



Tower Views

September 4, 2014

Clinton United Methodist Church
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Brad Reed - Pastor
 Sam Lucas - Director of Music & Organist
 Jennifer Kiely - Youth Leader
 Ministry Staff: Everyone

Sunday we will begin our new message series: You Asked for It. You chose a wonderful collection of topics. I'm looking forward to exploring all of them. They include:




- Sep 7 Gratitude - It's an Attitude
- Sep 14 Forgiveness - Who Takes Out Your Trash?
- Sep 21 Love - All In
- Sep 28 Stress - Overload
- Oct 5 Eternal Live - Home
- Oct 12 Family - HUGS!

At the 8:30 Service, we will also celebrate Promotion Sunday. One of my great joys is presenting our kids with Bibles to read and study. At the 10:30 Service, we will welcome back the Chancel Choir. I know they will be a blessing.

This would be a great time to invite someone to church!

Brad

 Arnie Drendel, Bettyrae Fluke, Jill Bernard, Bobbie Evans, Fred McAllister, Harold Johns, George Wackerman, Suzetta Busby, Jo Stromberg, Becki McQuitty, Alean Landes, and Robin Hays
U.S. Military
 Mark Shockley - Afghanistan



Sunday, September 14, we will be kicking off our fall activities with Kick-Off Sunday. We encourage you to wear sports attire for your favorite team (professional, college, high school) and plan to join us after the 10:30 worship service for a potluck in the gym. The church will provide drinks and table service. You are asked to bring a dish (or two) of your choice. This will be a great time of fellowship with church family!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS!



September 8 Handbell Rehearsals Begin
 6:00 p.m. each Monday
 Adult Learner's Bells
 7:00 p.m. each Monday


September 10 Angelus Choir Rehearsals Begin
 3:30 p.m. each Wednesday
 for students grades 1-5

September 13 Serve 2014

September 14 Kick-off Sunday

September 17 Chancel Band Rehearsals Begin
 6:00 p.m. Wednesday

We have many opportunities available at the church as we gear up for Fall. You are invited to join in!



Attention Parents of 2nd through 5th Graders

Acolytes will begin for the year on September 14. Any second through fifth grader is eligible to be an acolyte. We are moving acolytes to the 8:30 services this year. Participating as an acolyte is a wonderful way for children to assist with our worship services. A practice will be held after the first Angelus Choir rehearsal on Wednesday, September 10, in the sanctuary. All participants are encouraged to attend. The practice will only take a few minutes.

Please email Susan Mosley at smosley@hawthornbank.com or call 351-3029 if you would like your child to participate.

† Please remember to 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.

Calendar of Events

Sunday, September 7

- 8:30 - Early Worship Service - SS Promotion
- 9:00 - Continental Breakfast
- 9:30 - Sunday School
- 10:30 - Morning Worship

Monday, September 8

- 8:00 - Staff Meeting
- 4:00 - Clinton Cougars 4-H, Room 110
- 6:00 - Handbell Rehearsal, Room 204
- 7:00 - Adults Learners Bells, Room 204

Wednesday, September 10

- 8:00 - Prayer Circle
- 3:00 - UMYF
- 3:30 - Angelus Choir Rehearsal
- 7:00 - Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, September 11

- 6:00 - 4-H, Fellowship Hall

Friday, September 12

- 9:00 - UMW to Harvesters

Saturday, September 13

- 8:00 - Serve 2014

Worship Assistants

Greeters- Berry and Judy Beebe

Betty Braun and Sharlene Wirsig

Ushers - 8:30 - Eric and Peggy Dameron

Gathering Music - 8:30 - Frances Harvey

10:30 - Brenda Ford

Children's Sermon - Larry Dawson

New Nursery Director Position



We are looking to hire a Nursery Director to insure that our church provides a warm, welcoming nursery that provides excellent care for our infants and toddlers.

This person will serve in the church nursery each Sunday morning together with our nursery volunteers. If you, or someone you know, might be interested in serving the church through this position, please contact Brad Reed or the church office for more information.



Holy Rosary Church will be having a daylily sale Saturday, September 13, 9:00-3:00 and Sunday, September 14, 11:00-3:00. Over 200 varieties of daylilies will be available at \$3.00 each.

Daily Bible Readings and Prayer

- Sun Philippians 4:4-9
Ask God to help you adopt an attitude of gratitude
- Mon Psalm 136:1-9
Give thanks for God's steadfast love
- Tue Matthew 6:25-34
Surrender your anxiety to God
- Wed Psalm 100
Pray this psalm as a prayer to God
- Thurs Colossians 2:6-7
Pray for those who need Christ in their life
- Fri Psalm 118:25-29
Give thanks that you are a child of God
- Sat 1 Timothy 6:6-10
Pray to be content with what you have
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SERVE 2014
Saturday, September 13

We have two projects that we will be working on for Serve 2014. We will be constructing a memorial garden for Fred Davis in front of the old Wetzel Clinic where State Fair and Central Methodist colleges are located, and we will be working on the landscaping at the Caboose located near the Katy Trail. Everyone is invited to meet at the church at 8:00 a.m. to go to the projects. If you would like to assist financially make your check to the church and add "serve" at the bottom. Also if you have or know of anyone who needs small jobs done please let the church office know. Let's make this years serve one of the best. Thanks!

Fred McAllister, Outreach Chair



New Beginner Handbell Class

Have you ever thought about playing handbells?

You are invited to join Jean Graham as she leads the new Adult Learners Bells class on Monday, September 8, at 7:00 p.m. This group will be a non-performance choir, and the plan is to just have fun and learn. The only requirement is that you are able to count to four and know your colors.

This class for adults will meet each Monday evening at 7:00 p.m.