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There is nothing like waking up to the sound of a jackhammer! O the joys of living next to a construction site. For those that do not know, yes the rebuilding has begun! At this point it has just been cleaning up and getting ready, but in the next week we will start to see things happening.

I want to thank the rebuild committee for all the hard work and time that they have put in. For the most part their work is finished as the next phase begins. I know that they all thank you for all your prayers for them through this task.

Now begins a new set of goals to pray for. First is that there are no accidents or injuries during the construction. Pray for the

workers, not only for their safety, but that this job will be a blessing for them and their families. (It might be a good idea to tell them that you are praying for them if you have the opportunity.) Second, pray that God sends us good weather, not only so that the project will be done in a timely fashion but that it will be a safe project.

The fire was a sad event for our family and our community. During the project there may be times where we may be inconvenienced, but this is a time of excitement. I ask that you enfold this project in prayer and that we pray for the future of this congregation and the community.

Pastor Rick



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Special Guest Speaker Coming



Put May 19, 2013 on your calendar! Rev. Brad Martin will be here at the town church at 4:00 PM to share his recent experiences in India. He visited the

place, where his mother was born and several of the churches, that his grandfather served. Brad also spoke in several churches on this trip into his family history. Many members of our congregations made donations in memory of Rev. Harley and Esther Martin to support missions in the same area that Brad visited. The Edgerton UMW is sponsoring this event and will serve light refreshments afterwards. Everyone in both congregations and any guests are invited!

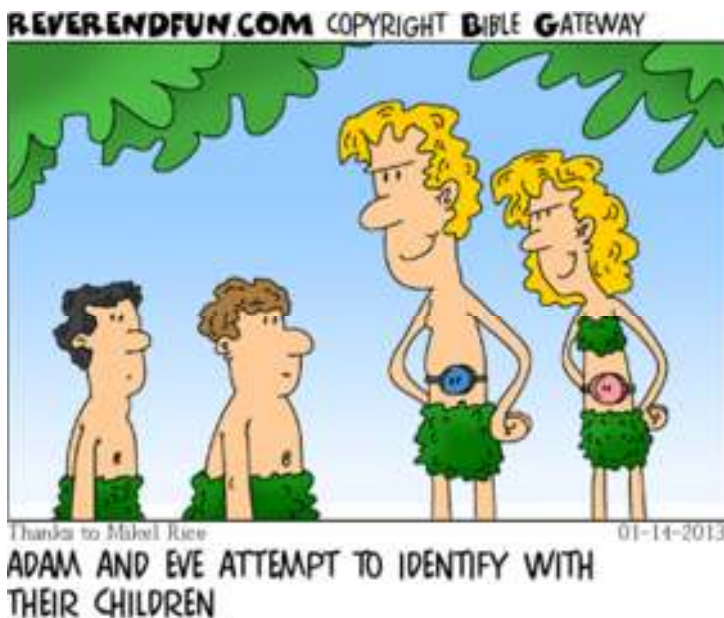


*Emanuel UMW Mother/
Daughter Potluck*

Thursday, May 2, 2013

at 6:30 PM

The Robin B. Spangler Memorial 5K Run/Walk will be held on Saturday, May 25 at 9 am at the Edon Track at Leann Field. The cost is \$15 and includes a t-shirt. Snacks and water will be available after you finish. All proceeds go to the RBS Memorial Scholarship Fund. Check the Edon School website: www.edon.k12.oh.us or call the Edon School office for an event application. Applications are due by Friday, May 17, 2013. Walk-ins are welcome! Come and join in on the fun and support a great cause!



Youth Page

Winners from the Edgerton Cub Scouts Pinewood Derby competed at the District Pinewood Derby on Saturday, April 13, at Four County Career Center in Archbold. The District Pinewood Derby contest is between all the Cub Scouts in Williams and Defiance County who placed 1st or 2nd in their individual Pack's derby. The Edgerton boys did very well, and two of them placed 3rd in their divisions. Congratulations to Wade Payton, who placed 3rd in Webelos 1 Den; and to Cameron Kollar, who placed 3rd for Webelos 2 Den.



June Grace Riehle was born April 13, 2013, at 4:45 am. She weighed 7 lbs 3 oz, and measured 20 inches long. Mom, Dad & baby are doing well, and grandpa Kermit declared her a 'keeper'! Congratulations to the Riehle family and to great grandma Joan!



3rd place (far right), Wade Payton, from Edgerton Cub Scout Pack 29



3rd place (far right), Cameron Kollar, from Edgerton Cub Scout Pack 29

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May Birthdays & Anniversaries

Be sure to take time and look at the new website, as a lot of work has been done on it recently. You can even access past issues of the church newsletter from the website, in case you want to look back at something...

5/1 Corey Haury (Jr)
 5/1 Dave Krill
 5/6 Dema Krill
 5/11 Tom Strup
 5/12 Scott Warner
 5/13 Joe Hinkle
 5/17 Robby Richardson
 5/27 Jane Thompson
 5/28 Karlyn McPike
 5/29 Denise Farnham

5/17 Ron & Brenda Coffman
 5/21 Shorty & Madilyn Fritch
 5/29 Joe & Rosey Krill



Gloria Korsgaard	John & Pat Koerner	Ralph Krill
Raymond Lantz	Eric Bradley	Mark Baidinger
Eva Coffman	Ruthann Hurley	Lindsey Starbuck
Myrtle Lutterbein	Chris Rosebrock	Annabelle Bible
Ava Sowers	Jessica Sowers	Carson Bowers
Shelby Smith	Devin Rummel	Marcy Buell
Gary Lewis	Melanie Hall	Orville Yarger
Woodrow Schoonmaker		Kathy Diemer
Darcy & Kerry Carnahan		Betty Akers
Janet Steele	Shelby Smith	

Edgerton Liturgists

5/5– Denise Farnham
 5/12– Janice Hill
 5/19– Bill Lutterbein
 5/26– Karlyn McPike



*Cleon &
Dema Krill*

At Emanuel