emeritus

a day in the lie

monday morning,
moist and mild.
makes us imagine
february and march
to be mirages
falsely fitted into
the calendar
to confuse us.
monday morning lied
as she cried
it's spring, it's spring,
but listen
there is no spring
until slow-footed february
and lion or lamb march
move in then
move on.
a day may slide
out of order
and make promises
she can not keep
but seasons are reasonable
and often save us
from their little sisters' deception.

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Groundhog Breakfast-

Sunday, February 3 in the Gym
9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Sausage, Biscuits, Gravy, Fruit Cup,
Juice and Coffee

Free-will offering for the Dr. Charles
Baughman Scholarship Fund at
Saint Paul School of Theology
sponsored by the Outreach Committee



*Sweetheart
Dinner*



*Friday
February 15
6:00 p.m.
UMC Gym*

Fundrasier for the UMYF

- ♥ Join us for an evening of dinner and entertainment
- ♥ Menu: Roasted Prime Rib
Baked Potato
Vegetable
Dessert Bar
- ♥ Tickets: \$25 per person
seating is limited - please purchase your ticket from any youth member of the church office by February 8
- ♥ All proceeds will go toward Clinton UMC Youth Mission Projects



Raymond Mothersbaugh, Carl Elges,
Gene Bollin, Adele Bernard and Cheryl Bell

Let us remember our world's leaders in our prayers.

Thank you to Jim Raysik for the use of
the 15 passenger van. We traveled
to WOW 2013 in style.

- The UMYF



Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 3

- 8:30 - Early Worship
- 9:00 - Groundhog Breakfast
- 9:00 - Children's Council
- 9:30 - Sunday School
- 10:30 - Morning Worship

Monday, February 4

- 8:00 - Staff Meeting
- 5:15 - Cub Scouts
- 6:00 - Handbells

****LEARN BASIC KNITTING CANCELED****

Tuesday, February 5

- 1:00 - Visitation

Wednesday, February 6

- 10:00 - Bible Study
- 3:00 - UMYF
- 3:30 - Angelus Choir
- 6:00 - Church Council and Finance
- 7:00 - Chancel Choir



Worship Assistants



Greeters- Chuck and Melva Peterson
Jack and Jenny Viar

Ushers - Roy and Donna Stern

Gathering Music - 8:30 - Frances Harvey
10:30 - David Cummings

Children's Sermon- Larry Dawson

Acolytes - Emma Gover and Sophie Schilling



Jamaica Mission Trip
February 9 - February 16

Please keep the Jamaica Mission team in your prayers.

Kent Cable	Mary Jo Cable	David Graham
Don Turner	Susan Turner	Jill Ballard
Mackenzie Charles	Micah Charles	Kim Daugherty
Julie Frazier	Kelly Griffey	Kevin Griffey
Patrick Griffey	Eric Hankins	Rachel Hankins
Russel Hendrick	Sharon Hendrick	Amber Lowe
Claire Lowe	Chris Mantonya	Lauren Pierce
Ragaen Pitts	Ryan Pitts	Stacy Pitts
Shauna Townsend	Christina Greathouse	



Let's Talk About Summer Church Camp-

The United Methodist Missouri Conference camping for 2013 offers a diverse listing of events for campers and sometimes parents to join in as well. Complete camping schedules are posted on the door of Jennifer's office or you can go to www.mocamps.org and explore your options.

The church will pay one half of the camp fee for all children who are members of the church or whose parents are members. Please contact the church office prior to registration so that a church voucher number can be obtained for payment.

Confirmation Class
Begins February 17



The confirmation class this year will include all sixth graders, plus anyone else who would like to go through confirmation. The class will meet in the Pastor's Study during the Sunday School hour from February 17 through March 10. On Sunday, March 17 the Confirmands and their parents will be invited to breakfast in the gym at 9:30 a.m. Following the breakfast, the Confirmation Service will be held in the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m.

Please call the church office at 885-5597 if you are interested in participating in this year's Confirmation Class.



Special Lenten Services
Wednesdays through Lent

Each Wednesday at 12:00 noon February 13 through March 20, we will gather in the chapel for scripture, song and the sacrament of Holy Communion. Our hope is that this sacrifice of praise will enliven our Lenten journey from death toward life.

(There will be no Pastor's Bible Study on these days)