

Tower Views

September 22, 2011

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MINISTRY STAFF

Dr. David A. Maggi - Pastor
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who's to blame

one more step
toward the tornado
one more poke
at the grizzly bear
one more stomp
on thin ice
one more stroke
in the alligator pool
one more word
to an angry man
one more slap
at an armed woman
and you cry
peace, peace
but there is no peace.



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Annual Church Conference is this
Sunday, September 25!

We will have our annual Church Conference this Sunday September 25 at the 10:30 service. All church members are voting members of the Church Conference. Our District Superintendent Reverend Cody Collier will conduct the meeting which will be woven into our worship service. Nominations, budgets, salaries, and membership matters will be addressed.

There will be **NO 8:30 Service** this Sunday. We hope that all members will make every effort to be here.

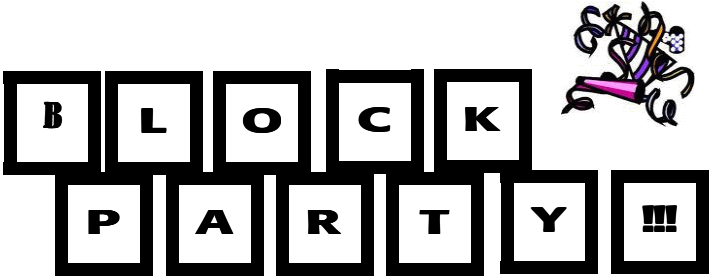
NO 8:30 Service
Sunday September 25



Dorothy Steward, Irene Powell
and John Williams
Serving Our Country Overseas
Brett Barbee
Let us remember our world's leaders in our prayers.

Empties 4 Cash-

Since we started collecting printer cartridges we have made \$1,871.55! Don't forget when you get your new cartridges bring in the old ones and help out the church!



Dear Methodist Church Friends,
Thank you so much for the ministry outreach volunteering your time and energy to beautify and make our Clinton Senior Center look so special! A special thank you goes to Fred and Carolyn McAllister for their leadership and time. All of us are thrilled! Thank you!!
- JoAnn Wade
County Services Director

Come join us for a celebration with our friends from the Holy Rosary Catholic Church, Sunday October 2 at 5:00 p.m.



Games - Food - Fun

Hamburgers, Hotdogs, Trimmings, Dessert, Drink and Table Service will be provided. Bring your family and don't forget your lawn chair!!!!

Calender of Events

Sunday, September 25

NO 8:30 Service

9:00 - Continental Breakfast, Gym

9:30 - Sunday School

10:30 - Church Conference

Monday, September 26

8:00 - Staff Meeting

6:00 - Handbells

6:30 - Learn Mahjongg

Wednesday, September 28

10:00 - Bible Study

3:30 - Angelus Choir

6:00 - Staff Parish Meeting

7:00 - Chancel Choir

Friday, September 30

6:00 - Fun on Friday



Festival of Sharing Update-

Our Festival of Sharing campaign for the PET project continues through October 2. PET is a hand-cranked wheelchair for those in poor and underdeveloped countries who have been "walking with their hands" for years. With the PET, they gain strength and ability with practice. Adults are able to make income and help support their families. We have set a goal of \$5,000 to purchase 20 PETs. Please consider contributing to this project. Note " Festival of Sharing" on the bottom left corner of your check. We have collected \$2,447.35 as of September 18. This will purchase 9 PETs. Thank you for your contributions.

- The Outreach Committee

Don't forget to sign up for Communi-versity classes! We have four new ones that begin in October. You can call the church office to sign up at 885-5597.



Bridge Basics

led by Delores Rowe

begins October 6, Thursdays at 6:30 p.m.

Exploring China

led by Myrna Hilty

Tuesday October 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Young Eagles Airplanes Rides

led by Dennis Walrath

Sunday October 16 at 3:00 p.m.

Healthcare: How Other Nations Do It

led by Dennis Maruszak

Wednesday October 19 at 6:00 p.m.

Dear Friends,



On behalf of the Oklahoma Indian Missionary Conference I would like to take this opportunity to thank the members of Clinton United Methodist Church for their generous contribution to the Oklahoma Indian Missionary Conference.

There are four areas of giving through the Advance for our conference. We have the Native American Children's Fund, Parish Partners, New Construction, and although it is not completely ours it is administered through our office and that is the Clinton Indian Church and Community Center. Please accept our sincere appreciation for your gift.

-Grace and Peace-

Josephine Deere

Director of Interpretation and Programs



Dear Friends,

I have just learned of your very generous gift of \$219.27 from your VBS sent to the Conference Office in August for the Heifer International Living Gifts Fund. Thank you so much! Somewhere in the world, families will be wonderfully blessed through your contribution. This money will go to purchase 1 pig, 1 flock of ducks, and 2 honeybee hives.

Again, thanks so very much for your generous gift. You HAVE made a difference!

-Carol Oliver

Missouri Representative

Heifer International



Thank you so much for the prayers, phone calls and cards sent on behalf of my new grandson, Bennett Brian Bacon. He is home from Children's Mercy Hospital and doing fine.

- Carolyn Lewis

