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June, 2011

Whiteland United Methodist Church

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JULY EVENTS

- * **Saturday, July 9**
UMW Ladies Day Out
 - * **Monday July 11, 7:00 pm**
Finance Committee (A)
July 11—14, 6:30—8:00 pm
Vacation Bible School
 - * **Thursday July 14, 7:00 pm**
Prayer Shawls (S)
 - * **July 17—23 Johnson County Fair**
 - * **July 18, 2:00-9:00 pm** WUMC to man the UMC tent at the fair
 - * **July 25, 7:00 pm**
Administrative Council (FH)
 - * **August 3, 6:30 pm**
UMW
- EVERY THURSDAY**
5:45 pm GAP at UTS
- EVERY SUNDAY**
9:00 am Sunday school
10:00 am Worship
11:00 am Children Sunday school
11:15 Worship at UTS
5:00 pm Christian Youth in Action (Grades 6—12)
5:00 pm UTS Praise Team



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☆☆ **To the Congregation of** ☆☆☆

☆☆ **Whiteland United Methodist Church:** ☆☆☆

☆☆ The Grace and Peace of our Lord Jesus Christ ☆☆☆

☆☆ be upon you! My family and I wish you and yours ☆☆☆

☆☆ a blessed and safe Independence Day! ☆☆☆

☆☆ In Christ, ☆☆☆

☆☆ Ed, Patty, Lindsey, Sarah Fisher ☆☆☆

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Independence Day Trivia & Facts An Inspired America:

- Thirty places nationwide with “liberty” in their name. Liberty, Missouri (26,232) boasts the highest population of the 30 at 26,232. Iowa has more of these places than any other state at four: Libertyville, New Liberty, North Liberty and West Liberty. There is a Liberty, IN that is south of Richmond.
- Eleven places have “independence” in their name. The most populous of these is Independence, Missouri, with 113,288 residents.
- Five places adopted the name “freedom.” Freedom, California, with 6,000 residents, has the largest population among these.
- There is one place named “patriot” — Patriot, Indiana, with a population of 209.





UMW Ladies Day Out

Saturday, July 9

We will meet at the church at 10:30 am to
carpool to Columbus, IN.

Lunch will be at Zaharako's!

Call Vicki Camden at 535-4731
with questions.

A Word from the Interchurch Food Pantry

Hello everyone,

To those of you that do not know me I am Elaine Maurer the new pantry manager of the Interchurch Food Pantry in Franklin. Thank you all for everything that you are able to do for the pantry; between all of your hard work we are able to help feed thousands of Johnson County residents.

We are extremely short on the plastic bags that we put our clients food into, if you could let the word get around your congregation that we are in need of plastic bags we would greatly appreciate it. I am here Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. if you have some donations of bags available. The pantry address is 2900 Graham Road Suite E Franklin, IN 46131. When you pull into the parking lot, drive around to the back and go into the door marked volunteers.

Thank you so much, and God Bless.

Elaine Maurer
Pantry Manager
Interchurch Food Pantry of Johnson County
P.O. Box 147
Whiteland, IN 46184
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JULY BIRTHDAYS & CELEBRATIONS

July 1	Brooke Fuentes
July 4	Independence Day
July 5	Pauline Dixon
July 6	Amanda Coleman
July 9	G.W. Mathews
	Mary Cravens
July 10	Stephanie Dix
July 14	Curtis Blackburn
July 15	John Haveman
July 16	Butch Zike
July 17	Joanna Brown
July 21	Dean Money
July 22	Dennis Clarkson
July 25	Todd Sappenfield
July 26	Ben-Kileen Winkler Anniversary
	Craig-Kathy Mitchell Anniversary
July 27	Iola Sandlin



Happy Birthday!
Happy Anniversary!

IU Health Offers Counseling on Southside!

Emily Voelker of the IU Health Buchanan Counseling Center will offer counseling sessions in the Greenwood UMC library on Wednesdays, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Emily has a Master's degree in Marriage & Family Therapy from Indiana Wesleyan University. She enjoys working with clients of all ages (2-100) and helping them reach their goals. To set an appointment or for more information call the Buchanan Office at 317-962-8613. The Buchanan Counseling Center accepts most insurance and also can work with you on a sliding fee scale. Greenwood UMC is located 1/2 mile South of the Greenwood Park Mall at:
525 N. Madison Avenue.

***Now the Lord is the Spirit,
and where the Spirit of the Lord is,
there is freedom.***

2 Corinthians 3:17

Mission Notes

Violet Money

July 2011 Drive for School Supplies

I know you are thinking it seems like school just let out for the summer. But in order to collect and distribute for the beginning of next school year, which starts in August, there will be containers during July in the Narthex and east side entrance for the following items:

These items are needed for each child in most grades.

Back Pack	2 Pencils
1 Pack of 24 Crayons	3 Pens
2 Glue Sticks	1 Pair Scissors
4 Spiral Notebooks	1 Art Box
4 Folders	Markers
1 Eraser bar	Highlighter
Colored Pencils	Index Cards
1 Pack Loose Leaf Paper	Red Pen

Current economic conditions are still affecting many families and your generosity will help students get off to a good start!

Whiteland Elementary School- 2011-12 Kindergarten Supply List

- ❖ 2 Boxes of 24 Crayons
- ❖ 1 10-pack of yellow #2 pencils
- ❖ Blunt-tip scissors (Fiskars For Kids or similar type)
- ❖ 6 solid glue sticks (more may be needed, teacher will let you know)
- ❖ Backpack / Tote bag – large enough to fit an 8½ x 10½ notebook;
No backpacks with rollers! Please have your child bring his or her backpack to school every day.
- ❖ 1 box of Kleenex
- ❖ 1 spiral ring notebook – 70 count and wide rule
- ❖ Boys: bring 1 container of wet wipes (Baby Wipes or Wet Ones)
- ❖ Girls: bring one 12 oz. bottle of hand sanitizer
- ❖ Boys: bring one package of 8 washable markers (thin or blunt tip)
- ❖ Girls: bring one package of baggies (gallon or sandwich size)

Program Planning Meeting

June 13th, 2011

7:00 pm

Those present were: Violet Money, Pauline Dixon, Susan Chandler, Linda Wuest, Lisa Campbell, Eric Bannister, Michelle Bannister, Merrill Eddy, Joe Wyatt, Christian Cruze, Kenneth Demaree, Becky Haveman and Barbara Demaree.

Meeting opened with prayer by Merrill.

Nurture UTS Concert on June 16th, Circle City Steel. Sunday June 19th, UTS will worship in church sanctuary while UTS receives a thorough cleaning by the ACT community. Working on preparing kits for those who come to the church needing help. Feeding large numbers of people on Thursday nights.

WUMC Rev. Gary Roberts will lead Worship on June 19th and Lisa Miller from Metro Ministries will speak on June 26th. July 3rd Pastor Ed Fisher will be leading us in worship.

The future Fall Bible or book study, Fall Retreat.

July 17th 9:30 am to 2 pm. at UTS Blood drive and Worship service.

Missions July will be collecting School supplies at both sites. Still looking into solutions for Benevolent Fund.

Children \$2339. was collected for Towards camp expenses and 2 other children have been offered the opportunity to go if they are able. VBS will be held on July 11 thru 14th, 6:30 pm to 8 pm. Ages 4 years thru 5th grade. Will need lots of helpers.

GAP Midnight Madness at Fair July 20th. Swim party/cookout TBA Fall Youth Rally Aug. 27th 5:30 pm at Indicoso Need drivers please.

Sept. 12th and Oct. 8th, youth will be available for yard work, Contact Susan Chandler.

Christians in Action(6th - 12th grade) Will be working the Fair tent July 18 2 pm-9 pm. Possibly will be a Summer trip.

Fellowship July 10th there will be a Picnic/Pitch-in place TBA Will also be a reception party for our new Pastor, Ed Fisher and his family.

Communications Sept. 11th there will be a Prayer Walk in Franklin. Pastor Ed has submitted material for bulletins covering the first 3 weeks of July. We strongly recommend that committees plan and schedule events in advance so we can publicize these events to our members as well as community.

Health and Welfare April and May, 5 Get Well cards, 2 crosses for Ray Brown family and Nancy Sink family and 49 prayer requests.

Day Care Friday August 5th, will be having a program in Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall from 6:30 pm to 9 pm.



Welcome to Pastor Ed Fisher and his family!

We've been praying for you all since we learned that you would be coming alongside us here in Whiteland, and we will continue to pray for you as you serve.

Here's the Fishers on moving day.

Left to right: Pastor Ed, Patty and daughters Lindsey and Sarah.

A.C.T. & Under the Son Sponsor Blood Drive



The A.C.T. Community and Under the Son are hosting a blood drive at Under the Sun Cafe' in memory of Collin Neese on Sunday July 17th from 9am-2pm. Collin is a child who lost his battle with serious illness several months ago. A.C.T. spent a Sunday working on his parents home. There will be music provided by several groups, including the UTS Praise Band and Frank Jonez. There will also be food and kids' activities. To schedule a time to donate blood, click on the link below (if you're reading this online) and enter 46184 as the zip code and July 17th as the date. You can also call or call 1-800-RED-CROSS and give them the zip code or mention Under the Sun Café and the date. Hope to see you there!

Direct link for registering:

[http://www.redcrossblood.org/make-donation?distance\[postal_code\]=46184&distance\[search_distance\]=10&distance\[search_units\]=mile&date\[min\]\[date\]=2011-07-17&date\[max\]\[date\]&field_sponsor_code_value](http://www.redcrossblood.org/make-donation?distance[postal_code]=46184&distance[search_distance]=10&distance[search_units]=mile&date[min][date]=2011-07-17&date[max][date]&field_sponsor_code_value)

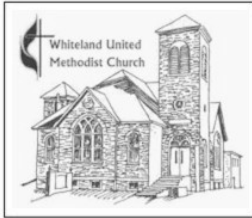
We will be looking for assistance with snacks, registration, helping with some games and activities, etc. too. As soon as we have the details of what we might help with from A.C.T. we'll let you know!

If you don't want to miss out on a worship gathering that day you can attend services at Whiteland UMC at 10am.

John Wesley's Words

During June, Under the Son Worshipers have been sharing some of John Wesley's best known words together during worship. Wesley, the founder of the Methodist movement led a life focused on meeting and preaching to common, everyday people and reminding the church that its focus IS drawing all people, regardless of their history and "station" in life, to Christ in love.

- "I continue to dream and pray about a revival of holiness in our day that moves forth in mission and creates authentic community in which each person can be Unleashed through the empowerment of the Spirit To fulfill God's creational intentions."
- "I observed, 'Love is the fulfilling of the law, the end of the commandment.' It is not only 'the first and great' command, but all the commandments in one. 'Whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, if there be any virtue, if there be any praise,' they are all comprised in this one word, love."
- "Would to God that all party names and Unscriptural phrases and forms which have divided the Christian world were forgot, and that we might sit down together as loving disciples and at the feet of our common master to hear his word, to abide in his spirit and to transcribe his life into our own."
- "Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can at all the times you can, to all the people you can as long as ever you can."



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July	3rd	10th	17th	24th	31st
GREETERS	Norma & Wayne Fansler	Sandy & Merrill Eddy	Ruth Kelsay and Glenna Harmon	Joan & Jack Privett	Barbara & Kenneth Demaree
USHERS	Steve Sowder Jerry Lasiter Glenn Haveman Clarence Money	Jack Privett Clarence Money Nolan Mitchell Dean Houseman	Clarence Money Wayne Fansler Merrill Eddy Jerry Lasiter	Steve Sowder Jerry Lasiter Clarence Money Kenneth Demaree	Dean Houseman Nolan Mitchell Clarence Money Kenneth Demaree

August	7th	14th	21st	28th
GREETERS	Michelle & Eric Banister	Wilma & Nolan Mitchell	Kathy & Dean Houseman	Violet & Clarence Money
USHERS	Steve Sowder Jerry Lasiter Dean Houseman Clarence Money	Glenn Haveman Jack Privett Kenneth Demarre Nolan Mitchell	Michelle Banister Kathy Houseman Violet Money Wilma Mitchell	Steve Sowder Jerry Lasiter Dean Houseman Kenneth Demaree