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***69th Annual
Union Thanksgiving Gathering
and our Second
Thanksgiving Seder Meal***

When: Sunday, November 18th at 6:00 PM
Where: Edwards Congregational United Church of Christ
3420 Jersey Ridge Road, Davenport
Cost: \$5.00 per adult (Financial Assistance Available)
Children 10 years of age and under are Free

Make reservations with your congregational office.
(kathy@edwards-ucc.org or 563.359.0331)

Reservation Deadline: November 12th

If you wish a vegetarian option, please indicate when making your reservation

This year's offering will be given to Community Health Care

Come Join Us for a Wonderful Interfaith Gathering!

Edwards Congregational United Church of Christ
Temple Emanuel
Unitarian Universalist Congregation of the Quad Cities

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From Our Pastor's Desk...

Lately, it seems to me that more and more people are telling me that they feel that their lives are “too busy” -we feel trapped by our “schedules”. We don’t feel as though we can do the things we WANT to do - we are too busy doing the things we HAVE to do (or the things we THINK we have to do.) It’s as true for me as for you.

These days there are so many good opportunities. Our children can choose to be a part of teams that range from soccer to tennis, basketball, softball, golf, football, swimming, wrestling, gymnastics, and lots more. There are music, dance, and theater possibilities. And so much more. It’s hard to choose, so we try to do it all.

It is no different for adults. Many of us feel as though it’s time to stop, but we don’t know what we could stop doing. The demands of work and family keep us on the treadmill, with little opportunity for rest and recreation. We try to live as though we had no limits!

As we come to the holiday season, the issue of busyness and stress often overshadows our ability to find joy in the true meaning of both Thanksgiving and Christmas. And more than ever, the quality of our lives depends on our ability to both say “yes” AND say “no”.

The scriptures can actually be helpful here. The commandment to “honor the Sabbath” is one of the most ancient practices of our faith. It is also one of the ones that we are most likely to resist practicing. We think we are too busy to set aside a day for rest and renewal. But if truth be told, we don’t know how.

We associate observing the Sabbath with a rigid understanding of enforced boredom – a day where only the Bible can be read, or when worship services stretch out all day long.

Observing the Sabbath is much more than that. It is really about building rest into the fabric of our lives in a disciplined and regular way. It is about ceasing to produce, in order to just be. What if “Sabbath” was a day – every week – when we did not watch television, or did not go shopping, or did not get on the internet? What if “Sabbath” was a day – every week – when relationships became more important than work – either at the office or at home? What if “Sabbath” was a day – every week – when the disciplines of worship and rest combined to renew our spirits for the work of the coming week?

Life might be just as full, but perhaps we would feel less pressured! The commandment to honor the Sabbath is more than a suggestion! Maybe our holidays would feel different if we tried it! We all say we want the holidays to be different – maybe this is the year to make it happen!

Edwards Worships . . .

November Scriptures

November 4

Ruth 1:1-18
Psalm 146
Hebrews 9:11-14
Mark 12:28-34



November 11

Ruth 3:1-5; 4:13-17
Psalm 127
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-44



November 18

1 Samuel 1:4-20
1 Samuel 2:1-10
Hebrews 11:14, (15-18), 19-25
Mark 13:1-8

November 25

2 Samuel 23:1-7
Psalm 132:1-12, (13-18)
Revelation 1:4b-8
John 18:33-37



Special Music in November

The Chancel Choir sings each week, but in addition, other musicians are leading music at the 10:15 am Sunday service:

November 4th The Alleluia Ringers,
Sandy Reinders, director
November 11th Promised Land
November 18th Edwards Wind Ensemble
November 25th Celebrate Music

Seeking Instrumentalists For Thanksgiving and Christmas

For Thanksgiving Sunday (November 18th), and Christmas Eve (December 24th), we would love to have multi generational brass, wind and string ensemble musicians. Young and Experienced, the congregation will sing heartily with your help!

Sign up in the weekly sign-up sheet, or call Jean at the office, (ext. 203) for more details.



Faith Formation . . .

TouchStones Children's Programming

On Wednesday, November 14th, children will start preparing for this year's Christmas pageant, which will be held during morning worship on December 16th. Anyone interested in helping the children in their preparation should contact Kendra Thompson.

Gratitude & Giving

In Children's Chapel we will be focusing on the themes of "gratitude" and "giving" during this season of stewardship drive, Thanksgiving, and as we prepare for Advent. We hope to grapple with these concepts in creative ways through art, service, and movement. Come check us out in chapel sometime!

Music at Edwards . . .

Celebrate! Musicians Needed for November 27th

Many thanks to all the folks who supported our latest musical venture on Sunday October 7th. I had a blast leading a great group of musicians and really look forward to moving this to the next level. So, if you are interested in joining us in leading music for worship on Sunday, November 27th, please contact me (Becky David 323-5740) or Jean Norton, ext. 203 at church. We are building into more regular rehearsals and more opportunities to provide this music ministry for Edwards.

We need more voices and would love to expand our instruments so all are welcome! Come Celebrate with us.

Search Committee News

The Pastoral Search Committee is continuing its work on our Church Profile, compiling your thoughts and insights as they work to describe Edwards and the Quad Cities in ways that will invite the very best match for our church to apply for the position of Pastor and Teacher at Edwards Congregational United Church of Christ! This is no small task, but the sooner they finish the profile, the sooner they will begin interviewing candidates!

Through the month of November, they will continue to be meeting every Sunday evening as they pull the pieces of the profile together. As soon as it is finished, there will be an opportunity for the congregation to see the end result – more than 30 pages of reflection that describes our congregation. Watch your emails as well as the announcements in church for that date and time.

Library Look

Come by here (“Kumbayah” which we sang on Laity Sunday, October 28th) and peruse the book CUMBAYAH that Floyd Cooper with power and grace illustrates. We can hear and/or see this lullaby as a prayer that unites and assures all in the world that we are never alone. We share universal feelings: crying, praying, singing. Cooper says, “I strive to create books that are a bridge between cultures...I feel children are at the frontline in improving society. Children’s picture books play an important role in counteracting all the violence and other negative images conveyed in the media.”

Change, Change, Change

All change is difficult! And the changes that come with a change in pastoral leadership are profound. Often there are deep reactions that surprise us – sorrow, grief, uncertainty – even as we accept the need for the change. Anatole France once wrote:

All changes, even the most longed for, have their melancholy; for what we leave behind us is a part of ourselves; we must die to one life before we can enter another.

Our faith has important things to say about change. In the face of difficulty (change), God promises us resurrection love. The way things appear to be isn’t the way they will end up being when God finishes writing the chapter.

Right now, Edwards is beginning a new chapter in the book that is our history. But there are many more chapters to be written before we find the one who will come to serve God among us as pastor.

For nearly 50 years, Edwards has been blessed with good relationships with long-term pastors. Our last pastor served here for 10 years, his predecessor served for 20, Katherine has been here 14 years. There is no reason to expect that the NEXT pastor will not also have a good and fruitful relationship with our church!

All change requires courage, but Edwards has never been short on that! As we continue this time of transition, there are some things you can do to make it easier!

- *Pray for the Search Committee – daily.*
- *Expect a good outcome.*
- *Be open to the surprises that the Holy Spirit may bring to us along the way.*
- *Encourage one another.*

Because of privacy concerns related to information available on the internet, Edwards has chosen to remove the names of those for whom we are praying from our on-line newsletter.

We lift in joy those moments of celebration in our lives – anniversaries, births, and marriages. We continue to pray for those in the hospital, those who are home-bound, and those who battle illness. We lift up those who grieve the loss of a loved one and remember those who carry heavy burdens. We trust that as we lift one another in prayer, God’s presence brings strength, hope and wholeness to us all. Amen.

Women’s Night Out

We will meet on Thursday, November 15th at 6:00 pm at Olive Garden (Kimberly Road in Davenport). Please join us for great food and fellowship.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Now that cooler weather is upon us, it is time to get those knitting needles and crochet hooks out. This is an invitation to everyone to make prayer shawls. We only gather together for meetings if you want them. The need to pass comfort and love to others is always great. If you need more information or patterns, please contact Dorothy Hammond at 309-797-2321 or drphammond@sbcglobal.net



There will be no evening programming on Wednesday, November 21st.

November Birthdays

- 1 Linnea Huntoon
- 2 Merlin Bachellor
- 5 Jesse Knudson
- 6 Max Gehler
- 6 Woody Perkins
- 8 Mike Augsburg
- 8 Zack Schony
- 9 Gavin Verdick
- 9 Kade Verdick
- 11 Julie Henke
- 12 Dick Pavlak
- 12 Elizabeth Penn
- 12 Addison Steinich
- 12 Dave Wilbricht
- 15 Rhonda Eckhart
- 15 Michelle Hukvari
- 17 Fran Wolfe
- 18 Becky David
- 18 Chris Medina
- 19 Ray Ball-Trevor
- 20 Karter Holdridge
- 22 Lisa Crawford
- 23 Penny Hubbard
- 23 Milo Smith
- 24 Keith Thess
- 24 Rich Weyman
- 25 Maddie Schony
- 26 Jeremy Scales
- 27 Ryley Zippe
- 28 Bob Williams**
- 29 Joel Sullivan
- 30 Pat Hixon
- 30 Vince Holdridge
- 30 Keegan Smith
- 30 Ron Springer



***Bob Williams is Celebrating
Ninety (90) Years!***

*Send a card of good wishes to:
3229 N. Travis Ave.
Springfield, MO 65803-7558*

Stewardship Time . . .

Healthy Living...Healthy Giving

We are all trying to improve our health these days. Whether it's exercising more regularly, losing a bit of weight, beginning a practice of yoga or just eating more fruits and vegetables, we all know the value of a healthy lifestyle.

The same is true for the church! Healthy finances in the church require attention to two important things: living within our means and fostering a culture of giving. Edwards does pretty well on both counts, but we could always do better – especially on the income side!

What would it look like if every household of our church gave an extra \$5 a week instead of spending that on Starbucks or ice cream or whatever? Here's what it would mean....an increase of more than \$26,000 for Edwards AND a healthier lifestyle for the members of our congregation!

What could the church do with that money, you ask? There are a number of things that the church could – and would – do with that money. We would be able to offer more competitive salaries and begin to offer health insurance and retirement benefits to our staff (currently the pastor is the only employee who has benefits). We could increase our pastor's housing allowance so that it meets the minimum compensation guidelines of the Iowa Conference (currently we are paying below the guidelines). And that would be just the beginning!

Think about it! \$5 a week could make a big difference for you AND for the church!



Stewardship Sunday

Stewardship Sunday, the day when we dedicate our pledges toward the 2013 budget at Edwards UCC, will be November 11th. Watch your mailbox for your pledge card and bring it back to church on the 11th (or mail it in to the church office).

Watch for the Stewardship Moments in worship each Sunday! This year's team has gotten VERY creative. The first presentation actually got a round of applause from the congregation! Giving is good for us – and it doesn't have to be painful!



2012 Budget Update

In January of 2012, we adopted a deficit budget, trusting that we would "make up" about \$11,000 through the year. Often, in the past, we have "made up" a deficit budget with staff vacancies. That has not happened this year! Fortunately, we have been fully staffed for the entire year. The challenge is that the deficit needs to be made up in other ways – both in reduced spending and increased giving.

As we approach the end of the year, know that your gifts to the 2012 operating budget make a BIG difference in the life and ministry of Edwards United Church of Christ. Your gifts not only keep lights on and heat running. They finance a vibrant Children's Ministry, they fund ministry to the homebound and hospitalized, they ensure that the Quad Cities has a strong voice for progressive Christianity, and they help to fund mission programs around our community and the world.

Your gifts make a difference! Please consider an extra gift to the church this fall.

Nominations Sought For 2012

“All My Relatives Award”

The Social Justice Board invites you to submit nominations for this year’s “All My Relatives” Award. This annual award is meant to honor an individual or group within our church community whose activities embody social, economic, or environmental justice and peace.

We want to recognize the activities of those among us who advance the teachings of Jesus, promote the Kingdom of God here on earth, witness the Christian commitment to work for positive social change, and attempt to get at the root causes of poverty, injustice, and environmental degradation.

Who has been honored with this award?

Past recipients of the “All My Relatives Award” include Woody Perkins, Clyde Durrah, and Richard Jirus.

The criteria for the award include the following:

- Should reflect care and concern for those in need and our planet Earth.
- Should have an impact that reaches our church family and the greater community.
- May be on-going activities whose blessings accumulated throughout the year or longer, or may be of shorter duration through which God’s blessings are evident.

How do I submit a nomination?

Any individual or group within the church can make a nomination by filling out the nomination form found in the Narthex and turning it into the office or to a member of the Social Justice Board (Lisa Hixon, Jesse Evans, Julia Natvig, Sandy Sohr). The nominee’s story should be told in narrative form with details as to how that person’s actions meet the above criteria and advance social justice.

How much time do I have to nominate someone?

Nominations must be submitted by December 11th.

Dakota Toy Drive 2012

For the past three Christmas seasons Edwards has served the Dakota Reservation by running a Toy Drive which has expanded from the one community of Green Grass, SD on the Cheyenne River Sioux Reservation to include two additional small congregations in the Pine/Little Eagle area of the Standing Rock Sioux Reservation.

As before we have a list of children identified as boy or girl and their respective age available for you to consider sponsoring for a gift this year at Christmas. Individual sponsorship slips will be made available in the narthex starting this month through December 2nd. Please consider sponsoring one of these children by purchasing a gift (value approx \$25), wrapping it, and returning to the church by December 9th so we can make the season brighter for our Lakota friends. To be more "green" and environmentally friendly this year we are asking that you use newspaper to wrap the presents (the funny papers are colorful – or using ribbon to add some festivity to the gift package) instead of the un-recyclable gift wrap. Mitakuye Oyasin – All My Relatives/We Are All One!



Edwards Missionaries

Katie and Chloe Van Blair and Terry Schlabach will be travelling to Ecuador Dec. 28th – January 18th to work with children in orphanages and community programs. We would like gently used toys (that fit in a suitcase), puzzles, books, or cash donations to purchase items when we are there. We will put a suitcase out in the narthex to place your items. Our space is limited to that one suitcase, so please consider that when making your donation. Monetary donations can be given to Terry or Katie. During our last trip, donations from Edwards allowed us to purchase a bunkbed for a foster family who desperately needed it. Thank you so much for your support.

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You !!

Thank you to ongoing music secretary and librarians **Judy Pavlak, Martha Jirus** and **Carol Mahan** who keep the music room clear. Thank you to fabulous special musicians enhancing the choir music: **Suzanne Benson**, violin; **Robert Riedesel**, trumpet, **Elaine Lippert**, piano accompaniment, the **Alleluia Ringers**, **Sandy Reinders**, director, and the wonderful World Communion Day Musicians: **Suzanne Benson, Cathy Burbank, Brian Dugan, Lisa Gaston, Theresa Gehler, Brad Miller, Robert Riedesel, Chloe Van Blair**, and **Brady Weller**, with **Becky David**, director. To **Merlyn Lippert** for tuning the piano in the Orange Rug Room, **Dick Werner** for building on to the music shelves for our new choir members, **Pat Cresap** for designing the Music display table for the Open House, and the **Liturgical Dancers** for their gifts at the Open House.

Thank you to the **Donuts & Hammers** team for all their ongoing fixes and projects!!

Thank you very much for the immediate help I received from my fall in church; especially from the nurses in our congregation and **Brian Dugan**. Tests at the hospital showed that I'm in good health. It was a strange experience. **Bonnie Walling**.

Thank you to **Elaine Lippert** for teaching our children fine musical skills and singing. They did a fabulous job with their anthem Sunday, October 21st. To **Pastor Jean Norton** and **Elaine Lippert** for leading the children on Wednesday nights in delightful, worshipful music experiences. To **Rob Tubbs** for teaching us how to tie-die on World Communion Sunday

Thank you to **Dick & Geri Dulaney, Richard & Martha Jirus, Jennifer Jordening, Nikki Keraus, Van Lewis, Nelda & Joyce Paustian, Lyle & Janie Stratton** and the Music Department for providing multi-cultural items for our October 7th worship service.

Thanksgiving Baskets . . .



THANKSGIVING BASKETS

Sharing Our Blessings... An Edwards' Tradition

To fill 50 baskets we will need:

Fifty

Gravy (packs or jars)
Containers of Cool- whip
Cranberry sauce
Large can sweet potatoes
Rolls (pkg. of 12)
Paper towels
5 lb. bags of potatoes
Napkins

One Hundred

Canned fruit
Canned or bottled juice
Canned green beans
Canned corn
Stuffing (bags or boxes)
Large boxes of Jell-O

Or...Can you write a check?

Stuff a Turkey \$25.00
Fill a Cornucopia \$15.00
Adopt a Ham \$10.00



Bring non-perishable items to church now through Nov. 16th. Bring perishable items on Nov. 18th. For information, contact Mike Ball-Trevor at theballtrevors@gmail.com or 563-322-0048.

Who... What... When... Where...

	November 4	November 11	November 18	November 25
Preacher	Katherine Mulhern	Katherine Mulhern	Katherine Mulhern	Kendra Thompson
Chancel Set-up	John Keraus Jennifer Jordening	Sandy Doran	Sandy Reinders	Cathie Miller
Altar Flowers	Jane Simonsen			
Scripture Reader	Russ Dircks	Jane Simonsen	Caroline Evans	Cathie Miller
Communion Servers	Curly Curl, Angela Elliott, Anne-Marie Gephart, John Keraus, Dick Vallandingham			
Special Music	Alleluia Ringers	Promised Land	Edwards Wind Ensemble	Celebrate Music
Nursery	Lisa Westbrooks Chloe Van Blair		Wendy Shaw-Sullivan	
Ushers	Curly Curl Angela Elliott Anne-Marie Gephart Dick Vallandingham	Becky David Dee Hillyer Brad Hixon Paul Petherick	Dick Dulaney Rhonda Eckhart Renee Sinksen Steve Wildemuth	Bob Anderson Bonnie Walling Ned Walling Margaret Wilber
Greeters	Carol Bachellor Bev Bergert Joel Sullivan Wendy Shaw-Sullivan	Ruth Bowers Bill Coker Angela Elliott Dick Vallandingham	Bonnie Walling Ned Walling Margaret Wilber Sharon Wildemuth	Teresa Caligaris Judy Collins Ann Criswell Fran Wolfe
Coffee Hour	Evona & Paul Petherick	Set-up: Social Justice Clean-up: Membership		
Lock-up	Dick Werner	Dick Werner	John Harnung	Vince Holdridge
CareGivers On Call	Evona Petherick Kay Stiles	Lois Larew Elaine Lippert	Ruth Bowers Fran Wolfe	Carol Bachellor Evona Petherick

Where there are blanks, we may need your help!! Please call the church office to sign up.

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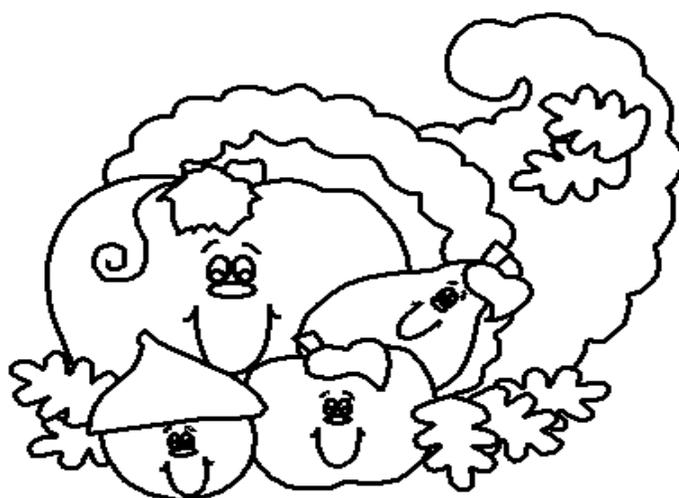
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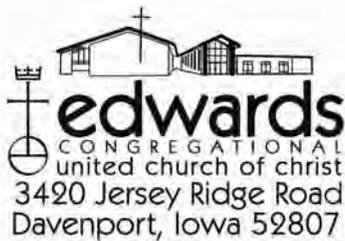
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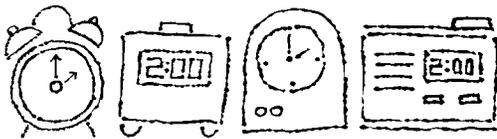
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November 2012

IMPORTANT DATES!!

November 3: Blood Drive
November 4: Daylight Saving Time ends
November 11: Potluck
November 18: Interfaith Thanksgiving Service
November 21: No Wednesday Programming
November 22 & 23: Office Closed

There will be no evening programming on Wednesday, November 21st.



DAYLIGHT-SAVING TIME ENDS

Food Pantry Sunday

November 25th

Please bring a bag of groceries for the Food Pantry. Items needed include tuna, soups, stews, peanut butter, breakfast cereal, toiletries, diapers, etc. Whatever your cupboard needs... the Food Pantry needs, too!

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Change of Address

In order to avoid return postage charges, please notify the church office of any change in your mailing address at 563-359-0331.