



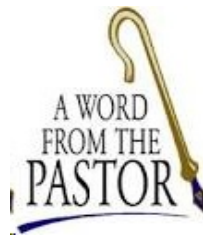
# Tower Views

June 4, 2015

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There's nothing like a drink of cool, fresh water on a hot summer day. And we are so blessed, because all we have to do is turn on the faucet and in an instant we can have a glass full of clean, safe water.



Unfortunately, our sisters and brothers in our covenant church in Mongue, Mozambique are not so blessed. Their water source is six miles from their village. The women make that trek every day to bring water for their families. And that water they bring back isn't safe or clean. As a result, water-borne illnesses are a constant threat – especially to the children.

But we have the opportunity to change all of that. We have the opportunity to provide two wells that will supply clean, safe water right near their churches. And we're almost there. We've already raised over \$20,000 toward our goal of \$25,200 to provide two wells for the people of Mongue. Thank you for all your generosity to get us this far – and thank you in advance for your generosity to complete this project. I know we will!

And thank you to everyone who provided socks for our students in need here in Clinton. We collected 833 pair!

Brad

It's time to be thinking of Summer and here are a few events that you might want to mark on your calendar:



## Church Potluck

Sunday, June 14 at 11:30 am in the church gym. Drinks and table service will be provided, please bring a dish to share!

## Youth Mission Trip

June 6-12 -The youth will be traveling to Estes Park Colorado for their mission project. Please keep the children and leaders in your prayers this week.

## Vacation Bible School

June 22 -26 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.  
for children Pre-K through 8th grade

## Missoula Children's Theatre

July 20 - July 25  
for children who have completed kindergarten through 2015 graduating high school seniors

## Wells for Mongue



Our covenant church in Mongue, Mozambique, Africa is in great need of wells. Currently the women of Mongue walk 6 miles each way to get water for their families, water that is not clean or safe. Our goal is to raise \$25,200 to provide two wells for the people of Mongue. We raised over \$20,700 for the project during Lent. Our goal is to raise the remaining funds - \$4,500 – during the month of June. The gift of clean, safe water is one of the greatest gifts we can give the people of Mongue. Please prayerfully consider how you can help complete this important project!

Jill Bernard, Fred McAllister, Linda Sites, Sutton family,  
Robin Hays, Bob Himes, Leon Hargrave, Eckhoff family,  
Mary Lou Walker, Lucille Clayton, Dennis Seiger  
Becki McQuitty, Shirley Mothersbaugh, Susan Turner  
John Chapin, Naida Fenwick and Harold Lam

Calendar of Events

Sunday, June 7 - Steward Sunday!

Youth leave for Mission Trip to Estes Park, CO!

8:30 - Early Worship

9:00 - Continental Breakfast

9:30 - Sunday School

10:30 - Morning Worship

Monday, June 8

4:00 - Clinton Cougars

Thursday, June 11

1:30 - PEO

6:00 - 4-H

Friday, June 12

Missioners Return!

**\*\* Worship Assistants\*\***

Greeters- Darrin and Jayne Taylor

Guido and Janice Santero

Gathering Music - 8:30 - Frances Harvey

10:30 - David Cummings



The Clinton United Methodist Church and the Clinton Arts Council invite students who have completed kindergarten through graduating seniors 2015 to try out

for one of the 50 parts in the musical play "Little Mermaid". Auditions will be held on Monday, July 20, 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 25, at 3:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. in the church gym.

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

We need your help!!!

Jennifer is looking for "Creepers"!!! She is looking for as many of the creepers that mechanics use as she can find. She is gathering them to use for the youth! If you have one that you no longer use, feel free to bring it to the church office.



Daily Bible Readings

- Sun Lamentations 3: 22-26  
Give thanks for God's new blessings each day
- Mon 2 Peter 1: 3-11  
Ask God for the grace to grow in Christ
- Tues 1 Peter 1: 13-16  
Ask God for the grace to live faithfully
- Wed Psalm 1  
Give thanks for the gift of God's Word
- Thurs James 1: 22-27  
Ask God for the strength to put His word into action
- Fri James 4: 7-10  
Ask God for the self-discipline to spend time with God each day
- Sat 1 Thessalonians 5: 14-18  
Confess those times you've been quick to complain & slow to pray

Underwear Collection



Through the month of June we are collecting underwear for students in need in the Clinton School District. This includes child sizes through adults. We are joining other churches in the community to provide underwear to be given away at the Bright Futures Back to School Fair in late July. Your gift will help kids in our own community get off to a great start at school this coming year.



We Need Your Help!!! The VBS leaders are looking for some items to help with the decorations and crafts at VBS 2015! They are looking for ropes, backpacks, lanterns and any other hiking equipment to borrow as decoration. They are also looking for toilet paper rolls and old magazines that they can use for crafts! If you have anything you would like to help them with, please feel free to drop it by the church office! Thanks for supporting our children!

Reminder!! The Church Potluck is NEXT SUNDAY, June 14 at 11:30 am. The church will provide drinks and table service, please bring a dish to share!!

