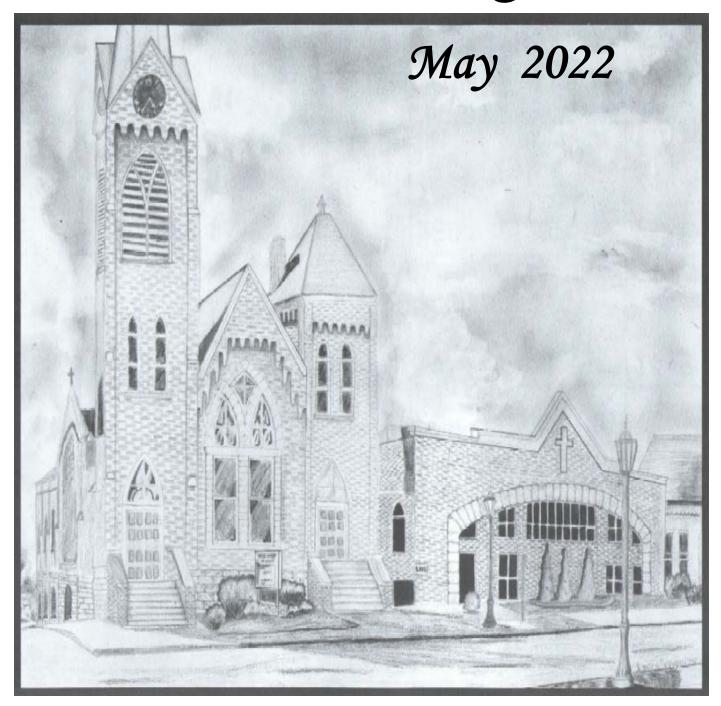
The Tidings



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Everyday People

"Give careful thought to your ways. You have planted much but harvested little. You eat, but never have enough. You drink, but never have your fill. You put on clothes but are not warm. You earn wages, only to put them in a purse with holes in it." Haggai 1:5,6

A little shepherd boy, a young teenage mother, twelve regular ordinary men, and several ladies with less than stellar backgrounds were just a few of the everyday people that God chose to be part of his salvation story for humanity. All these people were just living their every day lives when God gave them an opportunity to join his cause. None of them were perfect people but God saw something special in them: a willingness to see what God had in store for them and a faithfulness to follow him wherever he led them.

In May & June we will look at the minor prophets, those books of the Bible at the end of the Old Testament. They are called the minor prophets because they are much shorter books than the well-known major prophets of Isaiah, Jeremiah, Ezekiel, and Daniel. But even though they are smaller, they still have crucial spiritual wisdom to relay to us. I look forward to discovering some of their hidden gems the next couple of months.

We have some very special Sundays coming up in May. Mother's Day is May 8th. We'll have a special gift for the ladies, a designated area to take special pictures with your ladies, and some of the high school boys will deliver special Mother's Day devotions for their moms. A couple of weeks later we will honor our high school seniors and then on Memorial Day weekend we will have our special service to honor Memorial Day at the Evangelical Cemetery. All are great opportunities to invite friends and family.

Palm Sunday and Easter were two very special Sundays for confirmation and Easter but also in attendance. We had 280 on Palm Sunday and 409 for our combined Easter services. It's exciting to see new faces and some familiar faces that haven't attended for a while each Sunday. People feel welcomed, loved, and encouraged by our worship. Continue to introduce yourself to people you don't know and invite them to sit next to you. God is doing some great and amazing things at the UCC of California.

I want to say thank you to everyone that prayed for me, checked in on me, assisted me when I became ill on Easter morning. I never felt scared or worried. I just felt disappointed and a little embarrassed not being able to complete the service and have communion with everyone. It was a quick, nasty little virus that knocked me down for about 24 hours. Thanks again for your encouragement and concern. We have a gifted and loving congregation for sure. See you on Sunday.

We serve a great God.

Serving Christ Together,

Russ



California United Church of Christ April 11, 2022 – Consistory Meeting Highlights

The California UCC Consistory met for its regular monthly meeting March 11, 2022. Pastor Cobb opened the meeting with prayer.

The minutes of the March 2022 meeting, Treasurer's Report, Financial Secretary's Report, Stewardship Snapshot and Local Benevolence Report were reviewed and approved.

Reports and updates were given by committees and organizations. Evangelism, Memorial, Stewardship, and Schnuck Endowment have nothing to report. Worship Committee has a schedule made for the new banners to be placed in the sanctuary, year round. The group is well rounded with many different groups represented from our congregation. A straw pole will be done on May 8th regarding the passing of the offering plate. Consistory is requesting on behalf of the Worship Committee and our members that we make a concerted effort to keep the communion table clear of all items. Ushers will assist in ensuring items available on the back table for new members at the end of worship.

Building and grounds-

Front doors have been installed and painted, waiting on the handles to be corrected.

Concrete: (by church office) to be done by the end of April, dependent on weather.

Storm Windows: Bid has been updated, awaiting second bid then will address in congregational meeting.

Plaster: Bids have been requested.

Mixer (Audio/Visual): received and being updated.

AC: Motion carried for Environmental Engineering to replace 2 AC units (previously approved via congregational meeting).

Boiler: New Bid received from Environmental Engineering, updated Bid from H&D, will discuss at congregational meeting.

Floor Tile Replacement: Awaiting Bid.

Gym Rooftop unit, heater to be replaced this summer per plan.

Brotherhood and Women's Guild continue to meet with good discussions and studies. Sunday School reports really enjoying the newer Wesley study material. Youth group had a great trip to Silver Dollar City.

Pastor's Report – Rev. Cobb: Pastor's Report – Rev. Cobb- March 2022 4/4 Worship Services (Salem/California). 5 Lent Services. 34 DVD Deliveries. 26 Days in office. 4 Prayer Cells. 2/2 Consistory Meetings Salem/UCC California. 5 Recordings of Time of Hope. 3 Office Visits. 4 Birthday Cards with Kathy Grant. 23 Home/work/nursing home visits. 1 Sunday School Meeting. 1 Middle School FCA Devotion. 3 Visitations/ Funerals. 1 World Day of Prayer. 2 Cookie Deliveries. 2 Ministerial Alliance Meetings. 1 Middle School Play. 1 Men's Brotherhood Meeting. 4 Living Lord Supper Practice at the Finke. 1 United Way Meeting. 1 Cabinet Meeting. 3 Minister Meetings. Also, anticipating a new member luncheon in the near future.

Old Business:

Building and grounds covered above. Trip planned to review Biblical Library Donation in April. Elevator help is going very well.

New Business:

Office manager applicants reviewed and discussed. More information to come. Women's Guild does not want to do Angel Tree, Allan Mortenson is reaching out to Evangelism for coordination. Reviewed the decision on OCWM decision, no change was made. Consistory members plan to reach out to respective organizations and committees to promote an activity and/or talk to the congregation about what they do when they meet (speak during announcement time to keep congregation informed and aware of opportunities to get involved.) Senior scholarships discussed and scholarships were approved. Laura Burger will look for senior gifts for Senior Sunday. Motion for Wednesday night meals to end on April 27th was made and carried.

Communion Dates – Maundy Thursday April 14th, April 17 Easter Sunday

Respectfully Submitted VanDee Miller 04/19/2022

STEWARDSHIP SNAPSHOT

General Fund	March 2022	March 2021
Balance Brought Forward	\$ 71,335.44	\$ 77,507.38
Receipts	+ 64,810.90	+30,469.07
Disbursements	- 67,114.38	<u>- 28,609.50</u>
Balance - March 31, 2022	\$ 69,031.96	\$ 79,366.95
As of March 31, 2022		
Building Fund Balance	\$ 96,761.79	\$ 26,222.53
Local Benevolence Fund Balance	\$ 9,188.79	\$ 12,793.23
Memorial Fund Balance	\$ 6,630.48	\$ 10,402.07
Schnuck Endowment Fund	\$ 27, 717.12	\$ 22,169.32
Scholarship Fund Balance	\$ 10,086.44	\$ 9,016.83
Youth Group Fund Balance	\$ 4,519.35	\$ 3,692.74
Total OCWM Received	\$ 1,652.00	\$ 1,278.00
Other Benevolent Offerings	\$ 4,710.33	\$ 6,851.17

Note on 2022 Snapshot regarding Schnuck Endowment

*The C. Schnuck Endowment Checking Fund balance of \$ 27,717.12 includes \$1,166.49 that is part of the original restricted gift and is unable to be expended. \$ 26,550.63 of the fund balance may be expended.

NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER

The California Ministerial Alliance invites you for prayer at the Moniteau County Courthouse on May 5th. Prayer will begin at 12:05 at the flag pole.

Lunch is provided for soldiers and vets, firefighters, emergency responders and all who serve in the Courthouse and City Hall.

Special Benevolence— May

Grace Living

Grace Living Center is located in Clarksburg, MO and can serve up to 6 residents at a given time. It serves as a transitional living center for homeless women with addictions. Most of the residents are referred by court order and some come at their own accord and live at the center for up to 11 months. A resident must hold a job, help with house chores, take developmental classes and attend church as well as pay an amount to help cover utilities and other living costs. Grace Living Center is a non-profit organization.

Camp Aurora Summer 2022 Dates

Senior High Camp July 3rd—July 9th Junior High Camp July 10th—July 15th Junior Camp July 17th—July 22nd Primary Camp July 24th—July 27th

UCC Women's Guild Minutes of the April 20 2022 meeting

Opening Procedures

- Our April 20, 2022 meeting opened with prayer by Pamela Hill and part 2 of our Bible study in Lamentations conducted by Carole Barbour. Our lesson focused on the differences and similarities between personal and community lament. We closed the session by writing a community lament for Ukraine. 15 members were in attendance.
- Mary Ann Kueffer gave a most appropriate Thought for the Day, "Making Cookies", which stressed the point that we need to put in the work to reap the results we desire. She treated members to fresh, home-made chocolate chip cookies. (Actually, thanks, Lisa!)
- Members expressed blessings received from the Blessing Journal Challenge Pamela began in January.
- Benevolence opportunities for members include Salvation Army (Women's Guild), Habitat for Humanity (Church), and HALO House (Sunday School).
- Members had opportunity to contribute their offering.

Business Meeting

- Minutes: Motion by Lexi H., second by Phyllis M. to approve the March 16, 2022 minutes. MC
- **Financial Report:** Motion by Laura B., second by Carole B. to approve the financial report presented by Judy B. Motion carried. A detailed report is attached to the secretary's minutes.
- Celebration of Life Dinners: 50 people plus workers were served by Committee #1 to the Mary Lee Brizendine family and approximately 55 people were served by Committee #2 to the Charles Gabert family. Committee #1 will be responsible for the next meal. Guild will continue to use the radiating table arrangement with separate dessert and drink tables for their meals as this configuration cuts down on congestion around the kitchen and serving table and allows the family better space to visit and mingle.
- **BC Labels:** Mary B reported a total of 3375 Best Choice Labels at present.
- Card Ministry: Judy Burger had sent out 31 cards in April and asked for a review of the names on the list. After discussion the list was revised as needed. Members signed 28 cards for the upcoming month.

 Correspondence included Thank You notes from the following: World Day of Prayer, MCMC, Mary Lee Brizendine's family, Cherie McConachie and the Charles Gabert Family, Gary and Evelyn Wingate for Charles Gabert and Doris Wittenberger.

Old Business

- Pamela reported on the March 27th cabinet meeting. The groups had interesting plans and some new ideas.
- The Confirmation Reception on April 6th was well attended by a good crowd. They and the confirmands expressed appreciation and pleasure with the reception and celebration. Guild members plan to continue supporting this important event in coming years and to include everyone who wishes to attend.

New Business

- Family Night is April 24. Brotherhood is sponsoring this event but would like some help with prizes for Bingo. Motion by Clarice N., second by Barbara W to provide two \$25 prizes for blackout games. Motion carried.
- Carole B, Pamela H, and Judy B will provide pies for Bingo prizes.
- Pamela H reviewed the information and invitation from the Lafayette area Women's Fellowship meeting. Currently, no one is planning to attend.
- Members are reminded that the ShareFest date this year is October 8, 2022. Kit drop-off time is 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.
- The Guild recommended we compile a checklist for kitchen use so that anyone using the kitchen would know exactly what to do to leave the kitchen in safe and sanitary order. The list will be printed, laminated, and posted in several spots in the kitchen.
- Important birthdays were recognized and congratulated! Birthday Blessings to Carole Barbour (April 15), Mary Burger (April 16), and Linda Schnieders (April 30).

Closing

Members joined in expressing their joys and concerns for family, friends, and current events in the world. This is such a valuable time of sharing for all of us. Carmen Ferris closed with prayer, and a lovely array of refreshments was served by hostesses Barbara Weis and Phyllis Miller.

Clarice Nelson, Secretary

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2022 HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS!

Aidan Bolinger Kolten Fulks Zac Gabert



Rylee Hees
Calen Kruger
Weston Peters
Drake Schlup



From the family of Charlie Gabert ~ Thank you so much for the lovely flowers for our Dad's memorial service. We appreciate the thoughtfulness in helping us honor Dad's memory.

Cherie McConachie, Charla Gabert & Family



Thank you for the beautiful cut flowers, prayers and visits during Mary's illness. Your kindness was greatly appreciated.

~The Family of Mary Lee Brizendine

Summer 2022 Schedule Lake Area Community Orchestra

Tuesday, May 31	St. Michael's Catholic Church,
sellville	Hatler St., Rus-
Tuesday, June 7	Ha Ha Tonka State Park, Route D, Camdenton
Tuesday, June 14	Eldon Air Park, Eldon
•	(First Baptist Church Rain Location)
Tuesday, June 21	West Lake Christian Church, Route O, Laurie
Tuesday, June 28	California United Church of Christ,
, ,	101 N Oak, California
Tuesday, July 12	Hope Lutheran Church, Senior Center,
,,	Osage Beach Parkway, Osage Beach
Tuesday, July 19	First Christian Church, East Capitol Ave.,
•	Jefferson City
Tuesday, July 26	Versailles Royal Theatre, Versailles
Tuesday, August 2	Lake Ozark Christian Church,
, , ,	Bus 54 Lake Ozark

All Concerts begin at 7:00 pm. There is no admission charge.
Free will donations are welcome.
Bring a chair to Ha Ha Tonka and Eldon Air Park.

2022 R.O.K. / GOD'S SINGERS SPRING SCHEDULE 6:30 p.m. to 6:50 p.m.

May 4th: God's Singers May 11th: God's Singers

May 15th: Sing in Worship



From the E&R Herald (The Tidings), April/May 1958

Hard work: An accumulation of easy things you didn't do when you should have.

United Church of Christ

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	7:00 PM Sunday School Teachers & Officers	9:00 AM Prayer Cell 1:00 PM Women's Bible Class
8 Mother's Day 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	9 6:00 PM Consistory	1 0 9:00 AM Prayer Cell 1:00 PM Women's Bible Class
9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	16	9:00 AM Prayer Cell 1:00 PM Women's Bible Class
High School Senior Recognition Sunday 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship	23 7:00 PM Men's Brotherhood	9:00 AM Prayer Cell 1:00 PM Women's Bible Class
9:30 AM Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship 6:00 PM Memorial Service - Evangelical Cemetery	3 () Memorial Day - Office Closed	31 9:00 AM Prayer Cell 1:00 PM Women's Bible Class

May 2022

	2022		
Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4 6:30 PM Bell Choir / God's Singers 7:30 PM Sr. Choir	5	6	
11 6:30 PM Bell Choir / God's Singers 7:30 PM Sr. Choir	12	13	14
1:00 PM Women's Guild 6:30 PM Bell Choir 7:30 PM Sr. Choir	19	20	21
25 7:30 PM Sr. Choir	26	27	28

Sunday School Teachers & Officers April 4, 2022

Judy Burger called meeting to order at 7:02 PM. Those present were Lauren Lawson, Carole Barbour, Steven Burger, Roberta Spieler, Carla Clennin, Cinda Scheidt, Larry Rohrbach, Cressida Gattermeir, Ronda Mortenson, Courtney Cassil, and Rev. Russell Cobb. Pastor Russ opened the meeting with a prayer.

Carla read the March meeting, Cinda made a motion to accept the March meeting minutes, with correction to add Roberta Spieler and Cinda Scheidt as present. Roberta seconded. Motion carried. Cinda noted that our December check for Show Me Christian Youth Home has not been cashed, Rev. Cobb will call to check on the status of the outstanding check. Larry made a motion to accept the March treasurer's report as presented. Steven seconded the motion. Motion carried.

April local benevolence offering will be HALO House. For homeless children in Jefferson City, HALO represents far more than food and shelter. It represents the day their entire life changed. At the JC HALO Girls Home, our doors and hearts are open to pregnant, parenting, and non-parenting girls ages 16-21, and their children, who are in homeless or high-risk situations. Providing the foundation of a family means we not only give homeless kids a safe place to sleep. HALO holds the potential for a total reversal of fortune, because the homeless children and teens we work with don't just exceed expectations, they defy the odds.

Old Business:

Carole handed out a copy of the letter that will be sent out to new members inviting them to Sunday School. Additional items needed: a relocation of Sunday School (SS) opening, and location of classes, Carole will look on website to add information on what each SS class has to offer.

Camp Aurora - Carole is doing a great job in promoting church camp. Rev. Cobb asked if a flier should be mailed out to all our youth. After a discussion it was decided that Carole would add where to find camp registration forms.

Courtney said the Palms have been ordered and will be available Sunday morning. Easter breakfast will be paid by the church. Rally Day is set for Sunday, August 21 during Sunday School. We discussed not having classes or taking refreshment back to class. Due to <a href="https://doi.org/10.1007/jhearth-10.1007/jhearth

Summer Curriculum – Adult Class and Youth class will begin with Chapter 14 of <u>The Story</u> on June 5th. PreK-2nd grade will continue with the current curriculum. If anyone needs a copy of <u>The Story</u> let Judy or Laura Burger know, so it can be ordered.

New Business:

We discussed on where to promote SS class highlights; Rev. Cobb suggested either once a month/quarter during church announcements, or in the Tidings. No decision was made.

Ronda will be having another Veggie Tales about Queen Esther on Saturday, May 7. More information to follow. Several suggestions were given to Ronda on how to promote.

Pastor Russ gave some updates – Brotherhood is sponsoring a Family Night, Sunday, April 24 with pot- luck supper at 6:00 PM followed by entertainment by God's Singer and Bingo. All are welcome. Andy Burger and Ronda will be working on moving the Pastor pictures from main hallway to down the South hallway by the church offices. To make room for a banner. Lip Balm will be given out at Easter to all those attending church.

An anonymous donation of \$1500 was given for three SS classrooms; 1st/2nd grade, 3rd/4th grade and 8th grade rooms. These teachers can spend the funds making enhancements to their rooms. These teachers will bring in their receipts to Cinda who will be tracking this money separately on the monthly Treasurer report. If the \$500 for each classroom is not spent after a year, the remaining funds will be moved into the Sunday School account for usage. Steven made a motion to accept this donation with the stipulations made by the donor. Roberta seconded. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 7:47 PM, Next meeting will be May 2, 2022 at 7 PM Respectfully submitted, Carla Clennin 2nd Superintendent

SUNDAY SCHOOL IS IN THE MINISTRY OF TRANSFORMING LIVES!





UCC Brotherhood Minutes – Monday, April 25, 2022

The Brotherhood met at 7:00 p.m., April 25th for a regular meeting.

Refreshments - The evening began with delicious food provided by Bob and Mary Ann Kueffer.

Program - Captain Justin Wendell from the Jefferson City Salvation Army presented the program.

He covered the various services they offer, with a 31 bed shelter being a major service. Normal stay in the shelter is 90 days, during which goals are established followed by progress toward the goal of independent living. He mentioned that a grant has been requested to modernize the shelter, including establishing 4 family units and making better use of current building space for social services and their monthly food pantry.

Other services include emergency cots for use during extreme weather and other extraordinary circumstances, an afterschool youth program, a summertime youth camping program, a program to help people needing rental assistance to prevent them from being homeless, a thrift store, etc.

When asked about how contributions are used, Captain Justin said 90 cents of every dollar given to them stays local. He also mentioned that for a number of years the Jefferson City Salvation Army was coordinated with the Columbia location. However, that will change soon and Jefferson City will be independent; a change that he believed would be positive.

When asked what happens when someone checks into their shelter, he said the first things were laundry and showering. Their traditional (perhaps unofficial) motto was Soup, Soap and Salvation.

Business Meeting - President Abe Rohrbach called the business meeting to order. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved as read. Treasurer Tony Barry reported a balance of \$1463.17.

Comments were made of the success of the Brotherhood sponsored church family night the previous evening, with an estimated 135 or 140 people in attendance.

Steven Burger announced that the Parking Lot Ministry (clean up) would take place at 8:00 a.m. May 7th.

The request to fry fish for the last night of Vacation Bible School was agreed to, as was the request by the Worship Committee to provide special music in church on June 12th.

Larry Rohrbach volunteered to provide refreshments at our next meeting on May 23rd. David Meyer volunteered to have the devotion at our September meeting and Steven Burger volunteered to have refreshments at our October meeting.

Devotion - Following adjournment, Abe Rohrbach shared a brief devotion followed by singing "How Firm a Foundation".

Submitted by Larry Rohrbach

MOTHERS OF THE BIBLE					
(choose your answer from the names below)					
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A.	Jesus' mom				
B.	Mom who saved her son by putting him in a basket on water				
C.	John the Baptist's mom				
D	John the Baptist's mom Jacob's wives, mom of Joseph				
E.	Mom who took a long boat trip				
F	Mom who lost a son during "original Passover"				
G	Samuel's mom who dedicated him to the Lord				
Η.	Jacob & Esau's mom—her favorite was Jacob				
I	Mom of Cain, Abel, and Seth				
J	Mom of Cain, Abel, and Seth Mom who asked Jesus for favor				
K	Mom who told her husband to "curse God & die"				
L.	David's wife, & mom of Solomon				
M	Timothy's mom & grandmother				
N	Timothy's mom & grandmother Abraham's wife—(mom at 100 years of age)				
O	O. Ancestor mom of Jesus				
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1. Sara	ah	6. Ruth	11. Leah & Rachel		
2. Bathsheba		7. Mary	12 Pharoah's wife		
3. Eunice & Lois		8. Elizabeth	13. Moses' mom		
4. Job's wife		9. Rebecca	14. Noah's wife		
5. Han		10. James &	15. Eve		
John's mom					

Answers to Mothers of the Bible Quiz

A. 7, B. 13, C. 8, D. 11, E. 14, F. 12, G. 5, H. 9, I. 15, J. 10, K. 4, L. 2, M. 3, N. 1, O. 6

How to Plant Your Garden First, you come to the garden alone, while the dew is still on the roses.



FOR THE GARDEN OF YOUR DAILY LIVING plant three rows of peas:

- 1. Peace of mind
- 2. Peace of heart
- 3. Peace of soul

plant four rows of squash:

1. Squash gossip

2. Squash indifference

3. Squash grumbling

4. Squash selfishness

plant four rows of lettuce:

1. Lettuce be faithful

2. Lettuce be kind

3. Lettuce be patient

- 4. Lettuce really love one
 - another

No garden is without turnips:

1. Turnip for meetings

- 2. Turnip for service
- 3. Turnip to help one another

To conclude our garden, we must have thyme:

- 1. Thyme for each other
- 2. Thyme for family
- 3. Thyme for friends

Add a row of Glads to this garden:

- 1. Glad to live in a free country 2. Glad to have good friends
- 3. Glad to be able to worship God 4. Glad to have a great family.

Water freely with patience and cultivate with love. There is much fruit in your Garden because YOU reap what you sow.



Acolytes

- 01 Caleb Howard & Carson Kruger
- 08 Hunter Hall & Byrnna Hall
- 15 Ella Burger & Royce Everett
- 22 Emily Burger & Sophie Miller
- 29 Hazel Wolford & Meredith Wolford

Lay Readers

- 01 Mary Burger
- 08 Carole Barbour
- 15 Becky Schneider
- 22 Grace Dampf
- 29 Susan Burger



Children's Time

- 01 Jo Ann Cantriel
- 08 Puppets
- 15 Kendra Hall
- 22 Carla Clennin
- 29 Pastor Russ

Nursery Volunteers

- 01 Staci Nichols
- 08 Betty Cobb
- 15 Maggie Morris
- 22 Julie Medlin
- 29 Courtney Cassil



May Choir Schedule

- 01 Sr. Choir
- 08 Sr. Choir
- 15 God's Singers
- 22 Bell Choir
- 29 Sr. Choir

June

05 Sr. Choir (Pentecost)

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Text Registration Code – UCOC to 49775

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There is an Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meeting at the Annunciation Catholic Church, 414 Patrick St., on Mondays at 8 p.m. Contact number: 660-621-2271.

Giving Made Easy Online giving is available!

Follow the E-Giving link on our website: calmo-ucc.org to give today or set recurring gifts

Note: Sunday School offering can now be done through EasyTithe.

For your viewing and listening opportunities of the weekly worship services, there are two ways of being part of the weekly services. You may request a cd or dvd from the church office. Please let Renée know if you are interested in obtaining one of these versions of the worship service. (796-4885)

Notes & News

A Time of Hope

8:15 a.m. Sunday KRLL Radio ~1420 AM

Please continue to save the Best Choice label bar codes for the SHAREFEST Gathering



www.calmo-ucc.org



MONITEAU CHRISTIAN MINISTRIES CENTER

Please save your extra plastic shopping bags to use at the Food Bank.

Drop your bags off at the church. Thanks!

USED TONER & INK CARTRIDGES

<u>Please</u> save all of your used toner and ink cartridges! The church office collects used toner and ink cartridges in order to get a \$2 In-store credit per cartridge at Staples toward purchases of office supplies. Please turn in your cartridges to the church office. Thanks!

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Or: Go to youtube.com & search

Women's Bible Study
Led by Kathy Grant
Every Tuesday
1 p.m. to 3 p.m.
Meeting Room - Join us!

May Birthdays

- 03 Elaine Proctor
- 03 Lisa Wilson
- 03 Betty Cobb
- 03 Chris Graves
- 03 Sherrell Jamison
- 04 Royce Everett
- 05 Kole Ingram
- 06 Bryson Coale
- 07 Shane Marrett
- 09 Courtland Gerhart
- 10 Fred Barry
- 10 Aidan Bolinger
- 11 Brooks Nichols
- 12 Robin Ratcliff
- 12 Taylor Porter
- 13 Merle Thompson
- 13 Jacob Kueffer
- 14 Jo Ann Cantriel
- 14 Barbara Pearson
- 15 Loryn Reed
- 15 Carleigh Lutz
- 16 Gerri Howard
- 16 Phyllis Miller
- 17 Caitlin Deeken Phoenix
- 17 Kalyn Carlock
- 17 Brenyn Robertson
- 17 Ronnie Kissick
- 18 Kermit Rohrbach
- 18 David Burger
- 19 Diane Jobe
- 20 Amelia Motley
- 20 Steven McDaniel
- 20 Jay Bestgen

- 21 Carrie Marrett
- 22 Leslie Markovchick
- 22 Blake Howard
- 23 Cressida Gattermeir
- 24 Jessica Hayes
- 24 Kimberly Hanauer
- 25 Courtney Hees
- 25 Allee Koestner



- 27 Ashton Bolinger
- 28 Calhan Smith
- 28 David Barry
- 28 Emelia Reed
- 28 Maddie Sedgwick
- 28 Weston Peters
- 29 Rosa Wilder
- 30 Janice Anderson
- 30 Norman Rohrbach
- 31 Pamela Hill
- 31 Harrison Green
- 31 Dean Kiesling



The older I get, the better
I used to be.

May Baptisms

Janice Anderson—May, 1959
Judy Barbour—May 11, 1941
Sarah Bryant—May 10, 1998
Jackson Cassil—May 15, 2005
Hannah Clutter—May 12, 1996
Bill Crane—May 14, 1950
Melanie Fisher—May 5, 1990
Andrew Graves—May 6, 1961
Kent Hees—May 18, 1980
Cathy Hickman—May, 1975
Kueffer Koestner—May 12, 2002



Sue Latham—May 25, 1947 Alexx Lewis—May 26, 1996 Jacqueline Lynch—May 3, 1936 Harley McDaniel—May 6, 1934 Bruce Miller—May 1, 2016 Max Robertson—May 13, 2015 D.J. Schneider—May 29, 2005

Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, we have been received into the family of Jesus Christ through the sacrament of Baptism.

The Tidings

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