



First United Methodist Church

*We invite people into Christian community where they can become
deeply committed disciples of Jesus Christ*

Beacon

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Plymouth Oratorio Society



Performs in our sanctuary on Sunday, April 30, at 4:00 p.m.

Coronation Anthem #1

By G. F. Handel

Missa Brevis

By Alan Hovhaness

Coronation Mass

By W. A. Mozart

Robert Pratt, Conductor

Free Will Offering (suggested amount: \$10.00)

Membership Concerns

“Pray for one another” James 5:16

If one member suffers, all suffer together; if one member is honored, all rejoice together.”

I Corinthians 12:26

Members

Lyda Miehle, Mary Steel, Betty Austin, Charlotte Kime, Jean Fried, Erma Collins, Doug Boebinger, Marilyn Stevens

Extended Family

Sandy Wilson, *daughter of Cecile Wilson*
Yvonne Severance, *friend of Ethel Culver*
Ryan Michael Mullen, *grandson of Sharon Kaufman*
Lynda McIntosh, *daughter of Bonnie & Don Iler*
Jeff Quinn, *son-in-law of Don & Bonnie Iler*
John Duke, *husband of Virginia Duke*
Barbara Ciaglaski, *friend of Jan Groat*
Laurie Wenger, *sister of Don Klingler*
Gale Tomshany, *friend of the Overholt family*
Marilyn Smith, *friend of Ila Marsee*
Dave Little, *stepfather of Tammy Todd*
Tom Swiatkowski, *friend of the Saia family*
Monica Phillips, *friend of the Maseys*

Christian Sympathy is expressed to . . .

...Barb Stinebaugh and family on the death of her cousin, Ashley Dyer, in California.
...Bruce Christenson and family on the death of his father, Elmer Christenson, and his aunt, Ione Johnson.
...Amy Viergutz and family on the death of her grandfather, Matt Kandle, on March 24.
...Sue Lawrie and family on the death of her mother, Belle Calhoun, on April 3.
...Donna and Bill Boudreau and family on the death of their nephew, Bill Beckerman, on April 4.

We celebrate the births of . . .

...Aaron David Thomas, son of Debbie and Paul Thomas. Aaron's grandparents are Jill and Vic West.
...Braden William Hanosh, son of Ted and Stephanie Hanosh. Braden's grandmother is Diane Hanosh; his aunt and uncle are Barb and Andy Lehmann.
...Natalie D'Maria, daughter of Tabitha Quinn. Her grandparents are Jeff and Theresa Quinn and her great-grandparents are Don and Bonnie Iler.



Missionary Family and Military Family



Josh Nelson, Brandon Saleh,
Kevin Bowen, Ernie Krajewski,
Jeremy Belanger, Justin Skelly,
Jessica Skelly, Miles Simpson,
Russel McCallister,
Jeremy Thomas Jones, Ken Whittington,
David Bruch, Jeff Klein

Missionary Families

Kim & Paul McVety, Barbara Brooks,
Sarah & Kris Kappler, Heather Berlin

The **60 + Club** meets the 1st Monday of each month at noon for a catered luncheon-cost \$4.00 with a program following. Next meeting will be **Monday, May 1**. Reservations must be made by **Thursday, April 27**, prior to the meeting. For information call Alice Fisher at (734) 451-1023.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS



PLEASE CHANGE IN YOUR PHONE BOOK:
Jacqueline Daniel
24730 Gleneyrie Drive
Southfield, MI 48034-2852
248-356-3818

Gretchen Beems
13789 Emrick Drive
Plymouth, MI 48170-3096

Thank You!

We want to thank all of you for your prayers, letters, phone calls and kind words during the time that our grandson, Johnny, was going through his surgery and recovery. Johnny went through extensive surgery on February 28 for a severe skull fracture that he sustained from a fall into an open manhole near his home in Almaty, Kazakhstan where his parents are missionaries. The doctor said that a slight fraction of an inch more and the impact could have been fatal. Only the hand of God was between that little boy and death. He was flown back to Michigan and the surgery was at the University of Michigan, Mott Children's Hospital. His recovery has been miraculous and on March 26 the family arrived back in Kazakhstan. The whole process of getting Johnny back to the states, getting the right doctor and the wonderful care he received, is such a great testimony for the power of prayer. We thank you so much for all of those prayers.

Wes and Margie Kappler

Our First Church Family-

We wanted to express our thanks for the time and dedication that so many of you put into our wedding on March 4. We were truly blessed with the service of Patti in the front office; wedding hostesses Barb Stinebaugh and Erin Wines, sound & video technicians, custodian and Pastor Jeremy—whose words of the Lord and our love touched so many of our guests. The guests complimented on the service and warmth the church offered. We are so grateful and blessed. As we serve the Lord together. Brian and Lindsay Charlefour

I want to thank my church family for the constant prayers for my uncle, Vernard Lockwood. He is out of the hospital and seems to be recuperating quite well. The gift of your prayers are so very appreciated! Thanks again for all of your support, Sincerely,
Tammy and Gary Lockwood.

I greatly appreciate your thoughts and prayers after the death of my brother-in-law, Lynne Hamilton of Belleville.

Alice Arlen



CALLING ALL CAMPER!!!!

This summer's Family Campout is set for June 16—18 at Brighton Recreation Area—Bishop Lake. The cost for the weekend is \$42 plus your state park sticker. We have reserved several lots together so contact Jim and Linda Bynum as soon as possible if you are interested. We promise to cook you breakfast on Saturday morning. There will be a potluck on Saturday night and even those not camping with us could spend the day with us and enjoy a meal. Call Linda at 734-453-5280.

MEN'S MINISTRY SPECIAL EVENT

SATURDAY, APRIL 22, 2006

Hear our keynote speaker Jeremy Africa lead men through an exploration of their own personal relationship with Christ. Join in as some tough questions are asked and answered.

Doors open at 7:00 a.m. Event closes at 11:00 a.m.
CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST SERVED

Questions? Contact Gordy Van Putten at 734-416-0270 or gvpjr@aol.com

PRIMETIMER NEWS



Henry Ford Estate

Tour the estate on April 27th
Leaving the church at 9 am sharp
Returning around 2 pm
Admission Fee \$9



Upcoming Events

- 5/18 ~ Tour Focus Hope 10 am
- 6/15 ~ Tigers Game 11:45 am
(note date changes)
- 7/10 ~ Detroit Zoo 10 am
- 7/23 ~ BBQ & Pot Luck 11:15
- 8/30 ~ Das Dutchman Essenhouse
(Bus Trip)
- 9/21 ~ Erwin Orchard &
Riffles American Café



Contact us; Linda Bynum at linda@pfumc.org
Cathy Montgomery at cathym@pfumc.org

Check out the web site at www.pfumc.org under tab for Adults, PrimeTimers

April Youth News

In the beginning God created...

The word *Genesis* means “history of origin.” Genesis is a book of stories that have the power to change our lives. While these stories are about certain people at a certain time, they carry messages for all people at all times. That is why they speak to you and me.



On April 23rd we will kick off 50 days in the book of Genesis.

By the time you've completed this book of devotions, you will have read and studied the entire Book of Genesis!

Wake up Call
Sunday Morning 9:00 am
The CORE
New curriculum beginning April 30th

Small Group Electives

Sunday School will be shaken up after Easter. A variety of topics will be offered. Students will choose where they would like to participate.

April Birthdays

4/1 ~ Abby Pairitz
4/5 ~ Alisha Beyer
4/6 ~ Dan Castle
4/7 ~ Colin Beney
4/8 ~ Amber Smith
4/10 ~ Adam Hill
4/13 ~ Kyle Freeman
4/14 ~ Gertrude Daly
4/20 ~ Matthew Figlewicz
4/29 ~ Haley Ann Beney

Spring Break
April 17-21

Sign up for
Lunch with Joe
Wednesday 19th &
Thursday 20th

Zap Zone
Friday 21st, 1 pm

Reservations?
Email Cathy at
cathym@pfumc.org

Check out Youth info
on the Web
www.pfumc.org

Coming up in May

“End of the Spear”

High School
Movie Night

SPRING TEA WITH A MISSION

Hosted by Faith Circle

To benefit the Methodist Children's Home Society

*Thursday, May 4
1:00 in Fellowship Hall*

Tickets—\$7.00

Light Refreshments
A Silent Auction Door Prizes
Entertainment
Fellowship Sharing Caring

THE CRAFT GROUP will meet on Wednesday, May 3, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Julie White. We will be making a Stepping Stone. You will need to purchase a kit, available at any craft store. We will also have a Perennial Exchange, if you wish to bring one to exchange. Any questions? Call Julie White at 734-495-1566.



ALTAR PRAYER MINISTRY

Why come forward for altar prayer ministry?

Some come forward to thank and praise God for His many blessings and answers to prayer. Others come to stand in the gap and pray for another's need - family members, friends, youth, neighbors and fellow workers. Perhaps you are facing some trials, health issues or decisions and desire God's wisdom, healing touch and discernment. Prayer teams are available at the end of each service to stand in agreement with you, to thank God for His many blessings, to draw near to God and seek Him... to seek His will for your life. Won't you come and meet with your God at the altar? Just come, Your Altar Prayer Ministry Team

LIBERIA CONTAINER PROJECT of DETROIT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Once again we will be collecting kits to take to annual conference. Please notice that we have one new suggestion for a kit below, which includes Bibles. Also, the Bishop is sponsoring The Seat Cover Project. This is his Taskforce on Children and Poverty, which will distribute NEW underwear to children and youth throughout the Detroit Conference Area. All kits and underwear may be left outside the office, in the light green bin labeled "LIBERIA." Any questions? Call Jim Clouse at 416-0129 or jjclouse@sbcglobal.net. The deadline is Wednesday, May 17.

HEALTH KIT

1 hand towel (15" x 25" up to 17" x 27")
1 wash cloth
1 comb (large & sturdy, not pocket-sized)
Nail file or fingernail clippers (no emery boards or toenail clippers)
1 bath-size bar of soap (3 oz. and up)
1 toothbrush (single brushes only in original wrapper, no child size brushes)
1 large tube of toothpaste (4.5 oz or larger, expiration date must be 6 months or longer in advance of the date of shipment)
6 adhesive plastic strip sterile bandages
(Place these items inside a sealed one-gallon plastic bag.)

SCHOOL KIT

1 pair blunt scissors (rounded tip)
2 pads (or loose leaf) of 8 1/2 x 11 ruled paper
1 30-centimeter ruler
1 hand held pencil sharpener
6 unsharpened pencils with erasers
1 eraser, 2 1/2"
12 sheets of construction paper (varied colors)
1 box of 24 crayons (only 24)
Prepare a 14" x 16" (finished size) cloth bag with handles and closure (Velcro, snap or button) and place items in the bag. Patterns are available from UMCOR Sager Brown or on our website: www.sagerbrown.org

SEWING KIT

3 yards of cotton or cotton-blend, solid color or print fabric (must be 3 yards of uncut fabric)
1 pair sewing scissors
1 package of needles
1 spool of thread
5—8 matching buttons
Wrap sewing notions in the fabric and place in a sealed one gallon plastic bag

BIBLE KIT

NIV or RSV Bibles in English—New or good condition
Methodist Hymnals (any year) - New or good condition
Choir or Pulpit robes (any size) New or like new
Eye glasses—Each glass should be in good repair and in a case

IMPORTANT: Please do not include political or patriotic notes or emblems in any kit.

Join the PFUMC Golf League for 2006

Come on out and join the PFUMC Golf League. Players of all skill levels are welcome to join. The season starts on April 21 with the first tee time beginning at 4:00 p.m. sharp. The league plays 9 holes each week for 18 weeks, at Fox Hills. Teams will be made up of two players. You can sign up with a partner of your choice or, once we have a list of players, we will determine playing partners. We also invite subs.

Please feel free to contact either Jill West (734-981-9555) or Jon Hord (734-254-1474) to sign up or ask questions.

THE WESLEY RINGERS TO BEGIN SPRING SCHEDULE

Our newest handbell choir, The Wesley Ringers, will begin rehearsals for our Spring season on Friday, April 21. We will meet in the choir room and rehearse from 10:00—11:30. Our sole mission is to do community outreach. We will be preparing a short concert program which we will present to the residents of local senior communities and nursing homes later this spring. Many of these communities are home to some of our members. This choir is open to all ringers who have basic ringing skills. If you enjoy ringing handbells and desire to minister to others, then this ministry is for you. The atmosphere is relaxed and fun and we will help you develop your ringing skills. Our final spring concert will be on June 19. If you would like more information regarding this choir, please contact either Barbara Levegood at 734-459-5212 or Nancy Navarre at 734-459-2221.



BOOKBYTES

“Oh, no! The electricity is off again!” No lights, clocks, TV, computers, heat or AC. The can opener is electric—so is the stove. Food in the refrigerator and freezer is in danger of spoiling if the power is off too long! The washer and dryer are electric, too. Cash registers at stores and restaurants aren’t working, and their automatic doors don’t work. The garage doors are electric so we can’t get the car out, and gas pumps can’t work, so we have to stay home! Big bother!!

Compound this with failure of all electronic functions. All transportation ceases. No emergency responses. There is no telephone communication, no banking or business—absolutely *nothing!* Water is pumped from its source by electric motors, so water usage is nil. There is no explanation, and no promise when power can be restored...if ever. What would you do?

Such a crisis slams an entire high-tech world back to pre-electric age in Terri Blackstock’s book **Last Night**—a new addition to your PFUMC library. Do we rely on electronic conveniences to an unreasonable extreme? Do we know how to exist without pushing a button? Could this actually happen? Charlene Churchmouse thinks this story is really an eye-opener and is searching for great-grandma’s How-To book—just in case. This is one of Terri’s more thought-provoking Christian mysteries. Come in and browse for others...while there is light...

Service SCHEDULE

SERVING SUNDAY, Apr. 16

Liturgist: 9:00 Holly Good
11:00 Martha Daigneau

Acolytes:

9:00 Abby Dalton &
Morgan Bartos
11:00 Jeremy Muse &
Sally Hoy

Greeters:

9:00 Betty Campbell &
Stella Smith
11:00 Timarie Freeman

Hosts:

9:00 Lisa Berlanga
11:00 Toni Hartke

Ushers:

9:00 Art Single, Wayne
Fercho, Jill West, Mark
Caudill, Chris Holland, Bonnie
Iler, Kent Montgomery, Betsy
Montgomery, Kip Dondlinger,
Sara Dondlinger, Bruce Chris-
tenson

11:00 Karl Little, Harve
Massey, Wes Kappler, Keith
Cox, James D. Freeman, Eric
Madsen, Bill Schlabach, Kerry
Montgomery, Duane King,

Counters:

Doug Hubbard, Sandy Kosky,
Jeannette Murdza, Nancy
Thomas

Fellowship Hour

T.B.D.

SERVING SUNDAY, April 23

Liturgist: Dennis Brunzell

Acolytes:

9:00 Austin Beaudoin &
Collin Watkins
11:00 Haley Beney &
Derek Blunden

Greeters:

9:00 Jamie & Joe Walker
Vincent & Aaron
11:00 Marilyn & Dale Good

Hosts:

9:00 Kelly & Mona Moore
11:00 Meri Lyn Hill

Ushers:

9:00 Jim Bynum, Bill
Pickering, Ed Wittenberg,
Eileen Wittenberg, Barbara
Werner, Margaret Lane, Drew
Lane, Josh Haries, William
Maxwell, Joy Coyle, Brad
Coyle

11:00 Mel Litke, Vince
Maiorana, Lois Maiorana,
Steve Crecelius, Art Ruhl, Jan
Seamonds, Carl Robertson,
Corinne Robertson, Carl
Marsee, Dean Scrimger

Counters:

Harve Massey, Greg Giles,
Vickie Krause, Wayne Fercho

Fellowship Hour:

Klump Community Life Group

SERVING SUNDAY, April 30

Liturgist: Rich Hoy

Acolytes:

9:00 Meg Pairitz &
Kirsten Moore
11:00 Mary Elizabeth Winther
& Alisha Beyer

Greeters:

9:00 Jeanette Schryer &
Marilyn Campbell
11:00 Beverly Bazzell

Hosts:

9:00 Amy Brown
11:00 Denise Gomrick

Ushers:

9:00 Dave Barrett, Jeff
McLaughlin, Greg Sears, Toni
Hartke, Mike Hartke, Don
Richter, Wayne Wheelock,
Clark McKelvey, Jim Walk,
Sharon Walk, Jim Hutchings

11:00 Karl Little, Harve
Massey, Wes Kappler, Keith
Cox, James D. Freeman, Eric
Madsen, Bill Schlabach, Kerry
Montgomery, Duane King,

Counters:

Don Blunden, Mark Caudill,
Nancy Braden, Ruth Dostie

Fellowship Hour

Abundant Life Sunday School

With Our UOWW Circles...

MERCY CIRCLE

Please mark your calendar for our next meeting to be held on Thursday, April 27, in the church Parlor from 6:30—8:30 p.m. We will do some discussion on the Fall Retreat and a Mission project.

RUTH CIRCLE

Ruth Circle will meet on Wednesday, April 19, at 11:30 in the church Parlor.

Bring your lunch; beverage is provided. A report will be given from the book,
“All the Women of the Bible.”

Guests and new members are very welcome!

Any questions, call
Katherine Thompson
734-459-8227

HOPE CIRCLE


Wednesday, April 26, will be our next meeting at the church at 6:00 p.m., starting off with a salad dinner as usual. Child care is available with reservations. We are going to work on school bags for the hurricane relief organized through the Methodist Church, and we may also be making some taggie blankets for our own church nursery as well. Call Joy Coyle at 248-486-6686 or Jodi Johnson at 248-921-9586 for more information Or you may email brcoyle@aol.com

FAITH CIRCLE

Our members enjoyed a visit to the Red Balloon Tearoom in Brighton.

This was research for our own “Spring Tea with a Mission” that our circle will host in lieu of our regular May meeting. If you have a teapot you’d consider loaning for that May 4 event, please contact Pat Carne at 455-3889.

RUMMAGE



It's time to think SPRING—a great time to clean out closets, garages, basements, drawers and shelves. Find those items you haven't used and donate them to the UMW Rummage Sale. Here's the schedule:

Sunday, April 23:	5:00 to 8:00 p.m.	Drop off items
Monday, April 24:	9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.	Drop-off items and set-up sale
Tuesday, April 25	9:00—11:30 a.m. set-up;	12:00—7:00 p.m. SALE BEGINS
Wed., April 26:	9:00—3:00 sale;	3:00—5:00 bag sale (\$4 per bag); 5:00—7:00 cleanup

JOB OPENINGS

Sales Staff and Customer Service Staff for UMW Rummage Sale: Must be able to smile and encourage customers to purchase all sorts of items while making sure chaos is avoided. No experience necessary but the ability to straighten mountains of clothing, sort toys, maintain patience and encourage others while working are helpful attributes. Compensation: Huge rewards will be yours! No paycheck will be given to you, but the proceeds from this project fund a variety of mission programs in our own community, country and around the world. Join in serving God in this hands-on event!

Boutique Sales Specialist: We are seeking an enthusiastic person to skillfully arrange and manage a small, elite product line of used merchandise consisting mainly of jewelry. Will be responsible for persuading customers to purchase items and for tallying sales. Huge smile and basic math skills required. No actual pay, but great compensation as you help the UMW raise funds to support missions. Excellent work environment and team atmosphere. Hours are 12-7 on Tuesday, April 25, and 9-5 on Wednesday, April 26. Eligible to job share with other "employees."

To apply for either of these positions, contact co-chairs Suzanne Trinkka (591-0781) or Marnie Holdefer (453-8395) to volunteer. Or look for our sign-up sheets in Fellowship Hall.



Golf Outing

MEN'S MINISTRY PRESENTS A.S.P. GOLF OUTING JUNE 10

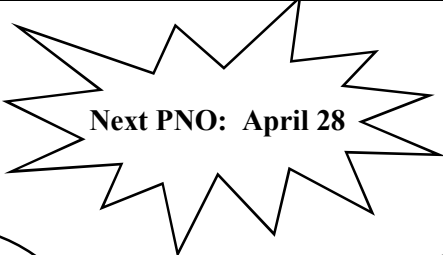
Registration: 7:00 a.m. Shotgun start: 7:30 a.m.
Where: Fox Hills Country Club Strategic Fox Course

Cost: \$65.00 per golfer including cart & snack

This is a family event—Everyone is welcome
Limited spots available so contact Ron Fair at 734-453-3404 or bronaldfair@msn.com
Sign up between services beginning on April 23
Full payment due by May 28, 2006

Movie Mania Has Been Postponed!

All 5th and 6th graders are invited to this movie filled night! Movie Mania will now take place on **Friday, May 12**, from 6:00–9:00 p.m. due to scheduling conflicts with the April date. Area 56 will be down in the Core having a great movie night. The night will begin with a pizza dinner. Then we will get our movie watching food and watch *The Chronicles of Narnia: The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe*. Afterwards we will have a brief discussion about the movie and play tons of games. Bring a friend and don't miss this awesome night. More information will be arriving soon. To sign up, turn in your permission slips or contact Abby Kammann.



Next PNO: April 28

EASTER EGG HUNT HELP WANTED

We are looking for adults and youth to help put on the Easter Egg Hunt. Supervision is needed during the hunt to keep kids on the grounds, and we also need help stuffing and hiding the eggs. Help will be needed on Friday at 1:15 (following the Good Friday service) to stuff eggs and help with clean up. If you are interested in helping, please contact Abby in the church office. Donations of Easter candy will also be accepted to help stuff our Easter eggs; candy can be dropped off in the office at any time.

HELP US APPRECIATE OUR TEACHERS!

On Wednesday, May 10, we will show our Sunday School Teachers our thanks with a dinner. If you are willing to help cook and/or serve, please contact Abby Kammann at 453-5280 or abby@pfumc.org

THANK YOU!

May God Bless You on Your Birthday

Mr Steve Dugan	5/1	Mr Bradley Coyle	5/15	Jeanne Martin	5/23
Mr Steve Lewis	5/1	Audrey Freeman	5/15	Mrs Paula Patrus (Turnell)	5/23
Mr Dale C Good	5/2	Mrs Vickie Shuler	5/15	Mrs Ginger Whitaker	5/23
Mrs Joanne Randolph	5/2	Ashley Boebinger	5/16	Mr Jim Soltau	5/24
Mr Justin Wainwright	5/2	Mr Dennis Edwards	5/16	Mrs Alice Arlen	5/25
Ms Jennifer Buczek	5/3	Mr Daniel C Juras	5/16	Mrs Ruth M Leader	5/25
Chelsea R Good	5/3	Mrs Josephine Reid	5/16	Doug McKelvey	5/25
Mrs Jennifer Manriquez	5/3	Mrs Sara Ryan	5/16	Mr Kelly Moore	5/25
Mrs Sharon Walk	5/3	Mrs Carol Scruggs	5/16	Mr Bill Strobridge	5/25
Jessica Wilson	5/3	Mrs Claudia Soltau	5/16	Casey Rapnicki (Smith)	5/26
Mrs Jacqueline Crowder	5/5	Meghan Symons	5/16	Mrs Cecile Wilson	5/26
Kristen Whalen	5/5	Mrs Virginia Vreeland	5/16	Evan Hutchings	5/27
Mrs Betty Gladstone	5/6	Ben Dorenkamp	5/17	Mr Todd Jones	5/27
Mr Wilson Muse	5/6	Mrs Dorothy Little	5/17	Mr Jeff McLaughlin	5/27
Mr Joseph Rea	5/6	Kimberly Pagan	5/17	Mrs Linda Klump	5/28
Mrs Elsie Mae Trinko	5/6	Mrs Julie Brunzell	5/18	Mrs Becky Krohn	5/28
Mrs Janet Dersey	5/7	Mrs Karen Bossieux	5/19	Mrs Indrani Mukerjee	5/28
Mr Matt Haran	5/7	Mrs Amy Glenn	5/19	Mr David Rymph	5/28
Sara Fifield	5/8	Vanessa Beard	5/20	Mr Arthur W Single	5/28
Mrs Debra Dorenkamp	5/9	Mr Steve Holderer	5/20	Mrs Patricia Carne	5/29
Ms Virginia Tyler	5/9	Amy A Lajoie	5/20	Mrs Judith Kelly	5/29
Jonathon K Dugan	5/11	Tracy McClendon	5/20	Mrs Nancy Thomas	5/29
Mrs Laura Freeman	5/11	Mrs Kimberlyn Benjamin	5/21	Daniel Davis	5/30
Mrs Kelly Weston	5/11	Mr Dan Dalton	5/21	Mrs Marilyn A Gunter	5/30
Mrs Kathleen Aznavorian	5/12	Jillian Hakala	5/21	Mrs Maureen Krause	5/30
Mr Jim Bynum	5/12	Kelly A Honecker	5/21	Mrs Harriet Welland	5/30
Rev Roy Forsyth	5/12	Allison Howlett	5/21	Mrs Sandra Fercho	5/31
Mrs Cindy Cox	5/13	Mrs Barbara Levensgood	5/21	Mr Joe Ferrill	5/31
Mr Jon Hord	5/13	Megan McManimon	5/21	Mrs Janice Groat	5/31
Mr James Wilbur	5/13	Mrs Patricia Whalen	5/21	Mr John A Herald	5/31
Mr Kerry Montgomery	5/14	Mrs Robin Wilder	5/21	Mr Leonard Little	5/31
Mr Kevin Spala	5/14	Mrs Janet McKelvey	5/22	Frances Loiselle	5/31
		Cynthia Evon	5/23	Jessica White	5/31



SonTreasure Island is coming!
Save the date for Vacation Bible School 2006:
July 17-21

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Sunday, April 16, 2006 - Easter Sunday

8:30 am	Pre-Service Prayer
9:00 am	Abundant Life Adult Class
9:00 am	Worship
9:00 am	No Wake Up Call - Easter
10:00 am	Fellowship Hour
10:00 am	Adult Sunday School
10:10 am	Cross & Flame Choir
10:30 am	Disciple One Youth
11:00 am	Worship
6:00 pm	No Fusion - Easter

Monday, April 17, 2006

Church Building Closed

Tuesday, April 18, 2006

1:00 pm	Spirit Gifts Small Group
1:00 pm	Giguere Small Group
6:30 pm	Tuesday Evening Men's Study
7:00 pm	Disciple I

Wednesday, April 19, 2006

6:00 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
6:00 am	Women's Prayer Group
9:15 am	Christian Moms
9:30 am	Jesus In The Gospels
9:30 am	UMW Comfort Circle
11:30 am	Ruth Circle
1:00 pm	Library Committee

Thursday, April 20, 2006

12:30 pm	Prayer Fellowship
6:45 pm	N.E.W. Small Group
7:00 pm	Finance Committee

Friday, April 21, 2006

10:00 am	Wesley Ringers
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Saturday, April 22, 2006

7:30 am	Men's Ministry Special Event
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**BEACON
DEADLINE :
NOON ON THE
FIRST & THIRD
WEDNESDAY
OF EVERY
MONTH.**

**BULLETIN
DEADLINE:
NOON EVERY
WEDNESDAY**

If articles are received after noon of the deadline date, they may not appear until the next publication.

Sunday, April 23, 2006

8:30 am	Pre-Service Prayer
9:00 am	Abundant Life Adult Class
9:00 am	Worship
9:00 am	Wake Up Call
10:00 am	Fellowship Hour
10:00 am	Adult Sunday School
10:30 am	Disciple One Youth
11:00 am	New Member Exploration Class
11:00 am	Worship
4:30 pm	Fusion Band Practice
5:00 pm	UMW Rummage Sale Drop Off
6:00 pm	Sunday nite fusion

Monday, April 24, 2006

8:00 am	BSF Leaders Meeting
9:00 am	UMW Rummage Sale Drop Off
10:00 am	Small Group - Bynum
7:00 pm	AA/Alanon
7:00 pm	Plymouth Oratorio Society

Tuesday, April 25, 2006

9:00 am	BSF
12:00 pm	UMW Rummage Sale
12:30 pm	Beacon Belles
7:00 pm	Disciple I
7:00 pm	Aerobics
7:00 pm	Community Leaders Dinner

Wednesday, April 26, 2006

6:00 am	Men's Prayer Breakfast
6:00 am	Women's Prayer Group
9:00 am	UMW Rummage Sale
9:30 am	Jesus In The Gospels
10:00 am	Knee High Fellowship
1:00 pm	Library Committee
6:00 pm	UMW Hope Circle
7:00 pm	Stephen Ministry Meeting
7:30 pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 27, 2006

9:00 am	Primetimers (Ford House Tour)
2:00 pm	Knit & Crochet Group
6:30 pm	Mercy Circle
6:30 pm	Youth Band Practice
7:00 pm	Reinhart Small Group
7:00 pm	Aerobics
7:30 pm	Festival Bells

Friday, April 28, 2006

10:00 am	Wesley Ringers
5:30 pm	Parents' Night Out



PRAYER TIME FOR ALL

Through the prompting of the Holy Spirit, Dr. Klump has called us to gather on Sunday morning for prayer. All are invited to be part of pre-service prayer time for our pastors, congregation and morning worship. Meet in the Parlor at 8:30 a.m. and feel free to come every time you are available. Join in the "new thing" God is doing in our midst.

Saturday, April 29, 2006

10:00 am	Plymouth Oratorio Society Dress Rehearsal
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Easter Egg Hunt

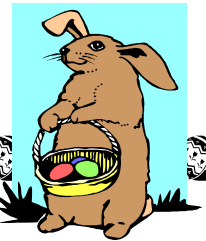


All kids ages 2 through 6th grade are invited to an Easter Egg Hunt at
First Church.

Invite a friend (or two) and come on Saturday, April 15, at 10:00 a.m.
We will search the church grounds during an exciting Easter egg hunt,
have pictures with the Easter bunny, and more!

Meet on the front lawn of the church for all of the fun
(Fellowship Hall if it rains).

Bring your kids and plan to stay for all of the fun!
After the hunt, come inside for some Easter crafts and
activities!



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