



AUGUST CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- August 2-6 Meals on Wheels
- August 4 Willing Workers
- August 8 combined Sunday School class
Myanmar presentation
- August 15 Elders' Meeting
- August 22 Youth Kick-Off
- August 23 Kingdom Builders at Altamont
- August 29 Youth Sunday Board Meeting



Sermon Titles

- August 1 The Principle of Exercise I Timothy 4:7-8
- August 8 The Program: Warm Up Matthew 25:14-30
- August 15 The Program: Strengthening Ephesians 4:4-16
- August 22 The Program: Flexibility I Corinthians 8, 9, 10
- August 29 The Program: Cross Training Luke 2:40-52



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

Darrel Brandon, Minister Phone 676-1164
Linda Schnepfer, Music Director Phone 689-3282
Caralyn Riley, Youth Director Phone 843-4164

Sunday: 9 AM Bible School for all ages
10 AM Morning Worship Service
6 PM Youth Program (K - grade 5) & (6-12 grades)
7 PM Evening Service
Wednesday: 7 PM Youth Program (6-12 grades)
7 PM Adult Bible Study

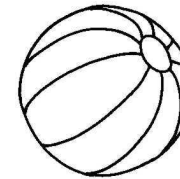
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Clay City, IL

Youth Kick-Off ~ August 22 from 4-8 pm

Great things to do:

51 inch giant ball fun
come see what this is all about!



golf cart rides

pony rides



army truck rides

Fire Safety with Dicey, the Fire Dog



many other activities & surprises!

Great things to eat:



hotdogs
cotton candy
popcorn



Great things to hear:

Concert at 7 pm

FCC Worship Band
from First Christian Church
in Flora



Bring your lawn chair and plan on staying to listen and join in the praise and worship of our great God!

Attendance

July 5	76
July 11	81
July 18	71
July 25	90

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From Darrel's Desk . . .

WHY I AM PRO-CHOICE

God created man with the capacity to choose. From the time of the Garden of Eden, man has exercised his right to choose. He has not always chosen wisely but he has chosen. And he has had to live with the results of his choices. I believe people still have the right to choose...and the obligation to live with the results of his choices.



I believe people have the right to choose to be moral, chaste and to wait until marriage to have sexual relations. If they choose not to wait, they must live with the consequences of that choice. The consequences can include a sexually transmittable disease, a bad reputation and a pregnancy. But their choice was made when they decided to have intercourse outside of marriage.

I believe people have the right to choose whether or not to attend church on a weekly basis. If they choose to, they will become a part of a fellowship of people who share a belief in the most important fact in human history. But if they choose not to be involved in the church on a regular basis, they have to accept the consequences of that choice including the likelihood that their funeral will be conducted by, at best, a mere acquaintance and quite possibly a stranger.

I believe we have the right to choose our eternal destiny. Some teach that your destiny is pre-determined and that you have no choice but I believe that when Jesus said, "Whosoever will may come..." that he meant any whosoever (including you). Once you decide whether or not to come to Jesus, you must live with the consequences of that choice but I believe you have the right to choose.

Choice is a privilege and a responsibility. Once we exercise our right to choose, we will live with the consequences. So exercise your choices very carefully.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

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| 1 | Lou Anna Brant | 20 | Marcia Emmerich |
| 1 | Karen Delonshaw | 21 | Callie Lee |
| 9 | Mason Spitzner | 26 | Bernetta Patridge |
| 11 | Alice Gill | 26 | Larry Anderson |
| 11 | Kim Travis | 27 | Jasper Rodriquez |
| 11 | Jasmine Herdes | 29 | Steve Staley |
| 17 | John & Caralyn Riley | 31 | Charles Thomas |



Clay City Christian Church
Thank you for providing the meal after the memorial service for Revetta.

Also thank you for your prayers.
Leon and family



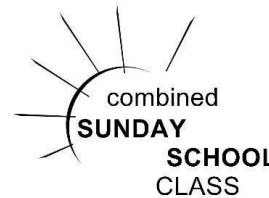
It takes many hardworking volunteers to do VBS. We have the best here at Clay City Church. Thanks to all who worked so hard this year at VBS.

- Lynne & Sandy



Please pick up nomination guidelines and ballots from the table at the back of the church beginning Sunday, August 1st. The term of one elder, one deacon, and one trustee are expiring this year. After reading the guidelines and prayerful consideration, return your nomination ballot to the box by August 22. Election will be at the

Annual Meeting on September 19 at 7 p.m..



August 8 at 9 am

presentation by Myanmar Mission

in the auditorium

In His Service for August					
	1	8	15	22	29
Pastoral Prayer	Darrel Brandon	Wayne Harris	Gary Clark	Bill Staser	Larry Brant
Reading at the Lord's Table	Gene Workman	Bill Staser	Wayne Harris	Dan Patridge	Youth
Nursery volunteers	Ruth Herdes	Jenny Osborn	Regina Schnepfer	Lesli Spitzner	Romana Rodriquez
Communion Preparation	Darrel Brandon				