

Ogden Dunes Community Church

The Dunes News

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Ogden Dunes Community Church

Welcomes You

to a

Family Fun Fest

Saturday
June 18th
10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

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Carnival Games

Bounce House

Food Crafts

♦ A Word About Fatherhood

Fun for the whole family!

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The Pastor's Pen "Learning from Past Mistakes"

A football coach had reached the point of exasperation. "Losing five games is bad enough, but what really frustrates me is that we keep making the same mistakes over and over. We are not learning anything from our mistakes!"

MISTAKES! A common trait of our humanity. No one is perfect, Every artist messes up a canvas or two (or more) before the masterpiece is produced. Every writer uses a pencil with an eraser. We cannot allow our mistakes to control our moods and to affect our enthusiasm.

The person who has never made a mistake is the person who is a failure because he or she never attempted to do anything worthwhile.

Here are some affirmations you can use concerning mistakes:

- My mistakes are not final and, therefore, not fatal.
- I did not fail to dream, to decide, and to try.
- I did not fail in courage, to take chances, to get up after failing.
- I will not allow my mistakes to cause me to quit, take my eyes off my goal and to try again.

Pray: Help me, dear Lord, to learn from my mistakes and shortcomings. Help me to turn the mistake

Summer Schedule for Sunday Services

Beginning on Sunday, June 19th the summer services begin:

- 8:30 a.m.—service in the garden
- 10:00 a.m.—service in the Sanctuary

Come and begin the day in the house of God and then enjoy the rest of the day at the beach!!!

Honorable Mention

Thanks to Jean Bell who has been a wonderful "accompanist" in our church's musical family for many years. Her musical ability is beyond compare. Her talent and artistry are exceptional. We thank her for her dedication, commitment and loving service. We just want to say: "Thank you Jean for all the memories."

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PRIMETIMERS NEWS

Gather with the Prime Timers for arm chair travel to Xi'an, China, home of the Terracotta Warriors. Sue Adams, an Ogden Dunes resident, was a recent visitor to that city where she instructed Chinese students about the American legal system. Ms. Adams, a retired member of the Kent School of Law



faculty, has traveled to China and taught there numerous times. If you want a vacation of the mind, join with Prime Timers, Tuesday, June 21, at noon in the Ogden Dunes church fellowship hall. Bring your friends, neighbors along with \$8 per person. Non residents and summer visi-

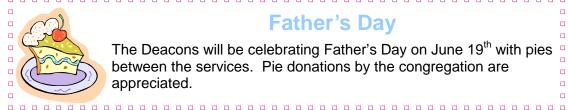
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Hooray for fathers- Happy Father's Day (June 19th)



What is a father?

Being of the male species does not make a man a father, for a dad is a special blend of hero, disciplinarian, a friend, someone to look up to. Someone to model...someone with a touch of the "mother" in him, someone who is big enough to say, "The fault is mine"...someone who lives the kind of life that makes you want to say, "I, too, shall him!"



Father's Day

The Deacons will be celebrating Father's Day on June 19th with pies between the services. Pie donations by the congregation are appreciated.

Congratulations Graduates

The members of Ogden Dunes Community Church want to express their congratulations to those who are graduating this year. They are the following:



- Charlie Carlin, grandson of Walter and Ann Sampson, graduated from University of Michigan Law School on May 6.
- Stephanie Homme, granddaughter of Barb Homme, graduated from Purdue University.
- Samantha Larson graduated from Purdue University Calumet in December 2015 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing.
- Jack McCrum graduated from the Kelley School of Business at Indiana University on May 7th.
- Amy Norris, daughter of Steve and Jeri Kris, graduated from Purdue North Central on May 16 with a Bachelor's degree in Human Relations/Human Resources.
- Natalie Tarpo, granddaughter of Judy Tarpo, graduated from Purdue University on May 14.
- Vincent Tarpo, grandson of Judy Tarpo, will graduate from high school in Cape Elizabeth Maine on June 12th.
- Congratulations to the 4 year olds and 5 year olds on their graduation from Sandpiper Preschool.

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June Refreshments



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After the 10:00 am. service, refreshments, including coffee, will be available in the Fellowship hall following worship. If your

last name begins with the letter of the day, please provide snacks of your choice. The host/hostess for the day will set snacks and coffee out for everyone's enjoyment after the service.

<u>Hostess</u>

Sunday, June 5 K,L,M,N,O Sunday, June 12 P,Q,R,S,T Susan MiHalo Margo Hartmann

Lemonade will be served between services in the summer starting June 19th.



- An announcement in a church newsletter stated: "Ladies don't forget the rummage sale. It is a great time to get rid of those things nor worth keeping around the house. BRING YOUR HUSBANDS!"
- Another church newsletter stated: "Bring your friends to a service of our church. We are proud of our sermons, our music and OUR GRACIOUS

HOSTILITY!"

