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Glendive UMC Newsletter

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As I sit down to write this I know that many of you are without power as we had that horrendous storm on Monday July 27th and that awful wind on July 28th. We see much chaos as many trees

are broken, limb all over, some broken windows, and some things that were not secured are totally lost forever. Now it is calm again and the cleanup begins so that we can get all back to normal.

I am reminded of the creation story and how God created order out of chaos or how Jesus calmed the angry chaotic sea. As we began the cleanup and restoring things back to order it would be a good time to Thank God for

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calming our fears and all he has given us and continues to gives us. God set us on this earth to care for it and it is out of this chaos that we have a chance to make it better.

Genesis 1:26-28

The Message (MSG)

²⁶⁻²⁸ God spoke: "Let us make human beings in our image, make them reflecting our nature So they can be responsible for the fish in the sea, the birds in the air, the cattle,

And, yes, Earth itself,

and every animal that moves on the face of Earth."

God created human beings;

he created them godlike,

Reflecting God's nature.

He created them male and female.

God blessed them:

"Prosper! Reproduce! Fill Earth! Take charge!
Be responsible for fish in the sea and birds in the air,
for every living thing that moves on the face of

God Bless, Pastor Ruth

Earth."



August Church Events

August Worship will be 11:00 AM at our UMC.

"With These Hands" 1st & 3rd Wed. at 1:30 PM.

Ad Board Meeting at 7:00 PM. Aug. 17th

Cotton Candy Booth at the Fair, Aug 13-16th

Thank You

Andrine Haas &
Betty Carpenter
for the Office Help!

From Jo Ann



Help Needed! This really is too much for one person to do alone!
We need a few more to help make this happen!
If you can do any of it, let Laurie know.

- Setting up— Moving the equipment and cleaning the booth (Usually done on Tues or Wed of Fair Week), checking/buying supplies.
- During the Fair—checking the Booth and opening it at the beginning of each day may need some sweeping, check supplies) (Thurs 6:00, Fri-Sat2:00, Sur 1:00)
- Sunday (later afternoon or Mon.)--clean booth, move equipment to church.
- Shifts—In July we will have the signup list at church and a number one can call to volunteer. If you wish to sign up before then, let Millie Robinson know.
- Donations for sugar can be given to Laurie Mills, Millie Robinson of left with the Church Office—please designate for Cotton Candy.



Children's Corner

Kids say,

"We are looking forward to going to our Booth at the Fair, and having Cotton Candy!"





Coffee Hour Hosts



August Coffee Hour Sign up

Aug. 2 Doris and Glenda

Aug. 9

Aug. 16

Aug. 23

Aug. 30

In the Fireside Room.

Thanks Lance Phinney!



Thank you!

We had our July Coffee Hour over at the UCC.

Thank you UCC for your treats!



Dawson County Domestic Violence Program

The Program is seeking volunteers and helping us work towards a violence-free community.

Stop by the office to discuss what needs we have that could be filled by you!

Debra Mahn, the Program Coordinator, also gave us a list of items that can help families:

- *Gas Vouchers
- *'Albertson's Grocery Gift Cards
- *Art & Craft Supplies for our Women's and Children's Group (magazines, scrapbook paper and embellishments, any size canvases, stick and regular glue, any size paint brushes, etc.)
- *Large size shampoos and conditioners
- *Diapers (all sizes, but particularly size 4)
- *Deodorants
- *Lotions
- *Toilet paper
- *Feminine pads
- *Unisex sweat suit outfits (all sizes, although GMC could use more smalls and mediums)
- *Non-perishable food items

Thank you so much for your time and help.

Debra Mahn

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School of Congregational Development

The Full-Day experience will focus on Crossroads and Community Reach & Outreach. The Satellite event on Saturday, August 15th will feature two outstanding leaders- Rev. John Edgar, founding pastor of a multicultural multi class congregation in Ohio, and Dr. B. Kevin Smalls, a leader in guiding congregations to create innovative worship experiences. The Outreach is from The First UMC. Missoula, Montana. Missoula too far to come? Register online and watch these workshops at your church. We will refund \$10.00the cost of lunch. We will send you a sign-on code for the live streaming on Saturday morning 10-3:30 and notes for facilitating the discussion with your church's leaders. Watch and learn at your home churchmaybe potluck for lunch from the kitchens of your best cooks.

Register @www.scdsatellites.org

Our August
Worship is 11:00 AM
at UMC.

August?

This month was originally named *Sextilis* in Latin, because it was the sixth month in the original tenmonth Roman calendar under Romulus in 753 BC, when March was the first month of the year. About 700 BC it became the eighth month when January and February were added to the year before March by King Numa Pompilius, who also gave it 29 days. Julius Caesar added two days when he created the Julian

calendar in 45 BC giving it its modern length of 31 days. In 8 BC it was renamed in honor of Augustus.

The August Flower is the Gladiolus.



United Methodist Women News





** **UMW** will not meet in August.

UMW Cotton Candy Booth at the Fair Aug 13-16

Help Needed! A work sign-up is posted in the Fireside room.

For early sign-ups contact Laurie Mills.

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Please designate for Cotton Candy.



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* Birthdays, # Anniversaries

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 #Jack & Betty Shearer	3	4	5 With These Hands *Gordon Turner	6 *Curt Milne *Justin Atwell *Angie Mittlestadt	7 *Ron Friestone	*Mike Skerritt *Vernone Spencer
9	# John & Andrine Haas	*Joan Haugeberg	12	13 County Fair Cotton Candy Booth *Terry Skerritt	14 County Fair Cotton Candy Booth	15 County Fair Cotton Candy Booth
16 County Fair Cotton Candy Booth	AD Board Meeting 7:00 PM	18	With These Hands *Tori Engle	20	21 *Brenda Evans	22
23	24	25 #Ron & Joan Haugeberg	26	27	28	#Danny & Norma Jean Peterson
30	31					

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