

40TH ANNIVERSARY ORGANIZATIONAL TEAM

Jean Burtch	Web Cole
Woody Cole	Sharon Durrant
Karen Herren	Janet Kadesch
Kathy Riley	Patricia Robinson
Denice Skinner	Dee Smale
Kay Amendola	Linda Hoover
Connie Winslow	Carol Yeager

Calendar of Events for the week of September 25– October 1, 2006

Monday, September 25 Adult Volleyball 7-9pm Commons; Alpha Omega Circle 7:30pm lounge

Tuesday, September 26 Staff meeting 10am lounge; Preschool Parent Work Night in the basement at 6:30pm; Stewardship meeting 7pm?

Wednesday, September 27 No Yah-Way

Thursday, September 28 Lectionary Bible Study at 11am in lounge; 12:15pm potluck in Commons; Choir 6pm; Praise Band practice 7:30pm

Friday, September 29 Food Pantry 10-12pm

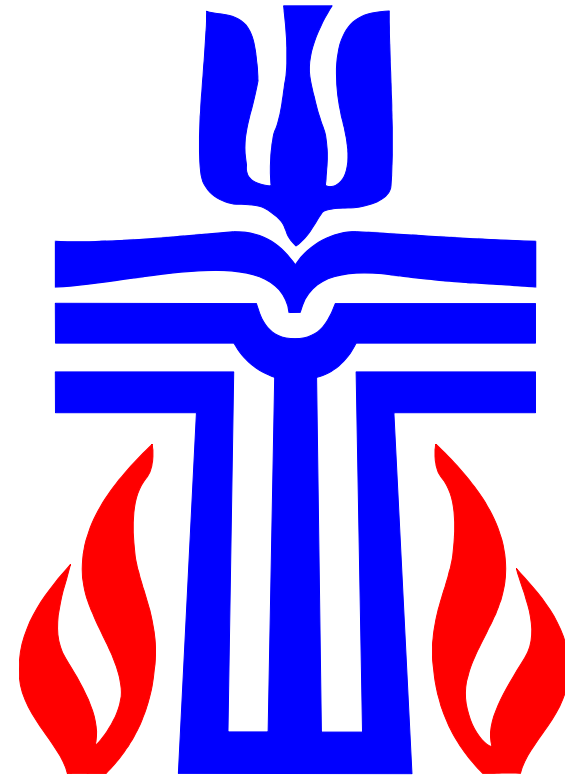
Saturday, September 30 #4 Great Banquet Team meeting 9-12:30pm at Fairgreen

Sunday, October 1 World Communion Sunday; Peacemaking Offering will be received; Services 9:15am and 11:30am; Rally Day; Sunday School begins at 10:30am

Sunday, October 1st Texts:

Esther 7:1-6, 9-10, 9: 20-22; Psalm 124; James 5: 13-20; Mark 9: 38-50
Sermon Title maybe: "Fear Mongering!"

Fairgreen at Forty



September 24, 2006

Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
3220 W. Laskey Rd., Toledo, Ohio 43613
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10:30 AM



Welcome to worship with the Fairgreen family! The * symbol means, "All who are able, please stand." † indicates when latecomers may be seated.

Anniversary Celebration

PRELUDE "Prelude in Classic Style" by Gordon Young Carita Pfaltzgraff, Organist

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS~ Please sign fellowship book found in pews. Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer
This is the day that the Lord has made!
Let us rejoice and be glad in it!

GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

ANTHEM ~ Jubilation Ringers "Fanfare for Handbells" by R. Rayle

CALL TO WORSHIP

God whispers your name. Come and worship.

All of us, young, old, sister, brother, cousin, friend.

Again and again: Come and worship.

All of us. The proud and the strong, the lost and searching, the joyous and the sad.

From a whisper to a shout: Come and worship.

All of us. Word-arrangers and finger-painters, rope-jumpers and slow-walkers, belly-laughers and soul-singers.

Here in this place, the light is shining, joy is brimming and God is beckoning. Come and worship.

All of us. Here and now!

*HYMN ~ (See screen) "Part of the Family" Shannon Smith, Clavinova

CHORUS Come in, come in and sit down
You are a part of the family
We are lost and we are found
And we are a part of the family

VERSE I You know the reason why you came
Yet no reason can explain
So share in the laughter
And cry in the pain
For we are a part of the family
God is with us in this place
Like a Mother's warm embrace
We're all forgiven by God's grace
For we are a part of the family

LITANY OF THANKSGIVING AND REDEDICATION

Jacob Close & Deanne Smale

Lord, as we gather to celebrate our 40th Anniversary...and this church to Your mission and ministry.

Receive our gratitude, Holy God, for the years through which you have led us, and open us to the future your promise. In the years that lie ahead, grant us your encouragement in the work of ministry, your consolation in our defeats, and your challenge to our complacency. Give us such trust in your abiding Holy Spirit, that we may find joy and peace in our common life, strength and courage to live in the world for your reign, and hope in the gospel of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*HYMN OF DEDICATION #525 "Here I Am Lord" Shannon Smith, Clavinova

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE— HALLELUJAH CHORUS (We invite all who would like to sing to come forward and sing with the Geneva Choir and Praise Band.)

POSTLUDE "Tocatta" by Charles Marie Widor Carita Pfaltzgraff, Organist

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS

- Jacob Close ~ Member, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Peggy Cytlak ~ Member, Former Director of the Jubilation Ringers
- Ken Hulsey ~ Lay Pastor Candidate, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Rich Kinney ~ Candidate, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Rev. Thom Prosser ~ Former Pastor, Retired
- Rev. Pat Lawrence Shafer ~ Pastor, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Hilary Shuford ~ General Presbyter, Maumee Valley Presbytery
- Shannon Smith ~ Director of Music, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Carita Pfaltzgraff ~ Former Director of Music of Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Stacy Skinner ~ Deacon, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Jan Solarek ~ Former Member, Lay Pastor
- Deanne Smale ~ Director of Christian Nurture, Fairgreen Presbyterian Church
- Rev. David Young ~ Former Pastor, Retired
- Rev. Jessica Young-Brust, Associate Pastor ~ The Presbyterian Church of Union Mills, IN
- The Geneva Choir
- The Fairgreen Praise Band
- The Jubilation Ringers Reunion Group