



# Christ Church Communicator

*“Love God, Love People, Make Disciples for Jesus Christ”*

## **JANZ’S JOURNEY – September 2010**

By now most of you know about the transition in youth ministry leadership that we are in the midst of currently. We are moving in some bold new directions with this portion of our life together, due in large part to the faithfulness of Laurie Greenlee in the role of Director of Youth Ministry during the past five years. The new direction requires a skill set different from Laurie’s set of gifts, thus the transition of leadership that we are in at this time. We took some time in worship this past Sunday (August 15<sup>th</sup>) to express our gratitude for Laurie’s faithful ministry among us. That got me thinking about some others that I want to recognize and to whom I want to express my thanks, in addition to my gratitude for Laurie.

*I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now...” (Phil. 1:3-5)*

**Now I know what I am about to do is a risky thing.** There is no possible way I can in one article mention EVERYONE who is engaged in ministry through the many dimensions of life in Christ Church. Understand I am not intentionally excluding or overlooking anyone – I hope you know me better than that by now! Every person engaged in joy-filled, spirit-led ministry for the cause of Christ is my heart and passion, **and I am grateful for each one of you!!!** To echo the words of the apostle Paul: *I thank my God every time I remember you. In all my prayers for all of you, I always pray with joy because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now...” (Phil. 1:3-5)* With those words of clarification, celebrate with me the following people who have been and

are engaged in Kingdom-honoring ministry among us:

- **Patty Way and the entire Vacation Bible School Team** – what a FANTASTIC week full of fun, laughter, and children singing the songs and learning the story of relationship with Jesus! Thanks for your faithfulness!
- **The ASP and the Bethany House Mission Teams** – thanks for giving yourself away to bless and help those in need.
- **Tracy Burkhart, Kim Wagner and the Funeral Meal Team** – it has been a busy two months – thanks for providing this critical ministry of hospitality and care.
- **The Building Committee** – thanks for giving of your prayers, your insight, and your time and energy to help us discern God’s heart for our future building and ministry needs.
- **Sue Reitz and the “Kids ‘n Stitches Sewing Camp”** – 106 School Bags sent to kids in Haiti – well done!
- **Ann McCauley, John and Imy Post, and Marlene Richards** – we have been blessed by the children’s band and bell choir – thanks!
- **Care Team** – whether you visited a first time attender, checked on someone in the hospital or nursing home, sent a card or made a phone call, you extended the love of Christ and the church and made a difference – thanks!
- **Judy Shrefler** – faithfully enters the attendance sheet information into our data base each week and keeps things up to date – on behalf of our staff and leadership, we are grateful!
- **Barb Lynn and Sue Dreves** – twice each month they share time with our children on Sunday mornings helping them connect with Christ. Thanks for teaching me too!



- **Ralph Aylesworth, the Trustees, and all who helped with the parsonage projects** – your work, like the ministry of others, sometimes goes unnoticed. Thanks for your faithfulness and commitment!
- **Paul Aylesworth** – thanks for sharing your painting expertise, and spending a couple days with me!
- **The Rogers, Wray, Richey, and Jolley families** – thanks for your open, honest, and faith-filled witness to Christ in the midst of terrible and unexplainable tragedy. Your lives are nothing short of inspirational to me and to more people than you know.
- **Sam Wagner** – I don't know how you balance all there is to your life - thanks for being a faithful and trusted partner in ministry.
- **Lois Cross** – for your commitment, your caring heart, your insistence on excellence, your willingness to learn and grow, and for putting up with me – thanks!!
- **Staff Team and Leadership** – I have been in ministry with some fantastic people through the last 26 years, but none as fantastic as all of you – thanks for sharing the journey of ministry with me!

***REMEMBER***, this list is not exhaustive – it simply represents some of the many, many ways ministry is happening in and through the life of Christ Church. I said it early in our journey together as pastor and people – I'll say it again now – and I'll probably say it many more times in the months and years to come – ***I am SOOOOOO blessed and thankful to be one of your pastors!!*** As always...

Keep Lookin' Up!  
Pastor David



*With the publication of the September Communicator, CUMC Church Council would like to remind the church family of the policy adopted last year concerning the annual youth fundraising event of selling spaces in the church parking lot during Applefest:*



## **Applefest Parking Lot Policy**

In order to resolve any conflict or confusion that has arisen from the annual event of Christ Church Youth renting the church parking lot spaces during Applefest as a fund-raising activity, CUMC Church Council has voted by unanimous vote the following policy to take effect immediately:

The Youth of Christ Church will be permitted to continue to use the parking lot as their annual fund-raising activity, under supervision of the Youth Ministry Director and ultimate authority of Church Council.

All spaces in the parking lot owned by Christ Church are to be made available to the public, with no pre-sale of tickets to Christ Church members or attendees. Spaces will be sold, according to the price that is determined and approved, (currently \$5.00 per space) on a first-come, first-served basis, upon entry to the parking lot.

There is to be no hourly limit on the rental of a space; however, when a vehicle leaves the lot during the day that was paid for, the space once again becomes open to the public, with no re-entry unless a new fee is paid.

The designated Handicapped spaces will be available to those who display legally-required Handicapped placards, but also on a first-come basis.

By enacting this policy, it is the intent of Council to:

- provide for a safe and stress-free environment for youth to learn and appreciate the value of earning for themselves the cost of attending special events and activities
- allow all spaces to be as "user-friendly" as possible and not on "stand-by for return of occupant" status while sitting empty
- to allow the parking lot to be an extension of the Christ Church building, in that we want our atmosphere to be welcoming, not exclusionary, to those who seek to know Christ and experience the United Methodist emphasis of "Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors."

By this attitude we will also continue to embrace the mission statement of Christ United Methodist Church, as we are called to "Love God, love people and make disciples for Jesus Christ."

October 15, 2009

# GOD SIGHTINGS

*Stories of our faith from the people  
of Christ United Methodist Church*



## **GOD'S CALLING CARD** by Lois Cross

It's a parent's worst nightmare –that call in the middle of the night telling you your son/daughter has been involved in an automobile accident. Such was the case the evening of August 7, 2010, at approximately 10:45 P.M. The call didn't come from some hospital or impersonal stranger. No – the voice on the other end of the line was that of our son, Jeff, himself, telling us he had been involved in a one-vehicle accident just this side of Wyattville. His voice was calm...cool...collected...This is his story:

He was on his way to work when, suddenly, in front of him he saw a set of headlights coming straight at him down his lane of traffic!

Jeff swerved his car sharply to the right to avoid a head-on collision. In so doing, his car hit a bank and spun out of control, flipping over onto its roof and skidding down the highway several feet before coming to a stop in the middle of the darkened highway. Jeff was sandwiched between the steering wheel and caved in roof of the car, suspended upside down. He was able to release his seat belt and maneuver himself out the driver's window, feet first, and was standing by the wreckage by the time help arrived.

To look at the car, one would wonder how anybody could escape injury, but the only mark on Jeff was a small cut on the back of his head. Hospital x-rays further revealed no damage. Jeff virtually walked away from the scene unscathed. Some have said he

was “really a lucky guy.” Others say, “An angel must have been with him.” I, too, would have thought the same – if it hadn't been for something Jeff's 10 year old daughter discovered on the back side of her dad's cell phone the next morning. Morgan's keen young eyes picked up the unmistakable etching of a small cross, perfectly proportioned, engraved onto the back casing of the phone – a mark which, heretofore, had not been there. Her dad saw it; her mom saw it, and I, too, saw it – God's calling card. It wasn't luck, or an angel, but God, himself, who was with Jeff in the car that night.

*“Though billows roll, He  
keeps my soul. My heavenly  
Father watches over me.”*

# MY GOD IS AN AWESOME GOD

By Laura Moore

Have you ever agreed to do something then wish you hadn't? I must admit that recently happened to me. I signed up for the Pittsburgh Project. My reasons for not wanting to go had nothing to do with going to "a bad part of town", but with my heart. I had too many things that needed done. (selfishness) I thought we were working with children, not planting flowers, yard work etc.(complaining, whining) Things changed; it was now only 2 days I could do that. Let me tell you it

Let me tell you it was 2 of the best days of my summer.



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Humbling yourself and doing Gods work is an awesome experience no matter what the work involves. I cleaned an old (1895), beautiful church on the northside of Pittsburgh. I was on my knees (where I needed to be) cleaning furniture, carpets, whatever needed done. It was during that time God reminded me whenever we are doing work for Him it doesn't matter what it is - it's worship.

As I was listening to my mp3 player a song started to play.

I didn't realize when I downloaded the CD that it skipped. Whenever this song comes on I have to fast-forward to the next song. As I was waiting for it to start skipping, (I listen as long as I can because I like the song) I was humbling my heart apologizing for my bad attitude; but it never skipped. It played correctly clear through to the next song.

In all the years I have had this mp3 player this song has never not skipped. God can speak to us through any means He chooses, we just have to be willing to hear it. You ask what song it was? "My God is an awesome God." Yes He is.



**Dear Readers,**

**Do you have a God sighting story to tell? Please share by submitting your story to the church office in hard copy or via e-mail by the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. May God be glorified through the sharing of His activity.**



# thank you



*I want to thank everyone for the many birthday cards and well wishes I received from my church family. It's very touching to be remembered like this. I will always have fond memories of this birthday. Thank you so much.*

*Helen Hill*

Dear Church Family,

I wish to thank everyone for their prayers, support, cards, calls and visits while I recuperate from my total knee surgery. I also want to thank Pastor Sam for being there to pray with us before I went into surgery.

Mae Miller

*I would like to express my appreciation to the Care Team and all individuals who sent the wonderful birthday cards to my mother, Ronnie Evans, at Sugarcreek Station.*

*Tom Evans*

The Powell and Broms Families express their sincere thanks to our pastors and people for their genuine love and concern for us during the loss of our Mother and Bill's recent surgery.

Christ United Methodist Church,

Thank you so much for the scholarship toward college. It was very helpful for my first semester tuition. I'm so thankful for everyone at C.U.M.C. and the experiences I have had there. Thanks again.

Love, Carlen Barnet

*I want to thank you for Christ United Methodist Church's generous gift of \$2,925.63 to Sweet Sleep. Support from donors like you helps us continue our mission of sharing God's love by providing beds for the world's orphaned and abandoned children. These beds provide a sense of love and security for these children during the often long and frightening nights spent in an orphanage. You can be certain that a child's life is being changed by your donation.*

*Even better than a thank you from us, here is a thank you note from one of the children whose life has already been changed through a donation such as yours:*

***I want to extend my great thanks to you for the sweet beds. I really had a very sweet sleep like I have never had. May God bless you.***

**Ssemakula Gabriel, Kampala, Uganda**

*We appreciate your confidence in our work, and we ask you to pray for Sweet Sleep and its ministry. May all of your sleep be sweet!*

*Sincerely,*

*Jen Gash, President and Founder*

*Dear Church Family,*

*Thank you for letting me go to Seneca Hills. I had a lot of fun swimming, hanging out, zip-lining, rock climbing, and most of all, learning about God and His Word.*

*Hope Sires*

*Christ Church,*

*Thank you for the scholarship money that you gave to me for the next school year. Classes should be more rigorous this year and I appreciate your prayers and support. Thanks also for the care packages this past year. They came in very handy.*

*Drew Lawson*



# MISSIONS

## SHARE YOUR GARDEN PRODUCE & BENEFIT MISSIONS

Gardens are beginning to produce and the harvest is abundant.

Through the mid September the Mission Committee will have a "Share Your Produce Table" in the Narthex.

Bring your extra garden produce to share. A container will be available for any monetary donations to be used for the mission work of our church.



## AUCTION ALERT!



Can't you hear the auctioneer now..... "One dollar, two dollar, three dollars more....."

Yes it is that time.....

- 1 To start thinking about the Annual Mission Auction at Christ United Methodist Church.
- 2 Time to start planning **your mission basket**.
- 3 Time to mark your calendar and hold the date of **Friday, November 5<sup>th</sup>**.

The Mission Auction is always an evening of great fun and great food.

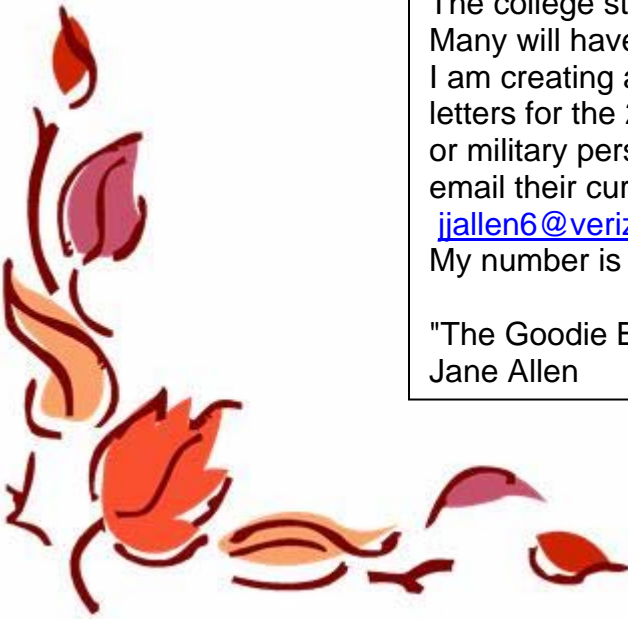
Lou Slauterback has agreed to again chair this event for the Mission Committee.

More information will appear in the bulletin and in future newsletters .

## GOODIE BOX LADY LOOKING FOR CURRENT ADDRESSES

The college students will soon be going off to school . Many will have different addresses from last year. I am creating a current list for "Goodie boxes" and letters for the 2010-2011 year. If you have a college student or military person who would like to receive mail please email their current address to me. My email is [jjallen6@verizon.net](mailto:jjallen6@verizon.net). You may call if you prefer. My number is 437-5189.

"The Goodie Box Lady"  
Jane Allen



## Children and Youth Vocal Group (You are invited!)

A musical group has recently formed under the direction of John & Imy Post. Children & youth in grades K-12 from both Christ Church and First U.M. Church are blending their combined voices to form a new ministry through song. If you are in grades K-12, love to sing, and would like to be a part of this amazing musical group, please come to rehearsals in Heritage Hall. Practice times, starting in September, will be announced. Watch your bulletins!



## Children and Youth Bell Choir (You are invited!)

Children and youth from kindergarten age through high school are invited to participate in a new Hand Bell Choir led by Marlene Richards and John Post. No musical experience is necessary. Hand Bell practice will begin again this fall on in September in the Open Door classroom. Please watch for details in the bulletin. We hope to see you there!



## Children and Youth Band

An exciting new instrumental group under the very capable direction of Ann McCauley is taking shape. Children and youth who play a musical instrument and have completed at least one year of instruction are invited to become part of this new ministry. Practices will be on Thursday evenings from 4:00 – 5:00 pm in the sanctuary. We'll be looking for YOU.





# Children's News for Parents

## Sunday School

Every child from age 4 thru grade six is invited to attend Sunday School each Sunday (9:30 AM). Toddler and Nursery care is provided for kids under age four so mom and dad may attend too!

### 4 YEAR OLDS-FOURTH GRADE

These children participate in our Rotation Sunday School program. Each month, teachers teach a major Bible story and its concepts through kid-friendly multimedia workshops: Art, Drama, Music, Games, A-V, Puppets, Storytelling, Computers, and any other educational media we can get our hands on! The same Bible story is taught in all of the workshops for three or four weeks, rotating the

kids to a different workshop each week. The kids love it, the teachers love it, and we can't ever imagine going back to the old way.

### GRADES FIVE AND SIX

This class is taught by Dave Updegrave and Vicki Engles. In September they will begin a new study titled "Bringing the Bible to Life." This study will encourage the kids to discover the rewards of Bible study and teach them to carefully observe, interpret, and apply Biblical principles to their own lives.

### MEMORIZING SCRIPTURE

In Deuteronomy, God tells us to "commit" to His Word and to "teach" it to our children. In Ephesians,

the Word of God is called the "Sword of the Spirit" and we are told to take it with us because it can slay any temptation! When Jesus was tempted by Satan in the wilderness, He recited scripture from memory and Satan ran!

Because God says it is important, we hope that your family will participate in memorizing one Bible verse each month. A copy of the selected verse will be sent home on the first Sunday of the month and will usually pertain to a Bible truth learned in Sunday School. If the verse is memorized by the final Sunday of that month, your child may pick a prize from our prize box. September's verse is:



## Memory Verse

"Don't let anyone think less of you because you are young. Be an example to all believers in what you say and in the way you live."

**1 Timothy 4:12**



## Bible Study

Starting in September, we will begin our fall Bible studies for children age 4 thru grade 6, during the 11:00 AM service. Following the children's moment, children will be dismissed and meet a teacher at the back of the sanctuary who will lead them to Heritage Hall. From there they will divide by age and travel with their age group to the Children's Hall (located by the Chestnut Street entrance) for Bible study.

## Offering

The Bible says that it is an act of obedience to God when we give. We want children to understand this truth so each week an offering is taken during Sunday School and we will begin taking an offering during the second

service Bible Studies in September. Offering envelopes are available by telling your child's teacher.

1 Corinthians 16:2

The children's offering is used to help offset the cost of outreach ministry to children and families.



# EXPANDING FOR ETERNITY



## YOUTH KICK OFF 2010

September 12<sup>th</sup> after second service (12:30-2:30)

All Youth in grades 7 – 12 are invited. Bring your friends!

We will kick off with FOOD, FUN, and Entertainment and will peek into what is ahead for the next year of Christ Church's Youth.

If you have any questions please call Tracy (432-2936)  
Mary ( 432-8079 ) Betsy ( 677-8801 ) or Anne ( 432-8209 ).

Sunday evenings  
6:30 – 8:00

This is your chance to  
grow in Christ and find  
out about your "Ticket  
to Eternity"!

Junior and Senior High **Biblical Knowledge Quest** at each meeting!

## Franklin District UMW Annual Meeting



**Theme:** *United Methodist Women—Christ's Hands at work*

**Where:** *Franklin First United Methodist Church  
1102 Liberty Street  
Franklin, PA 16323*

**When:** *Saturday, September 25*

**Time:** *9:00 Registration & Refreshments  
9:30 Worship, Workshops, Lunch and Program  
2:00 Closing*

**Speaker:** *John Foster*

**Lunch:** *The cost is \$9.00.  
Make checks payable to Franklin District UMW.*

**Childcare:** *Please bring lunches for children attending.*

**Registration Deadline:** **September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2010.**

List names of those attending below. √ the session you wish to attend. √ if you will be ordering lunch.		Workshop Sessions										
		President	V. President	Secretary	Treasurer	Spiritual Growth	Social Action	Membership, Nurture, Outreach	Education and Interpretation	Program Resources	Communications	√ if ordering lunch
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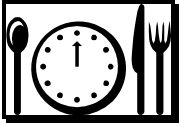
**Church Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sub-District: (Circle one)** Clarion Mercer  
Venango

**Total Lunches Paid** \_\_\_\_\_ **Amount Enclosed \$** \_\_\_\_\_ **# Children** \_\_\_\_\_

**To help us better prepare for childcare, list names and ages of children below:**

United Methodist Women of Franklin District will meet on Saturday, Sept 25, at Franklin First UMC for their combined district-wide annual meeting. Rev. Foster will share his experiences in Sudan with the UMC Mission Ambassador program as well as mission projects he visited there. Sudan has been the geographic study for 2009 and 2010. For information regarding lunch and registration, contact Gerta Anderson or Joan Shaner. Women from Clarion, Venango and Mercer Counties will be attending. Everyone interested is invited to attend. Lunch is served to all who register in advance.

## BIBLE STUDY



**MAKE ME A BLESSING BIBLE STUDY**, is being led by Gary Braughler. The study meets from 10-noon on the first and third Tuesdays at Lou Shearer's home at 323 Gurney Road. Call Lou at 814.437.2728 for more information.



### GALATIAN GIRLS

This group gathers the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 10:00 AM and will be meeting on "Lou's porch" during the summer. Call Lou at 814.437.2728 for more information.



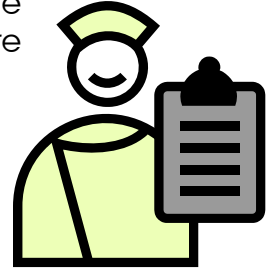
### GALATION GIRLS PM

Galation Girls PM has resumed its inductive Bible study Tuesday with the Gospel of John. As we learned to do in the Experiencing God Study, we will explore the scriptures identifying where we sense God is speaking to us; we will pray this back to God; and we will seek to determine what He is telling us to do as a result. We will learn together! Meet in the Children's Department 6:30 - 8:00.

## Women's Ministry Page

### BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS

are offered the last Sunday of the month before and after Sunday School. Health record forms are provided. Watch for reminders and signs.



### REBECCA CIRCLE

Rebecca Circle meets the third Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM. The Circle's focus is on missions. Contact Gerta Anderson at 432-2307 for information.

## LOVE BASKETS

Baskets are available in the women's cupboard in the kitchen for those who would like to deliver a special blessing. Please be sure to complete the log book when taking a basket. Or, call Joyce or Karen Greenlee; and they will make arrangements for the basket to be delivered.

## Women's Fellowship



Women's Fellowship Night will resume in the fall. Watch for details in the Sunday bulletins.



All year long, personal care items are collected for the Oil City Crisis Center. This organization provides a safe place for abused women and children who sometimes come to the center without any personal possessions. Do you have small bottles of shampoo, bath gel, tubes of tooth paste? These items are greatly needed. You can leave them in the Open Door Sunday School Classroom (to the left of the Welcome Desk). Please label them to the attention of Barb Lynn.

## FRIDAYS ARE FREE DINNERS



Next dinner:  
September 24

The August dinner was presented with blessings for both the recipients and the “givers.” “Givers” is in quotes because the givers receive great JOY. Are you good at making friends of people you never met before? Do you like to serve quietly behind the scenes? There is opportunity at these dinners for all the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

If you are interested in volunteering your time and talents, please contact the church office or Susan Slautterback @437-5468 or email [slautterback@usachoice.net](mailto:slautterback@usachoice.net). Remember that many hands make light work! This is a wonderful way of making a difference in the lives of our neighborhood community. We're shining the light of Christ into our little piece of the planet!

## IT'S TIME!

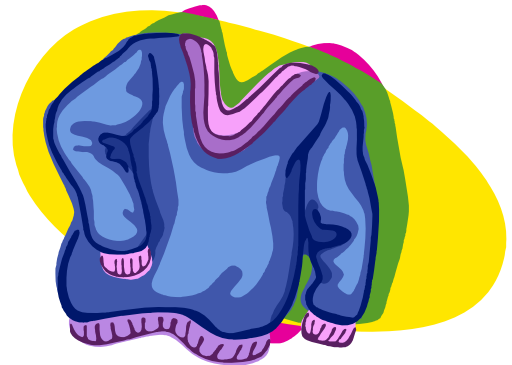
CLOTHING ACCEPTED IN HERITAGE HALL BEGINNING MONDAY, OCTOBER 4

We hope you have a good supply of clothing set aside for the fall clothing giveaway. As you know, it will be held Saturday, October 9.

Please bring your clean, gently-worn clothing to be shared with our community. Larger sizes and boys clothing are especially needed.

As an added blessing, your help with sorting and folding would be welcomed. Set your own hours!

## FALL CLOTHING GIVEAWAY



# OVER THE TOP WITH WOMEN OF FAITH

Time is almost here for us to go "over the top" with our women of faith friends!! I do hope you are going with us, but if you have not yet signed on and have any thought at all of wanting to go, please contact Sharon Goldsmith at 432-2558 or email at [sgoldsmith@verizon.net](mailto:sgoldsmith@verizon.net). There is still room just for you and Venango Women of Faith group would love to have you as part of our group.

Dates are Friday & Saturday, September 17 & 18 in Cleveland, OH at The Quicken Center. Total cost is \$163 which includes ticket (\$89) for both days & that includes our lunch both days, the bus (\$40) and hotel (\$34) based on 4/room. Bus would leave church parking lot probably around 6:00 or 6:30 and back on Saturday sometime in early evening (conference is done at 5 pm). We do have some ladies driving over on Saturday if you want to go but can't do Friday. Cost then is just the \$89 for the ticket with lunch. I do have scholarship money available if that is a concern.

Speakers are Patsy Clairmont & Marilyn Meberg, Mary Beth & Steven Curtis Chapman, Mandisa (American Idol), Sandi Patty, Anita Renfroe (comedy), Lisa Welchel (used to be Blair on TV's "Facts of Life"), Nicole Johnson (drama), and Andy Andrews (storyteller & author). It will be an awesome 2 days and good times with thousands of other women from all over the area gathered together in one place to praise & worship God and to hear more of how He loves us and wants to put us **over the top!!**

**Bag Ladies and Dress Our People Project** will combine this fall, beginning Friday, Sept 17, from 9 AM to noon in Heritage Hall. All materials are provided to make UMCOR school kit bags or clothing. Bring your sewing machine and pick a project! Anyone interested in joining the group is invited.



## Knotty Ladies News

Knotty Ladies will resume in September. This month only we will meet on Tuesday, Sept 14, from 9 AM to 3 PM in Heritage Hall. In October we will return to our normally scheduled second Thursday. Anyone interested in making quilts for the Women's Crisis Shelter is invited. Bring a sack lunch. All other materials are provided.

### Mark your Calendar

September 7 .....	Make Me a Blessing Bible Study Galation Girls PM
September 14 .....	Galatian Girls Knotty Ladies
September 15 .....	UMW Annual Meeting Registration Due
September 17 .....	Bag Ladies and Dress Our People
September 17 and 18 .....	Women of Faith Conference
September 21 .....	Make Me a Blessing Bible Study Rebecca Circle
September 24 .....	Fridays are Free Dinner
September 25 .....	UMW Annual Meeting at First UM Church
September 26 .....	Blood Pressure Screenings
September 28 .....	Galatian Girls

# MEN'S MINISTRY



## WANTED

WHO: Single Women, Senior Citizens, and those Physically Unable

WHAT: **FREE OIL CHANGE**

WHERE: Rear Parking Lot of CUMC

WHEN: Saturday, September 25, 2010

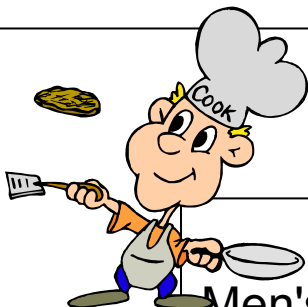
HOW: Call the church office at 432-3019 before Thursday September 23 to pre-register and to schedule and appointment.  
Have your vehicle VIN #  
and the make and model of your vehicle ready.

Sponsored by the Men's Ministry of CUMC

and made possible in part by Advance Auto Parts and Rage Automotive of Oil City.

### MEN - WE NEED YOUR HELP AGAIN.

The sign-up sheet is in the narthex  
or see Dave Updegrave.



Men's Breakfast "7:29 out by 9:00" will be on Sept 18.  
First United men will be joining us. Invite a friend.



1 Amy Clark  
Harry Miller  
2 Lois Cross  
Tony Lomio  
Sue Reitz  
4 Madelyn West  
5 Mary Aylesworth  
Hannah Tidd  
8 Frank Dimmack  
Christie Svolos  
9 Lisa Crawford  
Jason Grill  
Justin McCarty  
Pete Thompson  
11 Maddison Bakker  
Walter VanderWesthuizen  
14 Kelly Swatzler  
15 Matt Cropp  
16 Brian Atts  
William Ray  
17 Debbie Cozad  
Sue Emerson  
Jennifer King  
19 Gene Gulnac  
Harley Lynn  
22 Bob Agnew  
Karen Greenlee  
Mike Sommer  
24 Eric Anthony  
Trish Keeley  
Nancy Ray  
25 Ralph Aylesworth  
Adrienne Lyons

26 Karen Johnson  
27 Jane Hoover  
28 Traci Burwell  
Erika Drayer  
Sally Kadylak  
Martha Pyle  
Arielle Trinch  
30 Jan Giddings



## *Anniversaries*

1 Russ & Edie Panetta  
3 Matt & Bev Lehman  
Tony & Betsy Sakalousky  
5 John & Imy Post  
6 Terry & Betsy Springer  
10 Dick & Marian Pierce  
11 Frank & Sharon Dimmack  
18 Gary & Debbie Cozad  
Zane & Cindy McGill  
20 Bob & Ginger DeWoody  
26 Ralph & Mary Aylesworth  
Rick & Barb Hoffman

RECALL NOTICE:

The Maker of all human beings (GOD) is recalling all units manufactured, regardless of make or year, due to a serious defect in the primary and central component of the heart. This is due to a malfunction in the original prototype units code named Adam and Eve , resulting in the reproduction of the same defect in all subsequent units. This defect has been technically termed "Sub-sequential Internal Non-Morality," or more commonly known as S.I.N., as it is primarily expressed.

Please see the operating manual, the B.I.B.L.E. (Basic Instructions Before Leaving Earth) for further details on the use of these fixes.

Some of the symptoms include:

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|--------------------------------|--|
| 1. Loss of direction           | 6. Depression or confusion in the mental component |
| 2. Foul vocal emissions        | 7. Fearfulness                                     |
| 3. Amnesia of origin           | 8. Idolatry  |
| 4. Lack of peace and joy       | 9. Rebellion                                       |
| 5. Selfish or violent behavior |  |

The Manufacturer, who is neither liable nor at fault for this defect, is providing factory-authorized repair and service free of charge to correct this defect.

The Repair Technician, JESUS , has most generously offered to bear the entire burden of the staggering cost of these repairs. There is no additional fee required.

The number to call for repair in all areas is: P-R-A-Y-E-R. Once connected, please upload your burden of SIN through the REPENTANCE procedure. Next, download ATONEMENT from the Repair Technician, Jesus , into the heart component.

No matter how big or small the SIN defect is, Jesus will replace it with:

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| 1. Love  | 4. Patience | 7. Faithfulness |
| 2. Joy   | 5. Kindness | 8. Gentleness   |
| 3. Peace | 6. Goodness | 9. Self control |

WARNING: Continuing to operate the human being unit without correction voids any manufacturer warranties, exposing the unit to dangers and problems too numerous to list and will result in the human unit being permanently impounded. For free emergency service call on .Jesus

The human being units not responding to this recall action will have to be scrapped in the furnace. The SIN defect will not be permitted to enter Heaven so as to prevent contamination of that facility. Thank you for your attention!



- GOD

P.S. Please assist where possible by notifying others of this important recall notice, and you may contact the Father any time by 'Knee mail'!



# September 2010



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Prayer Group 6:15 pm Praise Team 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	2 CCC Team 10:00 am Kids/Youth Band 4:00 pm	3	4
5	6 LABOR DAY HOLIDAY 	7 Make Me a Blessing 10:00 am Kids/Youth Choir 3:00 pm Handbell Choir 4:00 pm Women's Fellowship 6:30 pm	8 Prayer Group 6:15 pm Praise Team 7:00 pm Girl Scouts 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	9 CCC Team 10:00 am Growth Night 6:30 pm	10	11
12 Choir Retreat 10:00-4:00 pm (Camp Kiwanis) SWAT Kick-Off 6:30 pm	13 Trustees 6:00 pm Women's Steering 6:30 pm	10 Galatian Girls 10:00 am Kids/Youth Choir 3:00 pm Handbell Choir 4:00 pm	15 Prayer Group 6:15 pm Praise Team 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	16 CCC Team 10:00 am Sr. Day Luncheon 11:30 am Care Team Mtg. 1:30 pm Growth Night 6:30 pm	17 Men's Steering Comm. @ Eat 'n Park 6:30 am  Women of Faith Conf. ←—————→	18 Men's Fellowship Breakfast 7:29 Out by 9:00  Women of Faith Conf. —————→
19 SWAT 6:30 pm	20 Church Council 6:30 pm	21 Make Me a Blessing 10:00 am Kids/Youth Choir 3:00 pm Handbell Choir 4:00 pm Rebecca Circle 7:00 pm	22 Prayer Group 6:15 pm Praise Team 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	23 CCC Team 10:00 am Growth Night 6:30 pm	24  Heritage Hall 5:00-7:00 pm	25
26 SWAT 6:30 pm	27 Staff Mtg. 6:30 pm	28 Galatian Girls 10:00 am Kids/Youth Choir 3:00 pm Handbell Choir 4:00 pm	29 Prayer Group 6:15 pm Praise Team 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal 7:30 pm	30 CCC Team 10:00 am Kids/Youth Band 4:00 pm Growth Night 6:30 pm		



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