

# *Friedens Church of Washington, UCC*

*Join us September 6<sup>th</sup> and welcome our interim pastor the Rev. Dr. George Klett.*

The Rev. Dr. George Klett of College Station will be our interim pastor beginning September 1, 2009. This was announced by the council on July 26, 2009. The Rev. Dr. George Klett was born in Beeville, Texas graduated from Texas A&M, class of '56. He has been a Presbyterian Pastor for 45 years. He graduated from Austin Seminary in Austin with a Master of Divinity and Dr. of Minister from McCormick of Chicago, Ill. The Rev. Dr. Klett lives in College Station and will move into the parsonage soon.



## **Prayer list:**

Keep these individuals in your prayers: Hospitalized since last letter: Edward Leiber, Robert Boenker, Betty Dickschat, Prayer concerns for: Ben Allen Bosse, Evelyn Hartstack, Robert Boenker, Walter Bush, Betty Dickschat, Frankie Dickschat, Donna Jensen, Erdine Lauter, Edward Leiber, also Nancy Holle, Dolly Krause.

## **Upper Room subscriptions:**

Upper Room subscription renewals are due soon. Please see Willie Dell Lohmeyer for your renewal and new subscribers are always welcome. Orders are due by August 20. Thank You!!

## **Baptism:**

Dilan Ray Finke, son of Roger and Sheri Finke was baptized on July 12, 2009. Dilan's sponsors are: Jeff Stolz, Clayton Muehr, Lennis Butts, and Shannon Sloan.



## **Sympathy:**

Sympathy to the family of **Clifford James** who passed away and funeral services were held on July 20, 2009 here at Friedens with Rev. Ron Trimmer officiating.

Sympathy to the family of **Don Stolz** who passed away and funeral services were held on July 22, 2009 here at Friedens with Rev. Ron Trimmer officiating.



## **Oktoberfest:**

Oktoberfest is coming soon. We will celebrate the Oktoberfest on October 11<sup>th</sup>. Please mark your calendar. This year the Events committee is looking at expanding the celebration to include Saturday-October 10<sup>th</sup> with a barbecue cook off and live music. On Sunday, we will have a dinner with activities that will include: a silent auction, cake walk, bingo, games and something new, a country store where you can purchase homemade jams, breads, baked goods and crafts. Final details will appear later.

**Thank you:**

Dear Friedens Church,

We would like to thank the church for all of the kindness, love, and appreciation shown to us during the time of farewell. The kind words offered, the food shared, and gifts of appreciation and well-being will always be treasured and remembered. Above all, we value all of you for you are truly a gift from God. You have blessed our lives.

Blessings and Peace,

*Pastor Ron, Jan, Ben, and Aaron Trimmer*



**Thank you:**

Friedens UCC and Thank you Pastor Ron,

Thank you so much for the Cross and My Book. Thank you for having me and my family for the lunch after church.

*Love, Emily Stolz*

Thank you to Heather Mason, Don Roese, and Thresia Schlabach for volunteering to work the sound system. If you are interested in helping with sound system, just let Linda Oberhoff know or call the church office. Thanks!!

**To the Choir:**

Our family thank all of you who sang in the choir for Clifford's service. It was so nice for all of you to participate that day.

Thanks, *Ora Nell and Family*

**To Friedens Church Family,**

Thank you all so very much for the support, thoughts, prayers, and many donations made in Don's memory. Thanks again for everything.

*Don Stolz Family*



**Sunday School:**

The Sunday School has been studying in the month of July about "The Good Samaritan" and in August they will be covering stories of Jesus helping other. Therefore, we will be doing several "good deed" projects/services. The first project we did was a fundraiser for a local Navasota family who lost 2 daughters in a fatal car accident last month. The Sunday School had a bake sale on July 19<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. Please share with the Sunday School if you have specific service project you would like to see us do. Also, thanks so much to you who brought your picture and note for Ron's scrapbook.

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<b>Liturgists</b>	<b>Acolytes</b>	<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>
<b>August</b>		
2- Kristyn Smith	Lane Boenker	Ollie Walker & Bridgett Schulze
9- Lauren James	B J Fowler	Josh & Misti Corn
16- Vivian Kolkhorst	Spencer James	Michael & Shelli James
23-	Blake Wellmann	Lee & Carol Borgstedte
30- Heather Mason	Trey Krause	Jeff & Amanda Stolz
<b>September</b>		
6- Bonnie Mohr	Todd Wellmann	Dale & Trish Borgstedte
13- Dane Pawlowski	Dalton Wellmann	Steve & Kathy Pawlowski
20- Shelley Schluens	Will Corn	LaNell Langford & Sis Renn
27- Jackie Schroeder	Raelynn Maxson	Gary Lenz & Suzanne Kirkpatrick
<b>October</b>		
4- Ashley Wilson	Drake Pawlowski	Arthur & Mary H. Steele
11- Gary Bogan	Joshua Parker	Gary & Judy Bogan

## **Calendar of events:**

### **August**

- 10- Trustee meeting 6 pm.  
Church council meeting 7 pm.
- 18- TEEA meeting at Sandy Hill Lutheran Church 10:30 am. (lunch)
- 20- Women's Fellowship 2:15 pm.
- 26- Fun and Fellowship 2 pm.

### **September**

- 2- UCC Women meeting 7 pm.
- 10- Women's Fellowship 2:15 pm.
- 14- Trustee meeting 6 pm.
- 14- Church council meeting 7 pm.
- 23- Fun and Fellowship 2 pm.

### **Guest speakers:**

- Aug. 2- Eric Dehmer
- 9- Rev. Kyle Walker
- 16- Rev. Sam Duree
- 23- Rev. Larry Embrey
- 30- Dean Dickschat



### **Welcoming committee**

- Aug. 2- Heather Mason/Mary H. Steele
- 9- Sally Stolz/Stephanie Maxson
- 16- Ruth Lauter/Judy Bogan
- 23- Betsy Bosse/Michael James
- 30- Sandy & Jack Taylor
- Sept. 6- Linda Oberhoff/William Corn
- 13- Shelley Schluens/Rose L. Lohmeyer
- 20- Sandra Bosse/Terry Campbell
- 27- LaNell Langford/Willie D. Lohmeyer

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### **Song leaders:**

- Aug. 2- Sandra Bosse & Janet Barrett
- 9- Bonnie Mohr & Jo Ann Buck
- 16- Shelli James & Kathy Pawlowski
- 23- Thresia Schlabach & Kim Wellmann
- 30- Bonnie Mohr & Jo Ann Buck
- Sept. 6- Sandra Bosse & Janet Barrett
- 13- Bonnie Mohr & Jo Ann Buck
- 20- Shelli James & Kathy Pawlowski
- 27- Thresia Schlabach & Kim Wellmann

### **Food Pantry workers**

- Aug. 6 – Ora Nell James/ May D. Lanham
- 13- Jo Ann Bosse/Rose L. Lohmeyer
- 20- Mary Borgstedte/Sandy Taylor
- 27- Kim Bosse/Sally Stolz
- Sept. 3- Bonnie Mohr/Vivian Kolkhorst
- 10- Terry Campbell/May D. Lanham
- 17- Jo Ann Bosse/ Rose L. Lohmeyer
- 24- Mary Borgstedte/Sandy Taylor
- Oct. 1- Kim Bosse/ Sally Stolz
- 8- Bonnie Mohr/ Vivian Kolkhorst

