

The Cumberland

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Our Weekly Newsletter

"Loving God, Loving People"

June 5, 2013

SONWEST ROUNDUP

Our Vacation Bible School got underway in a big way on Sunday night, with over 50 people involved (as students and leaders). Following the pot-luck supper, the group gathered in McDonald Chapel for openings (pledges to flags and Bible), offerings (for the Cumberland Presbyterian Children's Home), and a devotional thought.



Following were Bible study classes, art classes, recreation, music and snacks.

The event will conclude Wednesday night with a "fun night" with water slide and picnic.

Sunday morning we will have the children singing for us and sharing some of their thoughts about the event.

A LOVING MEMORY



On June 3, 2012, Richard and Esther Congdon left our church and headed home. In a horrendous crash, both lost their lives on that date.

On this one-year anniversary of their deaths, the church observed a loving memory of them on Sunday morning. A special memorial service is being planned for late July; watch for details.

A LOVING GIFT

On May 1 Bill and Kim Halbert lost their condo by fire. Included in the loss was their two automobiles. While insurance was generous, it only provided enough funds to replace one car.

On Sunday morning, a check was presented to the Halberts from this congregation as an attempt to assist them in purchasing the needed second vehicle. Thank you for your help; if others wish to participate, you may give on this Sunday; make check to our church and mark for "car".

FRIENDSHIP CLUB

The monthly meeting of the Friendship Club will be June 12 at Litton's in Fountain City. All those over 50 years of age are invited to participate with us.

A sign-up sheet is posted on the office bulletin board.

CAMP DATES/INFORMATION

Junior Camp, Sunday-Thursday, June 9-13 (Grades 3-5)

Middle Camp, Sunday-Friday, June 16-21 (Grades 6-8)

High School Camp, Sunday-Friday, June 23-28 (Grades 9-12)

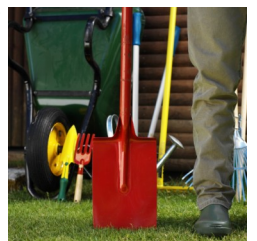
These camps will be held at Camp Chilhowee. Junior camp fee is \$130; Middle and High School camp fees are \$150. Registration information is available through the church office.

WORK DAY!

We are planning another **WORK DAY** for tasks that need our attention around our church building. While our lawn is well cared for, there is a lot of trimming and various things that we need to address.

So, you are invited to **WORK DAY** on Saturday, June 15, beginning around 9:00.

We will have a hotdog lunch in the picnic area. Come with your tools, your gloves, your energy and join us! All are invited – men, women, children.



AMONG OUR PEOPLE

Scott & Amanda Roberts are in Jamaica this week celebrating their tenth wedding anniversary ...

Jewell Kerr and entire family spent last week on the Outer Banks ... **Jack Gaston** continues his improvement in the Transitional wing of Ft. Sanders; hopes to be home soon ...

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JUNE

Happy Birthday

June

10-Phil Bridges
10-Greg Curtis
13-Marlene Ritchey



Activities for June 9-15, 2013

Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
Tues., 11:00 a.m. West Circle
Weds., 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

(See web site for complete calendar listings)

Stewardship Report June 2, 2013

Sunday School.....	50
Worship.....	69
Offering	\$6,446.70
Memorial, Virginia Chesney.....	\$25.00
Music Fund.....	\$5.00
Building Fund.....	\$35.00

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CHARITY SALE

The dates for our Annual Charity Sale have been set. July 26 and 27. Details of times will be announced later. Please begin to collect your items that you want to donate to the church for us to sell. Left over yard sale items.



CHURCH GARAGE SALE

Moving? Not enough room? Bring your extras here. Estate sale items. No item will be turned away. We are NOW taking items for the sale. Please contact the office to arrange a time to deliver your items. We will need lots of help, sorting, arranging, pricing, working the sale. Please contact the office if you want to help or call Maxine Curtis. We are also inviting all of our facility users to help in this major event.



Prayer Concerns
In the Hospital

Jack Gaston, Ft. Sanders



On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

CP Missionaries; Mary Jane & Gordon Blaylock; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Mary Cregger; Bonnie Holbert; Gladys Stone; Mildred Acuff; Maxine McGuire; Ada Ladd; Nancy Anthony; Bud & Betty Hickman; Carl Overstreet (friend of Cliff Parrott); Jonathan Migas; Peggy Bradshaw (Dianne Fielder's mother); Nora Derreberry (Maxine Curtis's mother); Marlene Ritchey; Brian Migas; Richard H. Zimmerman (Richard Zimmerman's father); Taylor Ford; Colonel Bud Day, USAF (Ret) POW VIETNAM (friend of Cliff Parrott); Mary McJunkins, (Mary Wegman's mother); Eric Nelson, (friend of the Witmer clan); Donna Wingard, (Mildred Acuff's daughter); Ann Fleming, (Beth Rader Fleming's mother-in-law); Pat Shetterly, (Sherry's mother); Debbie & David Triese, (Margaret Migas's sister and husband); Steve Goodrich; Saxon Cochran (Bridges' neighbor with cancer); Carl Ware; Allison, Hailey, Connor and Hannah Davis; Janie Beeler, (Greg Beeler's wife); Martha Petree, (friend of Kevin Wood and Greg Beeler); Judy Gammon; Brenda Burk (sister of Lois Witmer), Ruth McNabb (mother of Tammy Eblen); Suzan Smith, (Jewell Kerr's daughter); Richard Himes (Jin Gaston's brother-in-law); Braydon Fulton, (son of Classical Conversations—Tuesday leader Tricia Fulton); Debbie Holloway; Mildred Gragg (friend of Mary Cregger); Kim and her family, (friends of Amanda and Scott Roberts); the Search Committee; Rufus Holbert, (Rhonda Wilson's father); Rebecca Rech, mother of Justin Rech. Please keep the Church office informed of any needed changes to our Prayer Concerns list. Call 588-8581 or email firstcpc@earthlink.net

WEST CIRCLE

Will meet on Tuesday, June 11 at 11o'clock in the Keene Room. We will be having a pot lunch luncheon. We invite all the ladies of the church to join us.

WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Our canceled May meeting was only postponed. We hope to meet sometime this summer when we find a good date. Stay tuned.



WORK DAY TASKS

Due to the rain we had on both previous work days have scheduled another one for Saturday June 15. We would like to accomplish these tasks:
Spray weeds and vines.
Clean out brush from the baseball field fences.
Trim dead branches from trees.
Spray grass in mulch areas.
Clean out gutters.
Trim bushes.
If you have any free time to do some or part, let us know.