



Tower Views

March 4, 2010

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in the courtyard

peter's passing slip
made him famous
if only for the fact
that in one manic moment
he lacked the backbone
to be brave
for his best friend
he failed, failed dreadfully but
beware of staying there
in the courtyard too long
peter moved on
jesus moved on
it is time for you
to move on because
passing slips
do not denote lasting failure
unless you linger too long
in the courtyard.

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LENTEN CALENDAR

March 7	9:30 a.m.	Confirmation Class each Sunday morning through March 14
March 10	6:00 p.m.	Lenten Journey each Wednesday evening through March 24
March 21	9:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	Confirmand/Parent Breakfast Confirmation Service
March 28		Palm Sunday
April 1	7:30 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Service
April 4		Easter Sunday
	8:30 a.m.	Youth Led Service
	9:00 a.m.	Continental Breakfast
	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:30 a.m.	Easter Worship Service

Next Sunday Sermon Text

Luke 23:39-45



Elizabeth Ann Hutcherson,
Martha Gray, and Cleone Foster

Serving Our Country Overseas

Shane Lane, Tim Goth, Tony Goth, and Mike Williams

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

One Great Hour of Sharing



One Great Hour of Sharing supports the work of the United Methodist Committee on Relief. UMCOR receives no apportionment money as most all of our other general ministries do. It depends upon designated gifts to carry out the amazing job of offering relief here at home and around the world. At this time they are still working in New Orleans - 5 years following Hurricane Katrina.

On Sunday, March 14, we will be collecting an offering to go to One Great Hour of Sharing. Please make your check payable to the church and mark "One Great Hour" in the memo.

Thank You!

In behalf of the family of Anna Lynn Himes thank you to our church family for all of the kind expressions of caring and concern shown us at this time. Your thoughtfulness touched our hearts. Thank you to the ladies who furnished lunch for us.

Brian and Kelsey Himes
Darrel and Suzanne Ammons



Calendar of Events

Sunday, March 7

- 8:30 - Early Worship
- 9:00 - Continental Breakfast, Gym
- 9:00 - Children's Council
- 9:30 - Sunday School
- 9:30 - Confirmation Class, Pastor's Study
- 10:30 - Morning Worship

Monday, March 8

- 8:00 - Staff Meeting
- 11:00 - Literacy Council, Room 110
- 4:00 - 4-H, Gym
- 5:30 - Pee-Wee Soccer Practice, Gym
- 6:00 - Beginning Turkey Call Instruction, Rm 110
- 6:00 - Volunteer Meeting, Board Room
- 6:00 - Handbells, Room 204

Wednesday, March 10

- 10:00 - Bible Study, Board Room
- 11:00 - Ministerial Alliance, Green Room
- 3:30 - Angelus Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room
- 6:00 - Lenten Journey, Chapel
- 7:00 - Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room

Thursday, March 11

- 6:30 - Youth Band, Fellowship Hall

Friday, March 12

- 1:30 - UMW General Meeting, Green Room
- 3:30 - Girl Scouts, Fellowship Hall

Saturday, March 13

When you go to bed tonight - don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour



Daylight Saving Time begins on Sunday, March 14

Easter Flowers

We have ordered 40 tulips to be placed on the altar Easter morning. They will come in 6" pots and will cost \$6.00 each.

If you would like to order a tulip in memory or honor of someone, please call the church office. They will be sold on a first come first served basis.



Card Shower

Rheabelle Johns will be observing her 90th birthday on March 13, 2010. Let's help her celebrate with a card shower! Please send your cards to Rheabelle Johns, 207 James Drive, Clinton, Missouri 64735.



The Central Methodist University Concert Band will be playing a concert in our sanctuary on Sunday, March 14, at 7:00 p.m. Numbering over 60, the band is in a period of growth and is playing some exciting music. Please tell your friends and plan to attend this free concert. You will see some of the good work taking place in Fayette, Missouri.



The United Methodist Women (UMW) are putting together health kits for UMCOR. If you would like to help with this project, please feel free to put together as many kits as you would like and bring them to the church. We will send them the second week in April.

Please find below items that are to be included in each kit:

- 1 hand towel (at least 15"x25" and up to 17"X27", not a kitchen towel)
- 1 wash cloth
- 1 comb (large and sturdy, not a pocket size)
- 1 nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toenail clippers)
- 1 bath-size (3 oz or more) bar of soap
- 1 toothbrush (adult size, single brush in original wrapper)
- \$1 for toothpaste (to be purchased by UMCOR prior to shipping)
- 6 adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages

Church Library News: Thanks to the Samaritan Builders Class for donating the following books: A LIFE OF INTEGRITY by Howard Hendricks in memory of Marvin Fluke and THE BUTTERFLY COMETH by Diana Webb in memory of Arlene Short.

Books checked Out:

September - 10 books; October - 9 books and 4 magazines; November - 6 books and 1 magazine; December - 7 books; January - 11 books, 1 magazine, and 1 CD; February - 16 books and 1 magazine

Church Statistics for February 2010

Average Weekly Worship Attendance	324
Average Weekly Sunday School Attendance	164
General Fund Offering	\$30,200.21
Building Fund Offering	\$ 745.00
Haiti Earthquake Relief	\$3,595.00
(special offering taken in January & February)	