



TOWER VIEWS

February 20, 2013

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not lost in the woods

in the hollow hunting,
howling wind makes
leaves and limbs move
with leaps and lunges
like sought-after game.

waiting, watching, wanting
there- no - there - no - no - there-
two turkeys

glide into the glade

not turkey season,
wrong kind of weapon.

is there enough reason

not to take a shot

and take home some meat?

could not possibly get caught.

passed up the shot,

“there are rules for reasons

and rationales for seasons,”

i thought.

left for home a little lighter,

just light enough.

d maggi



The Cub Scouts need our help!
The local cub scouts have a day camp
over the summer and are in need of
neck ties. Any old ties that you do not
use will work, does not matter the size,
color, or pattern. They need 170 for projects during
camp. Feel free to bring your old unused ties to the
church office and we will get them to the Cub
Scouts!

We thank God for the life
among us of Mary Ellen
VanOrmer, a member of this
church since 1975. Our love
and sympathy to her family on
her death February 17, 2013.



With
Deepest
Sympathy



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.



Gene Bollin and Cheryl Bell

Serving in the U.S. Military

Tiffany Cox - US Navy

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

Calendar of Events

Sunday, February 24

- 8:30 - Early Worship
- 9:00 - Continental Breakfast
- 9:30 - Sunday School
- 10:30 - Morning Worship
- 3:00 - Roadkill Quartet Concert

Monday, February 25

- 8:00 - Staff Meeting
- 6:00 - Handbells
- 6:00 - Learn Basic Knitting

Wednesday, February 27

- 12:00 - Lenten Service
- 3:00 - UMYF
- 3:30 - Angelus Choir
- 6:00 - Chancel Band
- 7:00 - Chancel Choir



Worship Assistants



- Greeters- Chuck and Melva Peterson
Jack and Jenny Viar
- Ushers - Roy and Donna Stern
- Gathering Music - 8:30 - Peggy Arthur
10:30 - Janet Parks
- Children's Sermon- Susan Hutcherson
- Acolytes - Ella and Megan Swaters



Special Lenten Services
Wednesdays through Lent

Each Wednesday at 12:00 noon 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)

We have many wonderful and profound resources for your lenten journey. They are easily available in our church library and they are yours for the borrowing. You might want to check out these new arrivals.



I Am Hutterite: The Fascinating True Story of a Young Woman's Journey to Reclaim Her Heritage
By: Mary-Ann Kirkby

Agatha's Feather Bed: Not Just Another Wild Goose Story
By: Carmen Agra Deedy, Laura L. Seeley

Do Hard Things: A Teenage Rebellion Against Low Expectations
By: Alex Harris, et al

Make Poverty Personal: Taking the Poor as Seriously as the Bible Does (emersion: Emergent Village resources for communities of faith)
By: Ash Barker

How Coffee Saved My Life: And Other Stories of Stumbling to Grace
By: Ellie Roscher

Alone and Invisible No More: How Grassroots Community Action and 21st Century Technologies Can Empower Elders to Stay in Their Homes and Lead Healthie
By: Allan Teel MD



Attention All College and College Bound Students-

It's scholarship time!! The Clinton United Methodist Church offers nine - one thousand dollar scholarships to church members who are continuing their education. Applications will be available starting Friday, March 1 and can be picked up in the church office.