

NEWS FROM THE PLEASANT GROVE PEWS

JUNE 2026

In the Sweet, Sweet Summertime

Here we go, plunging headlong into summer fun. Hang on, it's going to be an adventurous ride this season.

Pastor Paul Klepees bids farewell to Pleasant Grove this month. Read on page 2 his reflections on the home his family has made in Hatton these past nine years and the challenges he'll meet in the future in Chillicothe. Godspeed to you, pastor.

Also on page 2, check out the list of oft-forgotten essentials we're getting together to Fill The Cart and help out young campers next month who may forget to pack a thing or two.

Get a quick introduction to our new interim minister, Pastor Bill Koch, on page 7, then give him a big welcome when you see him at Pleasant Grove. He's already diving in and stepping up to fill in where needed this month.

Associate Pastor Macy Storts is taking time to listen to the quiet this summer. It's a soothing way to feel God's presence. Read more on page 9.

NextGen Minister Kris O'Neal is musing on the distractions of summertime and takes this opportunity to warn against "summer drift." Read up on his suggestions for

staying anchored to your faith on page 11.

If you glanced over the busy calendar on page 5, you're ready to get the details of summer events on page 13. Read up on the latest on Annual Conference, Men's Group and Sisters in Faith gatherings, a farewell dinner for the Klepees, our annual brunch for Father's Day, and a new On The Road Again trip.

And photos! We have lots this month – Girls' Night Out Loud on page 14, Women's Ministries' Mother's Day flower deliveries on page 15, the fifth-graders' Branson trip on page 17 and the KFJ party on page 19. Celebrate new beginnings with our graduates on pages 20-21.

Outreach plans are afoot this month. We have Vacation Bible School on tap, plus Emergency Response Team training and a special summer book club. Get a sneak peek at who's filling the pulpit in this transitional month, too.

As always, dear reader, you are the reason for *News from the Pleasant Grove Pews*. Share your news, events, photos and suggestions with Kathy Casteel at kcasteel@ktis.net. We can't wait to hear from you!

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THE PASTOR'S PEACE



LEFT TO RIGHT, FRONT: SPENCER, PAUL, GIBSON. BACK: MARGIE, EZRA AND MAVERICK KLEPEES

Stepping Forward in Faith

BY PASTOR PAUL KLEPEES

There are moments in the life of the Church that feel like standing on the edge of something new, where gratitude for what has been meets uncertainty about what comes next. This is one of those moments.

As many of you know, June 14 will be my final Sunday with you. These days, I've found myself reflecting on the journey we've shared. I think about the early days, learning names and stories. I think about packed rooms, laughter in the hallways, and moments at the altar where God met us in powerful ways. I think about the ways we've grown — not just in numbers, but in heart, in faith, and in our commitment to the mission we've held together: to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known.

And through it all, one thing has remained true, we have never let anything, especially not our differences or disagreements, get in the way of that mission. That is a rare and beautiful thing. And I believe with everything in me, we won't start now!

As I've prayed for you in this season, I keep coming back to the story of Moses. In Deuteronomy 31:8, as leadership is being passed on, Joshua hears this promise: "The Lord himself goes before you and will be with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you." Moses would not go with the people into the next chapter, but God would. And that made all the difference.

**THE LORD HIMSELF GOES BEFORE
YOU AND WILL BE WITH YOU; HE
WILL NEVER LEAVE YOU NOR
FORSAKE YOU.**

DEUTERONOMY 31:8

The same is true here.

The future of Pleasant Grove does not rest on any one pastor. It rests in the faithfulness of God and in a people who continue to say "yes" to His call. Your next pastor will come with different gifts, a different voice, and a new perspective, and that is not something to fear. That is something God will use.

It is clear that the best days of Pleasant Grove are not behind you, they are ahead. We must continue to walk the path God puts before us. God is not finished here. Not even close.

And as you step forward, don't let fear of the unknown, or what feels different, keep you from living in the promise of what God is doing. The same God who has been faithful in every step of this journey will be faithful in the next one too.

As for our family, we carry deep gratitude for you. You have shaped us, encouraged us, and walked alongside us in ways we will never forget. While we may be sent to a new place, a part of our story will always be rooted here.

So, we step forward together, trusting, hoping, and believing that God goes before us all.

FILL THE CART

CAMP KITS

It's always fun to get away for a while. Packing for that getaway — not so much. And nothing ruins the start of a week away like discovering you forgot to pack something.

As Pleasant Grove's youth prepare to set off for camp this summer, we're going to Fill The Cart with some essentials that campers often forget to bring with them, just in case. We're collecting travel-size toiletries for an emergency stash, including:

- Deodorant
- Toothbrushes
- Toothpaste
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Soap
- Body wash
- Feminine hygiene products
- Sunscreen
- Aloe vera gel

Additional items appreciated by forgetful packers include extra towels and twin-size sheets.

Camp week is a summer highlight for our youth, a chance to strengthen their relationship with God. Let's make sure every camper has a chance to focus on what's important that week and not on a missing essential in their toiletry bag.

**SET YOUR MINDS ON THINGS
ABOVE, NOT ON EARTHLY
THINGS.**

COLOSSIANS 3:2

Father's Day

BRUNCH

JUNE 21

SERVING 9:15 TO 11:30 A.M.

HOSTED BY WOMEN'S MINISTRIES

Free-will offering to benefit
the 2026 Bethlehem Store



MOMS DO YOU NEED DIAPERS?

PLEASANT GROVE CHURCH IN HATTON WANTS TO HELP
THAT IS WHY WE JOINED THE BABY GRACE MINISTRY.



What we offer:

FREE

Gently used or new clothing for newborn to 5 years old
Diapers
Baby Wipes

Other items, as available
Strollers
Highchairs
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Shampoo/Body Wash

We are located at
3686 State Road E
AUXVASSE, MO 65231
Come to our church
every 3rd Thursday
each month
11 A.M. - 2 P.M.
or schedule an appointment
by calling 573-387-4822.

*We are here to live out
God's call to be of
service to others*



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

june 2026

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

	1	2	3	4	5	6
	PGUMC STAFF MEETING <u>9 A.M.</u>	YOGA <u>8 A.M.</u>		MEN'S GROUP <u>7 P.M.</u>	MISSOURI ANNUAL CONFERENCE IN ST. CHARLES	COFFEE WITH SISTERS IN FAITH (AT TERRY GILMORE'S) <u>8:30-10 A.M.</u> MISSOURI ANNUAL CONFERENCE
7 WORSHIP <u>9 A.M.</u> SUNDAY SCHOOL <u>10:10 A.M.</u> WORSHIP <u>11 A.M.</u> MISSOURI ANNUAL CONFERENCE	8 PGUMC STAFF MEETING <u>9 A.M.</u>	9 YOGA <u>8 A.M.</u> COMMUNICATIONS TEAM MEETING <u>11 A.M.</u>	10 QUILT GROUP <u>7 P.M.</u>	11	12 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL <u>6-8 P.M.</u>	13 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL <u>9 A.M.-3 P.M.</u>
14 WORSHIP <u>9 A.M.</u> SUNDAY SCHOOL <u>10:10 A.M.</u> WORSHIP <u>11 A.M.</u> KLEPEES FAREWELL DINNER <u>12 NOON</u> VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL <u>12-2 P.M.</u>	15 PGUMC STAFF MEETING <u>9 A.M.</u>	16 YOGA <u>8 A.M.</u>	17	18 BABY GRACE PICKUP <u>11-2 P.M.</u> SERVE FOOD BOX PICKUP <u>11-2 P.M.</u> COMMUNITY LUNCH <u>12 NOON</u> MEN'S GROUP <u>7 P.M.</u>	19 BUILDING IN USE	20 BUILDING IN USE
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COUNTRY FRIENDS
Quilt Group

All local quilters are invited for
fellowship and fun! Bring your finished
products to show off!

Pleasant Grove @ 7:00pm

We meet on the second
Wednesday of each month.

Welcome, Pastor Bill Koch



Bishop Bob Farr has appointed the Rev. Bill Koch (pronounced "Cook") as interim senior pastor to Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church. He replaces Pastor Paul Klepees, who is leaving Pleasant Grove after nine years to take an appointment with Chillicothe United Methodist Church. Koch's appointment officially begins on July 1, although he will be participating in Pleasant Grove services beginning June 7.

Bill Koch grew up in Carrollton, Missouri. He attended Northeast Missouri State University (now Truman State University) and earned an education degree in 1967. In his junior year of college, he met his future wife, Marti Acuff, while working on the yearbook staff; he was the editor and she was the business manager. They married in 1971.

After graduation, Bill spent two years teaching ninth-grade civics in the Ritenour School District in St. Louis and then traveled as a leadership trainer for his college fraternity. He enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserves Medical Corps and served as a Specialist Fifth Class. After his discharge, Bill joined the business world, working in sales and management for Shade Information Systems of Green Bay, Wisconsin. After 8½ years, he left to join Marti's cousins in a homebuilding business where he worked as a project superintendent in Gladstone, Missouri.

Bill answered the call to the pastorate in 1981. He earned his Master of Divinity degree from Saint Paul School of Theology – Kansas City in 1985. He has served churches in Napoleon, Wellington, Springfield, Nixa, Cameron and Sikeston, and as superintendent of the Missouri Conference's Mark Twain District. He retired as superintendent in 2010. In retirement he is principal consultant for Living Water Church Wellness Consulting, where he leads church wellness training events.

Marti, a Kirksville native, also graduated from NEMSU. She taught English and later completed her master's degree in counseling from the University of Missouri. She was a school counselor until she, too, retired in 2010.

Retirement did not dampen the Kochs' passion for ministry. They joined UM Nomads, a mobile light-



BILL AND MARTI KOCH

duty construction/maintenance mission under the guidance of the United Methodist General Board of Global Ministries. When invited by local church agencies, various UM Nomads teams complete three-week on-site projects at churches, camps, care centers, children's homes and disaster recovery sites. During their 10 years in UM Nomads, the Kochs completed 50 three-week projects and traveled through all the lower 48 states. Bill led projects and served four years on the board of directors, chairing the board in his fourth year.

The couple also served in United Methodist Volunteer in Mission projects in Mexico, Costa Rica and Peru.

After several years of living and traveling in a motor home, the Kochs moved to Ashland in 2021, where their youngest son and his family live. As the parsonage will be undergoing some repairs this summer, they plan to commute to Pleasant Grove for the time being.

"I pray that we will work together as God leads us to be effective ambassadors for Jesus in the Hatton community and beyond," Pastor Bill says. "Pleasant Grove UMC has a great history of service on behalf of Jesus Christ. My goal is to build on that legacy."



SERVE and Baby Grace

Pleasant Grove is a mobile site for SERVE food pantry and Baby Grace.

THURSDAY, JUNE 18TH, 11 A.M.-2 P.M.

(We are open every third Thursday of the month.)

If you are in need of a food box from SERVE,
please stop by! You can register that day and
participate in the food pantry.

The Baby Grace store offers free diapers, wipes and gently used or
new clothing for ages birth through 5 years.



COMMUNITY LUNCH

The Discipleship Sunday School class invites
you to join us for a homemade meal.
Stay for a game of cards, dominoes, or
bring a suggestion!

THURSDAY, JUNE 18TH, 12 NOON



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THREADS OF CARE



KALEB AND MACY STORTS WITH BOONE

Make Space for the Quiet

BY ASSOCIATE PASTOR MACY STORTS

As summer approaches and begins to settle in, the days seem to stretch a little longer. Fields start to sprout, kids are out of school, and many of us find ourselves moving into the rhythm of summer. Amid these changes, I have been reflecting on this familiar verse from Psalm 46:10: “Be still and know that I am God.” These words from the Psalm remind us of something we often forget: we do not have to fill every moment with noise; we don’t have to rush to the next thing; and we don’t have to fill our day with business. Sometimes faith grows and God talks in the quiet: the quiet mornings, evening family time, time spent outside, or moments when we simply pause long enough to notice.

Summer can be busy! We know this as our families take on vacations, activities, sports and fun in the sun. It can also offer a reminder to slow down and rest in God’s presence around us. In a world that constantly pushes us to move faster and do more, Scripture gently invites us to rest in the assurance that God is already with us in the midst of chaos.

This month, I encourage you to make space for recognizing this presence. Call someone you have not spoken with in a while. Sit a little longer with family without distractions. Take a walk outside in the sunshine. Or, spend a few moments each day in prayer or gratitude. Pay attention to the small ways God is still moving among us.

Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church is a place of care and connection — through prayers, phone calls, meals, visits, encouragement and simple acts of compassion that often go unseen. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Christ in our community. As we journey through June together, may we find God’s presence and renewed joy in the relationships around us.

BE STILL, AND KNOW THAT I AM GOD.

PSALM 46:10

Women's Ministries Yoga

Join us in the gym

8:00 AM

Every Tuesday

FOR MORE INFO
CONTACT
JULIE HUFFMAN

jthuffman@hotmail.com

(First yoga session is FREE)

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

JUNE 12-14

AT PLEASANT GROVE



I can do all things through Him who strengthens me. (Philippians 4:13)

Enjoy games, crafts and snacks. Every day brings a new lesson on how God gives us strength to weather any kind of challenge.

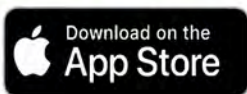
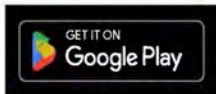
All kids grades K-5 are welcome!

Register at MyPGUMC.org/what-we-do/vacation-bible-school

The PG App



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[HTTP://MYPGUMC.ORG/YOUTUBE](http://mypgumc.org/youtube)

Pleasant Grove is on YouTube!
Check out this channel if you can't
make it to church!



NEXTGEN NOTES



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT: KAYLA, KRIS, KIERSTYN AND KOURTNEY O'NEAL

Avoid the Summer Drift

BY NEXTGEN MINISTER KRIS O'NEAL

June is here. School is out, schedules change, and summer officially begins. Students trade homework and routines for vacations, summer jobs, sports, family trips and hopefully, a little extra sleep. Summer is a great season, but it also creates a challenge. During the school year, life naturally creates structure. Summer is different. Days become less organized, weeks blur together, and before long July somehow sneaks up on us.

I've noticed over the years that people usually don't drift spiritually because they decide to walk away from God. More often, life simply gets busy. The routines that kept us connected disappear. Prayer gets postponed. Time with God gets replaced by distractions. Summer can be a lot like floating in a pool. Nobody plans to drift across to the other side. You just stop paying attention and eventually look up and wonder, *How did I get over here?*

While our regular youth group activities take a break this summer, our faith doesn't. The next big event on the calendar is camp in July, and camp can be an incredible week. But camp isn't meant to create a relationship with Jesus in one week — it's meant to strengthen one that's already growing.

Psalm 119:105 says, "Your word is a lamp to my feet and a light to my path." Maybe your next step this summer is simple: read a few verses before reaching for your phone, spend a few minutes praying outside, or take time to ask God what He wants to teach you this summer.

Small habits matter.

My prayer is that students don't spend June spiritually coasting until camp arrives, but instead allow God to begin preparing their hearts now.

YOUR WORD IS A LAMP TO MY FEET AND A LIGHT TO MY PATH.



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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Annual Conference Begins June 5

United Methodists from across the state will gather at the St. Charles Convention Center June 5-7 for the Missouri Annual Conference. Those attending from Pleasant Grove include Associate Pastor Macy Storts; Cindy Feutz, district lay leader; and Bennie and Meda Young. Bennie Young is Pleasant Grove's voting delegate at the conference. For information on the conference agenda, downloadable documents and livestream sessions, visit www.MOACinfo.com.

Men's Group Meets

The Pleasant Grove Men's Group will meet on Thursdays this month, June 4 and 18, at 7 p.m. at the church. For more information, contact Russ Hardesty at 573-819-0712.

Coffee with Sisters in Faith

Terry Gilmore will host Coffee with Sisters in Faith on Saturday, June 6, from 8:30 to 10 a.m. in her home at 2875 County Road 240. Find out more about Sisters in Faith from Angie Raebel at 573-416-6438 or email Plote.hogan@gmail.com.

Summer Hiatus for L.I.F.T.

Ladies In Faith Together (L.I.F.T.) will take a break this summer. The group will not meet in June or July but will start up again in August. For more information, contact Sarah Peck at 573-808-2324 or email cspeck428@gmail.com.

Farewell Dinner for the Klepees

Join us at noon on Sunday, June 14, as we bid farewell to Pastor Paul Klepees and his family. We will fellowship around a carry-in meal after the 11 a.m. service ends. Meat will be provided; please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Father's Day Brunch

Women's Ministries will host the annual Father's Day Brunch on Sunday, June 21. They will be serving from 9:15 to 11:30 a.m., allowing plenty of time to attend Sunday School and your worship service of choice. A free-will offering will benefit the 2026 Bethlehem Store. Questions? Contact Cindy Feutz at 573-473-6316.



On The Road Again to Branson

Pleasant Grove's On The Road Again gang is headed to Branson in September. The group plans to leave Wednesday, Sept. 23, and return Friday, Sept. 25. On tap is a visit to Shepherd of the Hills Conservation Education Center and Dogwood Canyon Nature Park. Entertainment includes the dinner show at the Hughes Brothers Theater, plus performances by the Haygoods at Clay Cooper Theater and the IMAX production of the gospel musical comedy *Smoke on the Mountain*.

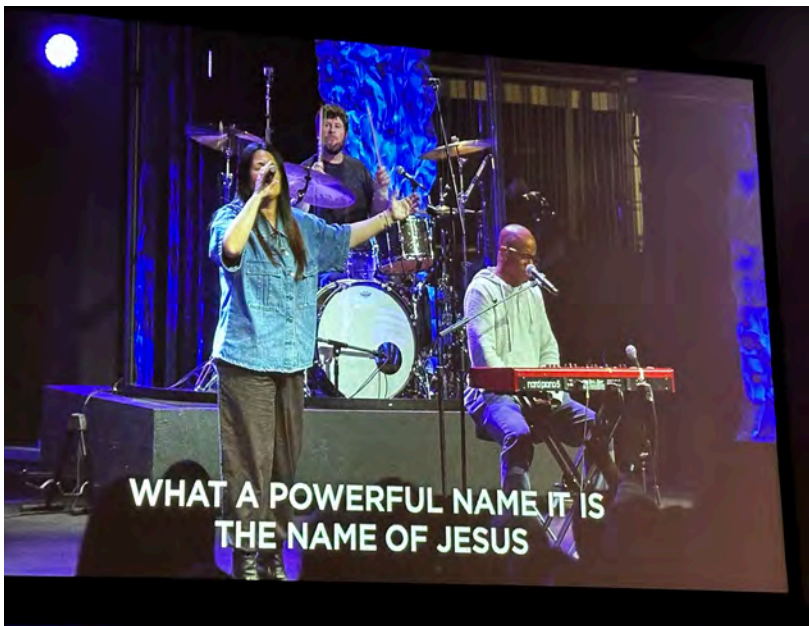
The cost of the trip ranges from \$285 to \$440 per person, depending on hotel room occupancy. Reserve your spot with a \$100 deposit by July 5. Get more details from Jan Hankinson, 573-999-2139 or email janhankinson@gmail.com.



MORE NEWS FROM THE PEWS

GIRLS' NIGHT OUT LOUD

Popular Christian music artists Hope Darst and Jon Reddick played to a packed house at Calvary Church in St. Peters last month. Although concert tickets sold out within minutes, a quartet of Pleasant Grove ladies — Margaret Fansler, Becky Stevens, Jan Hankinson and Angie Raebel — scored seats at the May 7 show for an unforgettable evening.



FIRST QUARTER FINANCIAL REPORT

In the first quarter of 2026, Pleasant Grove's total income was \$7601.74 greater than budget. Total expenses for the first quarter 2026 are \$9973.69 less than budget. The Administrative Board received this finance report at its May 1 meeting.

	2025	2026
Total Offering	\$61,122.28	\$68,318.87
Total Income	\$61,221.14	\$68,726.65
Budgeted Income	\$60,949.41	\$61,124.91
Total Expenses	\$74,957.84	\$63,234.52
Budgeted Expenses	\$63,712.63	\$73,208.21

Fun With Flowers

Eight carloads of Women's Ministries volunteers delivered Mother's Day floral arrangements May 7-9 for Allen's Flowers in Columbia, earning \$1,142 for camp scholarships. This annual fundraiser is a fun project for Women's Ministries, always a day of smiles and laughter. For Suzie Baldwin and Brenda Haden, one sweet encounter won the day.

"Brenda and I delivered flowers to a lady in her 90s and she wanted to tip us," Suzie says. "She only had quarters so she put \$3 in quarters in an old, empty medicine bottle and insisted we take it (she had taken the label off the bottle). So, whatever we made from Allen's, we've made \$3 more!"

The flower delivery project supports scholarships for campers of all ages, from elementary school through junior and senior high school. UNITE campers will receive one large camp scholarship to help all campers. Children attending camps other than UNITE need to submit the camper's name and age, camp name, dates and cost to Cindy Feutz at cfeutz53@gmail.com or call 573 473-6316.



COFFEE WITH
SISTERS IN FAITH

HOSTED BY

Terry Gilmore

2875 COUNTY ROAD 240

SATURDAY, JUNE 6

8:30-10 AM



Branson Bound

Pleasant Grove fifth-graders celebrated their move from Kids For Jesus to Limitless youth group with a trip to Branson in May. The group enjoyed a Friday night pool and pizza party and enjoyed some of Branson's attractions before the Saturday matinee showing of *David: Live on Stage* at Sight & Sound Theater.





PLEASANT GROVE MEN'S GROUP

**JOIN US ON THURSDAYS AT
PLEASANT GROVE**

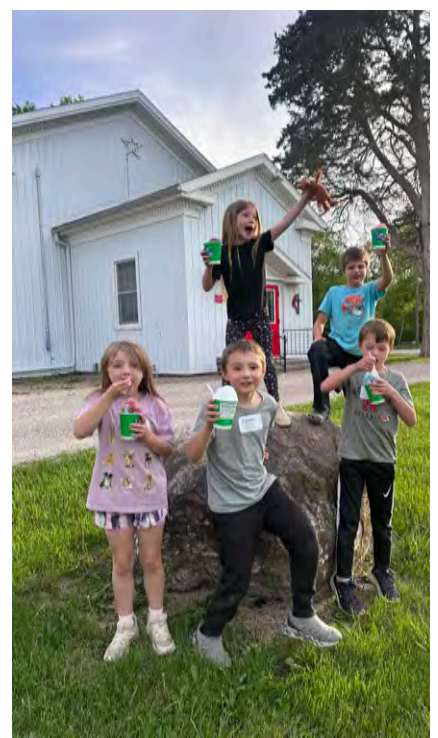
**3686 STATE ROAD E
AUXVASSE, MO**

**JUNE 4 & 18
7 P.M.**

**RUSS HARDESTY
573-819-0712**

PARTY TIME for KFJ

Kids for Jesus wrapped up the 2025-26 program year with a party and open house for parents in April. KFJ attendance averages 50-55 kids each week. This year the children raised \$416.25 for the Buddy Pack/Feed The Children program through their weekly offerings.



Graduation Glee

Pleasant Grove honored its own on May 17, celebrating the achievements of graduates at all levels — from preschool to college. Well done!



PLEASANT GROVE 2026 GRADUATES

Pre-K

Daniel Blevins
Rocklyn Jones

Kindergarten

Genevieve Hans
Hattie Smith

Eighth Grade

Nola Bell
Bane Crawford
Kingston Fielder
Reaghyn Fohey
Eli Kennon
Eliza Peck
Henry Spradlin
Gracelyn Stinson

High School

Austin Brown
Karai Kamp
Landon McMurtry
Katelyn O'Neal
Rylan Suhrbier

College

Hayden Birge
Emma O'Neal
Alexis Raebel



Let's support and uplift each other
through the power of prayer!



Pray with us

FOUR WAYS TO REQUEST PRAYER

1. Submit your prayer requests through the PG App by tapping Contact and the Prayer tab. Fill out the brief form and submit.
2. On our website, MyPGUMC.org, click on the Prayer Request graphic on the home page or click on the Prayer Concerns under the Stay Connected menu (MYPGUMC.org/stay-connected/prayer-concerns). Fill out the brief form and submit.
3. Contact the church office at 573-387-4822 or Pastor Paul Klepees at 816-752-3635.
4. Call the Prayer Tree at 573-597-2102 or email macy@mypgumc.org.

OUTREACH PLANS

Who's in the Pulpit in June

As we transition through ministers this month, the schedule for preaching duties will transition as well. Here is the schedule for who will be in the pulpit in June.

June 7: Associate Pastor Macy Storts will preach via video from Annual Conference in St. Charles. Pastor Bill Koch will be at Pleasant Grove to serve Communion.

June 14: Pastor Paul Klepees will preach his last sermon at Pleasant Grove.

June 21: Pastor Bill will preach at Pleasant Grove.

June 28: Pastor Bill will preach at Pleasant Grove.

Vacation Bible School Set

Children in kindergarten through fifth grade are invited to Vacation Bible School June 12-14 at Pleasant Grove. Join us for a fun-filled weekend of finding strength in God while enjoying a very cool Snowball Mountain Challenge.

VBS will run Friday 6 to 8 p.m., Saturday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., and Sunday during the children's sermon at each service, ending with a barbecue from noon to 2 p.m. Register your child online at www.MyPGUMC.org/what-we-do/vacation-bible-school.

When Disaster Strikes ...

The next Early Response Team training is Saturday, June 20, at First United Methodist Church in Sedalia. Early Response Teams fill a specific need in the days after a disaster to clean out flood-damaged homes, remove debris, place tarps on homes, and otherwise help to prevent further damage, while providing a caring Christian presence. The training session runs from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Cost is \$15, which includes lunch and supplies. Register by June 15 at <https://missouri-reg.brtaapp.com/SedaliaERTtraining71>.

An EXTRAordinary Book Club

Castling about for some summer reading? Join the EXTRAordinary Summer Book Club for a six-week study via Zoom of Adam Hamilton's book *Revival* and accompanying videos on the faith and spiritual formation of John Wesley, founder of Methodism. The free class runs 6-8 p.m. on Mondays, from June 15 to July 27. Register at <https://missouri-reg.brtaapp.com/SEBookclub> by June 14.

BLESSINGS

BRING THE WHOLE TITHE INTO THE STOREHOUSE ... AND SEE IF I WILL NOT THROW OPEN THE FLOOD-GATES OF HEAVEN AND POUR OUT SO MUCH BLESSING THERE WILL NOT BE ROOM ENOUGH TO STORE IT.

MALACHI 3:10

Join us in our mission to know Jesus Christ and make Him known. Your generosity enables us to help more and more people experience a life-changing relationship with Him. We are truly grateful for your donations and hope the convenience and simplicity of our ways of giving are helpful to you.

1. Try scanning our QR code.



2. To use mobile giving, download the "Church By Ministry One" app to your mobile device. Search for Pleasant Grove by entering the zip code 65231.
3. Online giving can be found at www.mypgumc.org/donate.
4. Text "GIVE" to 573-312-2909.
5. Cash and checks can be placed in the offering plates during worship services or mailed to the church office at 3686 State Road E, Auxvasse, MO 65231.

Consider becoming a recurring giver. Church statistics show that churches with high numbers of recurring givers experience the most growth.

If you need assistance or have questions about our digital giving methods, please reach out to Nancy Linville in the church office Monday through Thursday, by phone at 573-387-4822 or email admin@mypgumc.org.



Pleasant Grove

W O R S H I P T I M E S

First Service 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Sunday School 10:10-10:50 a.m.

Second Service 11:00-Noon

