

United Methodist News

July 2015

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CELEBRATION!! We plan to have an entry in Tipton's 4th of July parade that begins at 1:00 p.m. Line up at noon in the vicinity of 4th & Mulberry, SE of the Courthouse Square. Walkers, bike riders,

skaters, boarders... will greet and give personal invitations to people along the route. We'll want to utilize the parade to spread the word that Little Friends is beginning its 50th year. Join the fun!! Spread the word! The United Methodist Church is alive and well in Tipton, Iowa!!

July Events

- July 4 Independence Day
- July 2 Tri-County Community Band Concert
- July 11 Shared Blessings Christian Chaos at the County Fair
- July 12 Dominoes
- July 13-17 Mission Work Trip
- July 17-19 Confirmation Retreat
- July 20-22 Vacation Bible School
- July 22 Newsletter Articles Due
- July 25 Shared Blessings
- July 29 Meeting of the Holy Folders

In daily life we must see that it is not happiness that makes us grateful, but gratefulness that makes us happy.

-Brother David Steindl-Rast

SUNDAY CALLER TRAINING

Did you know that lay persons may have more influence than the pastor? At least in one area of invitation and hospitality, it is proven to be true! When a visitor to worship is graced with a "Thank you for worshipping with us" visit to their home within 36 hours after worship, if that 'door-knock' is by a lay person it is more than twice as likely they will return than if that visit is by the pastor!

Therefore, we are officially beginning the ministry of "SUNDAY CALLERS." The process is simple:

After worship we will check to see if there are any first-time, area resident worshippers.

If so, we will fill out a card with all available information.

The scheduled "Sunday Caller" will take the card and make a visit to the residence by sundown Monday. (It's even okay if you beat them home from worship!!)

The visit is brief. It is not interrogation. "Thank you; we hope vou come again."

The Sunday Caller returns the card to the church office when convenient but at least by the next Sunday.

I'll be meeting with anyone interested, curious or committed to be a Sunday Caller Wednesday, July 8th at 6:30 p.m. Let me know if you're interested and if you can't make that meeting we'll meet one-on-one. My goal is to have at least four and up to eight Sunday Callers so persons are scheduled no more than once a month.

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors



"Loving Jesus Christ is the mission of the church; everything else is just strategy."

I am not sure who made this comment at Annual Conference, but it was one of the speakers/preachers. It's a line that I need to remember because sometimes the "strategy" can consume the day and I may not have used fully or most effectively the hours, moments, events and opportunities to "love Jesus Christ" and to help others do the same.

I do remember the speaker then referred to the Sermon on the Mount as a treatise of Jesus encouraging all those spiritually hungry, seeking, religious people to change the focus of their lives. Reading Matthew 5, 6 & 7 using that lens really puts context on Matthew 6:33: *"But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well."*

We have no shortage of enterprises, activities, events, people and even relationships to draw us away from that central call of the gospel toward the lures of idolatry. And it's no easier for any one person than another to keep the focus on God's Kingdom. It's good for us, individually, to pray honestly and openly:

Bountiful God who held nothing back from showing your love to humanity, reveal to us that which lures us from singleness of purpose and focus. Give me Jesus, new, every day. Amen.

One of the presenters at Annual Conference was Adam Hamilton, lead and founding pastor of Church of the Resurrection. He shared that his church started out, in 1990, with four people: himself, his wife, their two daughters. After a time of relational outreach, they met in a funeral home chapel, and that's when they took the name, Church of the Resurrection; aka COR. When they outgrew the funeral home, they needed another location. They identified two choices, an elementary school gymnasium that would need to be set up every week early Sunday morning and emptied by 1:00 p.m.; or a church building and grounds of an established church that was moving to another location.

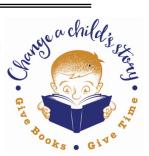
He said the Trustees toured both; balanced the pros and cons; and decided to go with the church building. BUT,

after a sleepless night, Pastor Hamilton contacted the Trustees and said, "I think we've made a mistake." They listened to his thoughts and changed direction. Now with a membership of around 20,000 and a reputation for intentional, focused, transforming ministries, worship and leadership, Pastor Hamilton wondered aloud the other day what would have happened if they had done what seemed **most logical**, definitely **most easy** and certainly **most 'churchy**.' He suggested COR would now have an impact similar to the church they would have replaced.

Keeping the focus on Jesus has a way of making us do crazy things for a God who is always working to make all things new.

Sometimes, when you are living in a rough situation or going through a rough time, you need a good story to take you away, to give you power, to help you dream about changing your own story.

The Iowa Conference hopes to help thousands of children do just that through a reading initiative called Change a Child's Story. The Conference has set a goal to get 500,000 books into the hands of at-risk children in the state of Iowa. Yes, that's pretty ambitious! There will be an effort made to work with stakeholders, some of whom are way out ahead of us on this effort.



Last year I went to a continuing education event at Pella. Dr. Peter Steinke talked about the importance of total brain development; that 250,000 neurons a DAY are being developed ages 1 to 3 !! I've read that by age 4 children in affluent households hear around 45 million words while children in poverty hear 13 million words. Every word creates a neuron or more.

<u>School Teachers</u>: How can we help the children/families/classrooms? Put us to work! It's one way we can live into the vows we speak with every baptism!!

Missions

Food Pantry

This summer, we are collecting food for our "emergency" food pantry (closet). This allows our church to have a basic supply of food on hand for those needing assistance. Here's a list of what's needed most: **canned chicken and tuna, canned fruit, creamed or regular soups, baked beans, Mac 'n Cheese, packaged rice or noodles, or spaghetti sauce. We do not need canned vegetables.** Please bring any donations to the hallway outside the church office. Thank you!



Summer Clothes & Undies Needed!

We will be working three days at the Mission of Hope in Cedar Rapids July 13 - 15.

We are collecting new underwear & socks and

gently used summer clothing for kids and adults (all sizes) at the Mission of Hope. Please bring your donations by July 12 to the Gathering Place. We are also working in Tipton July 16-17.

Participants for this year's trip include: Dusty & Jen Johnson, Carmen Hoffman, Cheryl Person, Paul Frederiksen, Stacy, Kamryn & Molly Chapman, Melinda & Zoe Stonebraker, Penny, Laura & Sara Webb, Twyla Hein, Gail Fleming, Mary Jo & Alec Heil, and Jane Moen.

We recognize that not everyone can participate in the physical labor of our annual "work trips", so we appreciate it when we have people willing to be "Back Home Buddies". Back Home Buddies keep the work trip participants in their prayers, encourage the team at the commissioning during the worship service on July 12, and/or support the work team by providing snacks or part of a meal at the end of each day. Interested? Sign up on the Sunday registration insert in the bulletin or contact the church office. Through Christ, we are one, through our prayers we are united.



Share the Love Projects

Just a reminder that we are collecting water bottles for our "Share the Love" project this summer. We will be putting a church label on the bottles and distributing cool water to anyone working outside. They could go to a crew working on the roads, farmers in their fields, kids playing sports, or to individuals working in their gardens or mowing their lawns. Our plan is to pick a couple of warm days and wander around the Tipton community. We need donations of cases of the 15-20 ounce sized water AND people willing to distribute the water. Please bring in your donations by the end of July. Interested? Contact anyone on the Missions team or the church office.



Potluck Picnic August 23

Thanks to all who participated in the brunch potluck on June 14. The food was wonderful and it

was fun to chat with friends and new acquaintances. In fact, we had such a good time that we've scheduled a **Potluck Picnic on August 23**. Mark your calendars now. It's the day before school starts and perfect time to kick-off the school year!

Porta Potty Fundraiser

Back by popular demand is the Missions Porta Potty Fundraiser! Forms will be available on the breezeway entrance to have a decorated toilet (\$20) OR a "congratulation" or "happy birthday" sign (\$10) OR the toilet and a sign (\$25) in someone's yard. You can also purchase insurance to avoid having the toilet and signs placed in your yard for \$20. Questions? Contact anyone on the Missions team.

Mission Market

The Mission Market will open at the end of June for fresh garden produce in the church's breezeway. If you have extra produce you'd like to donate, please bring it to the



church. Any FREEWILL DONATIONS given for the fruits and vegetables will go to mission projects. Thanks!



(Missions continued)

UMCOR School Kits

With school supplies on sale, this is a GREAT time to purchase supplies for an UMCOR School Kit. In some countries, without books, classrooms, or other supplies, a school kit may be a person's only educational resource. Here's a list of items in the school kit:

- 3 Notebooks, approx. 8 ½ x 11 wide ruled (210 to 250 sheets total) spiral or bound
- 1 2 1/2" eraser
- 1 blunt scissors (metal)
- 1 30 cm metric ruler
- 1 hand pencil sharpener
- 1 box of 24 crayons (ONLY 24)
- 6 unsharpened pencils with erasers

The 2015 Ingathering brochure is available at the back of the sanctuary and in the office. **The Missions team has set a goal of 100 kits this year.** If each family puts together a couple of kits, we should easily accomplish this goal. **The Dedication of Ingathering Kits will be held on Sunday, November 1** so all kits must be turned in by that date. The **Thanksgiving Ingathering will be held Saturday, November 7 in Mt. Pleasant**.

College Connections – Volunteers needed!

Our church typically sends care packages to college students each month during the academic year. College students have said that they appreciate the support and love getting packages from home. The lunch to raise funds to offset the costs for mailing packages is set for **Sunday**, **September 13** after worship. **Do you have a student in college or want to be part of the group that puts together the care packages and makes a difference in college student lives? Our planning meeting will be held Monday**, **August 17 at 6:45 p.m.** We have <u>one</u> meeting per year, then gather as needed to put together the care packages. Interested? Contact Jane Moen (886-3402) or the church office by **Sunday**, **August 16**.



Member News

BIRTH:

Alexandria ("Andi") Grace Hubler was born June 14. Parents are Alicia and Josh Hubler. Grandparents include Scott and Karen Anderson. Great-grandpa is Richard Anderson!

DEATH: God's peace as death visits... Bob & Ginny Cummins family on the death of Barb Knack, Bob's sister.

GRADUATION:

Congratulations to Ashley Neville! She graduated with a BA in Science Ag Business Magna Cum Laude from Northwestern Oklahoma State University!

AWARDS:

The weekend of his graduation from U. of Dubuque Theological Seminary, **Alec Amosson** was awarded *The Hoyt Hickman Award for Outstanding Liturgical Scholarship and Practice*. "This award is given to a senior student who, in the judgment of the selection committee, has given evidence of a high quality of scholarship in the study of liturgy and is an effective leader of Christian Worship." Alec has practiced worship and liturgical leadership through college, at various churches in part-time employment and now full-time at Grandview UMC. But he got his start right here. THAT is part of the purpose of the church; to give fledglings a start. Good work, all of you!

Christian Chaos, on the Road Again

Hey, did you know Chaos is once again taking their message of praise and worship through music on the road? A new stop this year for the band will be the Cedar County Fair. They will be performing there on Saturday, July 11th at 11:30 a.m.

Their next gig will be the great Iowa State Fair. The date is August 16th at 3:00 p.m.. To fininsh the 2015 tour the band will once again be at Ingathering in Mt. Pleasant. That date is November 7th.

The band will be saying farwell and best wishes to Jenny Flinspach. She has been a great part of the band and will be missed. Please join us in July for her last performance. **One of the ministries you support** with your offerings to the church is various campus ministries throughout Iowa. There are the historically United Methodist related colleges: Morningside, Simpson, Cornell and Iowa Wesleyan. There are also four Wesley Foundations. These are on the campuses of Drake, UNI, ISU and U of Iowa. Many, many lay and clergy leaders in Iowa can relate a piece of their history to one or more of these ministries. THANK YOU for your selfless support of campus ministries! Here's an update from UNI Wesley Foundation:

The Center for Vocational Reflection was established at Threehouse: A Wesley Foundation in Cedar Falls through a generous grant from the Lilly Family Foundation. The primary rationale for it's creation is to promote opportunities for the students to reflect on 3 topics:

- 1) What gives life meaning
- 2) Questions/experiences of vocational reflection
- 3) Meaningful service to the community.

The CVR's mission is to help UNI students live lives of greater purpose and authenticity through listening, discovering and serving.

Relevant Parker Palmer quotes:

Listening - "Before I can tell my life what I want to do with it, I must listen to my life telling me who I am."

Discovering - "Discovering vocation does not mean scrambling toward some prize just beyond my reach but accepting the treasure of true self I already possess."

Serving - "Our deepest calling is to grow into our own authentic self-hood, whether or not it conforms to some image of who we ought to be. As we do so, we will not only find the joy that every human being seeks - we will also find our path of authentic service in the world."

Looking for a new T-Shirt to brighten-up your wardrobe?

Here's your opportunity! The mission work team will be wearing a stylish tee with the church's new mission statement logo on the back. If you would like to purchase one, please let the church office know. The shirt color is sapphire and the cost is \$14. (Add an additional \$1.50 for any size 2XL and larger.) We will be placing the order July 1st in order to have them for the week of the work trip.

SAFE SANCTUARY UPDATE

Jenn Johnson has agreed to assume the responsibilities of being the administrator for our church of the Safe Sanctuary procedures and processing of information. For your review or information, here's the mission statement and purpose of the Protection Policy:

First United Methodist Church Child, Youth and Vulnerable Adult Protection Policy

Mission Statement

As members of First United Methodist Church (FUMC), we believe, in accordance with our Christian principles, that it is in the best interest of the church and the children, youth and vulnerable adults of the church to adopt policies, procedures, screening tools and training to better protect the physical, mental and emotional well-being of the children, youth and vulnerable adults who participate in FUMC church-sponsored activities.

Purpose of Policy

The purpose for determining and implementing policies and procedures for staff and volunteers who work with children, youth and vulnerable adults in the church is to protect the children, youth and vulnerable adults from abuse; and to protect the staff and volunteers from being unfairly accused of abusing any child, children, youth or vulnerable adults in any manner.

We will be scheduling at least one session of the basic (required) class to take place in August. This class is a basic requirement prior to adults or teens working with younger populations. As pastor I must apologize that we've been remiss the past couple years and have not required persons to comply with Safe Sanctuary directives. I am quite sure Jenn will head us in a more healthy direction!





Back Design

Matthew 25's Flood the Run is August 15, 2015 in Ellis Park in Cedar Rapids

<u>Flood the Run</u> is a wet and wacky, family-oriented, non-competitive 2.7 mile run to support Matthew 25 and the Salvation Army. Everyone is guaranteed to have fun and get wet as they run the human car wash, maneuver the sniper zone, wind thru the obstacle course, and zoom down the 100-foot slippery slide!

Early-bird registration ends July 18 - go to <u>www.CRFloodTheRun.com</u>. Discounts are available to teams of 10, 25, or 50. If you would like to register a team, contact Michele Matt,

<u>michelematt@ymail.com</u>. Michele will provide you with a code to use during the registration process.

Questions, call Jerry Oakland at 319.362.2214.



Embark on an icy expedition... where kids overcome obstacles with God's awesome power!

Calvery Four Square Church July 20th - 22nd 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. (A light meal will be served at 5:30)

Birthdays and Anniversaries (Members and Constituents)

- 1 Bill & Teresa Esbeck
- 2- Michelle Miles, Connie Semotan, Betty Turner
- Justin Boedeker, Kaylynn Eiler, Melva Mueller.
 Bob & Barb Rickard
- 4 Ruth Clark
- 5 Bruce Flory
- 6 Judy Keller, Lorna Muller
- 7 Lee Curry
- 8 Todd Huston, Kyler Wallick,
- 9 Sylvia Ferguson, Blake Schilling, Michael & Ashley Wubben
- 10 Emily Cartwright, Barb Rickard, Chad Schilling, Anton Slach,
- 11 Rachel Bierman, Elizabeth Bierman, Stacy Emrich, Todd & Bonnie Swick
- 12 Richard Anderson, Wayne Behrens, Marvin Miller, Mackenzie Walter, Kayla Walter, Ron & Elizabeth Schroeder
- 13 Allen Charette, Colton Marchik, Bailey Schmidt
- 14 Finn Lindsey, Mindy Williams, Shellby Wiskus, Jason & Carly Paustian
- 15 J. Gesling, Larry & Berrie Glick, Lonnie & Robyn Nebergall
- 16 Jeff McKinney, Mike Schmidt
- 17 Kenley Fitch, Kyra Shaull
- 18 Ben Emrich, Kelley Lieser, Sherry Willey, Calvin & Kris Kuehl
- 20 Laura Webb
- 21 Jim Brennan, Zoe Comstock, Marvin & Frances Ford, Larry & Diana Mueller, Brad & Kelly Wendel
- 22 Cassondra Hembry
- 23 Reece Hall, Ken Muller, Karen Royer
- 24 Ashley Beers, James Morris
- 25 Bob Young
- 26 Meredith Coppess, Glenn Fear, Olivia Hembry, Megan Leslie, Aaron & Jennifer Comstock
- 27 Bob Cummins, Anne Neville
- 28 Chris Amosson, Jacob Boedeker, Greg Brown, Alesha Marchik
- 29 Brandon Lukemyres, Steve Shontz, Donald & Shirley Kallenberger
- 30 Benjamin Charette, Cuba Flory, Murry & Renee Mente
- 31 Madalynn Paul, Barbara Petersen, Kiley Schultz

(Please contact the church office for additions and/or corrections.)

July Sunday Servants

Liturgists Twyla Hein - Coordinator

- 12 Bob Young
- 19 Pat Fankhauser
- 26 Volunteer needed

Power Point Becky Young - Coordinator

- 5 Brian Heil (both)
- 12 Carmen Hoffman (both)
- 19 Becky Young (create), Chris McKinney (run)
- 26 Trina Hill (both)

Fellowship Coffee Barb Rickard & Dixie Martin -Coordinators

- 5 –
- 12 Sherry Willey, Gallaghers
- 19 Bev Ehresman, Tom & Mary Ehresman
- 26 Mente Family

Greeters Becky Young - Coordinator

- 5 Ken & Lorna Muller
- 12 Duane & Penny Webb
- 19 Brad & Bobbie Lieser Family
- 26 Dee Wallace & JoAnn Beers

Communion Stewards Donna Gault - Coordinator

Pat Fankhauser

Nursery Office - Coordinator

- 5 Renee Mente
- 12 Cummins VanScoy Family
- 19 Bob Young
- 26 Volunteer

Children's Lesson Office - Coordinator

- 5 –
- 12 Volunteer Needed
- 19 Kris Clark
- 26 Volunteer Needed

Ushers Lorna Muller - Coordinator Pam Spear & Marge Stonerook Larry & Kathy Houstman

Acolytes Kim Walter - Coordinator Volunteers Needed Every Sunday



Presence & Gifts from May

Presence: Worship: 3 – 114, 10 – 119, 17 – 124, 24 - 80, 31 - 113Sunday School: 3 - 65, 10 - 60

Average Attendance: Worship: 110, Sunday School: 63

Gifts:

General Fund \$14,159.25, Facility Use \$50.00, Upper Room \$5.00, Apportionments \$10.00, The Story \$10.00, Vacation Bible School \$5.00, Shared Blessings \$4.00, Preschool Purchase \$150.00, Copper Kettle \$245.25, Mission Work Trip \$465.00, Mission Rummage Sale \$1857.25 Total \$16,960.75

Fellowship Coffee Volunteers

What about honoring a family member by hosting Fellowship Coffee on that particular Sunday? It would be a fun celebration... along with singing "Happy Birthday" or "Happy Anniversary." The sign-up book is located on the high table in the Gathering Place where Fellowship is held during the summer months. Supplies are all available in the kitchenette. Two slots are open each Sunday to be filled with name(s). Fellowship coffee complete with coffee/lemonade/ water and something to eat is enjoyed by those attending and is a chance to catch up with new and old church friends! Come join us every Sunday immediately following church service which begins at 9:30. Everyone is welcome! Questions, call Barb Rickard at 886-6018 or Dixie Martin at 563-357-2396.



Newsletter articles are due Wed., July 22. Meeting of the Holy Folders is Wed., July 29.



Worship in July

Worship begins at 9:30 a.m. Chaos will be providing music the second Sunday of each month. Chancel Choir will sing the 3rd Sundays. It is preferred to have "special" Acts of Praise every Sunday. Get out there and start asking people to be a blessing!

<u>July 5</u>— Communion

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Special: You??

<u>July 12</u> —

Scripture: Ephesians 1:3-14

Special: Christian Chaos

July 19 — Confirmation Class on retreat!

Scripture: Mark 4:35-41

Music: Chancel Choir & friends

<u>July 26</u> —

Scripture: Ephesians 3:14-21

Special: Brydie Criswell is returning to provide special music!

Acolytes through the summer will not be assigned. If you have been trained and are going into grades 3–7 you may come to the back of the worship center any day you are here to express your interest in being the acolyte for that service. Obviously there's only room for two!

The purposes of the registration sheet inserts in the bulletin include:

- 1. The church is here to reach out to the community and to the world with the love of God in Jesus Christ. That is THE mission of the Church! We can do that more assertively if we know people's name. If you, who are regular participants, do not put a registration sheet into the offering plate, we cannot expect a 1st or even 2nd time worship attender to make themselves obvious and 'different' by putting one in the offering plate. Please do it.
- 2. The back side connects with the Christ-like purpose of the church in that each of us is gifted to be a blessing to others and to the world. One way we express affirmation of everyone's giftedness is by offering everyone an opportunity to offer their talents and participation, whether it be abilities, recipes, shopping or time, for the benefit of everyone else!

Prayers

Hospitalized/Procedures:

Healing: Wanda Berner (Kim White's mother), Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Jerry Ferguson, Jack Fraseur, Jean Heil (Brian's mom), Arlene Hein, Rex Idlewine, Carsten Kime (Tipton 2nd gr); Ted Licht, Erma Lyle, Mark McKay (K. McKay's bro), Warren Nielson (L & K Houstman's bro-in-law), Roger Regennitter, Judy Reidel, Ken Schmidt, Erica Shumaker, Ray Steinberg, Gary Taylor, Ruel Wehde, Keith Wood, Bob Young and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Alexandria ("Andi") Grace Hubler, born June 14 to Alicia and Josh; grandparents inc. Scott & Karen Anderson; 'greats' include Richard Anderson and Bea Fulwider.

Wally & Judy's moving date is this coming Friday. God be with you... and us in our sadness.

Persons dealing with water – too much or too little! Many churches, United Methodist and others, are in a season of changing pastors.

Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions. Persons uprooted due to "natural" and/or "human" disaster; and those who are called to help. Families struggling with the impact of drug and alcohol abuse or other addiction.

Couples/Families searching for the way forward. Persons & families of incarceration; Persons in employment limbo;

In Treatment: Judy Keller

Hospice/Palliative Care: Wayne Eisele (Mike's father, in W'loo), Elmer Flory, Mabel Lamp, Richard Wallick (Jeff's father), Henry Wiskus,

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-inlaw), Sean Hannes, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby



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Every Sunday 9:30 a.m. Worship - Sanctuary

Every Monday 6:30 p.m. G.I.G.

Every Wednesday 6:00 p.m. G.I.G. - 113 7:00 p.m. Chaos Practice

Every Thursday 10:00 a.m. G.I.G. - 113

Wednesday, July 1 10:00 am Pastor @ Bible Study

Thursday, July 2 5:00 pm Tipton Mayors Event 7:30 pm UMC Host Tri-County Community Band

Friday, July 3 Independence Day observed Office Closed

Saturday, July 4 Independence Day 1:30 pm Parade

Tuesday, July 7 4:00 pm Communion @ Prairie Hills Wednesday, July 8 10:00 am Pastor @ Bible Study 6:30 pm Sunday Caller Meeting

Thursday, July 9 9:30 am Communion @ Cedar Manor 10:00 am Senior Park Program

Saturday, July 11 11:00 am Shared Blessings Meal Location: DR/K 11:30 am Christian Chaos plays at the Cedar County Fair

Sunday, July 12 6:00 pm Dominoes Location: DR

Monday, July 13 Mission Trip 10:30 am Staff Meeting

Tuesday, July 14 Mission Trip

Wednesday, July 15 Mission Trip

Thursday, July 16 Mission Trip 6:30 pm Trustees Location: WR

Friday, July 17 1:00 pm Confirmation Trip

Saturday, July 18 Confirmation Trip

Sunday, July 19 Confirmation Trip

Monday, July 20 6:00 pm VBS Location: Calvary Foursquare Church

Tuesday, July 21 6:00 pm VBS Location: Calvary Foursquare Church Wednesday, July 22 Newsletter Articles Due 10:00 am Pastor @ Bible Study 6:00 pm VBS Location: Calvary Foursquare Church

Saturday, July 25 11:00 am Shared Blessings Meal Location: DR/K

Tuesday, July 28 2:00 pm Prairie Hills Program Location: Prairie Hills

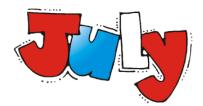
Wednesday, July 29 8:00 am Meeting of the Holy Folders 10:00 am Pastor @ Bible Study

Thursday, July 30 Pastor Vacation

Friday, July 31 Pastor Vacation FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 607 LYNN TIPTON, IOWA 52772

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<u>Mission Statement:</u> Tipton First United Methodist Church

"To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world."

Tipton First United Methodist Church Staff:

Pastor - Paul FrederiksenAdministrative Ministries Coordinator - Karis HorstmannAccompanist - Sylvia GouldCustodian - Don GriffithChancel Choir Director - Alice Ann GallagherChristian Chaos Keyboards - Jamie BahrChoir Kids Accompanist - Dee WallaceChoir Kids/Christian Chaos Director - Denise CartwrightBishop of the Iowa Annual Conference - Julius Calvin Trimble
East Central District Superintendent - David CrowEast Central Iowa District Field Outreach Minister - Jill Sanders
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