



# TOWER VIEWS

August 23, 2012

Clinton United Methodist Church  
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MINISTRY STAFF  
Dr. David A. Maggi - Pastor  
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heaven bound

dying dog days  
each August  
it is the same.  
long gray trek  
across considerable flatness,  
then mountains  
emerge on the horizon,  
windy steep highway,  
rutted gravel road,  
permeating piney aroma ,  
grand veranda vista,  
screen door squeaks and creaks.  
ah!  
our home away from home,  
like the planet earth.



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## MARK THESE DATES for your FALL PLANNING

### Wednesday, September 5

\*Chancel Choir rehearsal begins at 7:00 p.m.

### Saturday, September 8

\* Serve 2012 - contact Fred McAllister for more information

### Sunday, September 9

\*Promotion Exercises will take place at the 8:30 worship service. There will be a time of recognition and presentations, and all children will be promoted to their new Sunday School classes.

### Monday, September 10

\*Handbell rehearsal begins at 6:00 p.m.

### Wednesday, September 12

\*Angelus Choir rehearsal begins at 3:30 p.m.

### Sunday, September 16

\*NO 8:30 WORSHIP SERVICE

\*Annual Charge Conference at the 10:30 worship service. Heartland South District Superintendent T. Cody Collier will be with us.



Linda Wareham, Steve Cummings,  
Keith Kreissler, Olivia Billings, Gene and  
Naida Fenwick, Virginia Teays, and  
Jessica Lippstreu

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



The United Methodist Women will be taking a road trip on Friday, September 14, to the Show Me Christian Children's Home in LaMonte to tour their facility. This is one of the organizations that UMW sponsors

through their mission program. We'll leave at 9:00 a.m. to tour their facility and then stop for lunch on the way home. We should be home between 2:00 and 3:00 p.m. If you would like to go on this outing, please call the church office so adequate transportation can be provided. We promise a fun and rewarding time, and hope you can come along.



Thank you to the Witness Committee for the delicious dinner given to us in honor of Lillian Douglas. It was a very special treat to have visitors too. Thank you for remembering us.

- Allison, Sophie, Lillian and Douglas Schilling

Calender of Events

Sunday, August 26

- 8:30 - Early Morning Worship
- 9:00 - Continental Breakfast
- 9:30 - Sunday School
- 10:30 - Morning Worship
- 3:00 - LOST AND FOUND Concert

Wednesday, August 29

- 3:00 - Open Gym
- 4:30 - Y on Wednesday



Worship Assistants



- Greeters- Penny Barker and Karen Erickson  
Dick and Nancy Fleming
- Ushers- Don and Susan Turner
- Sound System 8:30 -  
10:30 - Larry Hager
- Van Driver - Greg Hard
- Gathering Music - 8:30 - Peggy Arthur  
10:30 - Janet Parks



**ATTENTION YOUTH  
OF ALL AGES!!!**

A concert is coming.....

LOST AND FOUND will be at  
Clinton United Methodist Church at 3:00 p.m.  
on Sunday, August 26<sup>th</sup>.  
Fun for the whole family!!

Serve 2012 is coming up  
Saturday, September 8



Needed: Prayers, Workers, Funds for Projects

There is a job for everyone. Call the church office to sign up, or contact Fred McAllister, project coordinator.



**Program Guide**

The 2012 - 2013 Program Guide will be coming to your mailbox near the end of August.

This little booklet will be a travel guide in our shared journey in the realm of God. It will include worship schedules, general church information, a guide to our upcoming concert series, and a schedule of our communiversity classes. We encourage you to read through the opportunities available to you. Mark the dates on your calendar, and sign up for the communiversity classes that interest you. Hold on to your little booklet throughout the year and refer to it as needed.

Editor's Note - If you have moved since last year, please make sure that we have your current address in the church office.  
Call us at 885-5597 with this information.

As one of our ongoing Outreach programs through the church, we collect various labels to help support the school at the Red Bird Mission in Beverly, Kentucky. This is a wonderful organization that goes great work assisting families in the very impoverished Appalachian Mountains region. The collectible items are Campbell's Labels for Education, General Mills BoxTops for Education, Tyson Products A+, mycokerewards, Office Depot 5% Back to Schools Program, Capri Sun pouches, and Best Choice labels. Copies of a detailed listing of these products and information on how to donate through mycokerewards and Office Depot 5% Back to Schools Programs are available in the Green Room. Please pick up a copy to help in determining the coupons and labels to be collected. There are bins located on the coat rack in the hallway outside the office to collect them in. They will be sorted and periodically sent to Red Bird Mission. We just sent almost 1,000 BoxTops for Education coupons and have 745 Best Choice labels collected at this time. We will need 1,000 before they can be sent in for reimbursement. Any help you can give is greatly appreciated, and don't forget to pick up a copy of the detailed listing located in the Green Room.

