



Now the Lord is the Spirit,  
and where the  
Spirit of the Lord is,  
there is freedom.

2 Corinthians 3:17

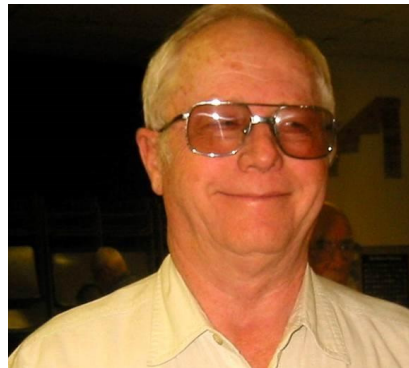
HAYSVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

# Messenger



## Harry Denman Award Winner - Ed Hatcher!

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**Harry Denman Evangelism Awards**  
Named for the late Dr. Harry Denman, distinguished lay evangelist, whom Dr. Billy Graham called "my mentor in evangelism," the Harry Denman Evangelism Awards honors United Methodist clergy, youth, and lay persons in each annual conference who has exhibited outstanding efforts in Wesleyan evangelism by faithfully carrying out the mission of "making disciples of Jesus Christ."

Ed Hatcher was recommended by the Administrative Council and Evangelism committee for Haysville UMC. They submitted a two-page summary that detailed all the work that he does within and outside the walls of the church. The most convincing aspect was that in the midst of chemotherapy treatments, he continued to pour his heart into lay ministry. As his nominating letter says, "it seemed the worse he felt, the more impassioned he grew – as if there were still so much he wanted to do for his Lord and felt he had to cram it all in to his dwindling time." While incurable and inoperable, his cancer disappeared, giving him even more time to transform the world.

Congratulations, Ed!

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## Meet Our New Youth Minister, Ben Cole!

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We Welcome Ben Cole as our new Youth Minister!

Ben is a seminary student at St. Paul School of Theology coming to us from Girard, KS, where he has been serving three small United Methodist congregations as their pastor. Called to youth ministry, he is excited about his opportunity to serve here! Ben has served as a core counselor at Camp Chippewa and done internships in youth ministry at both the Hope Center in Jackson, TN, and the Austin Christian Fellowship in Austin, TX. A 2012 graduate of Pittsburg State University where he received a B.S. in Sociology, Ben loves spending time with people and especially reaching out with the love and message of Christ. He also enjoys sports, camping, fishing, guitar, theatre and technical production and cooking, and was a part of the Worship Band at Pittsburg State.



## While on the Journey...

### Summer: A Great Time to Reconnect

The swimmers are in the water, the combines are in the field, and the school bus doesn't arrive 'til half-past August! It's Summertime! Time for all those projects we put off during the school year. Time to catch our breath. Time to quit worrying about what time it is. Time to BE. God's time. Kairos time. As we see the shoots springing up in our gardens and new life blossoming all around us, we start to sense that maybe it's time for the Spirit to breathe new life-- in us.

How can we do that? Here are some ideas:

As you head out for your morning coffee, before you flip on the TV, how about settling into a favorite chair where you can look out on the world around you—and ask God's blessing on that world this day.

Give yourself the luxury of a moment of quiet and peace as you tell God you love him. Feel his love surround you. Open the Bible or the Upper Room devotional and let God tell you of his love through His Word.

Do one thing to connect with one person you care about: Give someone a call or send a quick e-mail. Offer one word of forgiveness and love to someone who needs that word. Go hug a family member who's least expecting it.

Connect someone you care about with God: Attend a Lifetree Café with them here at the church on Wednesday evening at 6:30. Let someone know you're praying for them—and do it.

Summer. What a great time to reconnect—with each other, with ourselves, and with God. May your spirit be blessed and renewed!

Grace and peace, Phyllis

## Goodbye

I've made a lot of good friends and good memories during the last eight years working at the Haysville UMC. It has been an experience I will never forget, and I will miss all of you!

I especially want to thank Louise Ragland for all the times she was there to cover the office and helping with the Messenger (and anything else we needed help with!)...Louise, you are an ANGEL!

To my lunch buddies - Kent, Linda and Tracy - don't forget me!

God Bless,

Sandy  
Nahrendorf



Coming...

### THIS MONTH

**July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30:** LifeTree Cafe

**July 4:** Happy Fourth!

**July 11-13:** Camping Group at Kaw Lake

**July 20:** Jammerz Concert and Crusader's Ice Cream Social

**July 28-Aug. 1:** Filling in the Gap

## Record of Our Faithfulness

**The Bad News: Our 2014 Church Budget was drastically reduced from 2013.**

**The Good News: Because of your faithfulness, we have met 100% of our budgeted needs for this year as of June. Thank You!**

**June Attendance:** 844

**June SS Attendance:** 417

## Happening This Month!



**July 11-13**  
**Kaw Lake**

Campground to be decided at June's campout. It will either be Coon Creek or Sarge Creek at Kaw City, OK.

Homemade ice cream social.  
Bring your favorite toppings

Potlucks on Saturdays  
4 PM Social Hour  
5 PM Eat

POC: James Moore 620-450-7524



### ICE CREAM AND MUSIC!

**JAMMERZ! Gospel Concert & Crusader's Ice Cream Social**

**Sunday, July 20**

Concert: 3:30 PM  
Ice Cream Social: 4:30 PM

Come join us for the best ice cream and music in town!

Donations will be taken for the ice cream.  
Proceeds will go towards feeding the homeless.



Help feed hungry children from our community! Filling in the Gap, July 28-Aug. 1 at Haysville UMC. Food donations are needed! Bring treats to add to boxed lunches, like bananas, cuties, fruit cups and snack bars (granola, etc.)

## A Time of Transition



July 1st brings more than fireworks stands. It brings changes in our church personnel who stand ready and willing to serve and support the mission and people of the Haysville United Methodist Church. As we say hello to the implementation of newly expanded hours and a new format in office and congregational support with its hope of greater effectiveness in meeting our mission, we also must sadly say farewell to our dedicated office manager of these past eight years, Sandy Nahrendorf. Sandy's ready smile and hospitality has brought warmth and welcome to each person who stopped by our church office and we will miss her! We give thanks for her, and lift Sandy and her family in prayer and Christian love as she begins this new part of her journey.

We welcome our new Administrative Assistant, Tracy Winter, to this new position. Tracy will continue serving as our church treasurer and we thank her for serving as our interim youth coordinator these past two months. *SPRC*

## Garage Sale

I have been notified by some of the sharper HUMM guys that I have a case of "foot in mouth disease." Last month I said that haste makes waste and waste was hard to sell. I was reminded by these guys that the HUMM motto is "We're like the sewer; we take anything." And we will take anything, so forget about the waste statement. While I've got your attention, I will remind you that the garage sale will be Aug. 9 and the collection trailers will be at on the south parking lot July 1. Gary Gibbs





## Coming in August

August 1-2-3  
Winfield City Lake  
Potluck theme: TBA

POC: James Moore  
620-450-7524

Potlucks on Saturdays  
4 PM Social Hour  
5 PM Eat



**Wed.,  
August  
20**



**GIRLS VOLLEYBALL**

Signups for girls volleyball (grades 3-6) will start August 9 in the youth room during the city-wide garage sale. We need at least 21 girls to have enough teams. We also need adults and youth who are interested in helping with coaching and practices.

The players, coaches and parent meeting will be Sept. 2. Volleyball starts Sept. 9 and occurs every Monday and Tuesday night in the Family Life Center for 6 weeks. The cost is \$20 per player, which includes the price of the team shirt. *Sandy Stout*



**Wed.,  
August  
27**

## Connections

Ready to take the next step in where God is calling you? Looking for a way to connect more deeply with God and with the Haysville United Methodist Church? You are invited to be part of a small group led by Pastor Phyllis beginning Sunday, July 6 from 9:45-10:30 in the church library. There you'll join with people looking into how we LOVE GOD, GROW IN GOD, and SERVE GOD here in this place—and dream of what we MIGHT do together in God's name! If you're brand new here, THIS is the place to get connected and to learn more about "Who ARE these people here,

what do they believe, and what do they do?" If you're a saint (or a sinner!) who's been here awhile and been meaning to connect to a Sunday School class or evening Life Group but just hasn't gotten around to it, *now's the time!* If you'd like to be lifted up in prayer and support others on their Christian journey, to find out more about this thing called the United Methodist Church and what makes it unique, or just have a safe and welcoming place to pause and grow in the Spirit, this is meant for you!

*Praying God leads you there.  
You'll be received with joy!*

## Thanks

Dear Christian Friends: We want to sincerely thank you for your generous donation! We can't thank you enough for your continuous support. Camp is in full swing now and because of you and others like you, Camp Horizon staff has the opportunity to reach out and share God's love to many campers this summer. Thank you again for your kindness and generosity. May God richly bless each of you.

*Camp Horizon Staff*



## July Birthdays

Christopher Unruh	7/2
Joelle Good	7/3
Amy Youel	7/4
Dan McClure	7/5
Charly Pegg	7/5
Nic Lemmons	7/6
Lois Harrington	7/7
Sheri Berry	7/8
Kierra Cain	7/10
Betsy Stranathan	7/10
Paige Berry	7/11
Reese Miller	7/12
Marion Renner	7/12
Raymond Anderson	7/13
Eric Hunt	7/13
Tyler Meckenstock	7/13
MJ Gnad	7/14
Grant Hutchinson	7/14
Chase Moore	7/15
Brany Lee	7/17
Marybeth Denton	7/19
Chris Scherban	7/20
Mark Barb	7/23
Lily Walker	7/23

Jonna Adams	7/24
Maxine Brantley	7/24
Diana Hanley	7/25
Vince Stewart	7/26
Lawana Kates	7/27
Wayne Eliot	7/29
Tim Norton	7/29
Sharanda Stackley	7/29
Jake Jost	7/30
Sara Swope	7/30
Barbara Gibbs	7/31



## Anniversaries



Tammy & Greg Akers  
7/29/2000

Carman & David Caldwell  
7/15/1993

Amber & Grant Hutchinson  
7/4/2008

Erika & Brian Lair  
7/12/2003

Anita & Don McMillan  
7/25/1970

Irma & Gordon Schutt  
7/24/1944

## Card Shower



On July 24, Maxine Brantley will celebrate her 90th birthday. Her family would like to have a card shower for her! Please mail your cards to Maxine at: 338 Sunflower, Wichita, KS 67217. Thanks!

## Prayers of Joy and Concern

### Death:

George Brown  
Betty Coddington  
Janeane Caldwell  
Harry Fitzpatrick  
Lee Louderback

### Prayer Needs:

Jan Lamoree & Jill & Dan Moratto & family, Linda Louderback & family, Christine Strang, Gail Smith, Dave Long, Candy Etter, Donna Sherman, Gladys Zimmerman, Jim Burgess, John Ketron, Joe Logue, Julia Green, Joan Winter.

### Our Shut-ins:

Jean Armstrong, Ruby Blaine, Mary Boys, Ruth Clark, Wayne Eliot, Pete & Phyllis Fox, Jay & Beverly Gibson, Elaine Hall, Edith Hill, Velma Long, Gene Kaufman, Charles Larson, Fleda Morgan, Gene & Lois Smith, June Stearns, Edith Wahlen.



## From the Music Desk...



### HISTORY OF GOSPEL MUSIC

I am excited that the Haysville UMC JAMMERZ! Group will be having our summer Sing-A-Long Gospel Concert on Sunday, July 20 in the church Sanctuary. As such, I wanted to share a little about the history and evolution of the Gospel music culture here in America. Gospel music many times overlaps into other genres of music and there are actually several different subgenres of gospel music to further blur the lines of what is or is not gospel music. I hope you find this information meaningful and helpful. So here goes:

Gospel music in general is characterized by dominant vocals (often with strong use of harmony) referencing lyrics of a Christian nature. Subgenres include contemporary gospel, urban contemporary gospel (sometimes referred to as "black gospel"), Southern gospel, and modern gospel music (now more commonly known as praise and worship music or contemporary Christian music). Several forms of gospel music utilize choirs, use piano or Hammond organ, tambourines,

drums, bass guitar and, increasingly, electric guitar. In comparison with hymns, which are generally of a staid measure, the gospel song is expected to have a refrain and often a more syncopated rhythm.

Several attempts have been made to describe the style of late 19th and early 20th century gospel songs in general. Christ-Janer said "the music was tuneful and easy to grasp ... rudimentary harmonies ... use of the chorus ... varied metric schemes ... motor rhythms were characteristic ... The device of letting the lower parts echo rhythmically a motive announced by the sopranos became a mannerism". Patrick and Sydnor emphasize the notion that gospel music is "sentimental", quoting Sankey as saying, "Before I sing I must feel", and they call attention to the comparison of the original version of Rowley's "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story" with Sankey's version. Gold said, "Essentially the gospel songs are songs of testimony, persuasion, religious exhortation, or warning. Usually the chorus or refrain technique is found."

### Roots & Background

Coming out of the African American religious experience, gospel music can be traced to the early 17th century. Gospel music has roots in the black oral tradition, and typi-

cally utilizes a great deal of repetition. The repetition of the words allowed those who could not read the opportunity to participate in worship. During this time, hymns and sacred songs were lined and repeated in a call and response fashion, and the Negro spirituals and work songs emerged. Repetition and "call and response" are accepted elements in African music, designed to achieve an altered state of consciousness we sometimes refer to as "trance", and strengthen communal bonds.

Most of the churches relied on hand clapping and foot stomping as rhythmic accompaniment. There would be guitars and tambourines available every now and then, but not frequently. Church choirs became a norm only after emancipation. Most of the singing was done a cappella.

Blessings, *Kent E. Stuckey*





## Breaking Bread Price Increase



### PRICE INCREASE AS OF SEPTEMBER 3

Due to the escalating price of food, the Breaking Bread Team has voted to raise the price of our Wednesday night meals. Please note below the new pricing as of September 3:

**Individual: \$5.00**  
**Single family household: \$15.00**  
**Children Ages 3 to 9: \$3.00**  
**Children under 2: Free**

Also on September 3, prepaid cards will be available for purchase.

## Recycle Your Cans!



Remember to recycle your pop cans!  
We earned \$27.00 in the month of May.

These funds are used to help with feeding the homeless in Wichita.

A big thank you to those who already help us in this endeavor!

## UMW News

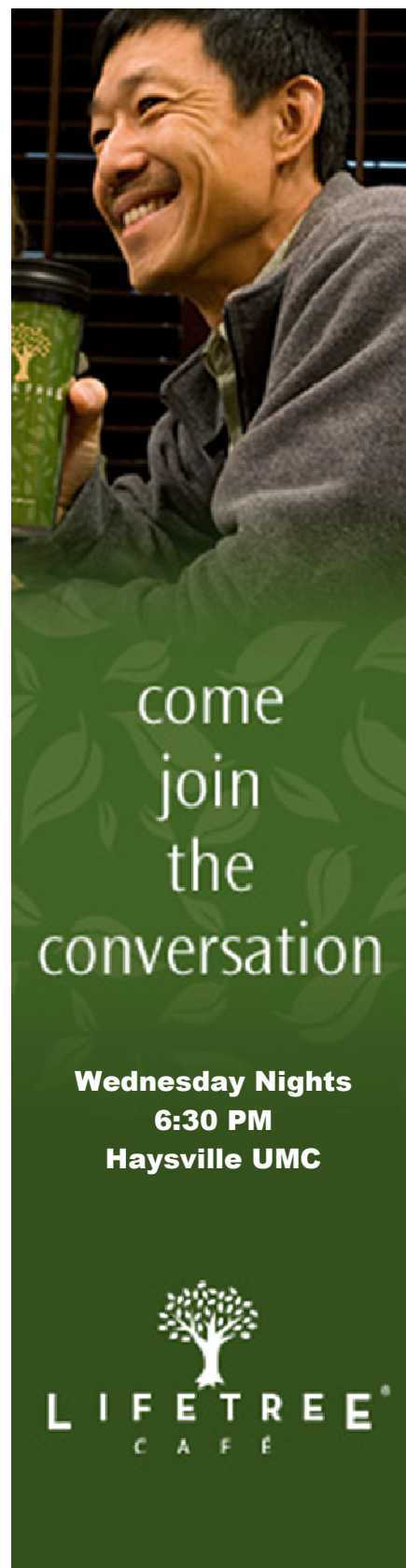
The UMW is not meeting during the summer months.

Next up—Don't forget the Men & Boys Banquet on Wednesday, August 27 at 6:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. The program will be about bees.

## Ice Cream Social / Jammerz! Concert

Sunday, July 20: Attend the Jammers concert at 3:30 PM, then stay for delicious ice cream at 4:30 PM. We need help with ice cream, cake and cookies. Contact the church office if you can help out!

## LifeTree Café



**Wednesday Nights**  
**6:30 PM**  
**Haysville UMC**

# Camp Horizon Golf Scramble

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## Camp Horizon Golf Scramble

Sponsored by:

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**SITE:** QUAIL RIDGE GOLF COURSE: WINFIELD, KS

**FORMAT:** 4 Person Scramble, Limited to First 30 Teams

**DATE:** July 26, 2014 8:30 AM Shotgun Start Rain or Shine

**ENTRY FEE:** \$65.00 Per Person, \$260.00 Per Team, \$55.00 QRGK Passholder

**INCLUDES:** Green Fee & Cart, Gift Certificate Prizes, Range Balls and Lunch

**SPECIALS:** Men's & Women's Contests: Closest to the Pin, Longest Putt, Longest Drive, Closest to the Line, "Hole in One" Contest

**MULLIGANS:** Available at registration, \$5.00 each (maximum two)

**EXTRA GAMES:** CASH BACK Skins Game, \$20.00 per Team

**ENTRY DEADLINE:** FRIDAY, July 18, 2014

**DRESS CODE:** NO METAL SPIKES! NO TANK TOPS!

**PRIZES BASED ON NUMBER OF ENTRIES**  
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**TRAVELING TROPHY FOR LOW NET CHURCH TEAM!**

**TO ENTER, CALL: QUAIL RIDGE GOLF SHOP**  
**620-221-5645 OR 800-676-3880 OR [jwheatcroft@winfieldks.org](mailto:jwheatcroft@winfieldks.org)**

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2. _____	4. _____
CAPTAIN _____	Phone # _____
E-MAIL _____	



# Mission Impact Tour

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Is your church able to provide our youth with a mission opportunity? Wish you could? Now the GP Conference UMM has solved your problem. We now offer a one week Mission Impact Tour (MIT) for young men ages 15 -20. This year we will gather at Wichita Calvary on Sunday afternoon , July 13th to leave early the next morning for Camp Fontanelle in Nebraska where we will help with general maintenance of the camp as well as take advantage of the zip line, hiking trails and other recreational activities. On Thursday

we will move to the Omaha area where we will stay at St Andrews UMC. We will get a guided tour of Boys Town and learn of the important mission they serve to young men and woman and families in need. We will also help at a local minority church. We will come back to Calvary on Sunday, July 20th.

Our vision is to not only build a bridge to the future with our young men, but by taking advantage of our connectedness, to help churches who do not have

the resources to provide this type of Christian growth opportunity. You can help by sending a youth on the trip. Go to [www.missionimpacttour.org](http://www.missionimpacttour.org) to register a young man, to donate money so that somebody else may go or to get more info about the MIT. We can only take 30 with us on the trip so it will be a first registered basis and registration closes May 31.

The future of the church is now!

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## Disaster Recovery News

Disaster Recovery Coordinator Linda Stewart says thank you to everyone who volunteered during the early days of tornado recovery during the past four weeks. The long term recovery process is now underway in both Baxter Springs, Kan., and Beaver Crossing, Neb., to help people in those communities develop their individual recovery plans.

Contributions to the Great Plains United Methodists Disaster Fund (Advance 975) will help meet shortfalls of available resources and be a wonderful blessing to many families.

Specific Volunteer in Mission opportunities for these sites will be announced soon.

Contacts for each site:  
Baxter Springs-Lin Harris  
[umc.dr.baxtersprings@greatplainsumc.org](mailto:umc.dr.baxtersprings@greatplainsumc.org)  
Phone: 918-607-5125

Beaver Crossing-Dorothy and Mike Aspegren  
[umc.dr.beaver@greatplainsumc.org](mailto:umc.dr.beaver@greatplainsumc.org) or [umc.dr.beaver@outlook.com](mailto:umc.dr.beaver@outlook.com)  
Phone: 402-641-9698

"When a disaster strikes a deserted island, nature handles the recovery, but when it strikes a community, it takes human hands to bring about the recovery," said Stewart.

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## Feedback Needed

[The Connectional Table](#) and the Commission on General Conference are inviting members to join them in conversation about the worldwide nature of the church.

"We are asking you, as members of The United Methodist Church, to join us in addressing the challenges we have before us that affect how we live out our Gospel mission of making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world," said Bishop Bruce Ough.

The Missional Collaboration Group on the Worldwide Nature of the Church, has launched a new website at [www.umc.org/worldwide-nature](http://www.umc.org/worldwide-nature) and it offers a link to a survey for feedback.

The deadline for survey responses is Aug. 31, 2014.



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Music Coordinator: *Kent E. Stuckey*

Worship Media Coordinator: *Craig Stranathan*  
Administrative Assistant: *Tracy Winter*  
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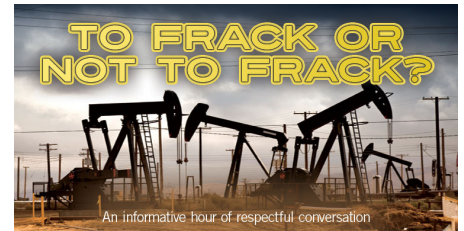
## LifeTree Café in July



**Showing July 2**



**Showing July 9**



**Showing July 16**



**Showing July 23**



**Showing July 30**



## Coffee & God-Talk