



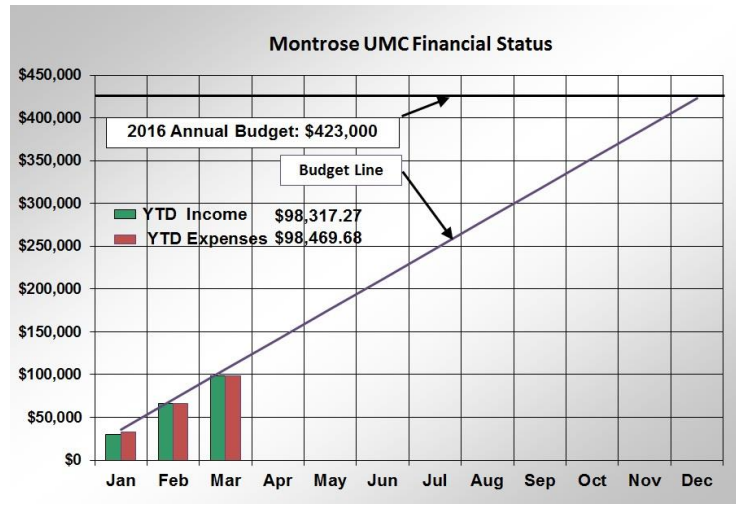
SAVE YOUR OUTDOOR YARD ITEMS FOR THE COMMUNITY GARDEN "YARD SALE".

Please bring yard items that you wish to donate—tools, furniture, decorations, planters, and plants (indoor and outdoor) that you are dividing. There will be strawberry plants, raspberry plants and other perennials. If you have harvested perennial seeds, bring them to share. Contributions to the **bake sale and lemonade stand** or help with the **yard sale** would be most appreciated.

The "Yard Sale" will be from 8am-12n, Saturday, May 14. The Community Garden workshops will be from 9am-11am

Bus Voucher Report

For only 3 dollars a daypass, we have been helping locals get around town to job interviews, work or to do errands. From the start of our Bus Voucher program in September we have given away 43 day bus passes! 21 to men, 16 to women and 6 youth passes (ages 4 - 17). Of these passes 6 were given to members! Thank you for your support!



Prayers

CELEBRATIONS: Wade Lee, Kathy Koeltzow's cousin has been removed from hospice as his kidneys and liver are working again..

HEALTH AND HEALING: Deidra Manary, rotator cuff surgery 4/15; Janie McFadden, oral surgery procedures; John White's mother, Mary, in Denver; Tonja Clark, health issues;

WE PRAY FOR THOSE BATTLING CANCER: Mike Pugh, cancer is no longer responding to treatment; Natalia, breast; Carol Cady, Lisa Armentrout's mother, skin; Jim Kerschner, kidney; Terry Hackett, Erica White's aunt, esophageal; Sue Cor; Steve Cooper, bladder; Tammy Braun, liver; Skip Willis, Clare's son, bone cancer in his leg; Dick and Sandy Eastman's son-in-law, Paul Raffa, prostate; Tom Blacklock, leukemia; Arleen Friedman; Jean Bramer, colon; Kelly Ray, brain tumor; Jennifer Lynn's sister, Judy Rosencrantz, brain; Micki Kintner's sister, Judy; William's son-in-law, Jim Merritt stage 4 pancreatic .emergency procedure at St Mary's 4/10;

IN HOSPICE: Celie Matteson's uncle, Wilton Neumann, return of cancer, choses no treatment; Reva Caudill, Marcus's mother, metastatic cancer. Ester Miller, Virginia Luttrell's sister-in-law, at Heidi's care center. George Crosby's father, Bill; lung; retired UMC pastor, Barbara Fellows, with stage 4 pancreatic cancer in NY;

DEATHS: Karen and Lee Elliott's brother-in-law; Jean Bramer's cousin, Garry Morris in NE; Sue Gunter's friend, Bob Davis.

Addresses:

- Tonja Clark** 726 S. Park 81401
- John White** 1120 S. 12th 81401
- Deidra Manary** 60391 Rimrock Trail 81403
- Janie McFadden** 2052 James Court 81401

If you wish to give to the UMCOR support for the floods in Texas put Disaster Relief #901670 on the memo line; for the earthquakes in Japan and Ecuador, put International Disaster Relief #982450



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April 24, 2016

Ushers: 8:15 a.m.: Lillian & Laurie Hadley,
 Jay Hadley & Danny Melendrez

9:45 a.m.: Bev & Chuck Price,

Connie & Brad Bingaman

11:15 a.m.: Glenda Cowles, Rod Britten

Flowers:

Worship Leaders: 8:15 a.m.:

11:15 a.m.: Sue Gunter

New Sermon Series

Podcast of each Sunday's Sermon is available on the following Tuesday of each week, on our church website. (Past sermons are also available.)

New Sermon Series—"Five Marks of a Methodist"

April 3 1. "A Methodist Loves God" –Matthew 22:34-40

April 10 Guest Speaker Aaron Clay

April 17 2. "A Methodist Rejoices in God" –Matthew 5:1-12

April 24 3. "A Methodist Gives Thanks" –Colossians 3:15-17

May 1 4. "A Methodist Prays Constantly" –Luke 11:5-13

May 8 5. "A Methodist Loves Others" –1 John 4:7-12, 19-21

Church Office Hours:

Closed Friday

Mon. 9:00-4:30, Tues 9:00-4:30, Wed. 9:00-4:00, Thurs. 9:00-4:30

Open during the lunch hour

Attendance Sunday April 10, 2016: 202

8:15 Service: 102 9:45 Service: 43 11:15 Service: 57

Adult Sunday School: 9

Children's Sunday School: 25 Sunday nursery: 1

Youth Group: 10 Wednesday Bible Study:

Tuesday Pastor's Bible Study: 20

Community Sunday Supper: 20

SUNDAY WORSHIP TIMES: 8:15 a.m. 9:45 a.m. & 11:15 a.m.

Weekday Opportunities

Mondays:

Adult Caregivers Support Group 2nd and 4th, 1:00 p.m.
Meet in the library downstairs

Tuesdays:

Pastor's Bible Study 10 a.m. in Baldrige Hall
Prayer Shawl Group 1-3 p.m. in the library
Endowment Trust 5:00 p. m. in the alcove

Wednesdays:

Music: 5:30 p.m. Handbell Choir
6:45 p.m. Sounds of Faith choir
8:00 Celebration Voices Choir

Thursdays:

Community Prayer Group 10:45 a.m. Room 1
first Thursday only

Sundays:

Youth Group 5:00-7:30 p.m.
Community Sunday Supper 5:00-6:00 p.m.

Meetings this week:

Monday, April 25
Administrative Council 7:00 p.m.

Emmaus Reunion (Support) Groups

Women's Groups (Open to ALL Women)

--Mondays 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Reinhard residence 2238 American Way
--Thursdays 7:00-8:00 a.m.

Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

Men's Group (Open to ALL Men)

--Fridays 6:30-7:30 a.m.
Looney Bean Coffee Shop 3480 Wolverine Rd.

Craft Fair

**Stop by the silent auction tables in Baldrige Hall
and bid on that must-have item!**

Adult Mission Team

We are putting together an adult team for our next adult mission trip to Belize. We will be helping build a house for a young family. It will be mid-January, and we are looking at a 10-day trip. Please contact Becky at smoothiesong@hotmail.com or 970-209-6977 with questions and to get more details.

Estate Sale

The youth are assisting the family of Sharon Becker with an **Estate Sale** at her home at 3809 Pine Marten Circle on Friday, April 29 from 8-4 & Saturday, April 30 from 8-2. Thanks to Ann Grant, Elaine Baker, Karen Elliott, Trish Gray, Cynthia Reiss, Marva Pittman, and Kathy Zelazny for helping Judy Lokey in the enormous job of sorting and tossing. Sharon is now in the Loft at Homestead.

Community Sunday Supper in the Cross & Flame Café.

The Next training will be Sunday May 1, 9:30 a.m.

The meals will be from 5-6 p.m. every Sunday evening. Please come and participate, either by cooking, serving, visiting, or cleaning up. Signup sheets are in fellowship hall on an easel and we are filling space for **May** Donations welcome!

Safe Sanctuaries Training

The next training will be May 1st from 1-2 p.m. in Baldrige Hall. Interested in working with the children's ministry? Start your volunteering with the Safe Sanctuaries Volunteer Training!

Baldrige Hall Roof

The Baldrige Roof fundraiser has begun! The cost is estimated to be \$63,000. Thanks to the generosity of the Hans Croeber Memorial gift, we are starting with \$10,000. Help us "Raise the Roof" by donating to this great project. We will reroof as soon as we raise the money. Questions - contact any member of the Board of Trustees.

Needed: Volunteers to pick up non-drivers for church

To volunteer or get a ride please contact our bus manager Carol Jones 249-4755

Blessing Bags

Missions will be having another Blessing Bag Opportunity

TODAY April 24 and May 1st in Fellowship Hall between services. We will provide the Zip Lock gallon bags and a Resource Food Flyer to get started. Here are some of the suggested items to make your Blessing Bags:

Toothbrush and toothpaste, ChapStick, Small packages of Kleenex, Wet wipes, Comb or small brush, Fast food coupons, Energy bars or package of nuts, Socks or feminine products, "Hot Hands" Hand warmers packets, Small deodorant, Bottled water, Plastic bags/rain ponchos

You can be creative, customize your own bag for a man, women, child or **dogs**. Dog items could be: food, collars, small plastic dishes, etc.

We will also be collecting items for the food pantry.

Watering Volunteers

Soon the garden planters will be filled with spring blossoms. To keep those blossoms happy through the summer, we need volunteers to water the plants. For more information please contact: Lorie Cribbs 513-226-6006

Montrose United Methodist Women are invited to a luncheon by the Cortez UMW on May 12.

Theme: Shelter from the Storm of Violence
Speaker: Mary Fuller, Manager of WINGS Safe house in Cortez. If you would like to attend please contact Sharon Hayes, telephone # 240-3505 or email sshayes@bresnan.net before **May 8.**

Community Garden

Our building of the new beds event was rained out on Saturday, the 16th but we managed to get the project done on Tuesday, the 19th with a small but diligent crew. We moved soil into the beds yesterday and will put down gravel in the "aisles" on the 30th. Beds are going quick; reserve yours today with Connie Stout or any committee member!