



# The Jubilate

First United Methodist  
Church  
of Leavenworth, KS

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## ~\*CAMP SONSHINE\*~

July 26-28, 2011

9:30a.m. - noon

Experience  
Church Camp  
and  
sleep in your own  
bed at night!

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\*Campfire Songs\*

\*Nature Crafts\*

\*Tentmaker Tales\*

\*Game Trails\*

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AGES

3 years ~ 5th Grade

TO PRE-REGISTER: CONTACT NANCY SHADE

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Volunteers needed for:

# Camp SonShine

July 26-28 ~ 9:30a.m.-Noon

To be a Camp Counselor, please sign up in the office or contact Nancy Shade. [nancysshade@sbcglobal.net](mailto:nancysshade@sbcglobal.net)

On Monday, July 25th, we will be transforming our Ed. Building into a Campground from 9 a.m.-noon.

During this time we will have a brief run-down for the week so you'll know what to expect.

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### Prayer Concerns:

- Doris Brownson
- Rebecca Brownson
- Todd Brownson
- Inge Cochran
- Wayne and Kathy Sadowsky and family



Our purpose:

"We are a Church of the Ages,  
Serving the Present Age by making  
Disciples of Jesus Christ for the  
transformation of our community  
and world"

Our vision:

Being a spiritually dynamic, outward  
focused United Methodist  
Congregation enlivened by  
passionate worship, equipped  
discipleship and compassionate  
service.



## Did you know?



### Card Ministry

We are pleased to announce that Gary and Carol Russell have taken over our card ministry. Doris Brownson sent Birthday and Anniversary cards to the members of First UMC for many, many years. Within the last few years she was assisted by her daughter, Rebecca. Since Doris has moved to Kentucky, the Russell's have graciously agreed to continue this ministry. Donations of cards, and stamps are still welcome and can be dropped off for Gary and Carol at the Church Office at anytime. We certainly appreciate the Russell's willingness to continue this very special ministry.

### Nursery Workers Wanted

We are in need of ADULT and High School youth to work in our Nursery. If you love working with small children and want to earn some extra \$\$\$, pick up an application in the church office. Adult workers need to be Safe and Sacred Sp0aces certified (a class will be offered in September). Youth workers need to be Red Cross Babysitter course certified. Classes are offered at the Red Cross. Call the Red Cross at 682-6222 for details. Any questions? Contact the church office at 682-5374.

People are funny – they want the front of the bus, the middle of the road and the back of the church.

–Unknown

We have begun a new **prayer ministry** within the church. On Wednesday mornings, from 6 a.m. to 8 a.m., the chapel in the Education building will be open for anyone who wants to participate, to join us in a time of prayer. You can come and go as your schedule permits—no questions asked, no explanations expected. There are no leaders, no agenda, no requirements. All you have to do is want to join others in a time of prayer for our church. We hope to see you on Wednesday mornings.

**Congratulations** to Gary and Cheryl Rader upon the birth of a new grandchild. Finley Fern Meadow Rader was born to Brian and Adrienne on July 11th. Proud sister Isla welcomed her home.

### Ushers Needed!

Tony and Nina McNeill are in need of two more ushers for their team. They usher in July, November, and March at the 11:00 service. Please contact them at 727-2524 if you would like to assist with this usher team.

The Young Christian Singers Mini Tour Group will rehearse Thursday, July 21st from 4 - 6 pm.

### Join the Young Christian Singers Mini Tour Group

for their Homecoming Concert this Friday, July 22nd at 7pm. They will share the songs and skits performed on their tour. A reception will follow in Fellowship Hall.

### Missing!

Sandy Pepper is missing a Pampered Chef spatula that she brought to the Youth Potluck on June 19th. If you picked it up by mistake, please bring it by the office.



“They must have had some form of email.  
The Apostle Paul wrote the epistles.”



The Young Christian Singers Mini Tour Group will have their Homecoming Concert this Friday evening, **July 22nd at 7 pm** in the Sanctuary. You are invited to come hear the songs and skits they performed while on their tour of Topeka. A reception will follow in Fellowship Hall. We look forward to seeing you there!



# August 2011

First United Methodist Church

## SUNDAY SERVICES:

8:30 AM Worship Service \* 9:45 AM Church School \* 11:00 AM Worship Service \* 6:00 PM Youth Group

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> 10 am Staff Mtg 7 pm Work Areas: Missions, Worship & Music and Connections	<b>3</b> 8:45 am Heart & Soul 6:30 Pm Heart & Soul	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>7</b> 8:30 pm Youth Outdoor Movie Night	<b>8</b> 6 pm SPRC 6 pm UMW 7 pm Discipleship	<b>9</b> Fort Leavenworth Schools start!  10 am Staff Mtg 7 pm Trustees	<b>10</b> 8:45 am Heart & Soul 9:30 am Nurture Care 6:30 Pm Heart & Soul	<b>11</b> 12 pm Newsletter Deadline	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> 9 am - 1 pm Pair Day at Fort Leavenworth
<b>14</b> 2 pm Twin Oaks Service  6 pm Youth Back to School BBQ	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Leavenworth Schools start!  10 am Staff Mtg 7 pm Finance	<b>17</b> Lansing Schools start!  8:45 am Heart & Soul 6:30 Pm Heart & Soul	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>21</b> 6 pm Youth Group  Mark Paisar, Our new Organist Starts!	<b>22</b> 6 pm Crop Walk Recruitment	<b>23</b> 10 am Staff Mtg 7 pm Church Council	<b>24</b> 9 am Modern Parables Bible Study  3:45 Wonderful Wednesday Starts!	<b>25</b> 12 pm Newsletter Deadline	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> 9 am Safe & Sacred Spaces
<b>28</b> 6 pm Youth Group	<b>29</b> 6:30 pm Boy & Cub Scouts 6:30 pm Friends of Jesus Cookout	<b>30</b> 10 am Staff Mtg	<b>31</b> 9 am Modern Parables Bible Study  3:45 Wonderful Wednesday!			

## August Birthdays and Anniversaries

1	Susan Goerzen	1	Rick & Mary Lou Anderson	40th
2	Marshall Hopkins	5	Richard & Brenda Sheumaker	33rd
3	Chester Holmes, Wes Ludwig, Steven Shade, Jake Taylor, Robert Woodcock	8	John & Virginia Hardaway	52nd
4	Karen Kidder, Trish Simms	10	Neil & Dianna Bustraan	26th
5	Amy Brandt, Steve Scrimsher		Wade & Valynn Schmierer	38th
6	Zachary Resch, Randy Zimmerman	11	Jon & Jenny Bishop	10th
8	Lori Hansen, Kyle Simpson		Doug & Alice Hall	38th
10	Bill Bailey, Helen Myres, Phyllis Shuck	12	Keith & Libby Frashier	31st
11	Melissa Poe, Mary Seymour		Roy & Donna Ramsey	44th
12	Randy Herrman, Stephanie Marris, Christina Mundy	14	Bill & Rita Wood	40th
13	Betty Logan, Dee Lord, John Morris		Bob & Vera Hrabak	57th
14	Kiernan Riffel, Nancy Shade, Madelyn Whitten	15	Gary & Darlene Fees	51st
15	Linda Langley, Ailie Scanlon, Katherine Seigel	16	Charlie & Marguerite Hilscher	54th
17	Aileen Hastings, Janette Holdeman, Bob Logan, Sr., Joe Sepulvado	17	Max & Donna Pittman	54th
18	Robbie Garnett, Laura Nott	20	Marion & Wandadeane Cocke	72nd
19	Chris Whitworth		Dean & Carla Hamon	46th
20	Steve Songer		Tim & Shirley Hutabarat	39th
21	Shawn Cupp, Katelynn Hutabarat	21	Steven & Heather Deputy	18th
22	Trenton Davis, Chris Hansen, Ryan Johnson, Meredith Roush, Angie Raymos	22	Joe & Lynne Sepulvado	30th
23	Ron White		Mike & LeaAnn Weilbacher	30th
24	Zachary Baehr, Trudy Holyfield		John & Wilvina Aardema	54th
25	Brenda Coats, Ashley Hansen, Ruth Logan, Cory Mims	25	Jack & Jo Burkett	44th
26	Emma Jane Nelson, Kathy Serena, Caleb Shade, Jim Walley		Randal & Jackie Zimmerman	27th
27	Nancy Dawson, Lauren Herring, Avery Holyfield, Brian Resch	27	Dustin & Anna Zeck	6th
28	Thomas Sodowsky	28	Jim & Lynne Atwell	29th
29	Cassie Whitworth		Bill & Pam Bay	45th
30	Nicole Bustraan, Robin Sanders		Bart & Diane Carnoali	18th
31	Amanda Gilbert, Charlene Ketter, Bill Pepper	30	Doug & Jonnie Fox	8th
			Brandon & Sarah White	3rd

### Four beauty tips - beneficial to all!

Before she became an actress, Audrey Hepburn was a successful fashion model. After her acting career, she spent much of her time working for humanitarian causes around the world. These four "beauty tips" written by this former model are a snapshot of how she lived her life. They were read at her funeral.

1. For attractive lips, speak words of kindness.
2. For lovely eyes, look for the good in people.
3. For a slim figure, share your food with the hungry.
4. For poise, walk with the knowledge that you never walk alone.





## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

We are gearing up for an exciting Fall in Children's Ministry. To help us achieve maximum impact for the Lord we need your help! Please look through the list below and let me know if you are available and willing to help.

Nancy Shade  
Coordinator of Christian Education  
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### **Wonderful Wednesday (Wednesdays from 3:30 – 5:30)**

Adult Activity Leaders (need 4, have 2)

Group Shepherds – Adult and/or Youth (need at least 8)

\*Training Session on August 17th from 3:30 - 5:30 pm \*

### **Sunday School (Sundays 9:30 – 10:45)**

Assistant Teacher – 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade class (beginning September)

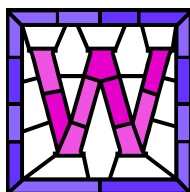
Attendance Secretary – Compile attendance and offering each week.

### **Kingdom Express (Sunday 11:00 service)**

Adult Lesson/Activity/Worship Leaders (need 3 per Sunday, please let me know if you would like to be put on the rotation team).

Group Shepherds – Adult and/or Youth (need at least 3 per Sunday, please let me know if you would like to be put on the rotation).

Emergency Squad – A team that is willing to be a last-minute replacement or addition on any given Sunday.



Wonderful

Wednesday will resume August 24th!

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A church of the ages serving the present  
age by making disciples for the  
transformation of the world!

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**[leavenworthfirst.org](http://leavenworthfirst.org)**

## Investing in the Future

Sara Mulford - Chair, Discipleship Team

Your Discipleship Team works to invest in the spiritual lives of our children, youth, and adults through a wide variety of activities at our church. It also invests in the lives of our members as they pursue educational opportunities beyond the walls of our church. The Discipleship Team is responsible for selecting recipients of higher education scholarships, but the scholarships wouldn't be available without the financial support of the congregation. Your willingness to give provides scholarships in three different ways:

- The Leavenworth FUMC Youth Scholarship Fund is supported through your regular giving to our church's unified/operating budget.
- Memorial scholarships have been made available through the generous giving of families in memory of their loved ones. In recent years the families of Louris Boyer and William Peterson have provided funds for scholarships.
- The Leavenworth FUMC College Scholarship Fund was established in May 1996 and is funded by financial gifts that members of the congregation designate specifically for the scholarship.



As our youth and adults work beyond the walls of our local church, your generosity has an impact as evidenced by these messages from some of this year's recipients:

*I am honored that you bestow this gift to me. It will help towards college textbooks.*  
Sincerely,  
Ben Coats  
(2011 Leavenworth FUMC Youth Scholarship Fund recipient)

*Thank you so much for the scholarship. It will be a great help as I continue my education. I also really appreciate the pen set. Thank you for all the support you've given me since my family moved here.*  
Steven Shade  
(2011 Leavenworth FUMC Youth Scholarship Fund recipient)

*I want to thank the United Methodist Selection committee for the generous scholarship. I am so grateful considering that my church family has already done so much to help grow my faith and sense of community. Thank you all so much,*  
Makenzie Shepard  
(2011 Leavenworth FUMC College Scholarship Fund recipient)

Congregation, thank you for helping members of our church pursue their educational goals!