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Edgerton-Emanuel United Methodist Churches

# The Lighthouse

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## Memorial Trees Planted at Edgerton UMC

On the south side of the building, near the office entrance, you will find a small tree & two flowering bushes. These were planted in memory of Don & Ruby Gruver.



The plants were donated by: Don and Spring Gruver, Paula and Jim Shiple, Sandy Wood and Neal Imm, Jeff Gruver and family, Amy Gruver, Velvet Henricks and family, Jason and Alicia Gruver and family, Cassie Anderson and family, Nate and Tracey Gruver and family, Lance Glander and family, Denny Madoux and family, DeAnna Madoux.

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A great big THANK YOU to Adaya & Augustine for serving God by being acolytes in church at Edgerton. Let's all show our appreciation to the girls for their great job & dedication to God! Keep up the great job, girls!



OPEN HEARTS

OPEN DOORS

OPEN MINDS



*Thanks to all of my friends and family who came to help me celebrate my 80th birthday. Also thanks for all the phone calls, beautiful flowers and cards. Thanks also to my precious friends and family who planned this surprise event and came from far and near. I appreciate it so much!*

*The biggest surprises were the unexpected arrival of my son, Kevin Riehle from Texas, and my 91 year old sister, Hilda Meyer, and niece Jean Meyer from Smithville, Tennessee. In addition, niece Robyn Dunkle Higginbotham from Irving Texas made the trip back to Ohio to take part in the celebration.*

*God has richly blessed me through the love of family and friends, and in return I wish His blessings on each of you. I will remember and cherish this day always.*

*Joan*

**[ THANKS SO MUCH! ]**

I would like to say a very sincere thank you to the members of the rebuild committee, for your cooperation & support these last couple years! Thanks!

**- Ted Hill**



***Dad is already practicing his 'scary face' to intimidate future suitors!***

## ***Chylar Ruth Barnett***

Was born July, 1st at 6:48 am

To Frank & Jami Barnett

Chylar weighed 7 lbs 15 oz & was 20 inches long. Big brother Evan, & Grandpa Rick & Grandma Bev are very proud of the newest member of the family! Congratulations!

## ***Juniper Lih Wang***

Juniper Lih Wang was born to Dena and Robert Wang on June 29th, 2014 in Dickinson, Texas. Juniper Lih is the granddaughter of Kevin and Norma Riehle of Katy, Texas and great granddaughter of Joan Riehle and the late Raymond Riehle. She was actually born on Joan's 80th birthday.



## ***Olivia Ray Hortenstine***

Olivia Ray Hortenstine was born to Lindsey and Barr Hortenstine in New Orleans, LA on July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014.

Olivia Ray is the granddaughter of Kevin and Norma Riehle of Katy, Texas and great granddaughter of Joan and the late Raymond Riehle.



**These aren't the only great grandchildren born recently to members of our congregation. Check back next month for more birth announcements!!!**

## August Birthdays & Anniversaries

8/1 Clara Kittle  
8/2 Ted Hill  
8/2 Julie Wright  
8/3 Traci Grandey  
8/3 Jeff Stark  
8/4 Brenda Coffman  
8/4 Kathryn Haury  
8/5 Wanda Robinett  
8/5 Joey Tobin  
8/6 Bob Koerner  
8/17 Elizabeth Gilbert  
8/17 Aaron Frager  
8/18 Doris Flowers  
8/20 Donna Koerner  
8/22 Roger Grandey  
8/26 Charles Krill  
8/31 Bev Barnett  
8/31 Sean McPike

8/20 Roger & Lynne Grandey  
8/26 Steve & Ruthann Johnson  
8/26 Jim & Karlyn McPike



PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



### Edgerton Liturgists

8/3– Denise Farnham  
8/10– Iva Peverly  
8/17– Dee Gilbert  
8/24– Janice Hill  
8/31– Ruth Mayer

Coffee Hour

Dale &  
Bruce Krill  
At Emanuel