

NELSON MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

April 19, 2009
2nd Sunday of Easter

8:00 a.m.
Seasonal Color: White

GATHERING TO WORSHIP

Informal Moments (Please sign Attendance Pads found in each row) Liturgist

Prelude "Praise Him! Praise Him!" Karen Day,
Nancy Ward

* CALL TO WORSHIP Liturgist

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Unison: We worship a Savior who prayed for us, that the world would know we are his by our love for one another.

* Hymn of Praise "Easter People, Raise Your Voices" Hymnal #304

* An Affirmation of Faith "A Statement of Faith of the United Church of Canada" Hymnal #883

* Gloria Patri *Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost!
As it was in the beginning; is now and ever shall be;
World without end, Amen, Amen.* Hymnal #70

A TIME FOR GIVING THANKS

Offering of God's Tithes and Our Gifts

Offertory Sentence Liturgist

Offertory Music "Yes, I Know My Savior Lives" (Lani Smith) Nancy Ward

* Doxology *Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.* Hymnal #95

* Offertory Prayer Pastor Elmer

* Hymn of Preparation "Hallelujah! What a Savior" Hymnal #165

Recognition of United Methodist Women Sharon Mellor

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastor's Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

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.

PROCLAIMING THE WORD OF GOD

* The Written Word John 20:19-31 Pew Bible pg. NT 115

The Message "Unlocking the Church" Pastor Elmer

SENT FORTH INTO THE WORLD

* Hymn of Commitment "Jesus, United by Thy Grace" Hymnal #561

* Benediction

* Postlude Nancy Ward

* Indicates People Standing (please stand as you are able)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome you to this Celebration of Worship! We are glad that you have chosen to worship with us this morning. A nursery is available for children who are Pre-K and under. An usher would be happy to assist you in finding the nursery and introducing you to our attendants.

Please take a few moments to greet someone after the service.

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS

Pastor
Organist
Liturgist
Ushers
Chancel Choir Director
Parish Nurses

Elmer D. McClaflin
Nancy Ward
Sharon Mellor
Tina Zeller / Ruby McNew
Debby K. Davis
Jan DeGraffenreid, Sandy Halford

CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY, APRIL 19

- UMW Sunday -

Sale of Ribbons for Missions



- **Worship Service** - 8:00 & 10:20 a.m.
- **Confirmation Class** - 9:00 a.m.
- **Sunday School for All Ages** - 9:00 a.m.
- **Youth Group Ice Skating** - 1:00 p.m. meet at the church
- **“Spark!” Contemporary Praise Service** - 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary



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- **Safe Sanctuary Training** - 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall
- **Wesley Circle meeting** - 7:00 p.m. at Dorothy Bell's home
H: Tina Zeller P: Julie Schupp

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- **Creation Care Conference** - 8:30 a.m. at Community UMC, Columbia

SUNDAY, APRIL 26

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(Acolytes Attend to the Altar Table During the Playing of the Prelude)

Introit "Now Let Us All Praise God and Sing" Chancel Choir

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Children's Message (Children welcomed to the Chancel) Pastor Elmer
Children 5 years old - 3rd grade are welcome to attend Children's Church

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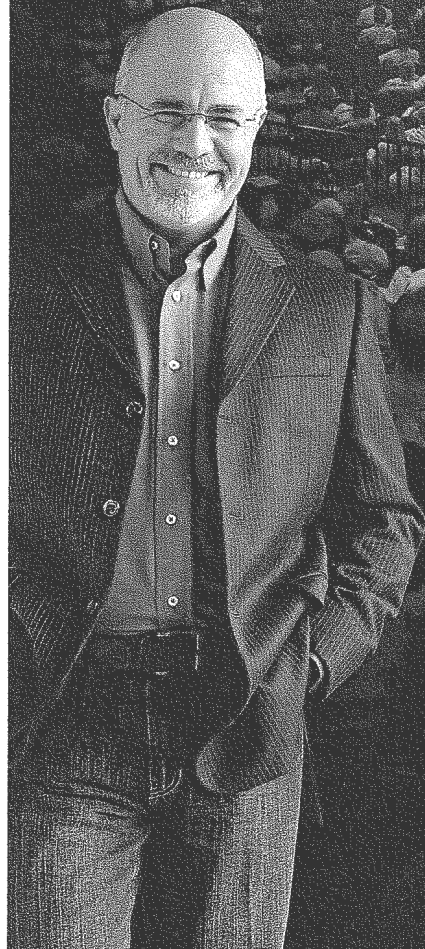
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PRAYER LIST

April 19, 2009

Mindful of my need to pray and the great opportunity, which exists when people of faith pray together, I will lift up the following in prayer:

CONTINUED PRAYER

Ruth Coleman (*health*)

Tom Maxwell (*health*)

Family of Raymond McVicker (*grief*)
(Wiley McVicker's father)

Claybelle Morris (*health*)

Alma Remley (*health*)

Tommy Schnell (*health*)

Gertrude Simmons (*health*)

Evelyn VonEngeln (*health*)
(infant daughter of Jonathan & Megan)

Opal Wiseman (*health*)

Prayers for Government, Armed Forces, and Disaster Relief Personnel

LT senior grade Jimmy Fuemmeler
(stationed at Naval Air Station Oceana,
Virginia Beach, VA, EA18G Growler training)

Major Jeremy Gettings
(attending the Air Command and Staff College
in Montgomery, AL)

Robert Mike Grissum
(deployed to Iraq)

Aaron VonEngeln
(deployed to Afghanistan)

Covenant Church of Gondola,
(Mozambique)

President of the United States
Men & Women of our Armed Forces
Leaders of the World

Please use the Prayer Request Card found in the pews or call the church office to add or remove a prayer concern from the prayer list. Names will remain on the Prayer List for one month. Requests may be made to continue special prayers for a longer period.

TODAY'S ANNOUNCEMENTS

United Methodist Women PURPOSE

The organized unit of United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose PURPOSE is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

(Book of Discipline, 2008, 256.5)

Ice-Skating

Today the Youth Group, and anyone else who would like to, will be going to the Washington Ice Arena for an afternoon of Ice-Skating. The session is from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. The cost is \$3.50 for age 17 & up, \$2.50 for age children plus a \$2.00 skate rental fee. We will leave from the church at 1:00 p.m. After the skating session we will stop at McDonald's to eat and then arrive back at the church between 6:30 and 7:00 p.m.

Safe Sanctuary

For those who still need to complete the Safe Sanctuary Certification, we will have a training session on Tuesday, **April 21**, 2009 at 6:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. The web site needed to complete your paperwork, or complete the certification online, is www.moumethodist.org/safesanctuaries.

Contact SSanctuaries@moumethodist.org or call Karma Haller at 660-834-3344 if you have questions. The cost is \$20.00 per person to complete the paperwork for the Safe Sanctuary Training. This is considered a tax deduction so please be sure and keep your receipt in order to be reimbursed. Thank you for your willingness to participate in the lives of the children and youth who are associated with our church family. You are truly appreciated and we are very blessed to have so many loving people involved in the lives of these very important parts of our church.

Relay for Life



Anyone wishing to join the fight against Cancer can light a luminaria for someone you love! When you purchase a luminaria you honor a cancer survivor or someone who has died from the disease. The luminaria will light the path at the American Cancer Society Relay for Life, a community event that raises money for cancer fighting programs and research on **April 24**. Purchase a luminaria from Sandy Halford for \$5 in the coming week. If you wish to make a donation, you may do that until June 1.

Electronics Recycling

Do you have old electronics that need to be recycled?
You can make a difference!

On Saturday **April 25**, the Office of Creative Ministries in Columbia is sponsoring an electronics-recycling event in conjunction with the Show-Me Creation Care Conference. We will collect electronic items in front of Nelson UMC that morning between 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. Bring your old televisions, computers, monitors, keyboards, copiers, phones, cell phones, cameras, printers, fax machines, wire, microwaves, mice, toasters, anything with a cord. This avoids landfill dumping and helps to preserve our environment and earth. For more information, or if you are interested in registering for the conference, contact the church office.

Creation Care Conference

On Saturday **April 25th**, 2009, the Office of Creative Ministries is sponsoring a day-long conference for any person of faith interested in preserving God's creation. The conference will be held at Community United Methodist Church, 3301 West Broadway, Columbia MO. Pre-Conference events on Friday, April 24th include a Stream Team Clean up at 4:00 p.m. and a concert at 7:00 p.m. Register online at: www.umocm.com/creationcare.htm
\$20 for Adults - \$15 for Students [Registration fees increase after March 31st.]
Child care provided with pre-registration.

Citizen's Bank Parking

As a reminder, we have been given permission to park on the bank's parking lot on Sundays. Please do not block the ATM and Night Deposit lanes.
Thanks from the *Board of Trustees*

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JULY 13 - 17, 2009

9:00 - 11:30 A.M.

This year's Vacation Bible School is scheduled and will be taking off soon! We have a wonderful curriculum designed and are looking for teachers and helpers. If you are interested in helping, please return this form to the church office or place in the offering plate. Missy Walker, Jennifer Jones or Debbie Maxwell will be calling soon to give you more details.

I AM INTERESTED IN HELPING IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

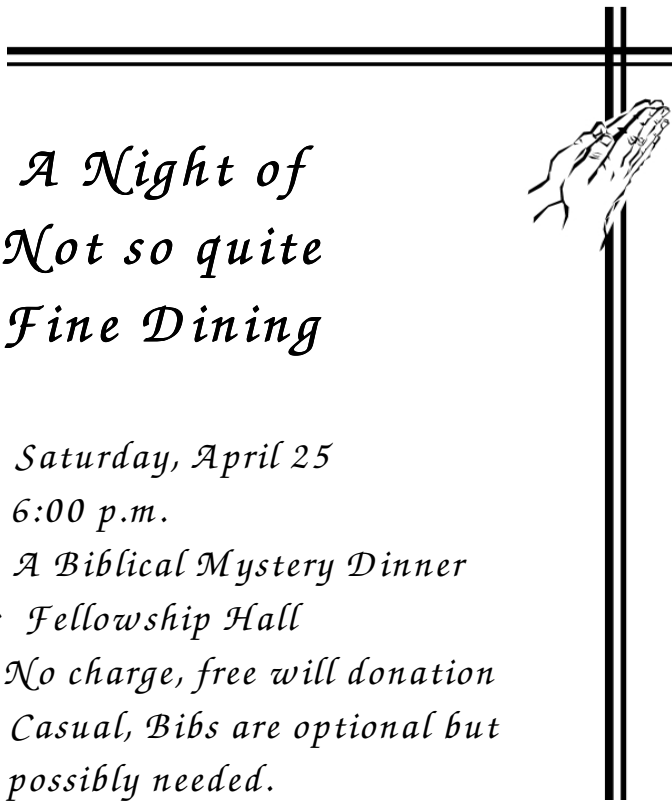
- I WOULD LIKE TO BE A TEACHER; designate station below
- I WOULD LIKE TO BE A HELPER
(6th grade and up)
- I WOULD LIKE TO HELP IN THE NURSERY
- I WOULD LIKE TO DO CRAFTS
- I WOULD LIKE TO DO MUSIC
- I WOULD LIKE TO DO REFRESHMENTS
- I WOULD LIKE TO DO RECREATION
- I WOULD LIKE TO WORK AT THE REGISTRATION TABLE
- I WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE TRANSPORTATION FOR KID'S KLUB KIDS.

I AM INTERESTED IN THE FOLLOWING STATIONS:

- 3 & 4 YEAR OLDS
- BIBLE STORYTELLER (tells the Bible story)
- DISCOVERY TIME (reinforces the Bible story)

NAME _____ (Please print)

PHONE NUMBER _____



A Night of Not so quite Fine Dining

When: Saturday, April 25

Time: 6:00 p.m.

What: A Biblical Mystery Dinner

Where: Fellowship Hall

Cost: No charge, free will donation

Dress: Casual, Bibs are optional but possibly needed.

RSVP Required to:

Bob or Cindy Koch

All proceeds will go to benefit Sarah and Anna Koch on their mission trips this summer.