

Tower Views

June 26, 2014

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MINISTRY STAFF
Pastor Brad Reed - Pastor
Sam Lucas - Director of Music & Organist
Jennifer Kiely - Youth Leader
Rev. Carl Whitacre - Pastor Emeritus

Greetings!

We are so excited to be in Clinton! Everyone has been so kind and gracious as Raven, Josh, Jay, and I have started getting settled. Thank you to everyone who has brought us food and done so many things to help us feel welcome. Words cannot express our appreciation for your kindness.

I am honored to have the opportunity to be your pastor. I look forward to getting to know you and your stories. I look forward to sharing our journey of faith and ministry together. I look forward to learning with you and from you as we grow closer to Christ. I look forward to serving with you to spread the love of Christ in our community and around the world.

Please keep me and my family in your prayers as we work to get settled in the parsonage, the church and the community. Please join me in praying for the church as we make this transition in leadership. And, please continue to pray for David and Christy and they begin a new season of their life.

I look forward to meeting all of you. I hope to see you Sunday in worship!

Brad



Suzetta Busby, Jo Stromberg, Fred McAllister, Mick Stratton, Arnie Drendel, George Wackerman Becki McQuitty, Opal Morehead and Alean Landes

<u>U.S. Military</u> Mark Shockley - Afghanistan



The Clinton United Methodist
Church and the Clinton Arts Council
invite students who have
completed kindergarten through
graduating seniors 2014 to try out
for one of the 50 parts in the

musical play "The Secret Garden". Auditions will be held on Monday, July 21, from 10 a.m to 12 noon at the United Methodist Church gym. There is no cost for the student to participate. No advanced preparation is required, just show up with a smile! Students chosen for parts should be prepared to be present all week from 10:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

for rehearsals. The play will be presented on Saturday, July 26, at 3:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. in the church gym.

For more information, contact Sam Lucas at 885-5597.

Summer is here: and here is what's happening:



New Pastor Meet and Greet Potluck

July 13 at 11:30 a.m. on the church lawn. The church will provide the table service and drinks <u>ONLY</u>. Church members bring a dish of their choice.

Missoula Children's Theatre

July 21 through July 26 for children who have completed kindergarten through 2014 graduating high school seniors

Calendar of Events

Sunday, June 29

8:30 - Early Worship Service

9:00 - Continental Breakfast

9:30 - Sunday School

10:30 - Morning Worship

Wednesday, July 2

8:00 - Prayer Circle

Friday, July 4

Church Office Closed

Worship Assistants



Greeters- Rocky and Kathi Austin



Carroll and Judy McVeigh

Ushers - Don and Susan Turner

Gathering Music - 8:30 - Frances Harvey

10:30 - David Cummings

Children's Sermon - Marnie Bellamy



E-Shopping

Check out the church website www.clintonumc.net and look at the Cokesbury and Amazon links through the E-shopping tab. Please keep in

mind that items ordered through the Clinton United Methodist Church website will allow the church to receive a percentage of sales from Qualifying Purchases.

At Cokesbury you can find a variety of books for all ages, Bibles, and seasonal selections.

<u>At Amazon</u> you can buy just about anything including toys, apparel, kitchen items, household, tools, sporting equipment, music . . .

The church will only receive a percentage from sales if you access these links through the church website. This is an easy way to help your church as you do your shopping.

Have You Moved Recently?

We depend on you to help us keep our records up to date. Please notify the church office of any change of address or phone number as soon as you can so that our membership information is current.

Dear United Methodist Church Family,



Thank you again for awarding me one of your annual scholarships. It will be a great help in pursuing my education. I also thank you for your continued support, prayers, and encouragement over the years. It means a lot to me.

Sincerely, Meghan Barr



Flowers for the Altar

Each Sunday, flower arrangements for the sanctuary's chancel area are provided by members and

friends of the church. There are still a few openings available for the remainder of the year. Check out the flower calendar located on the bulletin board by the library and sign up if you are interested - or you can call the church office at 885-5597.

† Please Notify The Pastor if you or a family member enter the hospital and would like a visit from him. Because of HIPAA we are unable to obtain that information except from a family member.