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Join Us Sunday

Mornings!

Christian Ed. for all
ages 9:30 am
Worship, 10:30 am

About Us...

- All who seek and serve the love of God are ministers of Union Church
- Rev. Kent Gilbert, Pastor
- Marlene Payne, Moderator
- Joan English, Church Secretary
- Wyndee Holbrook, Director of Christian Education
- Deborah Payne, Youth Director
- Loretta Mountjoy, Woman's Industrial Director
- Jennifer Shelton and Bea Chasteen, Childcare
- Erik Reinhart, Custodian

Holy Week and Easter Events at Union

The last week of Lent (known as Holy Week) is one of the most important series of events in the Christian calendar. Union Church celebrates this week with several special services and events, each touching upon an aspect of the events leading to Jesus' Resurrection, celebrated on Easter Sunday.

Though Easter is often thought of as the "main event," the story of collapsing dreams, betrayal, political intrigue and, ultimately, heroic love is described in these Holy Week events. They are the connection point and context for all that flows from the disciples' discovery that death is not the end of the story.

Please join us for a meaningful, prayer-filled week as we, too, walk to Jerusalem in story and song.

April 1: Maundy Thursday Service, 7:00 pm. "Maundy" comes from the Latin "mandatum," meaning "commandment." On this night when Jesus met with his disciples for his last supper, he gave them a new commandment, "that you love one another." During this special service we will share a communion meal, recount the story of Jesus' betrayal and arrest, and darken the sanctuary, as we retell the story of his crucifixion. Our service will begin with hand and foot washing (for those who wish) and a communion meal in the community room, where we often gather with friends for meals, then proceed to the garden remembering Gethsemane, and will conclude in the sanctuary. Preparations are being made for a special event that we hope you will be able to attend.

April 2: Community Good Friday Service, 12:15 pm. Union Church will host the Berea Ministerial Association joint midday worship service recounting Jesus' last hours. This meditative service includes participants from churches all over Berea and will last approximately 45 minutes for those who must return to work.

April 3: Holy Saturday Work Day, 9:00 am. Gather with Pastor Kent as we clean and prepare the sanctuary for our Easter guests. We'll dust the pews, and prepare the decorations, as well as spruce up the outsides as we welcome a joyful Easter.

April 4: Easter Sunrise Service, Berea Cemetery, 6:15 am. The Berea Ministerial Association hosts this all-church celebration of Easter Morning as the sun rises over Pilot knob and the Pinnacles. Meet at the eastern-most ridge of the Berea Cemetery for worship, song, and prayer with all our neighbors.

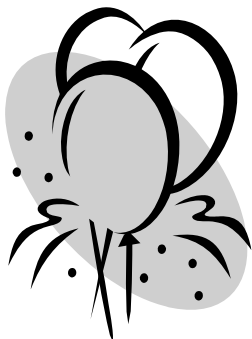
April 4: Easter Activities for Kids, 9:30 am, beginning in Room 104—gather first for an Easter Lesson, then on to the Egg Hunt!

Union Church Celebration of the Resurrection, 10:30 am. Join to recall the joy and hope of that first Easter Morning, and to renew yourself by recalling that God's love is not reserved in that long-ago time.

If you have any questions about these events, please call the office at 986-3725, or email office@union-church.org. All events are open to people of all ages. Child care is provided for children under 5 at all events.



April Birthdays & Anniversaries



Birthdays

- 2 Bob Bates
- 2 Marlene Payne
- 2 Jane Stephenson
- 3 Leslie Berger
- 8 Andrew Eppley
- 9 Jean Huffman
- 10 Carol Shaffer
- 12 Joan Bates
- 12 Della Walters
- 13 Jeff From
- 15 Brooke Mecham
- 19 Magnolia Clark
- 20 Howard Carlberg

- 21 Shirley Dean
- 22 Shirley Carlberg
- 24 Saidi Harl
- 24 Elaine Vaughn
- 26 John Haynes
- 27 Bryce Carlberg

18 Carol & Bob Shaffer

If we don't know your birthday or anniversary, we want to! Or if we've made a mistake please call or email the office..

Anniversaries

- 1 Cheyenne & Richard Olson
- 6 Steve & Ann Rhodes
- 9 Dorie & Tom Hubbard
- 13 Thana & Steve Connelly



News of the Family...



Union Church is a place where your faith can grow and deepen. We are actively looking for those who would like to explore discipleship with Jesus in this congregation. If you'd like to formally join Union Church, please call the office.

"Union Church welcomes all followers of Christ and works with all who work with Him; respecting each person's conscience; working by love,

endeavoring to keep the unity of the spirit in the bond of peace."

In Our Prayers:

- **Ben Neal** and **Lenore Fisher** both undergoing neurological tests.
- **Lowell Taylor** and family as his cancer progresses.
- **Patty Boyce** who will have double heart valve replacement surgery April 15.
- **Les Kovacs**, and all suffering from memory loss.
- **John Courter**, who has completed his initial chemotherapy.

- **Marty Edwards** and **Rebekah Phillippi** who will marry May 29th.

The Central Kentucky Blood Center thanks the Berea community and Union Church for a successful blood drive! Up to 299 procedures will be assisted with the donations of 109 participants!

Farewell Boy Scouts! Troop #51, after nearly a century of meeting at Union Church has chosen to relocate its charter to Glades Christian Church, feeling that the space was better suited to the needs of the boys. We will miss them and wish them well.

Know Your New Pals...A Conversation with Carol Shaffer

by Leslie Berger

A charming woman who states "I will never be bored" is a special woman of many interests. That is a description of Carol Shaffer.

Born in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, Carol and her family attended the same Baptist church as did Bob

Shaffer and his family. Although he is six years older she thought of him as "really cute." The families were close and, after attending Penn State University on scholarship for a time, Carol moved to New York City with Bob's younger sister.

New York City in the fifties was an exciting place for a young woman. Carol went to the Barbizon School of Modeling. She modeled for 2 1/2 years, working mostly in department store fashion shows.

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Highlights from the 157th Annual Meeting



Over 100 members and friends gathered after church on Sunday, March 14, 2010 for the Annual Meeting. Many thanks to the Mission Board for the already-on-the-table lunch and to Rev. Kent for the 300 beautiful, amazing photos highlighting our life together in 2009, accompanied by a choir anthem, John Courter at the organ, and Deborah Payne's "May We Walk a Just Walk."

We established that we had a quorum, confirmed a parliamentarian, and thanked our loyal and much appreciated staff for their work this past year. Minutes of previous meetings were approved. All of the reports from Staff, Boards, and Officers were accepted, with a few minor edits. You are urged to spend time – if you haven't already – reading each of these reports. They are filled with details of the good work

of our church – told in words, that add to the images of the photos shown earlier.

The major business before the congregation was a **Resolution to Try a New Form of Board Governance for an 18-Month Period**, moved by General Committee.

Betty Hibler, Chair of General Committee, Ashley Cochrane, member of the Visioning/Long Range Planning Taskforce, and SaraKatharine Manning-Beavin, member of the Restructuring Board Work Team, spoke about each phase of the work of the past three years, following the vote of Union Church in 2007 to prepare for a mission and vision-driven capital campaign. Following discussion and a number of questions, the members present voted to adopt the Resolution, with one dissenting vote.

Robert Boyce, Chair of the Nominating Committee, presented the slate of Officers, Board Members, and Pastoral Relations Committee members for vote. Betty Hibler presented names for the

Nominating Committee and for Honorary Deacons. All persons nominated were voted in unanimously.

Jean Boyce was recognized and thanked for her six years of service as our Moderator. In his remarks on behalf of the congregation, Steve Rhodes taught us all a new word that he said described Jean so well, the Christian virtue of *solertia*. Just ask anyone present to explain what it means, if by chance it's not a word you are familiar with!

Finally, all Officers, Board Members, and Committee Members were asked to stand for a brief Installation Ceremony by Rev. Kent and Moderator Jean Boyce. The meeting closed with our signing "May We Walk a Just Walk," led by Deborah Payne.

Thanks to all who deliberated on our work together! Check the website or bulletin board for Annual Meeting minutes! (www.union-church.org).

Thank You from the Outgoing Moderator, Jean Boyce

At our Annual Meeting on the 14th I was indeed speechless following the unanticipated accolades that you all showered on me at the end of the meeting!

The flowering plant, the handcrafted jewelry and messages from the children, the glowing halo, and the words and sentiments that Kent, Betty, and Steve expressed were humbling. I thought you might have said "Good Job!" and I would have been content; but no, you all went for it! Being your Moderator has been a joy and reward for me these past 6 years.

Now remember to treat your new one with the same care and love that you have shown to me!

Update on our Progress toward a Capital Campaign

How much do you know about the work that is going on to lead us to a unified capital campaign project? Did you know that:

- A building team has been hard at work to identify immediate and long range needs of our physical facility? And that some of the work under the porch is already beginning?
- Another team has been working on choosing a fundraising consultant to work with us?
- A group of us have met with an architect who could lead us through the development and understanding of our renovation project?

The work team with the task to recommend a capital campaign consultant convened in January to research and to choose a fundraiser to assist us when we do approve and are ready to launch a capital campaign. Bob Berger, Eric Dodson, Sally Hindman, Tennant Kirk, and Paul Smithson, made the contacts, assembled credentials. Jean Boyce, Rev. Kent, and Betty Hibler joined them to conduct phone interviews with 4 companies on Saturday, March 13. This team is now ready to make their choice of the consultant who will lead us through this process. This has been *advance work*, so that when we are ready to approve and launch the campaign we do not lose our momentum by having to stop and find a fundraising consultant.

The following Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon Bob Boyce, Jean Boyce, Joan English, Rev. Kent, Betty Hibler, Wyndee Holbrook, Loretta Mountjoy, Deborah Payne, Marlene Payne, and Bill Stolte, spent several hours with an architect from a firm, *Building God's Way* (that Rev. Kent and Leslie Berger had recommended) whom General Committee had invited to come and help us develop a strategic plan for building renovations that will be desirable to carry us forward in our ministry. We already know that there are some critical repairs that will need to be done sooner rather than later, and he hopes to bring us a *charrette* presentation within a month. With this presentation many of you will be asked to participate with reviewing, modifying and accepting the ideas and plans. Watch for your opportunity to participate in this process!

There is also a recommendation from the work team that studied staffing needs that is now in the hands of Church Council for discussion and approval for incorporation into the capital campaign.

These are exciting times in the life of Union Church. We hope that as many of you as possible will be active participants in all that will be unfolding this spring, summer and fall.

From Jean Boyce

We, the People of Union Church, seek to live out our discipleship to God as a community inspired by Jesus' transforming love. As a gathering of those seeking to boldly and creatively embody Christ's life and ministry, we commit ourselves to work and fellowship that makes the radical and inclusive love of God, the beloved community proclaimed by Jesus, and the continuing inspiration of the Holy Spirit visible and real to all. As one in body with Christ, we commit ourselves to acts of:

Unbounded Hospitality to Build a Beloved Community of Christ

Thoughtful, Inspirational and Intentional Faith Development

Passionate Worship

Risk-Taking Mission and Service

Extravagant Generosity and Care in Our Stewardship

The Leadership of Union Church

Officers

Treasurer: Tom Manning-Beavin 2012 Financial Secretary: Patty Boyce 2011
 Sunday School Superintendent: Clerk: Debra Catron 2012
 Moderator: Marlene Payne 2012
 Vice Moderator & Chair of Church Council: Betty Hibler 2011

Faith Development Board :

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Bob Berger	Joyce Henderson
Megan Purcell	Michelle Tooley
Hazel Morris	Jessica Spencer

Administration Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Gail Wolford	Nancy Hindman
	Joe Spencer

Mission and Service Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Katie Basham	Delores Carpenter
Annriette Stolte	Demetrius Semien
Doug Hindman	Sally Zimmerman

Pastoral Relations Committee:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>	<u>Class of 2013</u>
Gene Chao	SaraK. Manning-Beavin	Stephanie Woodie
Merlin Kindel	Paul Smithson	Hamdy Kemp

Worship Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Robert Boyce	Jenny Bromley
Teresa Gowler	Carla Gilbert

Church Council Members-at-large:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Jan Hamilton	Patti Smithson

Nominating Committee:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>	<u>Class of 2013</u>
Ramona Culp	Les Pross	Sune Frederiksen
Dottie Blackburn	Dot Kindel	Roger Cook

Community Life and Growth Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Gary Dillon	Kevin Burke
	Mia Shaffer
	Shirley Carlberg

Honorary Lifetime Deacons

Dottie Blackburn	Mary Miller
Helen Connelly	James Orwig
Judy Drake	Virginia Piland
Richard Drake	Martha Pride
Mary French	Les Pross
Charles Harris	Mary Lou Pross
Joyce Henderson	Bernice Robertson
Loyal Jones	Bob Shaffer
Nancy Jones	Dorothy Tredennick
Hamdy Kemp	Klara Welsh
	Charles Wesley
	Ruth Wesley
	Betty Wray

Nurture and Care Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Nancy Shinn	Nora Ruth Jenkins
	Joy Frazier
	John Payne

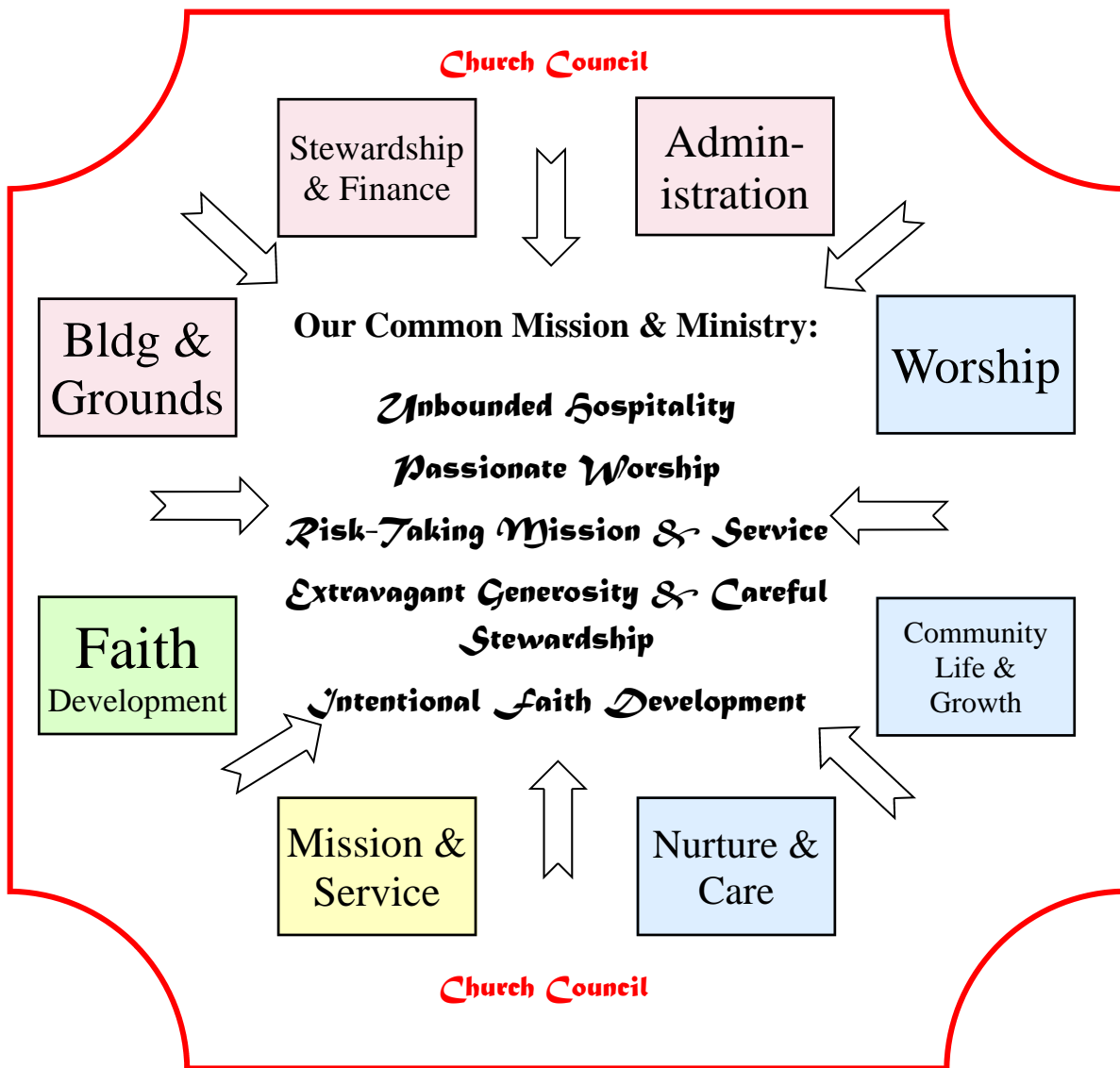
Stewardship and Finance Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
	Bill Srsic
	Sally Hindman

Properties Board:

<u>Class of 2011</u>	<u>Class of 2012</u>
Howard Carlberg	Tom Frazier
Bill Stolte	Gerald Catron
	Steve Boyce

New Pilot Project Board Structure, adopted at March 14, 2010, Annual Meeting



Kaleidoscopes of Care Groups, the next phase

“K” Groups are commissioned to help us in reaching our vision as a community of believers, particularly in the areas of unbounded hospitality and faith development.

Four “K” Groups have been meeting weekly since the first Sunday in Lent. Relationships have been forged and deepened. We’ve learned that we don’t all read a Psalm the same way. We’ve learned that we really do come from many differing traditions. We’ve learned we have much in common. We’ve learned we like knowing and being known.



These groups will officially end with Lent, or will they? Care groups take on a life of their own, and each group will decide what the next step will be.

The Kaleidoscope leadership team sees the need to form future groups around focal topics. We’ve heard resonance around the topics of forgiveness, divorce, parenting, women’s spirituality and vegetarianism.

WHAT areas of dialogue would compel you to be in a group for an hour and a half on a regular basis? (The groups will decide how often they meet.) All groups will be encouraged to explore a

lectionary reading together, pray together and share life together. If you’d like to facilitate or participate let us know. I can be reached at wyndee@union-church.org or 200-9880. Tell your ideas to any of the “K” group leadership team: Debbonnaire Kovacs, John Culp, Toby Wilcher, Donna Dopson, or Ron Mullins. Additionally, interest cards will be made available in the worship service starting on Palm Sunday.



Join in - “K” Groups are a great way to get connected to God and to each other!

Wyndee Holbrook

Please Note: A New Small Group will be starting up at Debbonnaire Kovacs’ house on Friday evenings at 7, beginning on the Friday after Easter, April 9. This group will use music and group activities to enrich its Bible study and discussion. To join, call Debbonnaire at 859-779-0793 or just show up! Children are welcome to the first meeting, after which a group decision will be made concerning children. Come down Prospect 6/10 mile to the red house in the curve, on the right (773). Park in the circular driveway (plenty of parking).

Deacons’ Report

The Deacons had their last full Board meeting on Tuesday, March 9, with eight persons present; Rev. Kent joined us. Joy Frazier reported that the Carlbergs have agreed to edit the Sunday morning video recording when the camera is repaired/working.

Because of difficulties both with the audio and video, a different sound board may be

rented this week to determine if in fact it is our present board that is causing the sound and video problems.

An adapter has been purchased for the video camera (\$163--taken from the media resources budget).

A new three foot Christ Candle has been purchased (\$120+ postage) to replace the former candle.

Trustees (Gail Wolford) have written a Handbell Choir Director position paper and contract; as of March 10, Shirley Carlberg was asked to continue

and has accepted the position (the Worship committee of Deacons is charged with the responsibility for music (Organist, Vocal Choir Director, Bell Choir Director and purchasing of musical supplies). The Deacons provided the Lenten lunch on Sunday, March 7; no evening potluck will be held this month.

Bob Boyce will provide the communion elements for Maundy Thursday and the Deacons will be heavily involved with Easter Service; we await Rev. Kent’s ideas and instructions. the meeting began with a devotional and ended in prayer.



Greetings!

Spring has sprung and we are grateful for the promise of new life and a little more sunshine! Thank you to our youth who participated in the Maundy Thursday service prior to Easter. Your drama skills helped reconstruct some of the most powerful moments of Passion week.

As our gardens start to grow, the high school youth would like

to help out with yard work or other small tasks in order to raise funds for the upcoming trip to Minnesota. Please contact me at 353-7577 if you would like help with a project of raking, weeding or general yard clean up.

Both middle school and high school youth will be involved in a park clean up on Saturday April 24 from 10 to noon in partnership with the Church of Ladder Day Saints. We'll collect trash along the Berea Parks ball fields and walking paths areas behind the Berea Community School, followed by a meal and fellowship. It's an opportunity to get to know

our neighbors and help take care of God's creation.

Also in April, on the 17th, the middle school youth will have a church lock-in, sharing an evening of games, movies, fellowship and fun. We're looking for a few good energetic parents and other adults to join us for a night that promises to be full of laughter. Be sure to pack a sleeping bag because we do intend to get at least a little sleep!

It's going to be a busy month. Thanks so much for your involvement!

In Peace, Deborah

From the Trustees

The Board of Trustees met March 9th at 6pm due to the important items on its agenda.

At their March meeting the Trustees approved a contract for \$10,530 to replace the 25 year old Heating/Ventilating system in Cowan Chapel with a significantly more energy efficient system. It's expected work will be completed before the end of March.

In addition, the group approved employing Sean Perry to oversee the selection of a contractor and the contractor's work installing the necessary reinforcement under the front porch and steps. The work is to be completed this spring according to the design of Pogue Engineering. Estimated cost of this project is some \$45-50,000. Both projects will be financed from the Hutchins' Capital Improvement Loan Fund with the understanding the Fund will be replenished on a annual basis from the Church's budget. In preparation for the work of the contractors, the Trustees have engaged Erik Reinhart and Gary Dillon to organize, and with the



help of Church volunteers, remove 1-2 tons of earthen debris left in this area from prior work.

More detailed information is available for anyone interested.

Proposal for the stairwell restoration is on hold until the convocations from Berea College are completed.

The new security system is in place and a audible buzzer allows anyone in the office to be aware of an entrance through the ramp door.

A discussion was held regarding the proposed restructuring of the boards, due to concerns regarding the many tasks that the Trustees do and there not being a plan in place for these tasks to be delegated. A proposal was made and unanimously adopted to present a plan for a six month transition for the Trustee board with the new smaller committees. This will be presented to Rev. Kent and Betty Hibler.

We have had a very successful year and have accomplished most of the goals of our board and feel we have fulfilled the mandate given us by the constitution of Union Church.

Submitted by Leslie Berger

Kentucky Interfaith Power and Light Fundraising Dinner with Rev. Sally Bingham - Tuesday, April 6,

St. Matthew Episcopal Church, Louisville -- Call for Reservations: (502) 210-8920 Or Contact: Betty Hibler - 986-7252

Sally Bingham, a homemaker turned Episcopal priest, developed a new strategy to combat global warming: organize churches, synagogues, Buddhist temples and mosques to buy "green" electricity generated by wind and solar power, to reduce energy consumption in their buildings, and to preach the message that as stewards of God's creation, congregants have a religious and moral obligation to protect the environment.

In 1993, Bingham founded the Regeneration Project, a nonprofit organization that created a national Interfaith Power and Light Campaign to unite all faiths in efforts to prevent the catastrophic

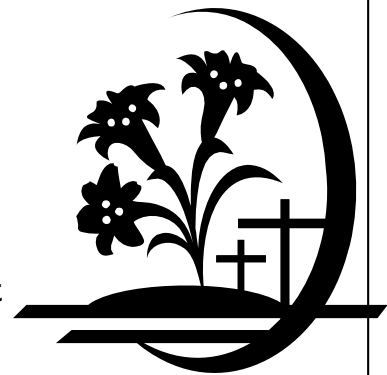
effects of global warming. So far, more than 4,000 congregations are participating in 29 states.

Bingham has been featured in the national media including articles in the Wall Street Journal and YES magazine. She has won numerous awards including the US EPA Climate Protection Award, the 2007 Purpose Prize, 2006 Conservation Champion Award, and the 2002 international Global Energy Award. In 2007, The World Wildlife Fund recognized the Regeneration Project as a Sacred Gift to the Planet. In addition, her work with Interfaith Power and Light was featured in the award winning documentary *Renewal*.

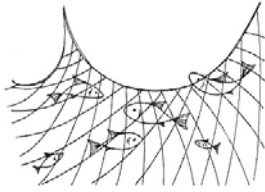


Community Service at the Berea Park: On April 24, 10:00-12:00, we will join hands with the fellowship of the local Latter Day Saints congregation to plant, weed, and clean up the Berea Parks ball fields and walking paths areas behind the Berea Community School. Everyone is invited, and families with children are especially welcome to join in this service opportunity. Morning refreshments and fellowship will precede our work together. Won't you pitch in? Please call or e-mail Teri Mehler to reply: teri@kellymehler.com or (home) 986-8761.

Would you like to dedicate Easter lilies in memory or in honor of loved ones this year? You can bring your lilies to the hallway outside the office before **noon Friday, April 2.** If you would like your dedication printed in the bulletin, please call, email, or leave a note in the office by **noon, Thursday, April 1** - please note that the florists deliver **only**, they don't inform the office of dedications.



Lent, Easter

**April 4, 2010****John 20:1-18**

Acts 10:34-43 or Isaiah
65:17-25

Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24

1 Corinthians 15:19-26 or
Acts 10:34-43
Luke 24:1-12

April 11, 2010**Acts 5:27-32**

Psalms 118:14-29 or Psalm
150

Revelation 1:4-8
John 20:19-31

April 18, 2010**Acts 9:1-6, (7-20)**

Psalms 30

Revelation 5:11-14
John 21:1-19

April 25, 2010**Acts 9:36-43**

Psalms 23

Revelation 7:9-17
John 10:22-30

Holy Week Labyrinth--The 60' circular labyrinth, a 5-circuit modified Chartres, at Debonnaire Kovacs' house will be open and available at any time during Holy Week. We will have a special group walk after the Good Friday service, as well. Come down Prospect 6/10 mile to the red house in the curve, on the right (773). Park in the circular driveway (plenty of parking). If Chieftain the Great Dane is out in the back yard, you will want to walk back along the front of the house by the road and enter the Labyrinth

(Carol Shaffer continued from page 2)

She also took night classes at the New York Institute of Art, paying her expenses by working as an usher at Carnegie Hall.

As exciting as life in New York City was, she left it to marry Bob Shaffer in 1959. He was pastor of a small Presbyterian Church and Carol became a Presbyterian at that time. She states she "loved being a pastor's wife and always lied the older parishioners."

Bob's last church was in Glassboro, NJ. His career took a different path as he worked in the government anti-poverty programs. This employment led the Shaffers to Berea in the 1960s as Bob worked with the War on Poverty at the request of Sargent Shriver. The Shaffers enjoyed this area and visited after moving to New Jersey, where they lived for twenty years in a large Victorian home and raised their family of five children. Ben is the youngest, and the only child living in Kentucky, actually Berea. His brothers Colin, David and Steve, as well as sister Beth are scattered around the country.

While the children were in grade school Carol opened an antique store. She had the trust of elderly church members who called upon her when breaking up their homes for retirement living. Carol sold mostly furniture, but also linens which she tenderly ironed to show at their most beautiful. Because she also likes to sew, she dressed antique dolls.

Known locally for her lovely paintings, Carol says she has always painted and many of her works are displayed throughout her home, as well as being seen in the Berea Arts Council Gallery. She also collects antique toys and marbles, her newest interest.

In their fifties the Shaffers made a career change. They purchased a farm in Estill County which had a log house without city water or indoor plumbing. They began with no knowledge of farming and the only tools they had were garden tools! During the eighteen years they lived on the farm their knowledge grew, their enjoyment grew, and they thrived as they raised beef cattle. The time for retirement brought Carol and Bob back to Berea. They purchased a lovely, comfortable home which is a warm and cozy and has plenty of collecting room. Carol is preparing to paint many of the rooms.


Carol Shaffer is a multi-talented lady with a warm and welcoming smile and eyes that sparkle, that Union Church is fortunate to have as a member of its congregation.

**Serving as Worship
Leaders in April**

April 4 John Payne
April 11 Deborah Payne
April 18 Adam Bailey
April 25 Sara Katherine
Manning-Beavin

Call Jenny Bromley if you'd like to serve in this way, 623-5007

April, 2010, at Union Church

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>Regular Sunday Schedule 9:30 am—Christian Education for all ages 10:30 am—Morning Worship 4:00 pm—ShapeNote Singers, 1st & 3rd</p>				<p>1 10:30 am—Mothers Forum, 204 12:00 pm—Bible Study 6:15 pm—Choir 7:00 pm -Service, p. 1</p>	<p>2 9:00 am—Woman’s Industrial 12:15 pm—Service, Sanctuary, see p. 1</p>	<p>3 9:00 am—Work Day, p. 1</p>
<p>4 <i>Easter Sunday!</i></p>	<p>5 7:00 pm—AA Big Book Study, Dialog Center</p>	<p>6</p>	<p>Regular Wednesday Nite Live! Schedule 5:00 pm Middle School Youth Group</p>	<p>8 10:30 am—Mothers Forum, 204 12:00 pm—Bible Study 6:15 pm—Choir</p>	<p>9 9:00 am—Woman’s Industrial</p>	<p>10</p>
<p>11</p>	<p>12 7:00 pm—AA Big Book Study, Dialog Center</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>5:45 pm Supper (donation) 6:15 pm Senior High Youth Group</p>	<p>15 10:30 am—Mothers Forum, 204 12:00 pm—Bible Study 6:15 pm—Choir</p>	<p>16 9:00 am—Woman’s Industrial SaraCare, sanctuary & Comm. Rm.</p>	<p>17</p>
<p>18  <small>breadfortheworld HAVE FAITH. END HUNGER.</small> 1:00 pm—Re-Entry Partners</p>	<p>19 7:00 pm—AA Big Book Study, Dialog Center</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>6:30 pm Bible Study on Romans, Rm. 204, Activities for Elementary aged kids, 104 College Fellowship, Comm. Rm.</p>	<p>22 10:30 am—Mothers Forum, 204 12:00 pm—Bible Study 6:15 pm—Choir</p>	<p>23 9:00 am—Woman’s Industrial</p>	<p>24 Work Day with LDS Church members, see p. 9</p>
<p>25</p>	<p>26 7:00 pm—AA Big Book Study, Dialog Center</p>	<p>27</p>	<p>7:00 pm Bell Choir, 3rd Floor Choir Room</p>	<p>29 10:30 am—Mothers Forum, 204 12:00 pm—Bible Study 6:15 pm—Choir</p>	<p>30 9:00 am—Woman’s Industrial</p>	

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breadfortheworld
HAVE FAITH. END HUNGER.

Sunday, April 18: Bread for the World's Offering of Letters

Plan to stay after church on Sunday, April 18, and write letters to Congress on behalf of low-income families. This year, Bread for the World's Offering of Letters urges Congress to protect and strengthen key tax credits that help low-income working families in the United States. Programs like the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and the Child Tax Credit are critical to making sure that low-income working families have the resources they need to provide for their food and other basic needs. Each year, the Earned Income Tax Credit alone lifts 5 million Americans, including 2.6 million children, above the poverty line.