## Welcome to the

# **Murphysboro United Methodist Church**



Jesus is the Way Home

# See You on the Trail

June 2, 2013

1500 Pine Street, Murphysboro, Illinois 62966 Phone: (618) 687-2317 Fax: (618) 687-2604 Office Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

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## **New to Murphysboro UMC?**

We want to help you get connected!

## **Welcome Center:**

Come visit the Welcome Center following the service today. The Welcome Center is located just outside the North Sanctuary doors. We have a "sweet" gift for you and we would love to meet you!

#### **Tours of the Church:**

Tours of our historic church are held the 2nd Sunday of each month immediately following worship. Meet your tour guide at the 'Tour' sign at the front of the sanctuary.

#### **First Connection:**

A brief orientation to the ministries of our church. The 3rd Sunday of each month; meet your leader immediately following worship at the 'First Connection' sign at the front of the sanctuary.

## WE LOVE YOUR CHILDREN!

Children of all ages are welcome in our worship service. If you prefer, a nursery for children infant through four-years-old is available during both the worship and Sunday School hours.

> The Nursery is located in Room 201, just outside the North Sanctuary doors.

# **Celebration of Worship**

June 2, 2013

Second Sunday of Pentecost Pentecost—Red

### The Greeting

L: The Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

P: And also with you.

### **Congregational Chorus**

"Spirit of the Living God"

Hymnal #393

#### The Greeting

## **Sharing of Parish Opportunities and Attendance Ritual**

 Please fill out the prayer request cards, if needed, located in the pew Bibles and hand them to the ushers after the Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting.

#### Prelude

Please begin a time of quiet centering for worship when the music begins.

## **Light of Christ Enters**

### ++Hvmn of Praise

"We Gather Together"

Hvmnal #131

Noisy Offering: During this hymn, the children will pass buckets and collect loose change. The noisy offering for missions in June will go to UMCOR-Haiti Children

In Unison Invocation

O Lord our God.

you are always more ready to bestow your good gifts on us than we are to seek them,

and are willing to give more than we desire or deserve.

Help us so to seek that we may truly find, so to ask that we may joyfully receive,

so to knock that the door of your mercy may be opened to us; through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

#### ++Time of Christian Fellowship and Greeting

If due to health concerns, you are unable to stand and share in this time of greeting, please know that our hearts are yours in Christ Jesus.

#### **Collection of Prayer Cards by Ushers**

**Children's Moments** 

**Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings** 

#### Offertory

#### ++Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymnal #95

## Offering of Joys & Concerns

#### **Pastoral Prayer of Intercession and Blessing**

The Lord's Prayer In Unison

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Hymnal #895

SHARING

THE LOAF

#### **Children's Church Procession**

Luke 14:15-24 New Testament, Holy Bible pg. 77 Scripture

L: The Word of God for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God!

#### Sermon

"An Invitation to Dine" Pastor Larry A. Gilbert

## **Communion Hymn**

"Let Us Break Bread Together" Hymnal #618

#### **Ritual of Holy Communion**

Invitation to the Lord's Table

++Benediction

++Postlude

++Congregation is invited to stand as you are able

## **Today's Worship**

**Greeters:** Paul and Arlene Bitner

**Liturgist:** Lacey Brown **Organist:** Micah Mayes Choir Director: Ricardo King

June Worship Leader: Troy Brown Prayer Request Reader: Kristi Miller **Acolytes:** Allison Brown and Lucas Bigham

Welcome Hostesses: Sharon Graff and Pam Crews

Sunday Stewards: Rob Williams, Rick Runge, Ricky Pierson, Rick Pierson, Bert Ozburn, Ron Moutardier, Dick Graff and Cliff Buchholz

**Ushers**: Rick Runge (Captain), Kyle Quigley, Erin Mileur, Trina Eaton and Bob Eaton

**Credentialed Nursery Teacher:** Tania Cruz

The Memory Book is open to the page honoring Leonard Bartnek

## **Stewardship & Attendance for May 26, 2013**

Offering: \$6665 Worship: 194 Sunday School: 108

Elevator Fund Balance as of 5/31/13: \$38,369.22

May Noisy Offering to Methodists on a Mission: \$284.97

Missional Offering for May: \$1526.56 Year to Date: \$20,415.84

# Opportunities for Growth and Service

## **STARTS TODAY!!!**

## TWELVE UNLIKELY HEROES OF THE BIBLE



A NEW STUDY BASED ON THE BOOK BY THE SAME NAME by John MacArthur
Faithful Friends Sunday School Class, Room 204
Begins **TODAY** at 8:00 a.m. or 10:10 a.m.
Teresa Gilbert, Class Leader
(purchase of the book is optional)

## **3rd Annual Children's Summer Story Time**

Children's Story Time will be held outdoors in the Church Pavilion on three consecutive Tuesdays this summer. The first one will be on June 11th at 10:00 a.m. Kids and their parents or grandparents are invited to come and have a fun time! We will have Bible story time, songs, crafts and snacks. Each session will last approximately 45 minutes.

This is a joint project of the Library Committee, Service and Missions, and Children/Youth Spiritual Formation. We hope not only to offer some fun and meaningful stories to the children of our church, but also to reach out to others outside our church,

including our immediate neighborhood.

The three Tuesdays are June 11, June 18, and June 25. All sessions start at 10:00 a.m.

We hope to see children enjoy this experience in June and then come to Vacation Bible School in July which starts on Sunday, July 14<sup>th</sup>, and will be another great experience for children.

Please come! Invite others!

## **Food Sanitation Class**

MUMC will be hosting a food sanitation class on August 5, 6 and 7 from 5:00-9:00 p.m.

Twelve hours of attendance is required to get certified.

Cost is \$60 per person and will be held in Faithful Friends classroom.

The class is open to the public so pass the information along to friends and family. Check the box on the *Registration and Attendance Sheet* if interested or contact the church office for more information.

## **Saturday Book Club Meeting**

June 15th at 10:30 a.m. in the Church Library *Life of Pi* by Yann Martel

Contact Emily Wece at ewece88@gmail.com or 618-559-0329



## WEEKLY BULLETIN DEADLINE

WEDNESDAY at 12:00 NOON

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## Are You Ready? Dust Off Your Walking Shoes!

The annual Murphysboro Relay for Life event will be held at the Murphysboro High School on Friday and Saturday (June 14th and 15th). *Methodists on a Mission* Relay for Life Team is asking members of our congregation to participate in the walk by pledging to walk 30 minutes any time between 6:00 p.m. on June 14th and 6:00 a.m. on June 15th.

It is our goal to have someone from MUMC on the track at all times during the 12 hour event!

Team members will be signing up walkers **TODAY** and next Sunday in the back of the Sanctuary.

# Hope Shines Bright During the Murphysboro Relay For Life Luminaria Ceremony!!!

Friday, June 14th, at 9:00 p.m. at Murphysboro High School
Each light honors someone who has battled cancer.
Each Luminaria, lighting the path along the track and burning throughout the night, commemorates a treasured relationship.
Luminaria may be purchased for \$10.00. You may wish to honor someone who is currently battling cancer or someone who has lost their battle with this dreaded disease. Luminaria forms are inserted in this bulletin or contact Cathy in the church office to purchase one or more Luminaria. Please make checks payable to METHODISTS ON A MISSION. Forms may be returned to any *Methodists on a Mission* team member or the church office.

## Lunch in a Glove Box

This project will be supported by your donations of non-perishable food items that will fit into a quart zipper bag (granola bars, peanut butter crackers, pre-made tuna w/crackers, etc). Volunteers will pack these items in zipper bags and have them available for the congregation to pick up in church and keep in their glovebox. When you see someone asking for food, then you just hand them one. Bags will be labeled with a sticker with info about MUMC. The first 'packing of bags' will be at 10:00 a.m. on June 21st in Fellowship Hall. We need help with both donations and volunteers to pack bags.

Contact Barb Hughes at jdbkhughes@frontier.com for more information.

## Take Me Out To The Ballgame!

The Adult Spiritual Formation Team is planning a trip to a 
Miners baseball game on June 22nd.

It is MURPHYSBORO DAY at the ballpark!

Cost is \$4 per person-please pay at the church office.

Deadline is June 16th.

Be at church at 5:15 p.m. and transportation is provided.

## Prayer List For Sunday, June 2, 2013

Barbara Zimmerman

Gloria Barker Viola Buchholz Lori Chapman
Sue Congardio Cheryl Funk Betty Kiel
Ed Lirely Myrtle McKinnie Bob Rice
Russell Reiman Ruth Reiman Sharon Sanders

**Gaye Thornton** 

Lisa Parrish Wright (Daughter of Paul and Viola Parrish) Cheryl Wilkerson (Co-Worker of Gene Schwebel)

John Myers (Linda Craig's brother-in-law)

Elene Swafford

Jack Wilson (retired Murphysboro barber)

E.R. Roy Sides (Lee Sullivan's brother-in-law)

Paula Chapa (preparing for knee surgery on June 25th)

Katie Schwebel (Gene Schwebel's daughter) and Katie's cousin, Dana Pribich, as they travel through Europe through Father's Day weekend Sandra Flynt (Candy Watt's sister) who is having health concerns Paula Huppert (Lisa Bustos' aunt) who is battling an aggressive cancer Bev Trammel (friend of Lisa Bustos) recently diagnosed with cancer Seth Gilmore (Jack Cochran's grandson)

- If you would like to place or remove someone on the prayer list, please call the church office at 687-2317.
- ~ Copies of the long-term and ongoing prayer list are on the bulletin table for those who wish a copy for their prayer time at home.

## Wednesday Prayer Group

Wednesdays at 9:30 a.m. in the Prayer Room. Intercessory prayer for the joys and concerns of our church family, community and the world.

# Prayer Emphasis for June UMCOR-HAITI CHILDREN

United Methodist Committee on Relief

## Welcome Clara Estelle Shields

Born May 18th to Eric & Marianne Shields
7 pounds, 9 ounces
Proud Grandparents are Dean & Patti Shields



## 11th Annual Golf Scramble

Trinity Christian School in Carbondale
Saturday, June 8th at Hickory Ridge Golf Course
Four Person Scramble—18 Holes
Lunch at 11:15 a.m.—Shotgun Start at 12:30 p.m.
Contact Trinity Christian School at 529-3733
to sign up or sponsor a team, volunteer to help, or sponsor a hole

## **COMPASS NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

MONDAY, JUNE 17th at 12:00 nNOON (3rd Monday of month)

## **CHURCH CALENDAR**

## Monday, June 3, 2013

5:00 p.m. Community ACS Relay For Life in Chapel (202)
5:30 p.m. Pastor/Parish Staff Relations Meeting in Annex
6:30 p.m. Power of a Praying Husband Dads' Book Study

in Library (109)

6:30 p.m. When the Game is Over... Book Study

in Faithful Friends (204)

## Tuesday, June 4, 2013

6:30 p.m. Newcomers Ministry Meeting in Chapel (202)

#### Wednesday, June 5, 2013

7:00 p.m. Wednesday Night A.A. Meeting in Upper Room (110)

7:00 p.m. Voices United Practice in Sanctuary

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### Friday, June 7, 2013

Nothing Scheduled

#### Saturday, June 8, 2013

7:30 a.m. UMM Breakfast in Fellowship Hall 10:00 a.m. A.A. Meeting in Upper Room (110)

## YOUTH GROUP CALENDAR

**June 9:** \* **Pizza/Movie Night** at 4:00 p.m. in the Church

for CYF/JYF/Sr. UMYF

June 23: \* Miners Baseball Game for CYF/JYF/Sr. UMYF

Depart church at 4 p.m.-Return approximately 8 p.m. Give \$2 to Paula Chapa no later than June 16th

We provide ticket and \$5/person snacks

July 14: \* Vacation Bible School begins!

July 21: \* Swim/Picnic at Bigham Lake for CYF/JYF/Sr. UMYF

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12:00 noon in Fellowship Hall

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In completing this form, I am lighting the path of hope by purchasing a Luminaria in honor of the following people. Luminaria are \$10 each.

Please PRINT name NEATLY and include phonetic pronunciations for unusual or difficult names if you think it is necessary.

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