

"Don't Wait!" Read Revelation 3:20

Most of you know that I am an art lover. One of my undergraduate degrees is in art. I love to visit Art Museums to look at the masterpieces painted so many years ago by so many famous artists. One of my favorite artists is El Greco. I love his elongated figures. I love religious icons too and the carved statues of the Greek Period. There are interesting stories about many of the world's famous artists, like Adolph Menzel who was a self-taught artist. His father wanted him to become a University Professor but he could not get Adolph to put his love for drawing aside to do so. He became a very famous and sought-after artist...even by royalty like King Frederick. In the Berlin art gallery there once hung an unfinished picture by Menzel of Frederick the Great talking to his generals. There was a small bare patch in the center of the picture where a charcoal sketch indicated the artist's intentions. He had painted in all the generals and all the other details of the picture, but Menzel left the king to paint last. That is so true to our lives too... we carefully put in all the generals and leave the King for last... we fit everything else into our lives that we want to do or achieve and leave God and our spiritual needs for last. Poor Menzel died before he found time to finish his picture; the King never found completion in the center of his picture. I am sure that Menzel had every good intention of painting the King... someday. We too have every good intention of putting King Jesus in the center of our lives... someday. I was told once that the road to hell is paved with good intentions. Maybe it is... And if it is, maybe it is time to stop just thinking about putting God first in your life and just doing it. Now is the time to give God the place he deserves... first place in the center of your heart and lives. Today, not tomorrow... Don't wait... Like Menzel...tomorrow it might be too late!

(Read: Ephesians 3:14-21; Romans 14:8; Matthew 6:33-34; Philippians 3:7-11)

MISSIONS

GLEANERS TRUCK COMING:

The Gleaners Truck will be in Sheridan at the High School Parking Lot on Monday, June 11th from 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Sheridan Nursing Home Worship: June 17th, 2:15 p.m.

You are invited to come visit and worship with our neighbors at the

Sheridan Nursing Home on Sunday, June 17th, at 2:15 p.m.

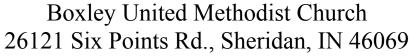
Hope to see you there!

YOUTH SUMMER MISSION TRIP July 7-14 S.I.F.A.T.

Lineville, Alabama

Please keep our Youth Mission Team in your prayers as they make final preparations for their trip to S.I.F.A.T. where they will participate in the Learn and Serve program. This year we have six participants going on the mission trip - youth: Cole Bales, Connor Harwood, Presten Weir, and adults: Shelley Weir, Lisa Gipson, and Rev. Fritz. The team wants to thank the church family for their support and prayers. Your generosity has made this mission trip possible! Thank you so much!

Boxley Annual Fish Fry Saturday, July 14, 2018 4:30 to 7:00 p.m.



Fried perch, two (2) sides, dessert, and drinks.

Eat— in dinner \$10.00 for adults
\$5.00 child (age 12 and under.)

Serving your favorites: fried perch, onion rings, baked beans, cole slaw, potato salad, desserts, and drinks.





Come Chill Out!

Polar Blast Vacation Bible School

Sheridan First United Methodist Church 207 E. Second St., Sheridan — Phone: 317-758-4195 Register at http://sheridanfirstunitedmethodist.org/VBS2018 Games, Crafts, Story Time, and More!



Friday — June 8, 2018 1:00 — 5:00 p.m.



Education News

In Enrichment we have been about some of the parables of Jesus.











We had a "hands on" lesson about the Parable of the Wise Man and the Foolish Man.



For the Parable of the Good Samaritan we acted out the parable and then we made wallets and the injured man. The wallet held the money that the Good Samaritan paid the inn keeper to help care for the injured man.













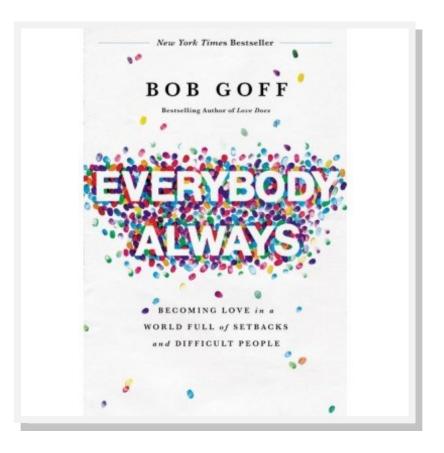
The children sang "Mommy Loves Me" for Mother's Day. Special thanks to Carrie Byerly and Angela Heiser for working with the kids.

The children will also be singing for Father's Day. They will be practicing every Sunday from 9:00 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. beginning June 3.

New Topics Bible Study

You are invited to join the Topics Class for this new study beginning June 10, The class meets at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings in the Fellowship Hall.

In this study, Bob Goff discusses what happens when we stop worrying about a challenging world full of difficult people and instead simply love everybody? In the highly -anticipated follow-up to the bestselling phenomenon Love Does, Bob Goff takes readers on an entertaining, life-altering journey into the secret of living without fear, care, constraint, or worry.



LEARN AND PLAY PRESCHOOL



We graduated 4 or our Learn and Play students on May 17th. It is a joy to see them move on to kindergarten and celebrate with them all they have learned. L-R: Noah Miller, Jase Males, Callie Callahan, and Jaidyn Gidman.

This was our class of 2017-2018. We are excited that many of these kids will be back with us again next year. They are a special group of kids.













After our graduation, we had a picnic and fun time at the park.











It has been an amazing year. Those who work with these kids will tell you we are truly blessed. God has given us a special ministry.



LUNCH CLUB — FIRST WEEK OF SUMMER



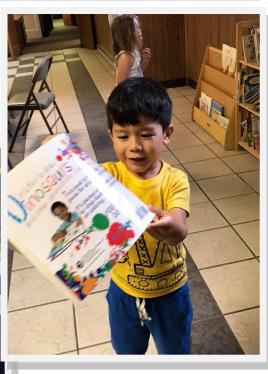












GRADUATION SUNDAY





Maggie Inman, Audrey Weir, Lilly Kinkead, and Nola Mylet



Rachel Adams, Garrett Davis, and Emma Hawn



Zeke Bray



and from college, Emily Dennison.



Rosie Godby	6/2
Joe Bourdon	6/5
Paige Neff	6/6
Gerald Lindenmayer	6/8
Cheryl Dennison	6/9
Zach Hawn	6/10
Donna Pickett	6/10
Abby Davis	6/11
Margaret Bougher	6/13
Beth Miller	6/13
Chris Gipson	6/15
Joey Miller	6/18
John Davis	6/19
Alexandria Pickard	6/21
Suzy Pickett	6/21
John Rockey	6/21
Mark Evoy	6/25
Craig Bishop	6/27
Nate Byerly	6/29
Jacob Eidson	6/29

Happy Anniversary

Gordon & Jackie Pickett	6/2
Leslie & Martha Pence	6/7
Steve & Laura Faherty	6/12
Robert & Helen Hamilton	6/13
Phil & Connie Pearson	6/19
Jim & Pat Sanborn	6/19
Chris & Missy Bourdon	6/20
Craig & Dorothy Bishop	6/22
Clifford f& Dort Pickett	6/26
Don & Lisa Gipson	6/28
Eric & Rachel Krupp	6/28
Matt & Kylee Dripps	6/29

Sunflower items needed for June.

Denture Adhesive (Fixodent)
Denture cleaning tablets
Kleenex
Toilet paper



Lunch Club meets Monday-Friday during the school summer break. Please join us from 11:30a.m.-1:00p.m.

If you wish to help please contact the church office or Kathy Bray.

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Please remember our homebound with a card, a call, or a prayer this week. If you know of someone who needs to be added to our list, please let us know.



JUNE 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Annual Conference of the Indiana United Methodist Confer- ence is June 7,8,& 9th in Indianapolis					1 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00	2
3 8:30a.m. Worship 9:00a.m. Church School 10:00a.m. Worship	4 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Church Council 7:00p.m.	5 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Sunflower Pantry 1:00-3:00p.m.	6 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Bible Studies 6:00-7:00p.m.	7 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00	8 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 VBS 1:00-5:00 Family Cookout 5:00- 6:00p.m.	9 UMM Breakfast 7:30a.m.
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17 FATHER's DAY 8:30a.m. Worship 9:00a.m. Church School 10:00 Worship 2:30p.m. Nursing Home Service	18 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Trustee Meeting 7:00p.m.	Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Sunflower Pantry 1:00-3:00p.m. Greenhouse Mt. 7:00p.m.	20 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00p.m Bible Studies 6:00-7:00p.m.	21 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00 Koinonia Circle 7:00p.m.	22 Lunch Club 11:30-1:00	23 Senior Fun Day at Sunflower Pantry
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