

June 5-6, 2010

WELCOME

**Welcome to St. Peter's United Church of Christ. If you have no church home, we hope you will consider St. Peter's UCC as that place. Whether guest or member, please make your presence known by signing the Friendship Register in the pews or complete the pew card and greet those near you.**

**Our prayer chapel is open following this service and daily from 9-4 for personal meditation and communion. It is located off the second floor elevator. Summer Sunday school/musical practice for children and youth begins after the Children's moment in the auditorium. Adult Sunday school is 9 AM on Sundays. Child care is offered during the 10 AM service.**

This week at St. Peter's:

Sunday	9:00	Adult Bible study (lectionary-based)
	9:15	Rainbow Bell Choir rehearsal
	9:20	Coffee hour in auditorium
	10:00	Worship & Summer Sunday school/musical introduction (auditorium)
	11:00	Coffee hour in auditorium
		Food Pantry Drive & Aluminum Drive
	6:30-8:30	Youth Group for Grades 7-12
Monday	9:00	Retired Men's Group - Cowan's Restaurant
	6:00	AA
	6:30	Quilting
Tuesday	1:30	Stewardship Board meeting
	6:30	Cemetery Board meeting <b>at the Cemetery</b>
	6:30	Council Planning
	7:00	Council and others: workshop for ministry teams – dining room
	7:00	Eastern Association Council – atrium meeting room
Wednesday	9:00	Quilting
	6:00	AA
Thursday	8:30	Women's Fellowship Breakfast at Grand Avenue pavilion
	6:00	Wedding rehearsal
	6:00	AA
	7:00	Mental Illness Support Group
Saturday	8-10	Breakfast at Miller's Grill
	2:00	Wedding
	5:00	Worship
Sunday	9:00	Adult Bible study (lectionary-based)
	9:20	Coffee hour in auditorium
	10:00	Worship (Family Sunday)
	11:00	Coffee hour in auditorium
	11:15-12:15	Meeting for parents of 3 <sup>rd</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> graders with Pastor Leah
	5:30	Potluck meal with Bike and Build Group – dining room

**St. Peter's Church breakfast at Miller's Grill** June 12, 8-10 AM, \$5 in advance (from Cecil Blankenship, Phil Butler, Kaye Nurnberger, Tom Hogan, Joyce Sanfilippo or the church office) or \$6 at the door. Proceeds will benefit the atrium fund. If you'd like to help, please contact Kaye Nurnberger.

The **Women's Fellowship** will meet Thurs., June 10<sup>th</sup>, 8:30, with breakfast at the west pavilion on Grand Avenue by Lion's Lake. Breakfast and juice will be furnished. Bring your own coffee and a lawn chair if you prefer. Bingo will be played so attendees are asked to bring a new \$3 wrapped prize. In case of inclement weather, we will meet at the church. See you there.

A **big thank you to the 35 landscape team members** who braved the elements once again to spruce up our gardens. Thank you to the kitchen crew—Marion, Laura, Doris and Delores—for having a wonderful supper ready for us afterwards. Great job everyone!

**2011 Ministry Team Workshop** this Tues. June 8, 7 PM dining room. Help St. Peter's be a Spiritually-Engaged Church by working with the council and envisioning a wide variety of possibly ministry teams (formerly committees) for next year. Contact Pastor Paul to share your ideas and COME!

We are looking for **30 volunteers** to staff a souvenir booth at the Washington Town & Country Fair August 4-8. Please contact Pat Hartzell. Proceeds go to atrium debt retirement.

**Summer Sunday school volunteers are needed!** Sign-up poster located in the atrium. If your Sunday is a musical practice Sunday, no curriculum will be needed – just your willingness to help with crowd control and elements where needed (no musical ability necessary). Thank you, Board of Christian Education

**Summer Musical Practice** begins June 6<sup>th</sup> during Summer Sunday school. Come join us to see what we'll be doing!

There will be a **Vacation Bible School Planning Meeting** in the church dining room on Wednesday, June 9th at 6:30 PM to discuss decorating ideas, etc. Our VBS theme this year is "Galactic Blast", so we will be decorating for an outer space theme. Volunteers and ideas are needed! If you think you can help, or have some ideas, please come!

Sunday evening, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 5:30, **potluck and fellowship** with a group of young adults riding across the country to raise awareness for affordable housing. Main course provided. Please sign friendship register if you plan to attend with the number attending and whether you can bring a "side" or "dessert" item. **"Bike and Build"** members will share a short, after-meal presentation about their mission and trip thus far. A nice donation to Franklin County's Habitat for Humanity program.

**Members and guests.** Copies of the June edition of the "St. Peter's Messenger" newsletter are located in the atrium and south entranceway, or visit [www.stpeters-washington.org](http://www.stpeters-washington.org) to view it online.

The **Women's Fellowship is collecting postage stamps.** Tear off the part of the envelope with stamp and they will do the trimming. Collection box outside church office. Business owners are encouraged to save stamps, too.

**St. Peter's has begun its search for consistent childcare workers to staff our childcare room** on Sunday mornings and needed Wednesday evenings. If you would like to apply for this position, please contact the church office for a position description. If you do not wish to apply but would be willing to volunteer secondary coverage to help us meet Safe Church guidelines (two adult coverage), please write "childcare help" beside your name in the pew friendship register. Thank you for helping to provide a ministry of hospitality to young families and visitors of our church.

**Microphone missing** – if you know the whereabouts of a cordless microphone used in worship, please bring it to the office. It has a letter "A" on the back. It went missing May 16.

The **quilt** hanging in the atrium was pieced from donated blocks by Marilyn Sherman and Margaret Warren, quilted by the Quilters, and will be donated to Exceptional Equestrians as a fund raiser for scholarships.

**Thanks** to those who donated cell phones for my Girl Scout Project. You helped save precious animal habitats. Grace Koch

**Ice Cream Social:** St. John's UCC, High Hill, June 13, 4-7 PM

**Annual Chicken Dinner and Bazaar:** St. Thomas UCC, Chesterfield, June 13, 11:30-6.

**Annual Bar-B-Q:** Faith UCC, Wentzville, June 26, 11 AM-6 PM

**Missouri River Music Fest for Habitat for Humanity:** June 26, 2-10 PM, Washington Riverfront. Free admission (donations welcome) Good music, good eats, good drinks, good cause

**Grief Support Group:** sponsored by Heartland Hospice & Homestead at Hickory View, every Monday thru June 28, 1:30-3:30 PM at Homestead. Contact Heartland Hospice 390-4723. Seating is limited.

**Alzheimer's Association Support Group:** For caregivers and people with early memory loss at Homestead at Hickory View, Third Thursday of every month at 6 PM.

*For more information on these and other events, please remember to check the Market Street bulletin board every week.*