

April 16, 2025

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NW District <http://www.northwest.moumethodist.org/>

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Open House - Open Arms

Clair hosted an Open House April 12th to showcase recent renovations!



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Dear Clair Church Family,

Greetings in the name of our risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. As we approach Resurrection Sunday, I extend my heartfelt wishes for a blessed and joyous Easter to you and your loved ones. This season of anticipation and reflection holds profound significance for our faith and community.

I am pleased to invite everyone to participate in our Holy Week activities. We will commence our observance with Good Friday services at Clair, starting at 6 PM on April 18th. On Easter Sunday, we will gather for a sunrise service at Ebenezer at 6:30 AM, followed by a communal breakfast at Clair at 9 AM and an Easter egg hunt for the children at 10:15 AM. Our traditional Easter Sunday worship service will be held at 11:00 AM, during which we will celebrate Christ's ultimate victory over death and sin—a cornerstone of our faith.

In addition, we will witness a momentous occasion as a youth member joins the church through confirmation on Easter Sunday. This individual has diligently engaged in teaching, memorization, and active participation in various aspects of our worship services. Let us come together to celebrate this significant milestone and welcome them into our church family.

Throughout the year, I have observed considerable spiritual growth within our community. I encourage each of you to engage in nurturing your faith and contributing to the transformation of both your lives and the lives of those around you. We are excited to announce the launch of several new small groups in the coming week focusing on discipleship, missions, and fundraising initiatives. These efforts include our community garden, an exercise group, and a garage sale. Should you be interested in participating, please contact the church for more information. Additionally, your contributions are invaluable; supporting these small groups through donations will facilitate the transformation of lives through Jesus Christ.

As Easter people, may we continue to embody the essence of the church in St. Joseph by committing ourselves to the dual call of loving God and loving others. Blessings, **Rev. Crystal Karr**

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Youth helped
an Ebenezer
member with
yard cleanup!
THANK YOU!

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June 7, 2025: 8am – 4pm

Save the Date *Save Your Stuff*

Clair Church
2 SE 68th Rd, St. Joseph, MO, 64507

Indoor Yard Sale Fundraiser

Donations can be dropped off:
June 1 after church to 2pm
June 2-5 from 5:30pm to 7pm

Suggested Donations:
Household Items
Decorations
Kindly used toys
Clothes and shoes
Lightly used, clean,
and in good condition
Miscellaneous
Please help us by pricing your items

Unfortunately, we cannot accept:
Large Furniture and exercise equipment
unless the donor can pick it up **immediately**
after the sale is over

Mattresses
Weapons
Swimsuits or underclothes
Medical equipment
Food items
Old electronics
Encyclopedias

For any questions contact:
Duane Kimble 816-387-3523
Sharon Hinderks 816-390-5205
Sandy Wallace 816-261-5513

All leftover items will be donated to area thrift stores unless picked up that day.

100% OF PROCEEDS WILL SUPPORT CLAIR CHURCH!



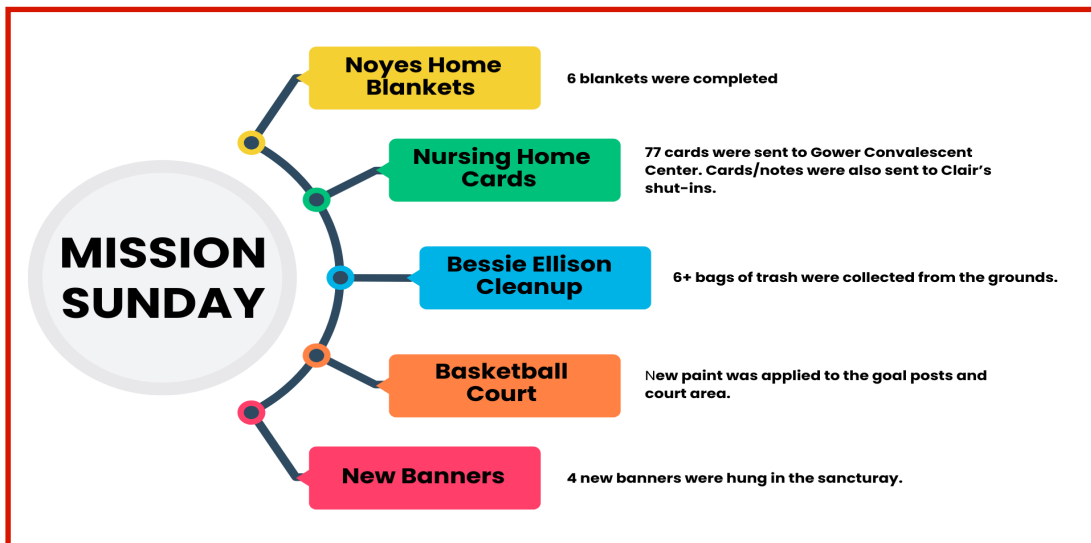
Join us for
Easter Breakfast
Sunday April 20 9 AM
Clair Fellowship Hall

Don't miss the children's egg hunt at 10:15 AM and Worship at 11 AM!

Thank You

For recovering the pew in Crusaders' Classroom: Joy Sander, Barb Elder & Robin Pierpoint. For creatively refinishing the coffee bar area: Roxynn & Bill Schreiber (& others on Mission Sunday). For erecting the three yard crosses & spring cleanup at Pastor Crystal's house: the men's group!

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CHILDREN'S CHURCH

We will begin rotating teachers for these classes held during church. You must be safe gatherings certified. Please see Debbie Wells to sign up and/or get certified at safegatherings.com

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| Sundays in April | EC Youth Meets at Ebenezer at 6 PM |
| April 14 | Starlight Dinner at Boudreaux's 6 PM—new location 6th & Edmond |
| April 15 | Community Garden Meeting 5:30 PM |
| April 18 | Good Friday Services at Clair 6 PM |
| April 20 | EASTER SUNDAY! Sunrise Services at Ebenezer 6:30 AM Easter Breakfast at Clair 9 AM Egg Hunt 10:15 AM Worship 11 AM - Confirmation Sunday |
| April 29 | Serve at Open Door Food Kitchen 8:30 AM |
| SAVE THE DATE: | Flower Sale at Clair Saturday May 3 9 AM—2 PM Clair's Yard Sale Saturday June 7 8 AM—4 PM |

CALENDAR