

**Activities for the Week of
May 9, 2010**

May 9		Mother's Day
May 9	9 a.m.	Bible Study (church, nursery) <i>New study of 1 John to begin June 13</i>
May 9	9:15 a.m.	Sunday morning Men's Bible Study
May 11	10 a.m.	Ladies' Bible Study
May 11	5 p.m.	Prayer Group (church)
May 11	7 p.m.	Contemplative Prayer Group (Ann Jenkins' home)
May 12	6:30 p.m.	Youth Bible Study

Next Week's Activities

Bible/Book Studies as scheduled

May 16	10 a.m.	Taco Sunday
May 20	10 a.m.	Ladies' Book Club

Looking Ahead

May 23		Senior Sunday
May 23	11:30 a.m.	Women's Ministry Meeting (Admin. Bldg.)
May 25	6:30 p.m.	Boy Scout Pack 12 Meeting
June 3	7 p.m.	Mission Meeting
June 13		Study of 1 John begins
Jun. 14-18		VBS
Jun. 20		VBS Celebration

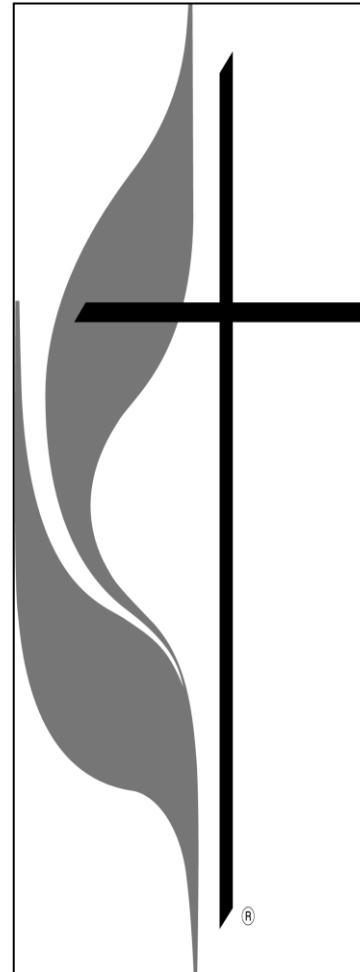
Rev. Stephen Sanders, *Pastor*
Rev. Denise Barker, *Pastor*
Rev. Becky Hamann, *Pastor*
Susan Fly, *Director of Youth Ministries*
Mandy Jackson, *Director of Children's Ministries*
Alfredo Segura, Jr., *Director of Music Ministry*
Michele Koch, *Administrative Assistant*
Brentlee Haberman, *Audio-Visual Coordinator*

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Our Vision: Growing in Faith, Serving God.



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Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Songs

Time with Young Disciples

Song

Prayer Concerns and Celebrations

The Lord's Prayer

Offering

Doxology

Scripture Passage

Acts 16: 9-15

Message

Rev. Stephen Sanders

Invitation to Discipleship

Closing Song

Welcome New Members

Sending Forth

Our Mission - "Spring Creek United Methodist Church commits to an ever-deepening relationship with God through worship, meaningful connections with others, intentional spiritual growth and committed service."

Youth 411
Grades 6-12

Happy Mother's Day to all the DOJO Mamas!!

At DOJO tonight we will continue the series *Why Jesus?* As culture is blurring the lines between different faiths, it is important that students grasp how their faith in Jesus Christ is

unique. We will address tough questions about Jesus and look to the scriptural truth for answers.

This coming Wednesday, May 12, the Wednesday Night Bible Study will meet at the church from 6:30-8 PM. It will be another great parable and Ms. Cammie will lead the study.

Mission Trip 2010 - Final payments for the trip are due by May 16. Also, on May 23 at 6 PM there will be a meeting for students who will be going on the mission trip and their parents. There will be a notary at the meeting to help complete the necessary forms. This is a very informative meeting so please make plans to attend.

Taco Sunday – next Sunday, May 16. Come prepared to feast on the delicious tacos.

Did you know.....that there is a link to the **Upper Room** on the Spring Creek website? Go to www.springcreekumc.org and click on the Upper Room link for your daily devotional.

A big thank you to **Randall Lynch** for shredding the fields in front of the church. Keeping our green areas nice brings much beauty to our church grounds. Thanks Randall!!!

Are you hungry? You may not be, but there are families all around us who go without food on a daily basis. Even though we "officially" collect food on the first Sunday of every month, the basket is always "out" for donations. The food collected is delivered to the St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church Food Bank. They distribute to 150-200 needy families every other Saturday. If you would like to donate a check, please make your check payable to Spring Creek and designate "Food Bank."

Spring
Creek Kids
Grades K-5th

Volunteers are critical for a successful VBS. We cannot do it without you! Please consider volunteering your time this year. There are a number of jobs that need to be filled, and we can help find one that fits you!

Do you want to help with VBS, but can't be here during the week? We could use your help decorating on Saturday June 12 and Sunday June 13. We could also use your help in making some very EASY decorations at home. The kids can even do it! For more information contact Mandy Jackson at mjackson@springcreekumc.org or at the church office. We also have a donation list of some VBS supplies that we will need in the foyer.

PARENTS! Please don't forget to pick up your children in their classrooms after worship and please sign them out. Thank you for your cooperation. This is to ensure that our children are safe.

We are looking for a teaching team for the month of June in the PT Cruisers classroom. We need you and a spouse, or you and a friend to help with our 5th and 6th graders for only 3 Sundays. The PT Cruisers will be talking about "being good disciples for Christ, even when it's not the easy choice!"



Searching for a way to serve?
"Grab Hold of a Mission!"

1. Visit the Mission display in the foyer/narthex area.
2. Select a mission.
3. See a member of the Mission Team for more information and/or assistance.



Don't see what you would like to do?

1. Suggest a new mission.
2. The Mission Team will help link you with others with the same interest and the right opportunity.

The Mission Team meets the 1st Thursday of each month in the Church Office.
Join us at 7 p.m.

New study of 1 John begins on June 13 from 9 - 10 am in the Nursery Building. Everyone welcome! Bring your Bible. This study is for those new to Bible study and the seasoned student. First John is an exciting study of scripture and is considered the capstone of theological and ethical thought in the New Testament using the simple language of light, life and love. Come and explore this transformational text on Christian community. As you do you will be blessed through the experience of deepened friendships within the Spring Creek family. Led by Rev. Denise Barker"

Spring Creek has the opportunity to support **Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center** with their Baby Bottle Boomerang Fund Raiser. Hill Country Pregnancy Care Center is a faith-based ministry that offers counseling and support for those experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. At the end of the service please pick up an empty baby bottle being distributed in the foyer. Over the next two weeks fill the bottle with loose change and currency. Return your bottle back to the church by Sunday, May 23. There will be a collection site in the foyer. Checks may be made out to Spring Creek (in the memo section please designate HC Pregnancy Center). Thank you for your support of this mission service.

Ladies' Book Club - Will meet on Thursday, May 20, at 10 a.m. Ruth Haas will be leading the discussion of *One True Thing: A Novel*, by Anna Quindlen. In June, the selection is *Mistaken Identify: Two Families, One Survivor, Unwavering Hope* by Don and Susie Van Ryn, et al. The book club meets the 3rd Thursday of every month at 10 a.m.

Next Sunday's Scripture: Acts 16:16-34

Attendance May 2, 2010	
Congregation	121
Music/Video	7
Children	17
Adult/Helpers.....	3
Nursery Children	11
Adult/Helpers.....	3
Total Attendance	162

We invite you to make Spring Creek your church home.

You can join Spring Creek in one of the following ways:

BY BAPTISM

If you have not been previously baptized, you can receive the sacrament of baptism and profess your faith in Christ. Speak with the pastor today about scheduling your baptism.

BY TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

If you currently belong to another church of any denomination, you can join today. We will handle the details.

BY PROFESSION OF FAITH

If you have been baptized and do not belong to another church, you can profess Christ as your Lord and Savior today. The pastor will ask you a few questions and invite you to respond.

If you would like to join the Spring Creek family, complete the information below and bring it to the pastor during the final song or talk to the pastor after the service.

Name _____

Address _____ ZIP _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Have you been baptized? _____

If you are presently a member of another church, please include the name and address if known.