

**Church Council** will meet on Monday, April 26, at 7:30 p.m.

**National Day of Prayer**- There will be a service held for the National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 6, at 7 p.m. More information to follow.

**Young Seekers** (2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> graders) will meet on Sunday, May 2, from 12 p.m. – 2 p.m. in the fellowship hall. **NOTE THE DATE CHANGE.** Young Seekers will need to bring a bag lunch and **WEAR OLD CLOTHING!** We will be working towards getting the flowerbeds ready for planting. (weather permitting) We are asking parents and any volunteers to help with the preparation! Bring your garden shovels, rakes and gloves!

**Camp Overlook** –Registration forms may be found on the bulletin board in the church narthex. Our Camp Overlook contact person is Trudy Stickleby (436-8688). **Early Fee Deadline is May 1st. Please turn your registration forms into Trudy before this date so she may coordinate and get a group rate. TBUMC has Camp Scholarships** available for any Church Camp. The church will reimburse you for half of your child's fee. Just bring a copy of the completed registration form (include parent name, child's names and total amt. of registration) into the church office. To get the best price, pay by this date. **Please note** that there are additional camp funds available (this year) to help pay for your half, just contact the church office.

**Society of Saint Andrew "Potato Drop"**-Toms Brook UMC is joining Mt. Olive UMC and Shiloh UMC to sponsor a "potato drop" in the parking lot of Mt. Olive UMC on Saturday, May 1, from 8 a.m.--until. Our local Missions Coordinators, Bob Lively and Kay Crawford, have authorized a donation of \$100 to help defray the cost of fuel to transport the potatoes to our area. The congregation is invited to participate in bagging the donated potatoes so that they may be delivered to area food pantries and soup ministries.

**Graduates**- We would like to honor our high school graduates and recognize those who are graduating from college in our congregation. Please contact the church office (436-9312) to submit names of graduates and where they are graduating from.

**Spring Cleaning? Got too Much Stuff?** Why not donate it to the Russia Mission Annual Yard Sale? Please leave your donations at the church garage. Yard Sale will be held in May, stay tuned for the date.

**Food Pantry** - Monetary donations to local food pantries are welcome. You may use the food pantry envelopes provided in the pew racks and place them in the offering plate. During the month of March, the Bread of Life food pantry distributed 5,058 pounds of food to 88 families, consisting of 229 people.

# Toms Brook United Methodist Church

## Fourth Sunday of Easter

We open hearts, minds, and doors in JESUS' name.

Please register your attendance on the pew pads and kindly turn off cell phones.

The Welcome		Worship Leader
The Prelude		Organist
The Light of Christ Comes Before Us		Acolyte
The Choral Introit		
The Invocation		
The Hymn	"How Great Thou Art"	77
The Affirmation of Faith	Apostles' Creed	881
Gloria Patri	"Glory Be to the Father"	70
The Children's Moment		Pastor
The Offertory of Tithes & Gifts		
The Giving		Ushers
The Doxology		
The Joys & Concerns		
The Prayers		
The Lord's Prayer		895
The Ministry of Music	"Forever"	The Master's Choir
The Scripture Reading		Romans 1:8-15
The Hymn	"Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands"	(v2) 273
The Sermon	"The Courtesy of Greatness"	Pastor
The Time for Prayers and Anointing with Oil		
The Hymn	"The Gift of Love"	408
The Benediction		
The Light of Christ Goes Before Us		Acolyte
The Postlude		Organist



**April 25, 2010  
8:30 Service**

**~Lay Ministry~  
Greeters**

J.W. & Dianna Bauserman

**Nursery Worker**

Kim Peterson

**Acolyte**

Nikki Funkhouser

**Ushers**

Larry Holler, Mary Fay,  
Brian Funkhouser,  
Jimmy Peterson

**Parking Lot Greeter**

Doug Midkiff

**S. S. Parking Lot Greeter**

Tina Maddox

**~Missionaries~**

Dr. Judy Matheny,  
UM Ministries  
Jean Martin, S.C.P.C.  
Pat Spory, VEFC  
Volunteer Farm

~ Sermon Series ~

Faith of Our Fathers Sermon Series (Part 1)

- May 2 "Proud of the Gospel" (Romans 1:16-17)  
May 9 "The Wrath of God" (Romans 1:18-23)  
May 16 "The Shame of Humanity" (Romans 1:24-32)  
May 23 "The Responsibility of Privilege" (Romans 2:1-11)  
May 30 "The Unwritten Law" (Romans 2:12-16)

~ A Renewed Ministry ~

This Sunday, our worship services will again offer a ministry of Healing. During the concluding moments of worship, the pastor will invite those who seek healing in body, mind, soul, or relationships to come to the altar. Each will be anointed with oil on the forehead, receive the laying on of hands, and prayer.

Bishop: **Charlene Kammerer**  
District Superintendent: **David Forrest**  
Pastor: **Joe Klotz, Jr.**  
Lay Leader: **Bobby Funkhouser**  
Worship Leaders: **Bobby Funkhouser, Emmett Umberger**

Our Staff:

Youth Ministry Coordinator: **Erin Hubbard**  
Director of Music: **Marcy Bauserman**  
Children's Ministry Coordinator: **Cindy Frenzel**  
Administrative Assistant: **Brenda Kline**  
Temple Keeper: **Irma Martinez**

Church Office: **436-9312** Church Phone: **436-3841**  
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~ Remember In Prayer ~

Military families  
our military  
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Noel Delano & son  
Chuck Pilgrim  
Donna Showman  
Jerry Reynolds  
Linda Wilson  
Connie Cockrell  
Kent George  
Beth Milbrath  
people affected by  
volcano  
Derek Buckley  
Sarah Maynard  
Erin Hubbard  
Linda Hudgins  
Chris Matthews  
Madison  
JMU students  
Sharon Roeger  
Annie Wilkins family  
Debbie Grant  
Colton & Kerri  
Terry Estep family  
Shelba Funk  
Alta Miller  
Shane Ritenour  
Peggy Smith  
Robert Funkhouser  
Gene Taylor family  
Ben Mace



Elaine Mowery

Nursing Homes/Hosp.

Consulate Health

Care:  
Jack Painter  
Judy Kern  
Hilda Wolfe  
Dutch Haven:  
Mary Anna Lichliter  
Joe Blackburn

**Ministry Opportunities**

**Looking For a Church Home? Are you looking for a Church Family?** There is a place here for YOU to make a difference. Ask one of our ushers for a welcome information packet. Please sign our pew register so that we can get to know you better. Check out our web-site: [www.tombsbrookumc.org](http://www.tombsbrookumc.org).

**Communion** will once again be given at the altar. The ushers will lead you to the altar from the side aisles. You will kneel at the railing and wait for the bread and cup to be passed to you. Upon the dismissal by the pastor, please return to your seats by the middle aisle.

**Flower Sale** -The Young Seekers will be selling two different flower arrangements for Mother's Day. One will consist of a flower and a glass flower pot that costs \$12. The other arrangement has more plants and is in a small, novelty garden cart and the cost is \$25. This fundraiser is to help raise money for the YS flowerbed project. **Today is the last day we will be taking orders.** The two plants will be on display before the early service, during Sunday School and before the 11 a.m. service. You may pay by cash or check, if you are paying by check please make the check payable to: "TBUMC" and on the memo line please write "YS Garden Project".

**Compassion Sunday** -Today, each of us in our church family has the opportunity to change the world for one child. Please join the Sr. High Youth during the Sunday School hour in the sanctuary for a presentation on Compassion International's program. There will also be a brief presentation during the 11 a.m. service. After the service, visit the Compassion table where you can view packets showing boys and girls who need a sponsor right now. The Sr. High Youth will be on hand to answer any questions that you may have. This is your opportunity to release a child from poverty in Jesus' name. You will give them a future and a hope through the loving intervention of a Christ-centered program run by a local church in their neighborhood.

**Lend-a-Hand Day** - The Sr. High Youth will meet after the 11:00 worship service to participate in Lend-a-Hand Day.

~ Calendar ~  
**Healing Service**

**Today, April 25, 2010**

- 8:30—Worship  
9:45—Sunday School  
9:45—Compassion Sunday  
Presentation by Sr. Youth (S)  
11:00—Worship

**Monday, April 26**

7:30—Church Council (FH)

**Tuesday, April 27**

- 6:30—Prayer Group (S)  
6:30—Pine Meadows

**Wednesday, April 28**

- 6:30—Casual Fell. (P)  
6:30—Hit the Books (FH)  
7:30—Master's Choir (S)

**Thursday, April 29**

- 8:30—2 mile walk  
9:15—1 mile walk  
10:00—Joy Seekers (FH)  
12:30—Clergy Peer Group (P)  
1:30—Wesley House

Classroom In Use

7:30—Living Waters (P)

**Saturday, May 1**

8:00—Mt. Olive Potato Drop



~ Stewardship ~

**April 18, 2010**

- Sunday school: (84) \$87  
Worship: (\*55 \*\*76)  
\$3315.83  
Food Pantry: \$35  
Free Clinic: \$30  
Eagle Scout Project: \$460  
Russia Mission: \$2297