

COBURN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

February 5, 2012

Pastor: Dr. Dennis J. Baker

Ministers: The Congregation

MISSION: **“We are to make disciples for Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world”**

THE MOMENTS OF FELLOWSHIP

The Greeting (Please pass the register pads down the pew, sign and return. Thank you)

The Concerns of the Church Family

THE MOMENTS OF PREPARATION

The Receiving of the Light

Prelude

The Heavens are Telling

The Ministry of the Acolytes

Haydn

Crystal Copper

THE MOMENTS OF WORSHIP

*The Invitation

PASTOR: Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another.

OPENING PRAYER (In Unison) **Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden. Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

*Hymn of Worship *All Creatures of Our God and King* No. 62

*Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* No. 881

*The Gloria Patri No. 70

THE MOMENTS FOR PRAYER

The Requests for Prayer

Prayer Hymn

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah

No. 127

The Silent Prayer

Our altar is open to all who would come to silently express a special need to our Lord

The Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

No. 895

The Confession and Pardon (In Unison)

Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy. Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

All pray in silence.

PASTOR: Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

PEOPLE: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

PASTOR AND PEOPLE: Glory to God. Amen.

THE MOMENTS FOR THE CHILDREN

Kim Peadon

THE MOMENTS FOR SHARING

Our Worship through Tithes and Offering

The Offertory

I Would Be True

Peek

Crystal Copper

*The Doxology

No. 95

THE MOMENTS FOR GROWING

The Message

“What Floats Your Boat?”

Pastor Baker

Genesis 6:6-9

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Every Knee Will Bow

Chancel Choir

THE HOLY COMMUNION

THE SHARING OF THE ELEMENTS

Holy Communion in the United Methodist Church is open to all who accept the invitation of our Lord. Today we will receive Holy Communion in the pews.

PASTOR: Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf. The bread which we break is a sharing in the body of Christ.

PASTOR: The cup over which we give thanks is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

***THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING** (In Unison)

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*The Hymn of Invitation

Grace Greater Than Our Sin

No. 365

THE MOMENTS FOR GOING FORTH

*The Benediction

*The Choral Benediction

May God's blessing surround you each day, as you trust Him and walk in His way,

May His presence within guard and keep you from sin,

Go in peace, go in joy, go in love. Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.

*The Giving of the Light to the World

The Ministry of the Acolytes

*The Postlude

My Didn't It Rain!

Unknown

Crystal Copper

* Those who are able are invited to stand

Hearing assistance is available; please see one of the ushers.

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Point to Ponder: Genesis 6:9 says that Noah walked with God.

Verse to Remember: But Noah found favor in the sight of the LORD.

~ Genesis 6:8 (NRSV)

Question to Consider: What does it mean to walk with God or find favor with God?

The banner hanging on the right side of the sanctuary shows how the Holy Spirit (dove) encircles the Christian's life with the many blessings of God (multi-colored radiating beams). Hanging on the left side of our sanctuary is our United Methodist Church insignia consisting of the cross and a single flame with dual tongues of fire. Rich in meaning, the insignia relates the United Methodist Church to God through Christ (cross) and the Holy Spirit (flame). The flame is a reminder of Pentecost when witnesses were unified by the power of the Holy Spirit and saw "tongues, as of fire" (Acts 2:3). The elements of the emblem also remind us of a transforming moment in the life of Methodism's founder, John Wesley, when he sensed God's presence and felt his heart "strangely warmed." The two tongues of a single flame may also be understood to represent the union of the Evangelical United Brethren Church and the Methodist Church to form the United Methodist Church in 1968.



*Altar
Flowers*

*The flowers on the altar are given by
Ron & Marty Ball.*

PRAY FOR OUR UNITED METHODIST MISSIONS ACROSS THE WORLD: CHILE: AID REACHES FIRE SURVIVORS IN CHILE Some 140 families who survived wildfires that ripped through the Biobio Region of Chile on December 29 will receive much-needed food aid from the Methodist Humanitarian Aid Team (EMAH), a United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) partner. The fires destroyed 25,000 hectares of land and displaced more than 500 people, according to EMAH. In late 2009, the Methodist Church of Chile requested that UMCOR provide it with training in disaster response practices. EMAH was formed shortly afterward. Since then, UMCOR has worked with EMAH to provide a series of follow-up trainings, which have sharpened the organization's ability to make critical assessments in an emergency and respond to survivors with care. The organization will continue to be present to survivors.

We have begun the "THE STORY." You won't want to miss a Sunday as we travel through old and new Bible stories. What is your favorite Bible Story? How does it apply to your life today? What Bible Stories do you want your children and grandchildren to learn? There will be opportunity for home work and discussion with family and friends! Let's share The Story in 2012!

THE STORY HOMEWORK: For next Sunday you are invited to read Genesis 5-9.

UNITED METHODISM 101 will begin Sunday, Feb. 12, at 9 AM and will meet in the gym. All those interested in learning more about the Coburn United Methodist Church family or who are interested in joining the church in membership are invited to attend. For more information, please contact Dr. Baker at 740-454-0186 or dbaker@coburnumc.org.

CONSIDER THIS...The Coburn United Methodist family consists of approximately 641 members. With that many members it is hard to know if the person sitting next to you in church is a long time member or a brand new guest to our worship service. That anxiety often leaves us not knowing how to greet that person and so we leave church having missed an opportunity to make a new friend and to make another feel welcome.

When faced with that situation consider this. Instead of asking, "Are you new?" or otherwise, ask that person, "How long have you been coming to Coburn Church?" If they say, "I have been coming for years" you have the opportunity to say, "Well, I have been coming for sometime as well. I don't believe I know your name." If they respond that they are brand new to the church you have the opportunity to make them feel welcome. Either way you have spoken and made our church family a warmer experience for all!

IT IS THAT TIME AGAIN! Each year our church financial books are audited for the previous year. In order to fulfill that obligation we need all persons who have 2011 financial books for their church organization to turn them into the office. Those books will then be audited and returned to you.



BLOOD PRESSURE CHECKS: On the first Sunday of each month, have your blood pressure checked following the 10 AM worship in the church office area. This is part of our Health Awareness Ministry. Thank you to all those who make this ministry possible!

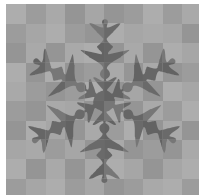
COUPLES COUPLING - Join us for Couples Coupling on Sunday, February 19, at 5 PM at the home of Tom & Eva Sieber, 3445 Regan's Way, Zanesville. Couples Coupling is a gathering of couples seeking to strengthen their relationships through sharing together. All couples are welcome and we invite you to bring a covered dish for a potluck.



The Communication Team is preparing a new directory. One feature is a "yellow pages" of businesses within the church. If you would like your business card published in the directory, please submit one to the office by February 20th.

Communication
Team

Contact Eva Sieber at etsieber@columbus.rr.com or 740-607-4014 for additional information.



INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY - Does our church close in bad weather? We will close the church whenever a Level Three emergency is called by law enforcement. If you have a question about whether the church is closed due to bad weather please listen to WHIZ 1240 AM/102.5 FM/92.7 FM or check our website at www.coburnumc.org.

COBURN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH CALENDAR

February 5 - 18, 2012

Sunday, February 5	COBURN CREW SUB & APPLE DUMPLING SALE PRAISE BAND PRACTICE: 11:30 a.m. FLYING CLUB: 12:00 p.m. in Wilson Center NO SPLASH OR COBURN CREW NO GENESIS TO REVELATION BIBLE STUDY
Monday, February 6	DISCIPLE I: 1:00 p.m. in Double Classroom MEN'S BASKETBALL: 6:00 p.m. LATCHKEY BOARD: 6:00 p.m. TRUSTEES: 7:00 p.m. GIRL SCOUT TROOP #461: 6:30 p.m. in Beacon classroom DISCIPLE III: 7:00 p.m. in Women of Faith classroom
Tuesday, February 7	MOPS: 9:15 a.m. in Double Classroom YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m. BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY: 7:00 p.m. in Double Classroom PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY: 10:00 a.m. in Double Classroom
Wednesday, February 8	YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m. RHDD: 9:00 a.m. in Truth Seekers classroom YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m. HANDBELL PRACTICE: 5:30 p.m. / CHOIR PRACTICE: 6:45 p.m.
Thursday, February 9	HANDBELL PRACTICE: 9:00 a.m. in sanctuary PRAISE BAND PRACTICE: 11:30 a.m. FLYING CLUB: 12:00 p.m. in Wilson Center SPLASH TRIP TO COCO KEY: 1:00 p.m. PRAYER SHAWL TEAM: 3:00 p.m.
Sunday, February 12	COBURN CREW: 6:00 p.m. (OPEN GYM: 5:30 p.m.) GENESIS TO REVELATION BIBLE STUDY: 6:00 p.m. DISCIPLE I: 1:00 p.m. in Double Classroom MEN'S BASKETBALL: 6:00 p.m.
Monday, February 13	DISCIPLE III: 7:00 p.m. in Women of Faith classroom YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m. ADORING TEAM: 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday, February 14	PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY: 10:00 a.m. in Double Classroom GOLDEN YEARS COMMUNION & LUNCHEON: 11:30 a.m. YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m.
Wednesday, February 15	HUGS: 6:00 p.m. in Truth Seekers classroom MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: 7:00 p.m. in Women of Faith classroom RHDD: 9:00 a.m. in Truth Seekers classroom
Thursday, February 16	YMCA BASKETBALL: 5:45 p.m. HANDBELL PRACTICE: 5:30 p.m. / CHOIR PRACTICE: 6:45 p.m.
Saturday, February 18	UMM: 7:45 a.m. in Double Classroom

WORSHIP SERVICES:		
NEW START – Saturday 5:30p.m. (Sanctuary)		
FRESH START – Sunday 8:00a.m. (Wilson Center); 10:00a.m. (Sanctuary)		
SUNDAY SCHOOL/CONFIRMATION: 9:00a.m.		
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Alice Baker	Linda Hittle	Carole Noll
Chad Baker	Marlene Hoskinson	Harvey & Patty Owens
Dave Beeson	Katie Howard	Kevin Pisch
Dominique Baron	Kay Jewett	Tim Sands
Laura & Terry Barr	Erica Jones	Beth & Ethan Shields
Sheila Bishop	Karen Kelly	Graham Sowers
Clay Brekhus	Joan Keener	Roy Steele
Freda Brock	Thom Lane	Larry Stull
Ann Burkhart	Emma Laulusa	Scott Supplee
Heather Burtnett	Mike Lawson	Heath & Tonya Watton
Barry, Julie, & Andrew Carter	Carol Lee	Dick West
Sandy Clapper	Vickie Maddox	Chad Wickham
Club Jesus	Dick Mahaffey	Betty Wiechert
Tina Cummings	Aldrene Mautz	Dean Williams
Mary Anne Dover	Joyce McClelland	Brad Wilson
Barbara Hackett	Margaret Morrison	Baby Ava & family
Karen Havens	Rhea Nixon	Alex

(ALL NAMES WILL BE LISTED FOR ONE WEEK – PLEASE SUBMIT YOUR REQUESTS ON A WEEKLY BASIS.)

PRAYER CHAIN: Please be sure that you have obtained permission before placing another person's name on the Prayer Chain. We want to be considerate, and there are times and occasions in which others prefer not to have their situations publicly known.

50th Wedding Anniversary Celebration

February 17, 1962 - 2012

Doris & Gary Flynn

Saturday, February 18, 2012

Meadow Farm United Methodist Church

Open House 1-3 PM

Renewal of Vows 1:30 PM

NO GIFTS PLEASE. Your presence is the gift we value most.

CHURCH HELPERS

Matt & Shelly Watson	Pre-School Junior Worship
John Thomas	Junior Worship
Nicole Pisch	Nursery
Megan Short	Youth Nursery Volunteer
Roy Mosure	Head Usher
Matt & Stacey Russell	Greeters
Grant Dunfee & Ryan Watson	Acolytes
Carlye Farmer	Andrew Ministry

Finance Information

In an effort to more clearly explain our financial position, the Finance Team has revised our reporting in the following manner. We hope it will give a clearer picture of our receipts and needs. Should you have questions, please contact Tom Sieber, Finance Chairperson.

Giving for January 29, 2012: \$ 7,677.10

Weekly Need To Meet Budget: \$ 7,791.00

Year To Date Needed To Meet Budget: \$ 38,955.00

Total Giving To Date: \$ 33,246.87

Unmet Need Year To Date: \$5,708.13

Our 2012 budget is \$412,925.

Attendance

10:00 a.m. Service	243
Fresh Start	38
New Start	9
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	290

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE:

Second Sunday Harvest is next Sunday and we are in need of the following items for our food pantry:

- Ramen noodles
- Canned baked beans (15 oz)
- Canned chicken noodle soup (10.75 oz)
- Boxed macaroni & cheese (7.25 oz)
- Canned peas (15 oz)
- Canned spaghetti rings (15 oz)

Any other items you may select will also be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your generous donations to our food pantry!

Sally & Tom Cover

Summer Camp

July 8-12



It will soon be time for summer camp registration. If you would like to camp please put your donation in the offering plate with a specification of what you are contributing to. The cost for our teens grades 9-12 to go to camp is \$280.00 per teen and the cost for children in grades 3-8 is \$260.00.

Call Becky Fisher @ 454-0186 with any questions.



sponsor a child for

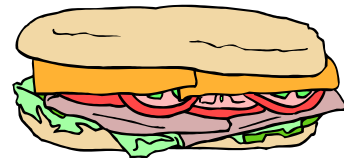
Praise Band

The Coburn United Methodist Church Praise Band wants to **expand!**

All voices and all instruments are **welcome!**

Come sing, play, or just **jam** with us!

If interested contact Becky Fisher @ 454-0186.



COBURN CREW

subs and apple dumplings
are available
to purchase today.

See Becky Fisher or any member of the
Coburn Crew.