

## Weekly Planner for January 11 - 17, 2009

11 (Sun)	8:30am	Worship	
	9:45 am	Sunday School	
	11:00 am	Worship	
	12:00 noon	Potato Bar Youth Fundraiser	
	2:30-4:30 pm	Confirmation Class	
	4:30 pm	Laudamus Te Ringers	
	5:00 pm	Youth Choir	
	5:30 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous	
	5:45 pm	UMYF	
	5:45 pm	Children's Fellowship	
12 (Mon)	6:00-7:00 pm	Pastor's Book Study	
	8:00 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous	
	9:00 am	Senior Breakfast	
	9:45 am	ECMS: Family Music for Babies	
	10:00-12:00 noon	UMW District Planning Meeting	
	10:45 am	ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers	
	6:00-8:00 pm	Upward Basketball	
	6:30 pm	Scouts	
	7:30 pm	Praise Choir	
	13 (Tue)	9:30 am	ECMS: Music Makers: At Home in World
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3:45 pm		ECMS: Music Makers: Keyboard Year 1	
5:00 pm		ECMS: Music Makers: Keyboard Year 1	
6:00 pm		United Methodist Men	
6:00-8:00 pm		Upward Basketball	
6:30 pm		Witness Committee	
6:30 pm		Young Adult Koinonia/Bible Study	
7:30 pm		Gloria Dei Ringers	
14 (Wed)		9:00 am	TOPS
	9:30 am	ECMS: Cycle of Seasons	
	10:30 am	Mothers Nurturing Mothers	
	10:45 am	ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers	
	4:15 pm	Cherub Choir	
	4:45 pm	Junior Choir	
	5:25 pm	Jubilate Ringers	
	7:00 pm	High School Bible Study	
	7:30 pm	Chancel Choir	
	15 (Thu)	9:30 am	Sewing Group
9:30 am		ECMS: Cycle of Seasons	
10:45 am		ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers	
3:45 pm		ECMS: Music Makers: Around the World	
5:00 pm		ECMS: Music Makers: Keyboard Year 2	
7:00 pm		Youth/Adult Leadership Training	
7:00 pm		Finance Committee in the Library	
8:00 pm		Alcoholics Anonymous	
16 (Fri)		9:30 am	ECMS: Family Music for Toddlers
		6:00 pm	Yoga Class in Celebration Center
17 (Sat)	9:00-10:30 am	Special Olympics	
	11:00 am-2:00 pm	Upward Basketball Games	
	6:00 pm	Covenant Class Party in Fellowship Hall	
	8:30 pm	Alcoholics Anonymous	

## Warwick Weekly—January 11, 2009

**Whoever you are and wherever you're from, you are welcome in God's house. We greet you with the hand of fellowship and the assurance of acceptance in our midst.**

**Please see an usher if you need large print bulletins or hearing devices to amplify the sound for use during the worship services.**

**Prayer Chain:** If you have a person in need of prayer, call the church office (877-2270) and your request will receive prompt addition to the prayer chain. If you would like to be a part of the **electronic prayer** chain and receive 5-10 prayer requests a week or place a prayer request on the chain, send your name and email address to **Sharon Ellis** at [cutygrgal@cox.net](mailto:cutygrgal@cox.net).

### Serving Today

Ushers: (8:30)  
(11:00) Gene Osborne, Dave Munro, Warner Williams

Greeters: (8:30) Josie Mitchell, Leah Lively  
(11:00) Paul and Stella Ramsey

Junior Church Today: (8:30)  
(11:00) Sharon Ellis

Junior Church Next Sunday: (8:30) Erika Rhoads  
(11:00) John and Ellen Guthrie

### Prayer Thoughts

*Grant us calmness yet expectancy, Lord, as we bow in reverence and silence before you. Amen.*

### Today's Flowers

The flowers on the altar are given by **Jim and Anne Corliss** to the glory of God and in honor of our Sunday School teachers.

The flowers in the narthex are given by **Joe and Kathy Young** to the glory of God and in celebration of their 50th wedding anniversary.

### In Sympathy

We extend our sincere Christian sympathy to **Dolores Halberg** and family on the death of **John Halberg** on December 31.

We also extend our sympathy to **Bob and Molly Warthan** on the death of **Molly's sister** and **Bob's brother**.



Yoga classes have started meeting again on Friday evenings in the Celebration Center. If we have something else going on in the Celebration Center, the yoga moves to the Fellowship Hall. Reports are that the results are worth the hour of time spent. Give it a shot.

Last weekend the Potter family hosted a Birthday Party for Helen. Happy Birthday Helen! This great occasion reminds me to remind you that the church facilities are available to church members for family events. Please talk to Donna or me if you want to reserve a room.

Remember that we will be hosting PORT again March 11<sup>th</sup> to the morning of the 18<sup>th</sup>. As you come across extra clothes or toiletries drop them off at LINK or outside my office. The Witness Committee is planning on handing out socks again also. Most important of all, give some of your time to help staff this ministry.

Do you know who has stepped up to give of their time and talent to help your church? Stay tuned for a list of the volunteers who make sure we have a place to worship and enable all of our great ministries and missions.  
Dave Munro - Coordinator of Ministries

### **Special Event in Williamsburg**

You are invited to attend A Day for Fruitful Dialogue with Bishop Robert Schnase, author of ***Five Practices of Fruitful Congregations***. Bishop Schnase will share key concepts from his book, and will help congregations consider ways of being more fruitful and effective. There is no pre-registration and no registration fee – simply come to Williamsburg UMC on Saturday, **January 17, 9:00 – 12:00 noon**. Child care is available for children ages 10 and under. For more information contact the Peninsula District Office (757-596-3476 or [pendist@earthlink.net](mailto:pendist@earthlink.net)).

### **Book discussion – “The Shack”**

Interested persons are invited to join together for an open discussion of The Shack. We will meet this evening (January 11) at 6:00 here at the church in the Aldersgate Classroom. We will end at 7:00. The discussion continues next Sunday, January 18 at the same time and place. Pastor Steve is facilitating the discussion. The discussion is intended for people who have read the book. Join the discussion: bring your questions and comments.

### **Please Return the Ice Pack**

If you have borrowed the reusable ice pack from freezer in the kitchen in the Fellowship Hall, please return it to the freezer or to Norma Mac Luskie as soon as possible. Thanks!

### **Dishes, Dishes, Dishes!**

There are several dishes, trays and various containers in the kitchen in the Fellowship Hall that have been left from the Cookie Walk and funeral receptions. Please check to see if any of them are yours and take them home with you. Thanks!

### **January Book Talk**

The first book talk for 2009 on ***Amish Grace: How Forgiveness Transcended Tragedy*** will be held **Tuesday, January 13th, 7:00 p.m.** in the Youth Room. Come join us as we discuss if the Amish simply practice something many people believe in but few act upon.

### **Youth Stuff**

**Today—Potato Bar Fundraiser** 12:00-1:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall—right after 11:00 service  
**Regular UMYF** (Snack supper starts at 5:45 p.m., program ends at 7:30 p.m.)

**Deadline for Ski Trip Deposits (\$50)**

**Wednesday—High School Bible Study**, 7:00-9:00 p.m. (study begins at 7:30) at the at Lee's house.

**Next Sunday—Regular UMYF** (Snack supper starts at 5:45 p.m., program ends at 7:30 p.m.)

**Deadline for Acquire the Fire (ATF) Deposits (\$20)**

**Upcoming Stuff...**Check the Youth Bulletin Board for more info and signup sheets.

- **Sunday Potato Bars** - to help raise funds for our mission trips: February 8, March 8
- **Acquire the Fire Youth Rally**, Friday-Saturday, January 30-31; Cost \$60 (includes Registration + all meals). \*\*Sign-up on Youth Bulletin Board\*\* \$20 deposit required by Sunday, January 18th
- **Ski Trip** (For Youth/Family/Friends/Anyone!!), Saturday-Sunday, February 14-15, Cost: \$250 (Winterplace Ski Resort, WV) \*\*Details & Sign-up sheet are now on the youth bulletin board\*\* 20 spaces available, deposit deadline to reserve a spot: **Today!**

### **Thank You**

We would like to thank our church family for all the cards, calls, visits, altar flowers and poinsettia given to Jim during his broken hip and cancer recovery. We appreciate everything that has been done for us and is continuing to be done. Please keep Jim in your prayers as he has his chemotherapy to make sure all cancer cells are gone. **Jim and Sina Hofler**

Granny (**Zylphia Godwin**) and I would like to thank all our friends at Warwick Memorial UMC for the beautiful poinsettia that was delivered to our house during the holidays. I would also like to thank all of you for your prayers, cards and calls during my recent shoulder replacement surgery. Thanks again for all the wonderful services provided by our church. **Fred Townsend**

**From the United Methodist Men:** Thanks to everyone who bought peanuts during the month of December. After what had been a slow year for sales, December brought a windfall of income. Because of your purchases, we sold \$2,625 worth of peanuts. After paying for the cost of raw materials, we were able to donate \$1,870 to local missions. Thanks again and don't forget to bring the jars back!

### **Attention Farm Fresh Shoppers!**

Don't forget to save your Farm Fresh receipts. Through their **123-4 (formerly ABC's) program**, schools and places of worship have the opportunity to earn free educational equipment by simply saving Farm Fresh receipts. Warwick Memorial is registered with this program and is collecting grocery receipts. Place your receipts in the collection container in the narthex. This is an easy way to help our church.

### **Make yoga part of your New Year's resolutions.**

Join us for classes **every Friday from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m.** in the Celebration Center. Just bring a yoga mat (we have some if you don't have one) and a towel. If you have any questions, contact Christine Griggs (certified yoga instructor) at [chrishgr@verizon.net](mailto:chrishgr@verizon.net).

### **United Methodist Men Meeting**

The United Methodist Men Meeting and dinner is at **7:00 p.m., Tuesday, January 13th**. All men of our church are encouraged to come out and join in to help plan the UMM 2009 schedule of events. New members are always welcome and needed. In hopes to gather and plan new ideas, we will be having an open meeting after the dinner (donations accepted). We need to help our UMM group move into new areas of God's work at Warwick Memorial. So! Get involved and come out and spend some time with us. Your absence is felt by all. It is helpful to the cook to know how many members and guests will attend so call me!! Daniel Serda, UMM President.

### **Text for Anthems**

#### **(8:30) Jesus, Holy Name**

Jesus, Holy Name, Name above all other names, higher than the heavens above, may we follow you; may we ever be like you.

Fill our hearts with your wondrous love. Oh, that we may one day know the joy you feel today, To hear the Father say: "This is my beloved Child, in whom I am well pleased."

Jesus, Holy Name, Name above all other names, higher than the heavens above, may we follow you; may we ever be like you.

Fill our hearts with your wondrous love. Oh, that we may one day see in that celestial place The Father's smiling face.

Help us, Lord, to be like you, obedient and true.

Jesus, Holy Name, Name above all other names, higher than the heavens above, may we follow you; may we ever be like you. Fill our hearts with your wondrous love.

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#### **(8:30 and 11:00) Jesus to the Wilderness**

1. Jesus to the wilderness slowly made his way; Jesus to the wilderness went to fast and pray. Jesus to the wilderness looked to God and said, "By your Holy Spirit true may I now be led."
2. Jesus from the wilderness came forth clean and pure; Jesus from the wilderness came forth strong and sure.

May we then, like Jesus Christ, tempted though we be, giving not to Satan's power, a joyful Easter see.

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#### **(11:00) Jesus, Name Above All Names**

Jesus, name above all names,  
Beautiful Savior,  
Glorious Lord,  
Emmanuel, God is with us,  
Blessed Redeemer,  
Living Word.

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*"I will sing to the  
LORD, . . . I will  
make music to  
the LORD."*



Judges 5:3, NIV

# Leave the cooking to us today.

## Come and enjoy a loaded baked potato and a scrumptious salad.



### **Fellowship Hall** **Serving begins at 12:00 noon**

### **Donations only!**

### **All monies go to support the activities for our youth.**

### **Thanks for your support!**

# Church Family Fellowship

**January 24, 2009**  
**in the Celebration Center!**



**Potluck Dinner**  
**5:00-6:00 p.m.**  
*Bring a dish or two  
to share!*

**Concert and  
Sing-a-long  
featuring  
WMUMC's  
"4 His Glory"  
6:00-7:00 p.m.**



***All are welcome to this family friendly, free event!***  
***Don't let the cold get you down —***  
***Come and enjoy the warmth of being with***  
***your friends and family in God.***