

## SEPTEMBER 2010 CALENDAR

### Wednesday, September 1

10:00 am 'Meet and Eat' group  
7:00 pm Choir resumes

### Thursday, September 2

6:30 pm Building Task Force

### Friday, September 3

7:00 pm Book Club

### Sunday, September 5

UMW Serving at Bridges of Hope

6:00-8:00 U M Youth Cook Out

### Monday, September 6

Labor Day

### Tuesday, September 7

6:30 pm SPRC committee meeting

### Wednesday, September 8

6:00 pm Trustees meeting

6:30 pm WOW Begins

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### Saturday, September 11

8:00 am to 12 Workday at the Parsonage

8:45—1:00 KEC UMW Annual Meeting

7:00 pm Game night resumes

### Sunday September 12

SCRIP Order Sunday

6:00 pm Financial Peace University begins

### Monday, September 13

6:30 pm Monday Night Bible study

### Tuesday, September 14

6:30 pm Worship Committee Mtg

### Wednesday, September 15

10:00 am 'Meet and Eat' group

6:30 pm WOW

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 16

7:00 pm Missions Committee Meeting

### Saturday, September 18

8:00 am BUMM

9:00 am Prayer Shawl Circle

### Sunday September 19

6:00 pm Financial Peace University

### Monday September 20

6:30 PM Monday evening Bible Study

### Tuesday, September 21

9:00 am NEWSLETTER ARTICLES DUE

### Wednesday, September 22

6:30 pm WOW

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 23

7:00 pm Membership Care

### Sunday, September 26

SCRIP ORDER SUNDAY

6:00 pm Financial Peace University

7:00-8:30 U M Youth

### Monday September 27

6:30 PM Monday evening Bible Study

### Tuesday, September 28

Finance Committee Meeting

7:00 PM Administrative Council Mtg.

### Wednesday, September 29

6:30 pm WOW

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

Please check weekly bulletin for additions or changes

# BASEHOR UNITED METHODIST CHURCH NEWSLETTER



## FROM THE PASTOR

“This is a day of new beginnings, time to remember and move on...”

September—always the month of new beginnings! It was a very busy summer, but I hope most of you were able to take some time for rest, recreation, and renewal. I had a wonderful vacation; we went to a family reunion in Virginia, then spent a week on the beach in Cape Cod; in between we managed to sneak in a day of exploring Washington, D.C. September always energizes me as I think of children starting new classes at school; church meetings and events getting back into gear; and fall weather bringing relief from the heat. W.O.W. begins on September 8, so we welcome back those who visit with their children, and once again, give thanks for the multitude of volunteers involved, and especially for Angie and her faithful work. Choir practice begins September 1: you should consider becoming a part of this wonderful fellowship if you love to sing and praise God. Our choir director, Margee Castle, and accompanist, Jim Lundy, make the rehearsals fun.

Much hard work and good learning experiences have kept the building study/task force groups busy. We are just about through with our preliminary estimates of how much it would cost to build something that meets our needs and will be ready to bring that information to all of you soon so that a decision of the whole church can be made.

An update about the worship service surveys we did at the beginning of the summer: as always, folks were very positive and supportive of whatever we need to do; worship committee and I have decided that we have enough going on with our building/study task forces and all that entails right now, and that a second service will require quite a bit more planning and consideration before it comes to fruition. So, that is on hold for the moment.

Many, many people pour their hearts, souls and love into this church and its activities. Our life together enriches our faith, puts us in touch with God’s love, and helps us stay on that narrow road of discipleship. The more you connect with this fellowship, the more you open your heart to God’s love and strength. In this new fall, how you will deepen your commitment to your walk with God through this wonderful church?

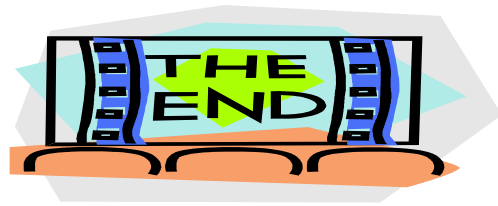
“Christ is alive and goes before us, to show and share what love can do. This is a day of new beginnings; our God is making all things new.”

(This is a Day of New Beginnings, Brian Wren, 1984)

In Christ, Claudia

## SCRIP

Scrip News: on Sunday, August 15, the Scrip program put another \$200 into the church account. This puts the yearly contributions at \$1300 which is only \$200 less than the total contributions for 2009. I would like to renew my challenge to each of you. If every member of Basehor United Methodist Church purchases one gift card between now and December, we can exceed our contributions from previous years. The money raised from Scrip is used to help pay down the loan on the building. Order scrip every 2nd and last Sunday of the month, or purchase what is on-hand at the Scrip table



## KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Phil Boatwright offers film reviews from a Christian perspective and spotlights new DVDs aimed at the family. The guide is a helpful tool for parents and concerned moviegoers. Our church distributes copies of the free film flyer each month. Flyers will be available in the narthex beginning in September. Please take one home.

### Pray 40' urges prayer for students

A nationwide prayer campaign for college students and campus ministries, "Pray 40," begins Aug. 23 when United Methodists are asked to pray for students and campus ministries for 40 days. Some 17 million U.S. students head to colleges and universities each autumn, while millions more flood campuses worldwide. The campaign will feature 40 prayers written by students, campus pastors, bishops and church leaders. The Upper Room will publish the prayers. Participants can sign up to receive a daily prayer by e-mail, download and share a prayer guide, follow the effort on Twitter or by text, commit to a 24-hour period of continuous prayer and teach about prayer. For more information, go to [www.Pray40.com](http://www.Pray40.com).

The Praise Team has recently gained a drummer and lost a bass player. We are looking for anyone who can play a musical instrument. If you are interested in playing an instrument, or singing with us, come to practice on Sunday at 1:00. We sing every 3rd and 5th Sunday, and practice most other Sundays.

### *Be a Part of our Prayer Chain*

All of us at one time or another need extra prayer support. Basehor UMC has a group of folks who pray for specific needs as they are requested. We invite you to be a part of such a prayer chain. You can join the prayer chain in one of three ways.

1 - If you want us to pray for you or someone you know just call Barbara Kornhaus (724-1573) or Pastor Claudia (office 724-2077 or home 724-1231) with your request and we will pass the information along to those praying. Please be sure to get permission from those for whom we pray--we want to respect their privacy.

2 - Perhaps you'd like to be one who prays for others and be part of the phone chain. You will be called on the phone, given the message and then you may be asked to call someone else to pass the information along. If you want to be part of the phone tree, give your name and phone number to Barbara Kornhaus and you will be added to the list.

3 - Another way to be a "pray-er" is through email. You will receive prayer requests in an email. The only thing you have to do upon receiving it is pray. You won't need to pass the request along. If this is the way you want to join us then give your name and email address to Barbara Kornhaus.

***Prayer is a powerful resource for our community of believers! Join us and use us!***



## *Monday Night Lectionary Bible Study*

The study on Monday evenings is lead by Reverend Claudia and begins at 6:30 pm. To prepare for the study please read :

**September 6:** This is a Holiday and there will be **no bible study**, if you want to read the verses they are: Jeremiah 4:11-12, 22-28, Psalm 14, I Timothy 1: 12-17, & Luke 15:1-10

**September 13:**  
Jeremiah 8:18-9:1, Psalm 79:1-9 OR Psalm 4, 1 Timothy 2:1-7, & Luke 16:1-13

**September 20:**  
Jeremiah 32:1-3a, 6-15, Psalm 91:1-6, 14-16, 1 Timothy 6:6-19, & Luke 16:19-31

**September 27:**  
Lamentations 1:1-6, Psalm 137, 2 Timothy 1:1-14, & Luke 17:5-10



### **FLOWERS FOR WORSHIP**

There is an ongoing opportunity for you to share flowers for our worship service. Use the sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex to indicate you will furnish flowers on a specific Sunday. If you wish them to be given in honor or memory of someone we can share that information in the bulletin. Perhaps you have flowers and have not signed up, do feel free to bring them. Fresh flowers add so much to our worship setting!

### **YOUTH GROUP:**

Coming back from a lake trip and starting meetings again in September. Youth grades 8-12 are welcome and encouraged to attend for some study and fun time with God. Meetings last right at an hour and include a lesson and some type of fun interaction. Parents and you please plan to come Sept 5th from 6pm til 8pm for a grill out to meet with Brian Little, Youth Ministries Director, and Pastor Claudia to decide which dates/times work best for the group. For questions call Brian at 913-972-1750 or email [bkittle@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bkittle@sbcglobal.net).



Please remember we are your source for Fair Trade coffee (decaf and regular), tea, cocoa and chocolate bars. See the cart in the narthex.

### **How does your financial life affect your peace?**

Starting September 12, Sunday evenings, from 6:00 to 8:00 pm, plan to attend Financial Peace University at Basehor UMC.

Invite your friends! Dave Ramsey's 13-week program for good stewardship of family and personal finances has led many to become debt-free, and has been very popular and successfully used in many churches. Cost of the class is \$100, or speak to Pastor Claudia—we have scholarships available.

### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 2	Bud Yates
Sept. 8	John Flower
Sept. 9	Ben Forshee
Sept. 12	Lindsey Anderton
Sept. 15	Paul Runnels
Sept. 15	Peggy Fohn
Sept. 17	Janice Walker
Sept. 19	Barbara Kornhaus
Sept. 19	Gayle Runnels
Sept. 22	Tamara Miller
Sept. 25	Bridget Davis
Sept. 26	Ethan Davis
Sept. 26	Carl Schneider
Sept. 29	Kathy Fields
Sept. 29	Brandon Ruud

### SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

Sept. 7	Brian and Stacy Speltz
Sept. 12	Teresa and Lanny Edwards
Sept. 20	Cathy and Michael Rose

#### BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY INFORMATION

If you have not filled out a birthday/anniversary sheet please call the office at 724-2077 or e-mail at [basehorumc@sunflower.com](mailto:basehorumc@sunflower.com). and give us the information **We do not want to leave anyone out on their special day.**

**Thank you**

#### GAME NIGHT

The Game Night group will be starting up again. The first get together will be Saturday, September 11th 7:00 p.m. so join us at the church house. Bring some snacks to share and your own drink, no skills required just be ready for some fun. If you have questions call Cheri Gallion at 724-1845.

#### CALLING ALL SINGERS

Church choir starts Wednesday September 1st at 7pm. Try us out if you haven't been in choir before. We have fun and praise God all at the same time. Returning members welcome back! Cookies are promised!!!

#### The WOW! Program

(The Word On Wednesdays)

**is scheduled to begin on  
Wednesday, September 8th.**

This program is designed for children ages 3-12, and will be held every Wednesday evening from 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

The program teaches children stories and themes of the Bible through various learning styles. The children rotate through stations each week which focus on the same Bible story or theme throughout the course of the unit. The components of the program include Art, Computer, Creative Cookery, Games, Music, Science, Storytelling, and Videos.

Our first unit is "The Good Samaritan."

The focus of this unit is to explore the story of The Good Samaritan. Children will discover that when we follow Jesus' teachings, we show God's love to other people, whether they live close to us or far away. They will also experience ways to be a good neighbor to others. For your convenience, the registration form is included in this newsletter. It is also available on our website,

[www.basehormethodist.org](http://www.basehormethodist.org) .

Please fill it out and return it to the Church office or to Angie Bohndorf. You may contact Angie if you have questions, 913-268-8981.

# WOW! Program

# The Word On Wednesdays!

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Numbers Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell. \_\_\_\_\_

### Age Information

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Last Grade Completed \_\_\_\_\_

Home Church \_\_\_\_\_

### Allergies/Medical Information/Other

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Emergency Contacts

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### Dismissal Information

Name(s) of person(s) other than parents listed above who may pick up this child from WOW!

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

### Other Information

Are you interested in helping with WOW?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Maybe \_\_\_\_\_ I would like more information. \_\_\_\_\_

May we post pictures from VBS on our church website which include your child?

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

\*\*\*Children's names will not be given.

### Please return this completed form to:

Basehor United Methodist Church  
18660 158<sup>th</sup> St.  
Bonner Springs, KS 66012

# Kansas City District United Methodist Women Fall Meeting

**Saturday, October 2, 2010**

9:00 AM – Registration at 8:30 AM

## “Let’s Get Together and Read”

Shawnee United Methodist Church

10700 Johnson Drive, Shawnee, KS

Registration fee \$5.00

Free Child Care Available



The program will feature our United Methodist Reading Program. Local United Methodist women will present book reviews on some of their favorite books - chosen from each of the four areas of the reading program: Education for Mission, Spiritual Growth, Social Action, and Nurturing for Community.

A large selection of the books in the reading program will be available for you to preview and even purchase for your reading pleasure.

(An ingathering of books will be donated to Newhouse – a United Methodist Church supported women’s shelter for abused women and children.)

In addition to the program, you can participate in the installation of the Kansas City district UMW officers for 2011 as well as join in the recognition of the current district UMW officers who will be retiring from their position.

Watch for additional information in the narthex at BUMC or call Donna K. (724-2341).

**This will be an interesting and fun get-together!**

**Come on! . . . . . Let’s Go!**

**Hope to see you there!**



**Send in your registration today!**



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### Registration for KC District UMW Fall Meeting

Please send one registration slip for each adult attending. (Make copies as needed)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

First-timer to District gathering \_\_\_\_\_

Children (number and ages) \_\_\_\_\_

Send with \$5.00 registration to:

**Jackie Lee, KC District UMW Treasurer      PO Box 60      Basehor, KS 66007**

**(Make checks payable to Kansas City District UMW)**

Has anyone noticed that the UMW Penny Challenge jar in the church narthex is nearly empty again? ? Well, the reason is an exciting one! Since early Feb. I have watched many people (especially the little people) drop pennies in the jar in support of this worthwhile KEC UMW mission effort. Two weeks ago, I began counting the pennies donated to date (thus the emptied jar) and am extremely pleased with the total count! (Watch/listen for special announcements in the near future!)

*Thank you! Thank you!* for stepping up to meet this challenge. But don't misunderstand . . . . It has not come to an end quite yet. The jar will remain available into Sept. and the additional pennies collected added to our current grand total.

Then on September 11<sup>th</sup>, we will proudly take our penny challenge collection to:

**It's a Celebration -- KEC UMW Annual Celebration!**

**(for youth and adults)**

**Emporia First UMC**

**September 11, 2010 8:45 A.M.-1:00 P.M.**

**(Lunch only for those staying for**

**District Officer's Training, 1:00-3:00)**

**Faith, Hope, Love in Action:**

**Who's My Neighbor?**

*Look around...Who IS your neighbor? Your neighbor is definitely different than you, whether she differs in personality, nationality, color, and/or language. Jesus calls us to LOVE our neighbor, but first, we have to develop a relationship, an understanding. So "Let's get together" with our neighbors in this "combination salad" conference!*

*You don't want to miss this...*

**Worship celebrating our differences and sisterhood!**

*(in English, Korean, Spanish, and signing)*

**Awe Inspiring Music and Worship!**

*(including Hector & Sherri Sanchez and our Hispanic sisters, our Korean sisters, and our English-speaking sisters)*

**Hands-on Activities with Kim for the Teen Women!**

**Keynote Speaker: Martha Knight!**

*Treasurer of Women's Division*

**Snacks you may not have tasted!**

*(from different cultures)*

*So, if you are interested in attending this grand annual celebration, please pick up a registration form in the church narthex or contact Jackie Lee (724-1355) with questions.*

*We will plan to carpool.*

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**

Please have all articles for the **OCTOBER** newsletter in the office

**NO LATER THAN Tuesday September 21**

And as always the preferred method of receiving the information is by E-mail. If we receive your article in the office on or before the deadline it makes the job of getting the newsletter out much easier! The newsletter will be mailed on Tuesday September 28. Thank you!

*Basehor  
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**Our Purpose:  
To Know God's  
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Wednesdays during School year

Word On Wednesday

Children's program

Rev. Claudia Bakely

Parsonage phone 724-1231

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revclaudia@sunflower.com

Secretary office hours  
Tuesdays and Thursdays  
8:00 am to 4 pm



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