

SUM-C *news*

Striving to Unify Multitudes in Christ

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER OF SCOTT
MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
OCTOBER 2015

Pastor's Corner

By Pastor Tom Snodgrass

As stated in The Book of Discipline, "The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. Local churches provide the most significant arena through which disciple-making occurs." We as a church are to accomplish the direct commissioning of all believers as set out in Matthew 28:19-20, through the unselfish application of Matthew 22:37-39, to the social and spiritual maladies of our time. This is accomplished by each and all who claim the encomium, which the name Christian offers, striving to achieve in spirit and practice the heart of the law stated in Deuteronomy 6:4ff, as enabled by the Gospel presence of the Holy Spirit. Here the Wesleyan system is most effective. As Chilcote adroitly states, "The Methodists rediscovered the power that is unleashed when the Spirit of God is channeled appropriately through structures and means. ----- (and) --- The Wesleys rediscovered this important spiritual law: the church needs enthused disciples."

Church Events

- Sunday School 9:30 am
- Worship Service 10:45 am
- Sat. Evening "Round the Tables" Service @ 7:00 pm
- Bible Study, Wed. 6:00 pm
- Choir Practice, Wed 7:30p
- SWAT, Thursdays 7:00 pm
- Ladies Fall Gathering
10/12 @ 6:00 pm
- Noisy Offering 10/18
- Bethany Circle 10/19 12p
- Mary Ruth Circle 10/20 12p
- Communion 10/25
- Jr. SWAT 10/26 6-8pm

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The primary task for the church (generally and pointedly for the UMC) is the same as it was when the words of the great commission were divinely proclaimed nearly 2000 years ago. We, the church, are to live our gift of faith as authentic disciples of Jesus Christ, and thus lovingly evangelize the humankind that we are providentially in the midst of. We are practicing self deception when we succumb to the placating theory that the era we are to evangelize in has a myriad of unique, nay insurmountable, barriers to the Gospel message. Not so. Every age has had its, so called, barriers. The Gospel is timeless in its breadth, depth, and power because it is based on the unsearchable love of our God, whose Trinitarian presence is not fully comprehensible. Our disciplined approach to the world in which we find ourselves must be as fresh and new as the preaching of Peter at Pentecost. We must never forget that it is not our work that we do. We are all servants of the most high God. He has promised, equipped and sent us. As expressed by Jared C. Wilson, "There is a crucial truth at work here, though – something we must remember at every point of our long journey of spiritual expectation and groaned-for deliverance. That truth is this: God keeps his promises in unexpected ways."

Blessings Pastor Tom

The Book of Discipline: 87, par.120.

Paul Wesley Chilcote, *Recapturing the Wesley's Vision* (Downers Grove, ILL: InterVarsity Press, 2004) 55.

Jared C. Wilson, *Your Jesus is Too Safe* (Grand Rapids, MI: Kregel Publications, 2009) 24.

Scott Women in Missions news:

As October soon approaches we are working on our "Fall Gathering" for ladies of the community churches on the 12th at 6:00 p.m. Please remember to sign up and check if you are willing to bring a salad for the luncheon. (Please being a friend!) It will be a blessed evening of fellowship, music, and worship!

Again we would like to thank everyone for their donations and help in our ministry with the funeral dinners.

All 173 cookbooks are sold and we thank you all for your support!

Scott Women In Mission -1 Peter 3:15

Preschool News

The students are doing a great job this year. Even though we have small classes, they are making new friends and are excited and eager to learn. During the month of September the children learned the Creation story and made '7 day bags'. They learned the letter M, A and L, numbers 1 and 2. They learned about apples and leaves and what happens in the fall. In October, we will talk about fire safety, carve open pumpkins and do some fall activities. School pictures are going to be on October 12 and 13- be sure to watch for these hanging up in the office towards the end of the month. We are taking a field trip on the 23rd to Hozaks Pumpkin Patch. We are off to a great start and are excited to see what the children learn during the year!

Celebrations

Birthdays:

3rd: Frances Howell, George Poole
6th: Ellen Yoho, Nellie Lishick, Clay Mattern
8th: Esther Ponzani, Theo Steele
10th: Bill Mann
12th: Gary Barker, Rupe Beetham
17th: Matt Kibble
18th: Valorie Fulton
19th: Kris Puskarich, Owen Beetham
20th: Richard Hasley
22nd: Haley Lynn Dunlap
23rd: Alyce Rothel
25th: Christopher Sansoucie
26th: Sharon Vargo
28th: Helen Kokovich
29th: Roy McCann
30th: Evelyn Giacobbi, Ken McCann

Sunday Morning Scriptures for October

Oct. 4 – Opening: Responsive Reading UMH
p. 819 – Psalm 99

Message: 2 Timothy 1:1-14

“I Know Whom I Have Believed”

Oct. 11 – Opening: Psalm 27

Message: Luke 17:11-19

“Where Are the Other Nine?”

Oct. 18 – Opening: 2 Timothy 3:16-17

Message: Philemon 6

Pastor Mark Smith bringing the message

Oct. 25 – Opening: John 18:4-11

Message: Zephaniah 3:1-9

“Humble Yourselves Before God”

Anniversaries:

10th: Jim & Donna Swansboro
14th: Art & Nan Mattern
15th: Gary & Darlene Howes
22nd: Alex & Nellie Lishick
28th: Scott & Carolyn Blackburn

Scott Church members would like to extend our sympathies to the families of Carl Sparling, John Vich, Gloria Richards and David Barker due to their recent passing.

Bob & Leoma Zimmerman’s grandson is battling Leukemia and loves to get cards. Here is the address:

SETH MAY
25322 72ND AVE.
LAWTON, MICHIGAN 49065

Ruth Cramblett would appreciate hearing from her Scott Church Family.

RUTH CRAMBLETT
C/O KAREN CULP
1067 STUMP RD
AKRON, OHIO 44319

Round Table Weekly Schedule for October

Oct. 3 – Mustard Seed and Leaven Faith

Luke 13:18-21

Oct. 10 – 10 Healed

Luke 17:11-19

Oct. 17 – “But They Were Furious”

Luke 6:6-10

Oct. 24 – Waiting at the Pool

John 9:1-7

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				<p><i>1</i></p> <p>SWAT 7pm</p> <p>PPR meeting 7:00 pm</p>	<p><i>2</i></p> <p>Gideon's 6:30am</p>	<p><i>3</i> Round the Table service @ 7 pm</p> <p>Drew Palmer Benefit 12-4</p>
<p><i>4</i> SS 9:30am</p> <p>Worship 10:45am</p>	<p><i>5</i></p> <p>Preschool board meeting 6:30 pm</p>	<p><i>6</i></p> <p>Trustee's meeting 7 pm</p>	<p><i>7</i> Bible Study 6 pm</p> <p>Choir practice 7:30pm</p>	<p><i>8</i></p> <p>SWAT 7pm</p>	<p><i>9</i></p> <p>Gideon's 6:30 am</p>	<p><i>10</i></p> <p>Round the Table service @ 7 pm</p>
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				<p><i>1 Lord God!</i> You have made the heavens and the earth.</p>	<p><i>2 There is nothing too hard for you.</i> Jeremiah 32:17</p>	<p><i>3 Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord. And whose hope is the Lord.</i></p>
<p><i>4 Lord Jesus, we pray for Scott UM Church. Pray the love of Jesus shows.</i></p>	<p><i>5 Praise the Lord who can heal and save.</i></p>	<p><i>6 Gracious Father, we pray for Pastor & Kathleen. May you have joy as you serve Jesus</i></p>	<p><i>7 Pray for the Mordicai Project in India.</i></p>	<p><i>8 Our Father, we pray for Mark, Christina & boys.</i> Matthew 20:20-28</p>	<p><i>9 Pray for Chosen People, taking the love of the Messiah to Jewish people</i></p>	<p><i>10 Father, we pray for the Food Pantry. May the spirit be fed by their love of Jesus.</i></p>
<p><i>11 Pray for the peace of Jerusalem. Pray for Benjamin Netanyahu.</i></p>	<p><i>12 Lord Jesus, we pray and thank you for Gideons, as they give out Bibles.</i></p>	<p><i>13 Lord, we pray for Hope White as she serves the mission field.</i></p>	<p><i>14 I will Praise you, O Lord with all my heart.</i></p>	<p><i>15 I will pray for SWAT and each child. Jesus loves the children.</i></p>	<p><i>16 Father, we pray for Promiseland Preschool, students & teachers.</i></p>	<p><i>17 Pray for National Security, Pres. Obama, wife and children.</i></p>
<p><i>18 Holy One, we pray for our military. May they feel the love of the Father.</i></p>	<p><i>19 Pray to have a loving and giving attitude toward everyone.</i></p>	<p><i>20 Pray for the American Center of Law & Justice.</i></p>	<p><i>21 Lord Jesus, we pray for the Ukraine people. Pray for grace.</i></p>	<p><i>22 Holy One, we pray for Mission Door, Aaron, Renay & children.</i></p>	<p><i>23 Jesus, we pray for Marc, Andrea Smith Family rescuing children in Thailand.</i></p>	<p><i>24 Father, we pray for World Challenge as they share the gospel & feed the poor.</i></p>
<p><i>25 Lord God, we pray for Harrison County & residents.</i></p>	<p><i>26 The Jordan River was the scene of Jesus' baptism.</i></p>	<p><i>27 The Jordan River is the place where Joshua crossed into promised land</i></p>	<p><i>28 The River Jordan is a major water source for drinking water & crops.</i></p>	<p><i>29 Praise & thank you Lord for SS, Bible Study, Women's groups, choir..</i></p>	<p><i>30 Pray be of good comfort, live in peace & the God of love & peace be with you.</i></p>	<p><i>31 Pray, read your Bible, draw near to God and He will draw near to you.</i></p>

We still have SUM-C T-Shirts for sale in the Narthex. The cost is \$10.00 each. The shirts are a great way to promote our church and “start a conversation” inviting others to attend.

Saturday, October 3 from 12 noon until 4 pm will be the benefit spaghetti dinner for Drew Palmer. It will be held at the EMS building. Drew is 7 years old and has a rare bone cancer, Ewing's Sarcoma.

He is from Cadiz and his parents are Elisha Palmer and Andrew Palmer. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for kids. All money will go for medical expenses.



Prayer Teams have are being formed. The focus of the teams is to pray daily for a given request that will be listed weekly in the bulletin.

Your only obligation is to sign up and pray! Forms are on the table in the Narthex, or you can call the office @ 740-942-2825 and asked to be put on a team. If you are unable to attend church and need your teams weekly request, call the church at the above number.

**SUM-C
ROUND TABLES
SATURDAY WORSHIP
7:00 P.M.**

“Come and enjoy worshipping in a casual setting, with much time to praise and talk about applying God’s precious Word to our lives and times.”

Former member, Frank Dowdle Jr. is a resident at the Chillicothe VA Hospital and would like to hear from you. His address is:

**Frank Dowdle Jr.
Building 210
c/o Chillicothe VA Medical Center
17273 Ste. Rte. 104
Chillicothe, Ohio 45601**

In the past, Frank was a member of this church, sang in the choir and filled in playing the organ/piano. He loves to receive mail and would appreciate hearing from Cadiz folks.

Ladies Fall Festival

Don't forget to sign up for the Fall Festival on October 12 @ 6:00 pm. It is open to all ladies of our church as well as other churches in the area. Entertainment and a light supper will be provided. Please call 740-942-2825 by October 1 to sign up.

HERE'S WHAT'S NEW IN SWAT

As the school year continues on, we're bringing in new kids all the time. We've also been able to connect some kids and their families into our Sunday service as well.

In the month ahead we'll be practicing a new drama to put on for you at the end of October. It's a very intense drama with high impact. The kids are enjoying working on it and I know they'll do a great job as always.

As I write this I'm preparing for our 3 year SWAT anniversary gathering. I tell you it's hard to believe all that's happened in the past three years. The services, concerts, outreaches, trips, etc... I'm very happy with what the Lord has done to grow these young people in the church and I'm even more happy for what the future holds. Blessings to you all in Jesus name!!!

**BUT THANKS
BE TO GOD FOR
HE GIVES US
THE VICTORY
THROUGH OUR
LORD JESUS
CHRIST!**

Ushers needed:

Any men or women willing to usher for a month is asked to sign the attendance pad and write "usher" or call 740-942-2825. We don't want to overlook anyone willing to serve.

Altar Flowers:

The October and November altar flower sheets are posted on the office door. Cost is \$20 payable to the church.

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