

Faith Fellowship CP Weekly Update - June 8, 2016

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6/8 Fellowship Mtg 6 pm 6/8 Finance Mtg 7 pm 6/11 Saturday Mobile Meals 9:30 am 6/12 Communion 6/14 Session Mtg 7 pm 6/15 Worship Committee Mtg 6 pm 6/18 Men's Prayer Breakfast 8 am 6/21 Stewardship & Growth Mtg 6:00 pm 6/21 Building 7 Grounds Mtg 7 pm 6/24 Lifeline Screening 8 am - 6 pm

All planned events must be scheduled through the church

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Last Week's Re-cap

Attendance:

office to ensure there are no scheduling conflicts.

From the Pastor



Today a line about Jesus from a worship song captures me: "Like a rose trampled on the ground, you thought of me & took the fall, above all." <u>Above All, By Paul Baloche and Lenny</u> LeBlanc. There is something so tremendously

powerful about Jesus & His love for us above all else. He captures & moves the human heart & spirit above all other beings or things. Everything else good & beautiful is just a mirrored reflection of the glory of Jesus, <u>2 Corinthians 3:18 NKJV</u>.

I identify with Jesus' weeping over Jerusalem more and more with each passing day. The more I watch today's world I am deeply saddened. I weep inside watching people and their choices made attempting to find a life. And, its done while excluding or working to exclude Jesus from the human heart. He was & continues to be

"like a rose trampled on the ground" to many.

Yet, Jesus is above all. Jesus is so much greater than all the temporal things our culture esteems as great - power, fame, riches, wisdom, etc. One day every knee will bow & every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. I encourage you to be strongly present & steadfast in your faith in Jesus. Let nothing deter you. He is with you in your weakest & darkest moments. In these moments remember Jesus is above all. And, in His time of sacrifice, difficult beyond human imagination, He thought of you & took the fall,

Above All.

Christ in Every Heart, Pastor Greg

Worship - 56 Sunday School - 26 Thursday Bible Study - 17

> Offering: \$4,025 YTD: \$99,704

June Noisy Offering

\$78.08

YTD - \$474.24

May Mobile Meals

46 deliveries made

Year-to-date 137 deliveries made

May FISH Report

48 deliveries, 189 people served including 73 children, 11 volunteers from FFCPC.

FISH YTD 193 deliveries, 777 people served, including 317 children.



Adult Bible Study

Thursday Night Bible Study

Thursday Night Bible Study will continue this week at 7 pm. At 6 pm, we will be having chicken simplicity casserole, pasta salad, grape salad, and dessert for dinner. Please join us!



Second Harvest Mobile Pantry

Thanks to everyone who helped with the Second Harvest Food Giveaway. We had 52 volunteers on Friday and 98 on Saturday.

We want to thank our sponsors who helped us carry out this

6/25 Elizabeth Marion Hipps 6/25 Mary Nell Yarbro 6/27 Raiden Upchurch 6/30 Phyllis Close 7/1 Cindy Inman 7/3 Floyd Hughes

If you find your birthday is listed incorrectly in our publications or left off, please notify the church office.



6/9 Charlie & Melodie Ledford 6/16 Jim & Carol Conklin 6/24 Ed & Phyllis Close 6/24 Hugh & Mary Nell Yarbro 6/26 John & Dorothy Morton 7/6 Roy & Katy Ogle

Prayer List

Evelyn B Ed C Phyllis C Jack C Katherine D Gary F **Hughes Family** event. They include Food City, Hardin Valley, Fay Portable Buildings, Lenoir City Utilities Board, Second Harvest, and of course TVA. We also had some help from Southeast Trailers in picking up/delivering the grocery carts. We had two of our church families purchase and donate two Pallet Jacks. Thanks to the ROFs for their preparation work prior to the event. Thanks to Leslie Gallaher and Frances Poore for providing pizza and dessert on Friday night and for coordinating the breakfast on Saturday.

We provided food for 210 families, which represents 676 people. The majority of these people were from Loudon County (78%). 54% were from the Lenoir City area. We also had some from Loudon, Greenback and Philadelphia. We had folks from Oliver Springs, Dandridge, Strawberry Plains, Athens, and Sweetwater. Five percent were from Knox County.

In the last couple of years, we have been receiving prayer requests from them. This time, we received 80 prayer requests. In addition, there were some who wanted to pray with the pastor.



Justin Muhlhauser

This young marine is the foster son of Karen and Gordon Meyer. His work in the Marines requires that he not disclose his location. He can also not stay in touch with his loved ones. In a recent conversation with Karen, he gave the following address (which must be exactly as printed below). If you would like to send him a card of encouragement and thank him for his service, here is his address:

Sgt Justin Muhlhauser

SPMAGTF-CR/BSRF 1/8 **UNIT 14096** FPO AE 09510-4096

Jack K Rita L Jackie L Mark M Lynn Dell McK Bill Mi Don M Justin M Dean N Tony R Wanda We Greg & Rhonda

If you have someone to be added to the prayer list, please send an email to <u>info@faithfellowshipcp.org</u> or <u>prayer@faithfellowshipcp.o</u> <u>rg</u>

Church Committees

Administrative and Personnel

Jim Stinnett, Chair Andy Davidson, Elder Audrey Nester Karen Meyer Lori Rosenbloom Regina Stinnett

<u>Building and Grounds</u> Larry Boyd, Chair Darryl Downing, Elder Gordon Meyer

UPDATE:

Justin just received the Army Achievement Medal on behalf of the Army Black Sea Area Support Team.



LADIES RETREAT

July 22-23

The **Ladies Retreat** will be on July 22-23 at Leslie Gallaher's home, so mark these dates on your calendar and plan to join us. You won't want to miss this good time of Bible Study,

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN fellowship, food, and fun! If you have questions, please contact Audrey Nester.



Church Yard Sale

October 7-8

We are planning to have a Yard Sale/Garage Sale this fall. Start cleaning out those attics, garages, closets, etc. and save it for the garage sale. This is one of the best fundraisers so we will need lots of items to sell.



Life Line Screening at Faith Fellowship Audrey Nester Ann Davidson John Morton

Christian Education

TBD, Chair Kim Maiden, Elder Leslie Gallaher Frances Poore Mary Nell Yarbro

Fellowship Committee

Wanda Wise, Chair Audrey Nester, Elder Carol Conklin Frances Poore Lori Rosenbloom Lori Stevens Dorothy Morton Wilma Coker Phyllis Close Mary Nell Yarbro

Finance Committee

Jim Stinnett, Chair Andy Davidson, Elder Lori Rosenbloom Gordon Meyer

Missions Committee

Regina Stinnett, Chair Gayle Bowman, Elder Leslie Gallaher Bill Masters Gary Fox Life Line Screening is using our church building for one of their screening events on Friday, June 24th. Anyone from our church is able to participate, but you must have an appointment and the costs are not waived. This is giving us a first chance to get an appointment if we are interested in doing it. If you call, make sure you tell them you are from the church. Below is their description that is going out to the public in the near future. They have 52 people signed up to come so far.

Life Line Screening, a leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will offer their affordable, non-invasive and painless health screenings at Faith Fellowship Cumberland Presbyterian Church on 6/24/2016. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package which includes 4 vascular tests and osteoporosis screening from \$149 (\$139 with our member discount). All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete.

In order to register for this event and to receive a \$10 discount off any package priced above \$129, please call 1-888-653-6441 or visit <u>www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners</u>.



Christian Education Needs Teachers

The Christian Education (CE) Committee is making preparation for staffing children's Sunday School classes. Right now, they are looking for a teacher for 3rd - 5th grade and a

teacher for Middle/High School. If you feel that you could help out in this area, please contact Kim Maiden, chair of the CE Committee. Also, they are looking for Nursery workers for the 3rd and 4th Sundays of the month. Again, if you can help, contact Kim Maiden at (865) 382-8344. Ann Davidson Jim Stinnett Ken Nester Dorothy Morton Charlotte Wilson

Stewardship & Growth

<u>Committee</u> Chair TBD Randy Stevens, Elder Gary Fox Larry Boyd Gordon Meyer Dan Maiden Lori Stevens

Worship Committee

Tanda Solomon, Chair John Morton, Elder Frances Poore Wanda Wise Bill Masters Karen Meyer Gayle Bowman Hugh Yarbro

CPWM Officers for 2016-2017

President - Audrey Nester Vice President - Dorothy Morton Secretary - Leslie Gallaher Treasurer - Regina Stinnett

Responsible for Sunday



Administrative and Personnel

Both Task groups will be working this Thursday. The Church Photo Directory is

in final review and will be distributed early June. This is your last chance for making changes, so if you need to make a change, send it to the church email soon!

The Personnel task group will be finalizing the performance appraisal documentation for the upcoming July appraisals.

A volunteer is still needed to work in the office on Tuesday or Wednesday from 9:00 am til noon to answer the phone and do light office work. No experience (including computers) is required. Training will be provided. This is a very important opportunity to serve.



Flowers for the Altar

If you would like to provide flowers for the Sunday Service, please email Tanda at sol4jesus@aol.com by Wednesday.



From the Treasurer

Collections for the first week of June are on budget. As we begin the vacation season, please consider that the church bills and commitments do not take vacation - they are ongoing. <u>Morning Fellowship</u> <u>Food/Drink</u>

June 12

Audrey Nester & Wanda Wise

Weekly Greeters

June 12

Frances Poore & Regina Stinnett

June 19 Mary Nell Yarbro & Walt Solomon

June 26 Lori Stevens & Roy Ogle

July 3 Ed Close & Regina Stinnett

Ushers for June 2016



Roy Ogle Darryl Downing Jim Stinnett Wanda Wise

Church Cleaning

If you have not picked up your quarterly pledge statement, they are available in the Narthex this Sunday. Afterwards, the remaining statements will be mailed. Last Sunday was the first week of the second year of the three-year capital campaign and hopefully, collections will continue to be timely and consistent like the first year.

Bible Study Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will not be meeting regularly over the summer months. Please stay tuned for information regarding the study that will resume in early September.



ROF Report

The ROFs worked last week to

set up everything for the Second Harvest Food Giveaway, like setting up tables, cleaning up the pavilion, moving boxes from garage to church building, etc. Thanks to all of them for their help.

The ROFs will meet this Thursday at 9 am. They will be working in landscaping again. They will be removing sod and adding top soil and mulch and removing plastic under the mulch of the west side of the building.

If you have things that need to be done around the church, please contact Building and Grounds Committee at buildingandgrounds@faithfellowshipcp.org

Schedule June 2016

6/11/16 Bible 101 Class 6/18/16 Men's Prayer Breakfast 6/25/16 Friendship Class 7/2/16 Seekers Class

During your rotation, it will be the responsibility of the team to clean, or arrange cleaning of the church building.

Weekly Schedule

MONDAY

<u>Women's Bible Study</u> Not meeting for the summer. Contact Mary Nell Yarbro at (865) 966-6034

TUESDAY

Ladies' Lunch Group at 11:30am

Contact Dorothy Morton at 986-5279 or <u>mortonj@charter.net</u>

WEDNESDAY

<u>**Choir Practice</u>** at 7:00 PM. If you would like additional information about participating in our Choir ministry, please contact our Choir Director, Tanda Solomon at 675-0395.</u>

THURSDAY

Dinner before Bible Study at 6:00pm.

Kroger Community Reward Update



The Kroger Community Rewards program is

helping us raise money for the CPWM. It is an easy way to support our church and the CPWM. Simply enroll your Kroger Card in the program, following the link below. In 5 quarters, we have now received \$690.00, without anyone spending an extra penny, only by your shopping at Kroger.

We have just received another check for \$124.39 for the period Dec 1 thru Feb 29.

So if you shop at Kroger and haven't signed up, see Regina Stinnett. She has written instructions for you or will assist you with signing up or you can go to this link to sign up.

https://www.kroger.com/communityrewards

One misconception is that if you sign up for the Community Rewards Program, you won't get your fuel points. This is NOT true! You will be able to do both!

Visit Our Website

Latest Photo Directory (password faith)

http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/401/login.php?redirect=/activ e-church-directory.html

Latest Photos

<u>Thursday Night Bible Study</u> at 7:00pm.	Second Harvest Food Giveaway June 3-4, 2016 http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/second-harvest-june- 2015.html
Links to Other Websites	<u>May Workday at the Church</u> <u>http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/may-2016-workday.html</u>
Denominational Website	Elder Installation April 24th http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/elder-installation-april-24- 2016.html
<u>Presbytery of East TN</u>	
Confession of Faith	April Fellowship Supper with movie, War Room, April 10, 2016 http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/supperwar-room.html
<u>Missionary Messenger</u>	Pastor Installation April 17, 2016
<u>eVotions</u> - a daily devotion from the denomination	http://www.faithfellowshipcp.org/pastor-installation-april- 2016.html Latest Videos
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