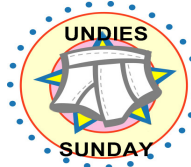


# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## **May 15<sup>th</sup> - NEWSLETTER ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REPORTS DUE!!**

**Sunday May 15<sup>th</sup> - Music Committee meeting during the Coffee Fellowship.**

**Ministry Celebration on Sunday, May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2011 at 4:00 pm.** All Undies will be donated to the Family Clothes Closet at Chana UMC.



This DeKalb District event is being held at Sycamore UMC, 160 Johnson Ave., Sycamore, IL, featuring Rev. Cynthia Wilson, Gospel Recording Artist. “You are invited to come and join in for a time of Singing, Praise, Worship and Testimony. Please contact Pastor Al if you can attend.

**Tuesday, May 17<sup>th</sup>- 7:00 pm - Hub Cluster Meeting at Rochelle UM Church.**

**Wednesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> – 6:30 pm - Prayer and Bible Study.**

**Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup> – 11:05 am- VBS Committee meeting during Coffee Fellowship.**  
**- 11:15 am - Missions Committee meeting in Pastor ‘s office.**

### STATISTICS LAST WEEK (May 8<sup>th</sup>) :

ATTENDANCE:		RECEIVED:	
Sunday School:	18	Church Fund:	\$1,266.76
Worship Service	64	Verle Burhenn Memorial -	2,150.00

**TOTAL SIDING FUND RECEIVED TO DATE: \$ 35,291.03**

**May Mission cause** is. Native American Ministries. Please remember to bring you mission offerings on the last Sunday of each month. Thank you.

In commemoration of our upcoming 150<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we are going to put together a new Reynolds Church cookbook! “*Recipes to Remember*” will be a collection of recipes from current members, former members, friends, relatives as well as special recipes of those who have passed on from past cookbooks. It will be a wonderful keepsake, shower gift, wedding gift and a great addition to any kitchen or cookbook collection! A recipe form on which you can submit your favorite recipes is on the table in Fellowship Hall, so dig through your recipe box and share them. !



Calling all singers! You’re invited to join the Praise Team. If we get enough people, we want to switch on and off so that no one is committed to more than one or two Sundays a month. We are also looking for people to just fill as needed too. Group practice is scheduled as needed. Most songs are available on DVD or the internet, so you can practice on your own anytime. Please contact Cindy Knight for any questions or to join us.

If you are a first-time visitor, please ask an usher for a visitor’s card. Thank you for visiting with us at Reynolds United Methodist Church. If you would like to know more about Reynolds United Methodist Church, please call Pastor Alan Meyer (815) 453-2513 or (815) 453-7480.

The Retirement Celebration for Rev. Larry Hilkemann, District Superintendent, is scheduled for June 26<sup>th</sup> 2 to 4 pm at Rochelle UM Church. Singers for a district choir for that day are being recruited. Last Minute choir volunteers are welcome! Just come to rehearsals as walk-ins. Rehearsals are at 7:00 pm on Wednesday, June 15<sup>th</sup> and June 22<sup>nd</sup>. Final Rehearsal will be at 12:30 pm on June 26<sup>th</sup>. All rehearsals are at the Rochelle UMC. If you have any questions, please contact Rev. Ed Heyer, e-mail [edhey@hotmail.com](mailto:edhey@hotmail.com) or phone (815) 286-3074.

**Thursday, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4:30-6:30 pm - HUB CLUSTER 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual BBQ Pork Chop Drive-Thru Dinner at the Rochelle United Methodist Church parking lot. All proceeds go to UMCOR Alabama Tornado Relief.**

**1 chop Meal- \$7.50, 2 Chop Meal \$10.00. (Take Out Only and Drive-thru only-)**

**COOKIES OR COOKIE BARS ARE NEEDED.**

Each church in the Cluster is asked to furnish 3 dozen cookies or brownies for this event. It would be helpful to have them in baggies when delivered. A sign up sheet is available in Fellowship Hall. Thank you for your help.

**PLEASE CONSIDER signing up for the Coffee Fellowship, Nursery Attendant or Lawn Mowing. When these lists are completed ahead of time, the schedule can be listed in the Newsletters. Thank you.**



### Prayer Request last Sunday & Last Week:

- Rich Eggers- farm accident
- Rich Eggers cousin (Bill) suffered a massive stroke.
- Margaret Reif- Fell & broke her hip. Had surgery- Now Home. Pray for complete healing & her fear of falling again.
- Payton Lawrence- Deep bruise in thumb –hit by ball while pitching.
- Denny Bolen – Trucker – fell
- Gene & Joyce Brake – Healing for both.
- Terry Huntley
- Schoof's granddaughter (Emma), 6 yrs old, many health problems. Had a seizure last week and is in a Peoria Hospital.
- Linda Meyer's granddaughter (Emily) Needs extensive dental work.
- Angie Smardo's co-worker – diagnosed with breast cancer.

### Continuing Prayer Concerns:

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#### Bill & Paula Kunkel

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| Debbie VanDyke                | Pastor Al & Linda Meyer        |
| 7 yr old Molly & family       | Baby Molly-3 yrs old.          |
| Rich Eggers                   | Joe Phipps Dad                 |
| Jim Steder                    | Ed Riley                       |
| Mike Olmstead                 | Keith Long                     |
| Les Gruben                    | Emily (Uphoff's granddaughter) |
| Luke Brown                    | Gene & Joyce Brake             |
| Members of the Armed Services | The Unemployed                 |
- Unspoken Concerns.  
Janet, Butch, Richard Pam having tests this week. Pastor Colleen's son.  
Hunter to have surgery on 5/23 in Chicago.  
Families who recently lost loved ones.

The Reynolds UMC Church Council has voted for our church to participate in the Ashton Summer Celebration in some way(s) during the weekend of June 11-12. The pork chop dinner is taken by another group, so we need to decide what we would like to do. We can do something as a fundraiser, but also as an out reach to the community. There is an opportunity to sell drinks and desserts at the Open Mic Night what will take place in the Mills Petrie building that evening, or we can come up with something to do during the afternoon on Saturday downtown during the bags tournament and penny carnival for kids, or even do a float to be in the parade on Sunday in late afternoon on June 12<sup>th</sup>. We need your ideas! **Please let Cindy Knight know ASAP** any and all ideas of what we can do for both-Saturday afternoon/evening and for the parade. Thank you.

**Sunday, May 22<sup>nd</sup>. 11:15 am - Missions Committee Meeting** in Pastor's office. Purpose: To discuss a new project for this year. Committee members, please try to come.

Again this year, card boxes are placed in the Fellowship Hall for you to deposit congratulation cards for each of our Graduates.

### THIS YEAR'S GRADUATES:

PRESCHOOL: Katrina Underhile, Helen Pfeiffer, Collin Winterland, Lauren Bertenshaw, Ethan Vogeler, Ellie Phipps, and Zayne Becker.

GRADE SCHOOL: Lexi Headon

HIGH SCHOOL: Paige Gittleson and Daniel Miller

SAUK VALLEY COLLEGE NURSING PROGRAM: Joanna Lawrence