



# Worship Celebration

## January 17, 2010

# Welcome!

We extend our visitors and guests a very special welcome. We trust that the service will be a blessing to you. Please be sure to sign the Friendship Folder as it is passed your way. Please provide us with contact information (name, address, phone number and email address). We would love to say "Welcome!"

### We offer 3 Distinct Worship Services:

**8:00 a.m. Worship - "Come to the Table" in the Chapel**

**9:00 a.m. Worship - "The Gathering" in the Sanctuary**

**11:30 a.m. Worship - "New Life" in the Sanctuary**

### Sunday School for All Ages:

#### For Adults classes (begin at 10:20):

- Introduction to the New Testament Story, Music Room (211)
- Congregational Book Study, Wesley Room and Upper Room(218 & 209)
- Faith in Action - Let the Little Children Come, Middle School Room (108)

#### For Infants through Senior High (begin at 10:15):

- Childcare for infants and toddlers - upstairs, "Little Oceaneers' Nursery", Room 207
- Preschool for 3's, 4's & young 5's - downstairs, Room 119 & 120
- Grades K-5th "Faith Village" Rotation Sunday school - downstairs
- Grades 6-8 Junior High meets at the Youth House, across the lower (west) parking lot.
- Grades 9-12 Senior High meets at the Youth House, across the lower (west) parking lot

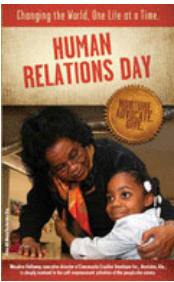
## This Week:

<b>SUN</b>	4:30 Teen Hapnins 7:00 Men's AA Meeting
<b>MON</b>	OFFICE CLOSED FOR MLK DAY 10:00 Book Study Group 3:00 After School Program @ youth house 6:00 Boy Scouts 6:30 Little Chummers Music Class
<b>TUE</b>	9:00 Staff Meeting 9:30 Little Chummers Music Class 10:00 Book Study Group 11:00 Senior Citizen Exercise Class 12:00 UMW Meeting 6:30 Stephen Ministry Sessions
<b>WED</b>	10:00 Sisters in Spirit 6:30 Pathbuilders' Team Meeting 7:00 New Life Rehearsal 8:00 Men's AA Meeting
<b>THUR</b>	10:00 UMW Bible Study 11:00 Senior Citizen Exercise Class 6:00 Shawl Ministry 6:30 Carillon Bells 7:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:00 Emerging Worship Team 7:00 Mission Quilting 8:00 Fourth Day Meeting
<b>FRI</b>	7:00 Kalamazoo Chinese School
<b>SAT</b>	10:00—4:00 Blood Drive 3:00 Women's Fourth Day 6:00 Ministry Fair Set-Up

A quiet place is provided for nursing mothers during worship services in the Frog Room (#208), located next to the nursery.

# “The Voice” Weekly News:

## Human Relations Day



This Sunday is Human Relations Day. Human Relations Day is celebrated on the Sunday before the national observance of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday.

The day is intended to strengthen United Methodist outreach to communities in the United States and Puerto Rico, encouraging social justice and work with at-risk youth.

The United Methodist Book of Discipline describes the purpose of Human Relations Day as a call to "the Church to recognize the right of all God's children in realizing their potential as human beings in relationship with each other."

### Your Generous Gifts assists:

- Community Developers Program, related to the General Board of Global Ministries (GBGM);
- United Methodist Voluntary Services Program, GBGM;
- Youth Offender Rehabilitation Program, General Board of Church and Society.

## Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Community Celebration

Join churches from all over the greater Kalamazoo area TODAY at 4 pm. at Galilee Baptist Church. The church is located at 1216 N. Westnedge. Come join us for music, speakers and celebration!

## Food Pantry Update

We are happy to welcome Russ O'Brian into the family of volunteers who help organize the Loaves and Fishes food pantry housed here at Chapel Hill. Russ' primary responsibility is to act as liaison between Chapel Hill, Loaves and Fishes and the other churches that help provide food to this location. Stan Smeed will continue in his role as primary scheduler and communicator for all the volunteers.

A huge thank you to Marlene Ailes, for providing hand crocheted hats on an ongoing basis to clients at the pantry. The hats are very popular, and the clients have expressed gratitude for them during these cold months. Many have asked about mittens too....so if you are able to knit, crochet or simply donate purchased mittens, please drop them off in the collection bin just inside the main doors of the church.

Lastly, there is an ongoing need for **liquid laundry detergent**. Any brand or size is welcome, as volunteers will refill clean water bottles with whatever detergent we receive.

## Ministry Fair

This Sunday and next Sunday plan to stop by and visit the Ministry Fair in the Narthex. This is a great way for members and visitors alike to see what happens in the life of our church. Representatives from the Core Teams will be present to showcase the many ministries of Chapel Hill. The Administrative Ministries are featured today, while the Program Ministries will be featured on January 24th. Please be sure to stop by on both Sundays!



## Winter Blood Drive: January 23, 2010, 10:15 am—4:00 pm



Patients in Michigan's hospitals use about 2,000 units of blood DAILY, about 1 and a half units per minute, every minute, around the clock. To meet patient needs, the Red

Cross must collect over 6.2 million units of donated blood every year in America. Chapel Hill is well known to the Red Cross for not only sponsoring Blood Drives twice each year, but also for providing a friendly, warm environment for donors and staff—with you guessed it—great food and SOUP! You Can Help! Please contact Jennifer Luitje if you would like to donate food or assist with take down, set up or during the drive. Jennifer Luitje: 352-1543 or [jkluitje@charter.net](mailto:jkluitje@charter.net)

## Haiti Relief

A major earthquake hit Port-au-Prince, Haiti Tuesday, causing widespread destruction. Millions of people are affected and thousands are feared dead. The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is assessing the needs and preparing to respond. Support for relief efforts can be made by check to **Chapel Hill. Please write Haiti Emergency, UMCOR Advance #418325** on the memo line.

## Seasonal Flu and H1N1

Borgess VNA Home Care is offering both H1N1 (swine flu) and seasonal flu vaccinations in January: Saturday, January 23, 9-11 am at two Harding's Market sites 5161 W. Main, Kalamazoo, and 3750 W. Centre in Portage. Drop-in clinics will be offered 2:30-4:30 pm, also for seasonal and H1N1 flu vaccination, every Thursday in January at the Borgess VNA Home Care office, 348 N. Burdick in Kalamazoo. The cost of H1N1 flu vaccination administration is \$19.50. Medicare covers the cost. Persons not on Medicare will need to pay for the vaccination at the time of administration, using cash, credit card or check; they will receive a receipt to submit to their insurers for reimbursement. For more information, visit [flushot.borgess.com](http://flushot.borgess.com).



## United Methodist Women News—

Please plan to join us on Jan. 19th at noon for our UMW luncheon meeting. Come and hear from Patti Bartig, someone just like the rest of us, who had a simple idea of creating dresses from pillowcases. She got others interested and ended up taking the dresses to orphanages in Ethiopia and Kenya. Come hear how Patti made a difference and how we can make a difference if we find what God has for us and follow God's leading.

## Jr. Liturgists!

Mark your calendars! Sunday, January 24 @ 4:30pm: Jr. Liturgist Training for all interested 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders. We will complete the training process and sign up for dates to serve in worship. Contact Sharon Brown with questions.

## Hear ye! Hear ye! Save the Date!

All young Lords & Maidens (ages 3years-3<sup>rd</sup> grade) are cordially invited to attend a



On Saturday, January 30th from 11:00am to 1:00pm at Portage Chapel Hill Royal Hall (aka Fellowship hall). Find more details at [www.pchum.org/princess](http://www.pchum.org/princess).

## Ministry with Community Needs

Ministry with community current needs include: bar soap, feminine products, razors, shaving cream, deodorant, hand lotion, toothpaste, toothbrushes, combs, and toilet paper. The following items are needed in all sizes; however, the trial/travel sizes (if available) are most helpful. You can drop off items in the Ministry with Community box in the Narthex.

## Indoor Canvas Labyrinth

Walk Kalamazoo First United Methodist Church's Indoor Labyrinth on Wednesday January 20 from 5pm to 7pm for a self-guided walk or 7pm to 8:30pm for a guided walk. For more information contact Jane Vernon at [wwomanjdv@sbcglobal.net](mailto:wwomanjdv@sbcglobal.net) or Jan Baker at 342-4092.

## After School Program

Each Monday through the school year from 3pm to 5pm our church will open it's doors to Middle School students for study and fellowship. We have openings for two additional Safe Place Certified adult leaders that would enjoy creating a warm place for tweens that would otherwise be home alone. Contact Jorge at [chumyc@aol.com](mailto:chumyc@aol.com) if you can offer your time twice a month. We could also use Senior High students to serve as tutors.

## Martha's Table



Martha's Table provides Sunday afternoon worship and meals for the needy at First Congregational Church in downtown Kalamazoo. This vital ministry has recently lost the support of 3 congregations, so Chapel Hill has committed to be a new member church. This commitment means that we will need to send four people every Sunday to help serve and every 6-12 weeks we need to provide the meal and worship service, as well as additional volunteers. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for volunteering in January!

## Toddler Time!



Let's jump into January at Jungle Joe's! Come & have fun with us on Wednesday January 20 at 10:00am. The cost is \$8.00 per child & \$2.00 for an each adult. Please RSVP to Deanne Austin at 269-629-4831 or [deannaustin@pchum.org](mailto:deannaustin@pchum.org) no later than Monday January 18. Don't miss out!

## CHUM Preschool

CHUM Co-op Preschool Open House will be Thursday, February 18 from 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. Morning and afternoon classes for 3 and 4 year olds will be offered for the 2010-2011 school year. This is your opportunity to meet the teachers and to see what CHUM Preschool is like! If you have any questions about CHUM's Open House or are interested in reserving a space for your child or grandchild, please contact Shannon Bruner at 679-4038 or [northrop13@hotmail.com](mailto:northrop13@hotmail.com).

## Thank you

I would like to thank all who have included me in your prayers, sent cards, called, visited or shown your support in other ways during my recent surgery and illness. I truly felt the presence of God through these deeds. Special thanks to Pastors Barry and Matt for their many visits to the hospital and their support for Dottie during this time. And a special thanks to my beloved wife, Dottie, for carrying an extra heavy load in caring for me. I appreciate all of you.

Al Lagerberg

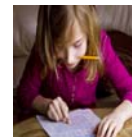


## Teen Hapnins' 2010

Sundays, from 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM! Middle School and High School students will continue an audio/book study of "Three Cups of Tea", the young reader's edition! Feel free to drop in, we'll get you up to speed.

## Wanted:

An after school or evening homework tutor for a 7th grade girl. Please contact Shirley Freeman ([freemanfam@aol.com](mailto:freemanfam@aol.com) or 381-8208) for details. Thank you!



## Help Needed!

We are seeking someone willing to set up and clean up the coffee cart for Sunday mornings. This ongoing task takes only a small amount of time weekly, yet makes many people happy every Sunday morning! The cart can be prepared Sunday morning **OR** can even be prepared on Friday during office hours. Likewise, clean up can occur on Sunday **OR** can be taken care of on Monday morning. If you think you might be willing to help with this task, please contact the church office: 327-6643 or [office@pchum.org](mailto:office@pchum.org). Thank you!



## Celebrating New Life

**Stella Suzanne Kirk** was born on January 6th, 2010 to Tim and Sarah Kirk. Welcome Stella!



**Office Closing:** The church office will be closed on January 18th in observance of Martin Luther King Jr. day.

**Assistive Listening and Large Print Hymnals and Bulletins are available.** Please ask an usher for assistance.

### Cable Access Schedule for PCHUM Worship Service:

#### Portage Channel 19:

Mon.—6pm, Tues.—2:30pm,  
Wed.—5pm, Fri.—8 am.

#### Kalamazoo:

Mon.—6pm on Channel 22,  
Wed.—1pm on Channel 19,  
Fri —3pm on Channel 19

#### CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Friday

9:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Phone: (269) 327-6643

FAX: (269) 327-4878

Website: [www.pchum.org](http://www.pchum.org)

E-mail: [office@pchum.org](mailto:office@pchum.org)

## WELCOMING STATEMENT

*"...my house shall be called a house of prayer for all peoples." —Isaiah 56:7*

Welcome to Portage Chapel Hill United Methodist Church, a church in the service of Christ, where all peoples are welcome and invited to grow in Christian discipleship by discovering, through Christ, meaning and purpose in their daily living, working and loving by:

discerning their own unique gifts, talents and strengths

cultivating these gifts and preparing to accept new ministries

deploying their gifts as ambassadors for Christ in the ministry of reconciliation

in their home, school, community and workplace.

We are called to recognize Christ in everyone, inclusive of, but not limited to those of differing socioeconomic status, sexual orientation, race, age, ethnic background, creed, gender, disabilities or abilities and family make up. We understand diversity to be a gift from a creative God. We discern that God is challenging the Christian community to lead by example and to strive to reflect God's unconditional and forgiving love, and to be a life-giving church community that reaches out to all.

## Your Chapel Hill Staff

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## Your Chapel Hill Core Team Leaders

- Troy Dorstewitz, Church Council (strategic administration of ministries of PCHUM)
- Sheila Bigelow, Beyond The Trail (ministries of charity and justice beyond our walls)
- Randy McDaniel, Pathbuilders (infrastructure ministries)
- Barry Petrucci, Vision (overall guiding vision of PCHUM)
- Susan Fry, Outfitters (ministries of invitation, integration and Christian Education)
- Sara House, Joy On the Journey (ministries of worship and spiritual discipleship)

## Serving Today

Acolytes.....	Cassie Thompson and Jessica Hoogerheide
Liturgist .....	Berriane Provost
Sound System.....	9:00 Bob Whillhite 11:30 Jim Hankey
Video Tech.....	11:30 Brendan Thrantham
Counters.....	Marlene Ailes, Paul Minert, and Ken Beadling
Greeters.....	9:00 John and Joyce DeCrocker
Ushers.....	9:00 Maxine Zimmer, Shirley Cornelius, Ruth Stoddard, and Larry Johnson
Children's Time.....	Cindy Weill