



# THE STORY

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## The Story

by Pastor Matt Riley

The Story Church Campaign is a unique program providing 31 weeks of messages. With thousands of participating churches nationwide, The Story is becoming a movement that is bringing wide-ranging benefits to local churches. Many have reported increased community outreach, increased Biblical literacy, congregational growth and a greater understanding of how God's story reveals the reasons for the things that happen in man's story. Waverly UMC would like to invite you to experience The Story. Sunday services start at 11am and Sunday Classes for all ages begin at 10am. For more information, visit [www.waverlymoumc.com](http://www.waverlymoumc.com) or [www.thestory.com](http://www.thestory.com).

### 31 WEEKS OF THE STORY

- October**  
 4- WEEK 23: JESUS' MINISTRY BEGINS  
 11- WEEK 24: NO ORDINARY MAN  
 18- WEEK 25: SON OF GOD  
 25- WEEK 26: HOUR OF DARKNESS
- November**  
 1- WEEK 27: RESURRECTION  
 8- WEEK 28: NEW BEGINNINGS  
 15- WEEK 29: PAULS MISSION  
 22- WEEK 30: PAULS FINAL DAYS  
 29- WEEK 31: REVELATION

## Youth Group

by Pastor Matt Riley

Have you heard? A youth group for grades 7-12 has started on Sunday mornings. Kathy Hollingsworth is the leader of this group and would like to invite all youth in grades 7-12 to come every Sunday at 10am. Come be a part of something new, fresh, and exciting.

## Welcome

by Pastor Matt Riley

Welcome to our newest members, Carson Graf and Cara Hinz. Carson and Cara joined us through confirmation on October 4, 2015. Please welcome them as our newest family members if you see them around town. Also, please be in prayer for them as they continue to grow in God's grace and begin their ministries in the life of the church and our community through their prayers, presence, gifts, service, and witness.

# Waverly UMC

## October 2015



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# Santa Fe Elementary Outreach

Please join us in collecting the items listed to the right for Santa Fe Elementary.

Be a blessing to the children and the staff who care for them. Please bring items to church and we will make sure the school gets them.

## Festival of Sharing

Join us October 17 and 25, 2015 as we partake in a special offering for the Festival of Sharing at the Missouri State Fairgrounds as we promote and support projects and programs that respond to hunger, poverty and injustice in the world.

Want more details? Go to [festivalofsharing.org](http://festivalofsharing.org).

## 2015 Charge Conference

Every fall our district has a Charge Conference where we set the officers for local churches, approve the pastor's salary, approve the local church budget, and spend time in worship and fellowship with other area churches.

This year we will meet together at First UMC in Marshall, Missouri at 6:30pm. All members are invited to attend as we embark on a new year in ministry.

Our district has changed this year to Mid-State. We were in Heartland North but at annual conference in 2014 they voted to realign the districts to better distribute the churches amongst the District Superintendents. This will be our first Charge Conference in the Mid-State district under the direction of DS Sherry Habben. This would be a great opportunity to meet our new DS as well as other churches within our district. I hope that we can have as many people from our family in Waverly attend as possible.

## Free Event on Oct. 31

You are invited to Wesley Sweet Springs at 12pm for a free will offering BBQ and Free Concert with the band Basic. Come join us for BBQ, a costume contest for all ages, and a free concert on Halloween.

# School Supply List

Sweatpants- Children's sizes: extra small, small and medium

Boy and Girl Underpants- Children's sizes: 6,8,and 10

Children's Belts- small and medium

Tissues

Baby Wipes

Pocket Folders

Pencil Boxes

If you would rather give money, mark it Fall School Project. Gingy will check with the school and see what is still the most needed and purchase those items after the end of this project. Please bring items to the church no later than Oct. 17.

P.S. Please no crayons or glue as there is an over abundance of these items.



Come join us every Monday from 3:30-5pm at the church for snacks, fun bible lessons, music, and games. All children grades K-6 are invited. Just fill out a form (found in the entryway of church or online [www.waverlymoumc.com](http://www.waverlymoumc.com)), send a note to school that your child will be riding the bus to the church, and come pick them up at 5. It's that easy!

