

“Redeemer”

First & Calvary Youth Choir 2009 Tour

May 31
St. John’s Chapel, UCC
Springfield, Missouri

June 7
First & Calvary Presbyterian Church
Springfield, Missouri

June 8
“Feed Our Kids” Ministry
Dallas, Texas

June 9
Carestone at Austin
Austin, Texas

June 11
Hearthstone at Windcrest
San Antonio, Texas



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Youth Choir

**First & Calvary Presbyterian Church
820 East Cherry
Springfield, Missouri**

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Presented by the First & Calvary Youth Choir

Narrators: Caitie Post, Sarah Berger, Amanda Trotter, Cassi Post
Where Shall I Go From Your Spirit – Potter

Skit: Ana Price, Kevin Madsen, Drew Young, Bryce Heffington
Order My Steps – Burleigh, arr. Schrader

Narrators: Kathryn Blakey, Christina Bumgarner, Hannah Correll
Praise You in This Storm – Herms & Hall, arr. Kingsmore
Soloists: May 31 – Julia Butler & Kailey Reynolds;
June 7 & Tour – Chris Plate & Valerie Tims

Narrators: Lee Chappell, Sally H'Doubler, J.D. Mahaffey
Skit: Ana Price, Bryce Heffington
The Lord is My Shepherd – Pote

Skit: Chris Plate, Ben Plate, J.D. Mahaffey, Hannah Adams, Christina Bumgarner, Madeline Cohn
He's Been Faithful – Cymbala
Soloists: Kevin Madsen & Lee Chappell

Service of Holy Communion (pages 9-10 of *Worship Resources* in pew rack.)

Narrators: Hannah Correll, Schae Letterman, Valerie Tims
Mountain Mover – Brady, Wood & Weeks, arr. Knight
Soloist: Alex Peebles

Narrators: Hannah Adams, Chris Plate, Mary Price, Mary Trotter
Redeemer – Coleman-Mullen, arr. Knight
Soloists: May 31 – Eva Holliday & Emily Haden
June 7 & Tour – Emily Haden

Narrators: Ben Plate, Ana Price, Kailey Reynolds
Father of Light – Courtney
Soloists: May 31 – Drew Young & Turner Brown
June 7 & Tour – Drew Young

Skit: Mary Price, Alex Peebles
Until We Fly Away – Lindsey & Thum, arr. Knight
Soloists: May 31 - Barrett Crosby & Caitlin Klopfenstein
June 7 & Tour – Mary Trotter & Caitlin Klopfenstein

Narrators: Madeline Cohn, Hannah Adams, Christina Bumgarner, J.D. Mahaffey
Eyes of Your Heart – Cloninger/Rhoades

Youth will have a brief meeting following church today.



It's camping time! If you've not been . . . try it, you'll like it! Camp Aurora all-church campout is June 26-28. Like swimming? How about volleyball? Maybe horseshoes? Don't forget good food, good fellowship, and quiet spiritual renewal in the heart of a natural wilderness. Three meals are provided on Saturday along with brunch on Sunday. **We ask that you please bring a dessert to share.** The registration form and more information will be in the June *Messenger*.

The Women's Guild will meet at Twin Oaks Country Club for a noon luncheon and fellowship on Thursday, June 11th. All women are invited to join us. Please call Jan Hale or Virginia Steury at 725-0886 by June 5th for reservations.

Summer Schedule Begins

Sunday, June 7 there will be no Sunday School and the kids will go to Children's Church.

Pastor Parish Relations Committee meets Thursday, June 4, at 6:30 p.m. Rather than after-church complaints in the parking, lot, staying away on Sundays, or nursing a negative attitude...guess what!!! You can share your comments, questions or concerns with members of the pastoral relations committee prior to their meeting on June 4. Feel free to contact Jack Gonzenbach, Tona Griggs, Chris Trumbull, Mary Lou Datema or Nancy Anderson.



Discernment Prayers for Our Church. The group meeting now, is presently learning about and doing Centering Prayer as its means of discerning the call of our congregation. Prayer time is on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at noon. The next prayer dates are June 9th and 23rd.

Board of Service Ministries meets Monday, June 1 at 7:00 pm



Women's Guild Prayer Shawl Ministry

Women's Guild is participating in the Prayer Shawl ministry. We invite anyone who can knit or crochet to join us. Your shawl will be given, with a blessing, to church members who need our love and support. There is a basket on the Narthex floor for donations of new yarn, a sample shawl, and instruction sheets.

Neighborhood Garden—Green Thumbs Needed There has been interest expressed in using part of the land in the back for a Neighborhood Garden. Please call the office if you would be interested in getting this ministry up and running.

Our Stewardship for Sunday, May 24, 2009

Sunday School	12	Offering	\$10.00
Worship	52	Offering	\$1031.00

Keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers

Members:

Nancy Anderson: doing great but has some swelling of her leg and feet. She sees her doctor Friday.

Alice Shoemaker: broke her wrist when she fell last week and is in considerable pain.

David Rahmoeller: Good News! He is doing very well and could be released this Friday or Saturday. Thank you for all your thoughts and prayers.

Norman Rahmoeller: Norman is at Springfield Rehab and Care Center, 2800 S. Fort. He is now in the care of Season's Hospice. Pastor Becky said she had a nice conversation with him Thursday.

Bob and Sue Davis: Bob reports that Sue, who is suffering from Alzheimer's, is doing better and her memory has improved.

Butch Stillman: has some numbness in his legs and could still use lots of prayers.

Karl Kruger: received a good report from his doctor. If you would like to visit Karl, please call before stopping by.

Sheldon Smith: is at The Neighborhood at Quail Creek, 1514 W Lark St, Room 682, Bed 2, 65810 . His nurse says he seems to be suffering from depression and is being moved to a room in the nursing center.

Judy Bartell & Cynthia Gromer's: mother, Georgia Zay has been moved back to a rest home and is now on hospice care, clearly near life's end. She no longer recognizes people.

Gert Klobuchar: is suffering from pneumonia and was hospitalized briefly this week but is home now.

Perdy Scafe: has been diagnosed with non-hodgkins lymphoma. She met with her doctor on Friday to discuss her course of treatment.

Ben Datema: broke his collarbone last Sunday. They are not sure if it will require surgery.

Family and Friends:

Peggy Gilbert: (Friend of Tona Griggs) is battling aggressive breast cancer.

Josephine Walker: (Jeanne Kruger's mother) is at Magnolia Square, Room 228, 502 W. Edgewood (65807).

Jeanette Jones: (Alice Shoemaker's sister) had surgery for colon cancer. She is now recuperating at her daughter's home in Topeka. The family thanks everyone for their prayers.

John Masters: suffered diabetic kidney failure but his kidney functions are returning and dialysis will not be necessary.

Kermit McCuiston: (Jamie Gromer's grandfather) has cancer.

Holly Francis: (Logan McCuiston's mother) has been diagnosed with cervical cancer. She is feeling better following a round of chemotherapy and is trying to stay positive. Holly could use help as a single mom.

Suane Sutherland: CloElla's sister, is battling continuing pain and disability as a result of years of Rheumatoid Arthritis but is feeling a little better now..

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*Christina Bumgarner

*Emily Haden

*Kevin Madsen

*Ana Price

*Mary Price

*Mary Trotter

*Drew Young

Kathryn Blakey

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Bryce Heffington

Valerie Tims

Hannah Adams

Lee Chappell

Madeline Cohn

Barrett Crosby

Betsy Fielder

Sally H'Doubler

Caitlin Klopfenstein

Schae Letterman

J.D. Mahaffey

Alex Peebles

Chris Plate

Lane Pybas

Turner Brown

Kailey Reynolds

Eva Holliday

Sarah Berger

Rachel Blakey

Julia Butler

Stephanie Fielder

Caitie Post

Cassie Post

Amanda Trotter

Ben Plate

*Seniors

Media Specialists

Mark Coble

Jared Hall

John Klopfenstein

Larry Quackenbush

Russ Weller

Trip Sponsors

Jim Davidson

Kristin Hall

Robert Fulp

Andy Peebles

Rob Howard, Youth Director

Teresa Brierly, Youth Choirs Assistant

Sheila Grisham Pippin, Director

Special Thanks to:

Parents of The Youth Choir

Debbie Rollinson, Queen of
Music Department





Sunday School — 9 AM

Worship — 10:30 AM

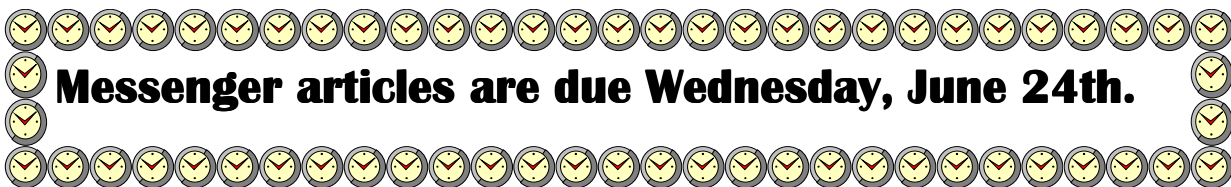
Pastor's Day Off — Friday

Secretary's Office Hours: 8:30 AM — 1:00 PM Monday -Friday

May 31, 2009

Steve Fortner will open the church in May.

- Today: Pentecost Sunday-Communion 10:30 am
- Last Sunday School till fall
- Youth meeting following church today
- Monday: Board of Service Ministries 7:00pm
- Wednesday: Grace and Weight 5:30 pm
- Thursday: Pastor Relations Meeting 6:30 pm
- Next Sun: Trinity Sunday 10:30 am
- Bring Crosslines Food
- Ozark Laity Cluster Meeting in Pierce City 4:00 pm



Messenger articles are due Wednesday, June 24th.

You, whether a member or guest, are an important and valuable part of this St. John's Chapel Community. Your participation in this worship service is a blessing. May you always know God's gift of unending love.

A nursery is available during worship for children up through three years of age. If you need help locating the nursery, please ask an usher.

Hearing-assistance devices are available for use during worship. If you would like to use one, please ask an usher to get one for you.

Summer Worship Services

The Worship Committee has decided to offer a summer worship style that will allow more time for singing hymns—sort of like what we do during Advent with our “Favorite Christmas Hymn Service.” So again you are asked to **submit some of your favorite hymns** to be included in these services. In addition to favorite traditional hymns, we are looking at scattering in some new hymns for us to learn. Children, youth and young adults who have favorites from the new hymns gaining popularity are asked to submit these. By doing this, we hope to meet the needs and desires of a wide age span. Would it be fair to only consider the desires of some and not others?

The kick-off date for these summer services is June 14, 2009. None of this is written in stone, we are still in the process of planning and designing the “Summer Order of Worship.” If you would like to submit ideas, suggestions or concerns, please do so in the “Suggestions for Church Project” box on the narthex table, under the bulletin board. Of course, all church members are always welcome to attend any committee meeting of the church. The next Worship Committee meeting is June 8th at 7:30 pm.

When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place.



Acts 2:1



New Arrivals

Jack & Vanessa Gonzenback are the proud grandparents of Macie Ava Ray born May 3.