



## Banner Bearer and Candle Lighting Training

This Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, we will meet directly after the 10:30am worship service in the Back Room to talk about the two worship leader positions. We will then move to the Narthex and will each get to practice the duties which we have each signed up to do during this year in the Sanctuary.

We will be meeting in the Back Room after worship so that we can have a little quiet time to talk while folks clear out of the Narthex and Sanctuary. When we practice our roles, we will be doing so while the Choir is rehearsing, but it will be fine for each of us.

You are invited to this training if you signed up with Amy Kay to help with these roles. You should have received a special mailing with the information and the schedule this week as well.

All parent or parents are asked to stay to help with this event. We don't want the training to take too long and your help makes things go more smoothly. If you have any questions, please call Amy Kay. Thanks!

## Disciples Hurricane Recovery Efforts Profiles on Minnesota Radio Station

Tod Iseminger, who is coordinating Disciples efforts for hurricane recovery in the Gulf Coast, was the guest last Sunday, Sept. 9, on "Considering Faith," an hour-long radio talk show in Minnesota that airs at 2 p.m. (Central Standard Time). Iseminger talked about the role Disciples are playing in helping rebuild parts of the Gulf Coast that were devastated by hurricanes two years ago. Listeners heard more about the Disciples Hurricane Recovery Initiative, a major project that already has sent nearly 500 mission groups to the area, and hopes to send a total of 750 work groups by August 2008.

Iseminger was interviewed by Considering Faith's Executive Director Peg Chamberlin. The program is sponsored and hosted by the Minnesota Council of Churches. The show was heard on the air at AM 950, and can also be heard on the Air America Minnesota website at [www.AirAmericaMinnesota.com](http://www.AirAmericaMinnesota.com). To learn more about Considering Faith and to download past shows, visit: [www.consideringfaith.org](http://www.consideringfaith.org)



### Just Coffee

We have received our second shipment of Fair Trade Coffee and this order includes Decaffeinated ground and whole bean bags along with our other three varieties. There are also a few t-shirts if you want to also wear your support for Just Coffee. :) Come into the church office to browse the selection if you would like to do so. Thanks!

## Sunday Services

"Now all the tax collectors and sinners were coming near to listen to him. And the Pharisees and the scribes were grumbling and saying, 'This fellow welcomes sinners and eats with them.'" With these words Luke introduces three parables about the lost into his gospel story and reminds us of the radical grace of God. Two of these parables, the lost sheep and the lost coin, found in Luke 15:1-10, will provide the focus for Dr. Yonker's message on Sunday morning.

There will be a Minute for History written by Parker Rossman and special music this Sunday. Join us!

**Weekly Report**  
Sept. 9, 2007  
Received \$10,406.60  
Received to Date \$121,352.05  
Attendance - 328  
(includes early worship - 60)

*From the Frontier to the Future*



**First Christian Church**

(Disciples of Christ)  
Columbia, Missouri



## A Pastoral Word...

Last Sunday in the second worship service we talked about the time following the reading of the scripture and sermon. It is titled, "The Community Responds with Great Thanksgiving" and everything within that time is to "respond" to that which we have heard and experienced. The time of offering rightly comes during this section of worship.

I commented that this is a time that we shouldn't dread or feel yucky about... but my own words have been echoing in my ears. Something didn't seem exactly right... until I realized that I have been assuming that we all do the work *before* we actually give what we are able to give. We need to thoughtfully consider what we are able to give and *then* give it joyfully. If we don't do the preparation before that particular moment, we might indeed feel yucky about our response. Perhaps it isn't actually all that we can give! Perhaps we have more time and talents than we are sharing with anyone. Perhaps we give our leftovers. To that we should feel discontented.

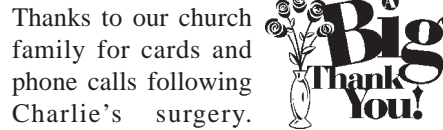
May we all take a few moments every once and awhile to actually (re)calculate what we are giving. To look at our calendar and see what we can do so that we can give of our time. And then after that thoughtful and diligent consideration – may we give with glad and joyous hearts. Thanks be to God for the opportunity to do so no matter what our age or stage in life.

~amy kay



Thank You Notes

I am very grateful for all the flowers, cards and phone calls I have received in my recent illness. How lucky I am to be in such a loving church.  
~Betty Mai



Thanks to our church family for cards and phone calls following Charlie's surgery. Thanks, also, to the Hacketts who delivered the sanctuary flowers. Betty and Karen very much appreciated Dr. Yonker's visit to the hospital while Charlie was having surgery. First Christian is the best.

~The Koelling Family

## Thank you!

The board, staff and students of the Missouri School of Religion Center for Rural Ministry thank you for your generous gift of \$100. Your donation will help further the programs in our three focus areas: Certificate of Pastoral Ministry classes, continuing education events and parish nurse training.

~MSR Center for Rural Ministry

## Your Special Birthday!



Helen Ingold-90 on Sept. 14  
Gladys Roth-94 on Sept. 15

## OOPS!

Yes, the Oregon state government capital city is Salem, which we confused with Eugene, which is our Disciples' Northwest Christian College capital city. NCC is our outstanding college serving primarily the whole Pacific northwest. This is a correction from last week's article about the Crouch family.  
~Bob Leach

## News of the congregation

**Nina Oliver** has returned home to continue recuperation after surgery last week at Boone Hospital. After spending several days at University **Helen Stockholm** has moved to Columbia Manor Nursing Home.

We celebrate the birth of **Delaney Martin** to **Courtney** and **Jon Martin** on September 4 at Boone Hospital. Congratulations to the whole family, grandmother **Judy Hall**, and proud big sister, **Kennedy**.

**Lorene and Nelson Trickey** have a new granddaughter, **Catharine Jane Johnson**. She was born August 29 to **Linda Trickey** and **Allen Johnson** of Atlanta, Georgia. Her sisters are **Emma** and **Claire**.

We extend our sympathy to **James and Bonnie Fay** on the death of her mother, **Grace Combs** who died on Saturday morning, September 8. A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Sunday, September 16 at Memorial Funeral Home.

Thanks to **Brenda Mosby** for her lovely solos presented at both early and late worship services last Sunday morning.

In an article in last week's Visitor about the Crouch family it mentioned the church did not have Matt Crouch's address. We have since received it: **Matt & Genevieve Crouch**, 3818 SE 69th Ave., Portland, Oregon 97206 e-mail: [wmcrouch@yahoo.com](mailto:wmcrouch@yahoo.com)

## Happy Birthday!

Shirley Olcott-Sept. 16  
Ronnie Sheppard-Sept. 16  
Cassidy Durnil-Sept. 16  
Bryan Hickey-Sept. 17  
Christian DeVenney-Sept. 17  
Madeline Marrero-Sept. 17  
Larry Clark-Sept. 18  
Chris Hallam-Sept. 18  
Kyle Boger-Sept. 20  
Jim Carey-Sept. 21  
Bob Hutton-Sept. 21  
Lisa Zimmer-Sept. 21  
Justin Sheppard-Sept. 21  
Elijah Brummett-Sept. 22  
Taylor Humble-Sept. 22  
Kelsea Villalpando-Sept. 22





# 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary News - Genie Rogers

September Theme: Christian Education

## —Thank you, Thank You—

It was wonderful to have such a wonderful turnout for our 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary picture of our 50-year members. Special thanks for the extra efforts made by many to be there, and to the friends and family who helped get this special group of people together. Our appreciation goes to the photographer, Jessie Klockow, for her time and to Don Mosby for helping to get everyone posed. It is a great picture! 50 years is a long time to be a member of any group and there were many present who were nearing the 60 and 70-year milestone, and more! It was an honor to have you all back in Fellowship Hall for a picture reunion. We really should do this more than every 25 or 50 years!

## The Bible as Literature Sunday School Short Course

A new 4-week class taught by John Yonker during the Sunday School hour, 9:30-10:20 began this week in Morris Parlor. The subject matter is to examine the Bible as literature. John will explore the different types of literature in the Bible used to convey a message, such as songs, poems, myths, creation and apocalyptic stories, just to name a few. The first week class was devoted to how the Bible originated and the fluid process of how we arrived at the Canon. John divided the Jewish Bible (Old Testament) into three sections known as: the Torah, the Prophets, and the Writing. This was all placed in historical perspective, followed by the early thinking and societal turmoil of the early Christian movement. We all know John as a wonderful teacher so this class is a big treat. If you were unable to come last Sunday, this is a class you can join at any time.

## October Homecoming

Sunday, October 14, 2007 is "Coming Home Sunday". FCC Timothy, Rev. David Yonker, minister of the Sterling IL. First Christian Church will be the guest minister with a catered lunch to follow in Fellowship Hall. Our church members will serve as host to former Associates, FCC Timothy's, and former members who have relocated or were part of the group who were charter members of Broadway Christian Church. Reservations will be needed since the event will be catered. The meal will cost the church \$11.00 per person. Donation jars will be on each table.

## 175<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Scholarship

An interesting and exciting challenge was presented in the Sunday worship services last week, when Cliff Tompson announced the Anniversary Scholarship project. As Cliff so ably reminded us, we have celebrated and rejoiced in our past in many ways this year, but we also need to look to the future. Our Disciples of Christ ancestors were diligent in beginning colleges, not only in Missouri but also across the country. We will be continuing this passion for education when we establish an endowment fund, which will enable us to award several scholarships each year to student members of our congregation.

We are grateful for memorial gifts already given which start us off with \$13,000. Our goal of \$40,000 will enable us to award two scholarships of \$1,000 each year. There will be more information in the brochure to be available next week.

What a splendid way to celebrate our past and influence the future if we can successfully achieve this goal!

~Moray Loring Kiehl, chair  
175<sup>th</sup> Scholarship Committee

## September Minute for History

The September Minute for History on September 16 will be another dialogue written by Parker Rossman entitled "Many Ways to Learn About the Bible". We all appreciate Parker's contribution to our Sunday worship with his clever skits. The next and last of Parker's skits will be presented in the December Minute for History on December 16.

## Reminders

·If you are a veteran please use the sign up sheet in the church office and let us know who you are, the branch of military you served and the dates of service. This is for a Veteran's Day recognition of FCC veterans on Nov. 11, 2007.

·We need your story about you and the church. It can be a funny recollection, an experience, a special event in your life that created a bond with the church or anything you want to write about. These stories will be collected and bound in a pamphlet to share with each other. Please turn stories in to the church office, or e-mail to Mary Bancroft at: [mbancr01@juno.com](mailto:mbancr01@juno.com)

Funds are still needed to provide a 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary gift of an ARK of animals through Heifer International. A full ARK costs \$5,000.00. There is a display in the Narthex of an ARK and donations are welcomed at any time.

# First Christian Church

## Week 2 - Christian Education

Sunday School has been a significant part of the life of First Christian Church since its earliest days. The earliest record of Sunday School at First Christian Church dates to 1851. Over the years, the church has emphasized education for both children and adults, and our members have provided leadership and innovation in Christian education within the community and the denomination. We have asked Lorene Trickey, long-time member and teacher, to share her memories of the classes and people who have been such important links between the past and present in our church life.

## RECOLLECTIONS OF CHURCH SCHOOL

I joined First Christian Church in 1953 and Nelson joined in 1954. We were married in the sanctuary by Rev. Edward Coffman, Associate minister in July, 1954. In February 1955, we moved to Chillicothe, Mo and joined the First Christian Church and became members of a very active young adult church school class there.

In 1958, we returned to Columbia and resumed our membership at First Christian. On our first Sunday back, we entered the educational building and were warmly greeted by R.A. Miller, general superintendent of the Sunday School. His 25 years of service were honored with a Sunday School rally with 500 in attendance in 1951.

On our first visit back to First Christian, we took our daughter Laurie who was 18 months old to the nursery area and received a warm welcome from Hannah Jones who was superintendent of the pre-school. (Later those in charge of Sunday School departments were called principals, then coordinators.) We took Laurie into the toddler room and were greeted warmly by Grace Smith who was the teacher. When Laurie entered the three year old classroom, Marceline Shamberger was the teacher. Laurie thought it was easier to call her "hamburger". Nelson and I attended the Hearthstone Class which had been organized in the fall of 1953 for young adults. The class had a variety of activities providing both social and service opportunities. Some of the teachers were Warren Conner, Veda Harrah, and Nelson Trickey.

In December, 1958, Dr. C.E. Lemmon, minister of the church came to our home in MU Faculty Housing and asked us both to teach 7<sup>th</sup> graders in the Junior High Department. I remember saying to Dr. Lemmon that we had never taught and he said "the best way to learn to teach is to do it". I wish we had thought to thank him for having confidence in us.

We started teaching in January, 1959. The boys and girls were divided. Nelson taught the boys and I taught the girls. Some of the girls I remember in later classes were Mona Dysart, Kathy Loring and Dana Morgenthaler. Before renovation, the Junior High Department was one large room on the third floor with

smaller rooms on each side. Jim Smith was the superintendent at the time. We had music, worship, offering, and announcements together in the large room and then were dismissed for "lesson" time in the small rooms. Don Brooker taught the 8<sup>th</sup> grade boys class for eight years. Betty and Charles Mai taught in both the Junior High and Senior High Departments. Frances Seltsam was superintendent of the 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> graders.

The Keystone Class was organized on December 7, 1929. It was a popular group with a large and active class. Class opened with hymns, devotional and offering. Some of their teachers were Dean Seth Slaughter, Dr. Irvin Coyle, Dr. Lin Cartwright, Robert Scholes and Charles Koelling. The last class was in December 1990. Later, a New Keystone Class was organized and now meets in the same room as the original class on the second floor of the educational building.

In 1940 the Christian Leader's Class (C.L. Class) was organized, meeting in Morris Parlor and continues in that location. Teachers in the past have been Herb Loring, Kermit Crawley, Flossie Entrikin, Lois Illingworth and Ralph Dobbs.

The Men's Bible Class was organized in the early 1900's. It was taught by many church leaders, including Corl Leach. The class disbanded in June 1962 and remaining members joined the Keystone Class.

The Mother's Class was organized in 1912. Mrs. A.C. Ragsdale was their teacher for many years. The class disbanded to join the Keystone Class in 1969.

Some other adult classes were The Inquirers Class led by George and Louise Rowe, The Inklings Class taught by class members, The Forum Class with Joy Duren as coordinator/teacher, a class for singles led by Sondra Duren, the Serendipity Class that met one Sunday a month and was taught by Bob Leach, Mike Crouch and guest speakers.

Nelson taught the Junior High classes followed by the Senior High classes. Later he was the superintendent of the church school after R.A. Miller retired. He then taught the Hearthstone Class and a Family Communication Class. He and I organized Friendship Class in the fall of 1979 and he taught that for seventeen years. Among the first to attend the class were Cherry and Ed Hinderberger and Laura and Jeff England.

Connie Guy directed the Christmas pageant for 22 years and most of the participants were those who attended church school. At the Christmas pageant in 1979, instead of using a doll for baby Jesus, Julie and John Hickey were Mary and Joseph and their baby, Bryan, was baby Jesus. Since then many families have served in that role.

After teaching in Junior High for a few years, I taught 2<sup>nd</sup> graders and moved on with them to 3<sup>rd</sup> grade. Brenda Mosby was a co-teacher and brought her strength of art and crafts to the classroom. Each Christmas I added an ornament Brenda helped us make in class to our family Christmas tree. Some of our pupils were Jill Winner, Kelly Kurtz, Cindy Creasy and Ann Rogers.

I also served as coordinator of pre-elementary and elementary departments at two different times and was chair of the Christian Education Department for four years. Team teaching was very effective as each

teacher brought their strengths to the classroom. Teachers taught from September through May with substitutes available. We had a Christian Education committee and many people helped us to have a strong church school program with attendance from 100 to 180.

The following are now deceased, but were dedicated to the church school program: Mrs. C.E. Lemmon who was superintendent of the Senior High Department; J.M. Silvey and Cleo Yowell Herrin who taught in the Senior High Department; Charles A. Scott, teacher of the 6<sup>th</sup> grade for over 20 years; Ima Lou Langley, coordinator of the pre-school who brought a warm welcome to both parents and children along with many good ideas to share with the teachers; Ellen Mottaz who did such a great job as teacher of kindergarten and also helped as director of Vacation Bible School to get it started again in our church; and Russell Shaw, Betty Jean Burke, and Doris Mountjoy who all brought their unique teaching skills to church school.

Others who either taught or helped with church school are: Norma Miller as superintendent of the primary department and chair of the Christian Education department, Dan Backues, Bud and Debbie Batterson, Laura Crane, Judy Creasy, Ilene Drennan, Patti Freeman, Jeannette and Joy French, Judy Hall, Julie and John Hickey, Cherry Hinderberger, Marjorie Hook, Jessica Humble, Mark Hunsaker, Muriel Leach, Brad Montgomery, Betty Moon, Don Mosby, Fred Mottaz, Michelle Mountjoy, Lana Poole, Susan Ramsey, Vickie Rorvig, Marilyn Schappert, Carol and Paula Slusher, Edith Taylor, Anne Tomlin, Mary Tompson, Jerry and Richard Vaught, Cindy Winford, Sharon Winner and Lisa Zimmer.

When our youngest daughter Linda was to enter first grade Sunday School in the fall of 1970, we and other parents received the following note from her teachers, Tillie Berkley, Evelyn Fox, and Karen Koelling: "Dear Parents,

Beginnings are exciting, aren't they? Next Sunday, September 13, is a beginning for children, parents, and church school teachers of the First Christian Church. We start a new course of study that will continue for the next 6 months. We will be concentrating on 'Finding the Way', the way Jesus taught and lived. For the next few sessions, using stories from the Bible, songs, games, puppets or story play, we will learn to know one another better, to feel secure in one another's presence and to have fun together. We will begin to realize that Jesus' way of love can help us to get along together. As teachers we have looked beyond the simple story of Jesus saying 'Let the Children come to Me, do not hinder them', a story which we share with the children, to concentrate on the word 'hinder'. Won't you join with us in a resolve that we will do our best to help and not to hinder her from learning about Jesus way? We look forward to being partners with you as together we help your child seek the way of Jesus and hope to see you and Linda next Sunday, September 13."

I saved this letter for Linda's scrapbook as it says so much about the importance of teaching and learning in Church School for all ages.

~Lorene Trickey



**Recognition of Sunday School teachers who have taught church school for 8 - 14 years.  
June 1970**

Left to right, back row: Mr. Nelson Trickey, Miss Veda Harrah, Mr. Geroge Towe, Mrs. Norma Miller, Mrs. Betty Moon.  
Front row: Mrs. Doris Crump Bradshaw, Mrs. Lorene Trickey, Mr. Russell Shaw, Mrs. Marjorie Hook, Mrs. Evelyn Fox.  
Not in the picture: Mrs. Muriel Leach, Mr. Eldon Drennan, Mrs. Ilene Drennan, Mrs. Dorothy Martin.



The Bible as Literature Sunday School Class

The picture to the left is of the group who attended the first of the classes on the Bible as Literature taught by Dr. John Yonker. If you were unable to come last week, don't worry. You can join at any time. (See the article on the 175th Anniversary News page.)



## WOMEN'S FALL DINNER

Monday, September 17<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 P.M.



Ladies...please mark your calendar for this special event at FCC, and please take this opportunity to bring a friend or neighbor to enjoy an evening of fellowship, inspiration, music, and a wonderful meal!

Guest speaker pastor Betsy Happel will present:  
"When Two Vectors Intersect: Seven Lessons of Life"

Special Music by Jessica Klockow and Rob Martin

Dinner Menu: salad, roasted pork loin, mashed potato bar, green bean bundles, and dessert...all home made!

A free will offering will be collected for the  
Women's Shelter of Columbia

Childcare and transportation will be provided upon request

**Please RSVP by September 13<sup>th</sup> in order to meet everyone's needs! 449-7265**



[www.firstchristian.org/youth](http://www.firstchristian.org/youth)

This Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup>, JYF will not meet because many of us will be staying after worship for the Banner Bearer and Candle Lighting training. See related article (front page).

Chi Rho will be meeting after the late worship service this Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> until 2:00pm. We will have lunch together and will then dive into activities about physical movement and how we are able to think. This youth group time will include much physical movement... hope you can come!

Partner thanks to **Dane Pavlovich** for facilitating our lunch last Sunday.

Barn Swinging is just around the corner! Chi Rho and CYFers are invited to attend with the sponsorship of our College Group. We will be leaving for the Springfield area from the church at 8:30am on Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> and will return at 8:30pm that evening. What exactly is Barn Swinging you ask? We will literally swing in a barn (think old-fashioned type of swinging, only safer) for two hours, then take a Hillmobilly ride (think transformed bus into a hay rack ride) and end with a hot dog roast before returning home. If you would like to donate \$15 back to the youth group for this event, it will cover most of our costs. Please don't let the donation keep you from coming – just come if you can! Let me know your intentions by Sunday, September 16<sup>th</sup> so that we are sure to have enough seatbelts.

All youth, college students, and World Outreach members are invited to lunch and then a field trip after worship on Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> to Community United Methodist Church. CUMC has had a Fair Trade Store for some time. We will be meeting with Ava, their store manager extraordinaire, to learn more about how the store works and tour their place. After the Chi Rho youth group last Sunday, we thought it would be beneficial for us to actually tour and learn from those who have a store like what we might like to have some day. This field trip is open to everyone interested – let Amy Kay know if you want more details.

## College Notes...

We welcome Kelly Mueller as our College Ministry Intern again this year! Kelly is a Senior Marketing Major at the University of Missouri. She will be graduating in May, and we are thankful to have her work here again until she receives her degree. Monday and Wednesday mornings you will find Kelly in the office sleuthing out students' contact information, keeping our college web site up to date, and generally helping with everything that goes into continually developing a college group. Welcome back aboard, Kelly!

## Book Club to Meet

There's still time to grab a copy of Rosamunde Pilcher's *September* and join the FCC Ladies Book Club on Wednesday, September 26. We'll be meeting in Morris Parlor at 12:30 pm. Questions? Call Linda Hutton at 442-5423 or e-mail [lhutton50@hotmail.com](mailto:lhutton50@hotmail.com).

## Mid-Month Movie!

We've had a request to see "Driving Miss Daisy"! Do you remember Miss Daisy?



When Daisy Werthan, an aging Southern matron, nearly wrecks her brand-new 1948 Packard backing out of the driveway, her wealthy son hires Hoke, a kind black man, to serve as her chauffeur, and the sparks begin to fly. This wonderful movie proceeds to chronicle 25 years in Daisy and Hoke's relationship with the aid of brilliant performances by Jessica Tandy and Morgan Freeman.

Honored with four Oscars, including Best Picture of 1989, *Driving Miss Daisy* addresses serious issues such as aging, racial prejudice, religious faith and class structure without heavy-handedness, allowing the audience instead to eavesdrop as these challenges subtly impact individual lives over a quarter-century.

Come to the 3rd floor cinema and see it with us on Friday evening, September 21, 7 pm.

## STARS PROGRAM FOR SEPTEMBER



Come join us for a great catered luncheon and interesting program to be presented by David Sapp on **Tuesday, September 25, 2007 at 11:45 in Morris Parlor**. The cost will be **\$6.50** per person to be paid the day of the meeting, but we are asking that you make reservations by September 21, 2007 so we can get the food ordered. Call the church office 449-7265 or stop by to put your name on the list.

Remember our name stands for:

- S** Seniors, men and women 55 and older
- T** Together emblem
- A** Affirming our faith in God
- R** Reaching out to one another
- S** Serving Christ

Hosting committee: Paula Kurtz, Joy Duren, Jane Ann Hackett, Tommie Ross

## Prayer Shawl Ministry

With cooler fall weather approaching it might be a good time for a Shawl Ministry update. The knitters were busy all summer, but there's just something about cooler weather that makes soft cuddly shawls seem more timely.

We have lots of room for new knitters and we're excited that several knitters have said they want to join our group. Remember, we welcome movers as well as "knitting machines." Our meetings are always fun with lots of conversation, goodies, and some knitting.

We meet the 3rd Wednesday, 10:00 am, at a member's home. The next meeting is September 19th at Mary Tompson's. Come join us! For more information please call Mary Tompson, 442-8849.

## Homebound Communion

Coming on September 30, there will be visits and communion taken to the homebound by Elders and Deacons. If you have not received this service and would like to, please call Lorene Trickey at 449-7393.

# The Visitor

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## Sunday's Schedule-Sept. 16, 2007

*Van Driver:* TBA *Telephone:* TBA

### **8:30 Early Worship, Sanctuary**

*Worship Asst:* Larry and Millie Caringer, Barb Rothenberger

*Elder for 8:30 Service:* Mary Bancroft

*Communion Preparation:*

Richard and Sue Underwood, Hayley Batterson

### **9:30 Church School**

*Church School Greeter:* Mark Hunsaker Family

*Nursery Volunteer:* TBA

### **10:30 Worship in Sanctuary**

*Sermon:* Dr. John J. Yonker *Liturgist:* Carol Roder

*10:30 Elders:* Lorene Trickey, Cliff Tompson, Millie Bolman

*Deacons:* The Nichols Team

*Greeters:*

Dick and Jerry Vaught, *North Door*

Colleen Nilges, *South Door*

*Ushers:* The Hunsaker Team

*Candlelighters:* TBA

*Flower Ministry:*

*Arranged:* Bettie and Charles Koelling

*Delivered:* Nancy Grieme and Holly Wheatley

*Evangelism Calls:* Helen and Perry Stemmons

## This Week (Sept. 16-22)

- Sun. - Banner Bearer and Candle Lighter training, after 10:30 service, Sanctuary  
- Chi Rho (grades 6-8), after 10:30 service until 2:00 p.m.  
- Fall Adult Softball Game, 6:00 p.m., Orange Field
- Mon. - Women's Dinner, 6:00 p.m., Fellowship Hall
- Tue. - Bible Study, 10:30 a.m., Morris Parlor  
- Property Dept. Mtg., 6:00 p.m., Keystone Room
- Wed. - Men's Lunch, 11:30 a.m., Senior Center  
- Membership Dept. Mtg., 7:00 p.m., Morris Parlor  
- Back Room, 8:45-10:00 p.m.
- Fri. - Mid-Month Movie Night, 7:00 p.m., Cinema (3rd Floor)

