



ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY - 12:00 Noon – **PASTOR APPRECIATION DINNER**

If you have forgotten to bring a dish to pass, please stay anyway and enjoy the celebration. There will be plenty of food! All are welcome.

Today - 1:30 pm - Rochelle CROP Walk. Meet at High School.

Monday, October 12th **COLUMBUS DAY - CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED!**

- 6:30 pm – Worship Committee
- 7:00 pm - Trustees Committee
- 7:30 pm - SPRC
- 8:00 pm - Church Council



Please read the special insert today regarding **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD** which the Mission Committee will be telling us more about today in a Mission Moment!

November 8th-1:30 pm - Church Council/Charge conference – Rochelle UMC

November 22nd – Harvest Festival - 5:30pm Meal
- 7:00pm Program with the Assemblymen

ATTENDANCE STATISTICS LAST SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4TH, 2009:

Sunday School:	46
Worship Service:	85

If you are a first-time visitor, please complete a *visitor's card* found in the pew book rack. You may place it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher as you leave the sanctuary. Thank you

OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE!!!

If you would like to offer some special music in a worship service, please contact Lois Heimbaugh at (815) 453-2371 or talk to her after church. We would like to be able to fill our music schedule for the future worship services. Please remember, this is not an invitation to perform or compete – but **an invitation to offer praise to God through music!** Please feel free to talk to Lois about your special talent and how you can share your gift with others in our congregation.



A SPECIAL THANK YOU to all who do things in our church that are seldom recognized, such as: Lawn Mowing each week, serving Coffee Fellowship lunches after church, Jeanne Warner for recording the prayer requests and joys each Sunday so they can be entered in the bulletin the following week, Ruth Burhenn who counts the presence of all who attend our worship services each Sunday, our youth who participate in lighting the candles for each worship service, those who operate our media equipment each Sunday, those who trim the bushes around the church and keep the flowers looking good, and everyone who helps to keep our church and it's services & outreach active and functioning smoothly. It takes the whole family to be successful! God Bless you all!



Upcoming Cluster Events:

October 12th at 6:30 pm - at Chana UMC – Cindy Tilsy will be leading a Beth Moore Bible study on Fruit of the Spirit on Monday nights beginning 10/12/09. All are welcomed and invited to join in. Please contact Bernita Jones at (815) 453-2508 ASAP if you would like to attend. Student study books cost: \$20.00

October 17th – 4 to 7 pm - Chana UMC Ham Supper

SEASONAL FLU CLINICS - No Appointment Necessary

Walk In at the Lee County Health Department.

309 S. Galena Ave., Dixon, IL 61021

See bulletin board for dates and times!!!



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