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Our Weekly Newsletter

"Loving God, Loving People"

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HOLY COMMUNION THIS SUNDAY, JULY 11

"I am the bread of life. No one who comes to Me will ever be hungry again. Those who believe in Me will never thirst!" (John 6:35)

This Sunday, July 11, 10:45 a.m. you are invited to the Table of our Lord for Holy Communion. The elders will serve you in the pew. Please hold the bread and the cup until all have been served and then we will partake together.



KIDS' SWIM PARTY SUNDAY, JULY 18

Calling all church children and their friends (pre-school through middle school) to a summer swim party in the home of Paul and Dianne Pipkin (1725 Covey Rise Trail, 37922) Sunday, July 18 from 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Bring your beach towels and join us!

A certified lifeguard will be on duty. Parents of pre-schoolers are encouraged to accompany their children. Ice cream snacks will be provided. Alternate date in case of rain will be Sunday, July 25. For directions or more information call 675-2872 or 228-0710

K.A.R.M. VBS VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

If you would love to make a difference in the lives of children going through the trauma of homelessness, you are invited to volunteer your time for our fourth annual daytime Vacation Bible School at Knox Area Rescue Ministries August 2-5. Sign up now by calling the pastor (228-0710). A one-time orientation meeting will be held this coming Sunday, July 11 in the Keene Room immediately following morning worship.

JULY SESSION MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Session will be Tuesday, July 20, 7:00 p.m. Session packets will be available in the narthex by Sunday, July 18. All elders are encouraged to be present.

CRAZY GOLFERS TO CENTENNIAL

The "Crazy Golfers" will play 18 holes at Centennial Golf Course in Oak Ridge Sunday, July 25. The cost will be \$25.00 including cart (a special coupon will be provided for the discount rate). Tee times will begin at 2:30 p.m. Please sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office or call 588-8581.

CONCERT SERIES BEGINS AUGUST 1

Invite your family, friends, neighbors, and co-workers for an evening of "Adelines

and Ice Cream" as we kick off a series of four summer/fall fund-raising concerts, Sunday, August 1, 5:00 p.m. You won't want to miss the heavenly harmonies of the Smoky Mountain Show Chorus and some cool, creative, creamy confections from the gym kitchen.

See you there! For tickets, call 588-8581 or 228-0710.

REMEMBER GRACIE!

Our love and prayers go with Gracie Hayes and her family as they prepare for her surgery Tuesday, July 13 at Vanderbilt Children's Hospital in Nashville. The procedure is expected to last for four hours.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE C.A.M. SHOPPING SPREE!

The following list of items were purchased, collected, and delivered from First Church to the Coalition of Appalachian Ministries following our VBS offering for children and families in Appalachia (\$218.75).

Our thanks to Dianne Fielder who shopped for and secured the following:

16 bars of soap 20 tubes of toothpaste 15 toothbrushes 17 deodorants 4 shampoos 4 detergents 4 fabric softeners 78 pairs of socks 122 sets underwear 6 pairs of shorts 17 pair flip-flops 14 cans Vienna Saus.

5 pkg. crackers 8 cans Beenee Weenee 2 cans of tuna 79 pkg. noodles 12 pkg. Mac/Cheese 8 cans Chef Boyardee

Also given were 10 used books and 17 family movies on VHS; a large bag of good used clothing for all sizes and a bag of yarn for the crafters.

Thanks for your generosity!

~ Pastor Kevin



Join Us For Worship this Sunday! And bring a friend!



Happy Birthday



July
12-Jim Curtis
12-Jack Gaston
14-Fred Johnson
14-Carol Jong



Activities for July 11-17, 2010

Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:45 a.m. Worship Service Wed., 6:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

(See web site for complete calendar listings)

Stewardship Report for July 4, 2010

Sunday School	42
Worship	
Offering	\$4,799.77
Capital Improvements Fund	
Expenses paid last week	

AIR CONDITIONING UPDATE

We did not received any contributions toward the HVAC repairs this past week. The amount received to date remains the same at \$12,093. God Bless you that have given.

CONSIGNORS NEEDED!!

August 6 & 7th will be here before you know it. **Cut-off** date for signing up is August 2.

Consigners will pay 25% of sales.

Maxine Curtis.

Registration fee of \$10 will apply to the 25% charge . Consigners are not required to be there the day of the sale. Contact FCPC for information packet, and tags for items or visit our web site to download the packet. Registration fee is due at the time of info pick up.

Rummage / Consignment Sale BRING YOUR ITEMS

Our rummage sale/ consignment sale is right around the corner. If you have good, gently used items that you are willing to part with, bring them to FCPC. This could help you clean out that basement or attic that needs cleaning. FCPC began accepting donations on July 1st. **The last day to bring items for the rummage sale is July 28.** We will accept them Mon.-Fri. from 9-3 up until July 28. Please call the church (588-8581) to set up a time to drop off donations to insure someone is at the church to let you in. We need persons to help sort and stage the rummage sale items that are being brought to the basement. If you want to help with the pre-sale, sale and after the

sale, please call the office to inquire or ask Beth Fleenor or



Prayer Concerns

In the Hospital



On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

CP Missionaries; Mary Jane & Gordon Blaylock; Bill Hammill; Reba Smith; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Margaret Lindsay; Mary Cregger; Bonnie Holbert; Otis Clinton Shelby; Elena Zimmerman; Gladys Stone; Mildred Acuff; A. R. Wood; Maxine McGuire; Millie Jones; Marlene Ritchey; Marjorie Thompson; Ada Ladd; Nancy Anthony; Bud & Betty Hickman; Pam Wisner; Caleb Michael Bundon; Gene Murr (co-worker of Nick Deal); Judy Lawson (Lisa Deal's aunt); Bill Keene; Jackie Turbbeyville (Jim Curtis's niece); the Banvelos family (friends of the Deal's); Jackie (Patty Fitzgerald's sister); Carl Overstreet (friend of Cliff Parrott); Jeanne Goodrich (cousin of Steve and Wendy Goodrich); Lucas Lacascio (former student of Wendy Goodrich) battling a recurrence of a brain tumor; JoAnn Ford; Al (friend of Patty Fitzgerald); Jim Jennings (friend of Greg Beeler); Patty Green and husband Mike (coworker of Phil Bridges); Claudia Pharaoh; David Vanaman (friend of Fred Johnson); Ileana Grace Hayes (Gracie) upcoming surgery on July 13; Ronnie Joiner (friend of the McCurry's, the Golliher's); the family of Jimmy Varnell (friend of the Davis's and the Witmer's).

Please keep the Church office informed of any needed Please keep the Church office informed of any needed changes, additions or deletions to our Prayer Concerns list.

CONCERT SERIES

August 1, featuring Smoky Mountain Harmony.
Calling it "Adelines and Ice Cream". Time 5pm—7pm.

August 28, featuring local church talent. Calling it "FCP Coffee Shoppe". Talented persons please contact any committee member or the office in the next few weeks. Time 6pm—8pm.

<u>September 19</u>, featuring 4 groups from Middle Man Ministries. Groups including The Partons, Locust Ridge, Lauren King, and 3 4 Thee. Time 6pm-9pm. <u>October 22</u>, featuring Rocky Flatts. Time 7pm-9pm.

NEEDED FOR THE CHURCH

We need patio furniture for the courtyard. We have worked hard to make the courtyard a more beautiful place and need patio furniture to turn it into a place to sit and relax and enjoy God's work.

CONGRATULATIONS TO...

...Stephanie Bridges for being selected to the Queen of Diamonds Showcase at Winthrop University Sept 3-4, 2010. This showcase is the largest fast-pitch softball showcase of its kind in the US and attracts athletes from over 30 states and Canada. Only 264 athletes are selected from over 2000 applicants and are given the chance to showcase their skills to hundreds of college coaches

We are looking for **talent** for our August 28 FCP Coffee Shoppe. Let your talent shine. Let your light out from under the basket. Call now and reserve your spot in the show.