

| UPPER ROOM PRAYER MINISTERS TODAY | |
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| MorningSong: | Ellen Clark and Doris Ann Gray |
| Traditional Service: | Phillip and Angela Mathis |

SPR Committee Members are requested to attend a short meeting today, immediately after worship service (12:05 p.m.) in the Fellowship Hall. Thank you!

| PRAYER REQUESTS | | |
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| Frances Austin | Lucy Krull | Rachell Ruppe |
| Earl Beckett | Nancy Lindsey | Forrest Scott |
| Gary Bilderback | Peggy Massey | Adeline Shankle |
| Gary Cranford | Edith McBride | Sonny Sherrod |
| Rain Critz | Phyllis McIntosh | Bill Simonton |
| Joe Daniels | Walter McIntosh | Chad Stafford |
| Shannon Daniels | Mike Neal | Sam Stitt |
| Betty Ferris | Kerry Overton | Leslie Trumbo |
| Ruth Glass | Charlie Peeler | Annie Laurie Wrather |
| Bruce Gray | Russell Phelps | Franklin Yarbro |
| Susan Huffman | Family of Annice | |
| Doris Jackson | Pressley | |

Youth GOOSE Night - "Going Out On Sunday Evening" is tonight for the Youth. They'll visit Elizabeth Bryant to wish her a Happy 104 Birthday, and play Disc Golf at Ripley Park. Youth leave the Church at 4:30 p.m. and return 7:15 p.m. **Please Note the Time Change.**

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDIES - We'll have a Fellowship Supper on September 4th to kick off our next session of Wednesday night Bible studies. The dinner will be prepared by Mike and Alice Morrison and is at 5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Bible studies will follow at 6:00 p.m...

Adult - *"Back to Zero, The Search to Rediscover the Methodist Movement"* led by Rev. Tim Carpenter in the Fellowship Hall. Study guide and book are \$10.00.


Youth - A video study by Francis Chan entitled *"Courage"*. Explore the courage Youth take to stand-up for their religion.

Children - The children's study this session is *"13 Very Big Mistakes, and What God Did About Them"*. They'll learn how Adam and Eve, Jonah, and other Bible characters stepped away from God and straight into big trouble.

| CALENDAR AUGUST 18 - AUGUST 24, 2013 | |
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| Sunday, August 18, 2013 | |
| 8:30 a.m. | Morning Song Service |
| 9:45 a.m. | Sunday School - Educational Building |
| 11:00 a.m. | Traditional Service |
| 12:05 a.m. | SPR Committee Meeting - Fellowship Hall |
| 1:00 p.m. | Delayed broadcast of Traditional Worship service on KBJ, Ch. 5 in county and Ch. 19 in city |
| 4:30 p.m. | Youth, GOOSE Night...Disc Golf - Ripley |
| Tuesday, August 20, 2013 | |
| 7:00 p.m. | Trustee Meeting - New Beginnings Classroom |
| Wednesday, August 21, 2013 | |
| 5:00 p.m. | Praise Band Rehearsal - Friendship Classroom |
| 6:00 p.m. | Prayer Shawl - Go Classroom |
| 6:00 p.m. | Building Committee Meeting - Fellowship Hall |
| 7:00 p.m. | Choir Practice |
| Thursday, August 22, 2013 | |
| 7:00 a.m. | Men's Prayer Breakfast - Fellowship Hall |
| 1-3:00 p.m. | Altar Guild |
| Saturday, August 24, 2013 | |
| 9:00 a.m. | Food Pantry, Trust Co. Bank - Brighton |
| 3-5:00 p.m. | Evelyn Chapman's 90th Birthday Celebration - Fellowship Hall |

YOU ARE INVITED - Join Evelyn Chapman's family as they celebrate Evelyn's 90th birthday at a reception on Saturday, August 24, from 3 - 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

COUNSELING CENTER - Our Christian Counseling Center is available to individuals or couples. To make an appointment call Faye Beckett at 476-9694 ext. 19 or Cindy Pease at ext. 18.

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|  <p>Bread for the Journey Daily Readings and Prayers on the Revised Common Lectionary</p> | <p>Our daily devotional resource will help you apply scripture to your daily life. Available each Sunday in worship by request from any usher.</p> |
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Each Sunday, Nursery Service is available for children birth to 3 years of age in the lower level of the Education Building, room 102, during Traditional service; and upstairs at the Chamber Center during MorningSong service.




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Today's theme for scripture and sermon

Bulletin for
AUGUST 18, 2013
13TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
The liturgical color for the season of Pentecost is red, signifying the flame and power of the Holy Spirit.

 Please mute your cell phone during worship



8:30 a.m.
Contemporary
Service

*—Denotes to please stand as you are able.

GREETING Tim Carpenter

*OPENING PRAISE SONG Praise Band
Bonnie Wright, Music Director
"Light the Fire Again"

WELCOME / PASSING OF PEACE

WORD OF WITNESS Russell Lindsey

PREPARATION SONG
"Refiners Fire"

SCRIPTURE READING Brooke Shipley
Isaiah 5:1-7
Hebrews 11:29-12:2

JOYS AND CONCERNS Tim Carpenter

PRAYER SONG
"I'm Falling on My Knees"

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CHURCH INVITATION (Pre K to 2nd grade)


OFFERING AND SPECIAL MUSIC
"Hosanna"

*SCRIPTURE READING Tim Carpenter
Luke 12:42-50

SERMON "Where There's Smoke..." Tim Carpenter

*CLOSING SONG
"Lord, I Lift Your Name On High"

BENEDICTION



11:00 a.m.
Traditional
Service

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WELCOME Tim Carpenter

PRELUDE Justin Hanson, Organ
"O For A Thousand Tongues to Sing" (arr. Glaser)

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Choir
"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

*HYMN OF PRAISE 578 UMH (screen)
"God of Love and God of Power" (all stanzas)

*APOSTLE'S CREED 881 UMH (screen)

*GLORIA PATRI

WORD OF WITNESS Russell Lindsey

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Hebrews 11:29-12:2

OFFERING PRAYER Tim Carpenter

OFFERTORY Choir
Bonnie Wright, Music Director
"Ain't That Good News" (arr. Dilworth)

*HYMN OF PREPORATION 710 UHM
"Faith of Our Fathers" (all stanzas)

*DOXOLOGY

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*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 206 UMH (screen)
"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE Choir
"Give Thanks"

POSTLUDE Justin Hanson, Organ
"Recessional on 'The Old 100th'" (arr. Arison)

Sermon Notes

"Where There's Smoke..."

Jesus warns about a fire that he is going to start. An act of h_____ a_____

People hoped for Messiah who would bring a return to glory days of Israel.

Jesus tells the people to get ready for coming of the Master. But there will be judgment for those not found faithful.

Old Testament spoke of God's fire related to his word.

Jeremiah 23:29-29, Isaiah 6:6-8, Deuteronomy 4:23-24, 1 Kings 18

Characteristics of God's Fire and God's Word

Destroys T_____ T_____

Notes:

Refines D_____ T_____

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