

BAY MESSENGER

JUNE-JULY 2009

10 a.m. Sunday School

10 a.m. Sunday Worship

Child care available



“THE WORD IN JUNE-JULY”

June 7—First Sunday after Pentecost/Graduation Sunday

PEACE WITH JUSTICE SPECIAL OFFERING

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Recognition of graduates

Romans 8:12-17; John 3:1-17

Message: **“ACTING UP FOR GOD”**

The message is specifically for our high school graduates and will include some unique gifts from Rev. Bill.

June 14—Second Sunday after Pentecost

I Samuel 15:34-16:13; Mark 4:26-34

Message: **“UNLIKELY BEGINNINGS”**

June 21—Third Sunday after Pentecost/Father’s Day

I Samuel 17:1a, 4-11; 19-23, 32-49; Mark 4:35-41

Message: **“THE PERFECT STORM”**

June 28—Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Psalm 130; 2 Corinthians 8:7-15

Message: **“FOLLOW-THROUGH”**

July 5—Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION

Psalm 48; 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Message: **“ALL SUFFICIENT GRACE IS FOR ALL”**

July 12—Sixth Sunday after Pentecost

Rev. Bill will be away — there will be a guest preacher

July 19—Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

Rev. Bill will be away — there will be a guest preacher



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APPALACHIAN SERVICE PROJECT

Sunday, June 14
through
Saturday, June 20
Please keep the 49
participants
in your prayers.

INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK

Sunday, June 21
through
Saturday, June 27
Sign up sheets
in the Narthex
to help in
various ways.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

As usual, our summer office hours starting June 15 will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Carol Sue will be out of the office from June 9 through June 29, and the office will be staffed with volunteers. **If you have anything that needs to go in the bulletin during that time, please have it in to the office by the Monday before it goes in the bulletin..**

The next **Messenger** deadline is **Sunday, July 12.**

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN

CIRCLE NEWS



Sarah Ruth Circle

Wednesday, June 10
12:00 noon
Lunch at Rock Cliff Restaurant on
Wooster Road.
Carpool at the church at 11:30 a.m.

Circle of Hope

Sunday, June 14
7 p.m.
Parlor

GO PAPERLESS — GET THE MESSENGER ON LINE!

Because we are actively striving to be good stewards and due to the increasing cost of publishing the *MESSENGER*, we encourage you to view the *MESSENGER* from our website.

E-mail carolsue_bumc@sbcglobal.net, and we will take you off our “snail” mail list. You will receive a notice by e-mail each month letting you know that the new issue is on our web site, www.bayumc.org.



“OVER 50” RETREAT

October 2, 3, 4
Oberlin Inn

“MARKERS ALONG THE JOURNEY”

Cost—\$350/couple
Singles available.

We encourage all to come and be with us!

PLEASE NOTIFY

THE CHURCH OFFICE

of any birth, death, marriage, hospitalization,
change of address, or change of email address

OUTREACH MINISTRY

THANK YOU, CONGREGATION!

Thank you for your support for the Outreach mission project, “**Protein for the Hungry.**” On May 11, Gene delivered cases number 43 and 44 (30 dozen eggs per case). A total of 1,320 dozen eggs (15,840 eggs) have been donated by Bay UMC over 29 months. You have helped many persons to have protein in their diets.

Gene has made 38 trips (1,755 miles) delivering eggs and food to WSEM. You, the generous people of Bay UMC, have made it possible. God bless you all!

Gene and Arlene Johnson

FINANCE MINISTRY

2009 YEAR-TO-DATE INCOME AND EXPENSE

Beginning Cash Balance 1/1/09	\$ 27
Receipts Year-to-date: (See note below)	+ 175,678
Expenses year-to-date	- 152,017
Ending Balance 4/30/09	\$ 23,688

NOTE: Receipts include \$30,307 in prepaid pledges for 2009.

Your response to the letter with your first quarter statement was very positive. Our receipts for April were \$48,914. This brings our receipts in line with our projections for the first 4 months of the year. Please keep up the good work and THANK YOU for your continued generosity and support of Bay UMC’s ministry in these difficult financial times.

WELLNESS MINISTRY

SAVE THE DATE! — SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 ANNUAL HEALTH FAIR AND RALLY DAY

We are again partnering with St. John West Shore to offer our congregation various screenings and AED training. This summer please remember to check out our bulletin board and the BUMC web-

site for health related information and updates.

June is National Safety Month — check out the National Safety Council’s website: www.nsc.org/nsm/index.aspx for

safety tips about teen driving, preventing falls, overexertion, and distracted driving.

Wishing everyone a safe and healthy summer!

SMILES FOR SOPHIE FOREVER

2nd Annual Birthday Bash & Dash, July 4

Join in the fight against pediatric brain cancer by participating in the 2nd Annual Smiles for Sophie Birthday Bash & Dash. This fun family event, held at Walker Road Park in Avon Lake, celebrates the life of Sophie Quayle, a 4-year old Avon Lake resident who lost her battle with a brain tumor. Last year’s 1,200 participants raised \$50,000. Proceeds support families burdened by pediatric brain tumors and provide financial support to St. Jude.

On this 4th of July, 2009, Sophie should be celebrating her 6th birthday. In her honor, join the birthday party fun, which will include the race/walk, music, food, children’s games, bounce houses, face-painting, and much more. For more information and to register, visit www.smilesforsophieforever.org.

If you have any questions or do not have internet access, call Candace Ashton, 440-930-2949.

FROM OUR MAILBAG . . .

Thank you for the great support offered to Mom and us after her death. The number of cards and expressions of concern have been overwhelming. The Care Network has been fantastic.

Love and Peace!

Rollin and Family

Thank you for your gift for Disaster Response, International. Again, thanks for your generous support to mission.

Roland Fernandes,

General Board of Global Ministries

Dear Friend,

As a member of Bay United Methodist, you may or may not be aware of the fact that your church is a part of a non-profit organization, **Bay Interfaith Housing**. The sole mission of this organization is to provide the residents of the Knickerbocker Apartments with an affordable, safe, and secure place to live, coupled with programs, activities, and services that enrich their quality of life.

Holiday parties, summer cookouts, musical events, educational forums, and many other activities are regularly scheduled for the benefit of our residents as part of the **West Shore Senior**

Center. Hot nutritious meals have also become an integral part of the daily operations here and is a vital need to maintain the health and well-being of so many of our residents.

When you make your charitable contributions, we would appreciate your consideration of the West Shore Senior Center. Your assistance would directly impact the lives of our residents. **The center, under the auspices of Bay Inter-Faith Housing, has the IRS designation of 501(C)(3) and, therefore, is tax-deductible.**

Thank you for any donation you can make to help us continue to serve the residents of the Knickerbocker.

Anne M. Naumann, Director
West Shore Senior Center



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