JUNE

Newsletter 2025 First United Church of Christ

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Worship 10 AM

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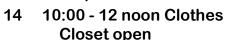
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WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS MONTH.....

- JUNE 1 10:00 a.m. Worship
 Helping Hand Offering
 - 2 7:00 p.m. Consistory
 - 6-8 Women's Dunkirk Retreat
 - 6-7 Mission Food Stand Fundraiser at the 50s Fling
 - 8 10:00 a.m. Worship ~ Pentecost
 - 13 6:00 p.m. Sugarcreek Library
 Author Event in the
 fellowship hall
 - 6:00 p.m. Fireside Chats



- 15 Happy Father's Day 10:00 a.m. Worship
- 20 6:00 p.m. Fireside Chats
- 22 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. BBQ Burger Barplan to stay for lunch
- 25 5:30 p.m. SOUL Men's Group
- 26 5:30 p.m. OWLs
- 27 6:00 p.m. Fireside Chats
- 29 10:00 a.m. Worship





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MISSION COMMITTEE

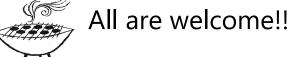
50's Fling Fundraiser Saturday June 7th

Set up is Friday at 3:00 p.m.
Saturday shifts are 9 to 12 noon;
12 noon to 3:00 and 3:00 to close

If you would like to help please sign up on the sheet in the entrance hall.

Or stop out on Saturday and pick up some delicious dessert!

BBQ Burger Bar
Fundraiser Lunch
June 22th - 11:00 a.m.
Plan to stay for delicious burgers
with all the toppings
and side dishes.



First United Church of Christ **JUNE Birthdays**

- Trace Gibson 3
- 7 **Susie Immel**
- 8 **Nancy Schindler**
- Val Gerber
- 11 Robert Lenarz **Pastor Earl**
- Jean Fritz Wallace 12
- 13 Ted Miller
- **Dan Hicks** 14
- 16 **Cvnda Lenarz**
- 21 **Chase Stingel**
- 23 Tara Stingel
- Mera Rogers 27
- Wyatt Dodge 28





Pentecost is June 8th Please wear red as we celebrate this day together!

OWLS....(Out with the Ladies) on June 26th the outing is at 5:30 p.m. (Location to be determined)

Owls is an evening out for ALL ladies of the church. anyone is welcome and no reservation is necessary. Bring a friend and plan to come and spend time with our church ladies for good food and conversation.

SOUL....(Sharing **Our Unique Lives**) **Men's Group June** 26th 5:30 p.m. More details coming soon.





PRAYERS

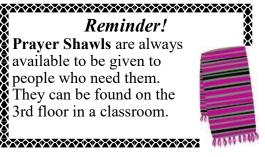
In the Spirit of Christ, you are invited to hold these persons in your prayers and thoughts. We lift up for healing and strength: Ed Klein, Craig Morris, Ada Miers. Sharelle Miller. Annette Rossi, Garrett Milks, Paul Yoder, Davis, Kathy Durfee, Dennis Radefeld. Donna Haines, Lee Radefeld, Charlene Crilow, Karen Brooks, Ryan Starner, Darrin Troyer, Grant Brubaker, Janet Gentry

PRAYER CHAIN

The Prayer Chain email is now in place. All requests can go into the church office or Pastor Earl. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, please contact Robin.

Reminder!

Prayer Shawls are always available to be given to people who need them. They can be found on the 3rd floor in a classroom.



FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK.....

Hello, my friends!

Welcome to the month of June. It seems like Easter was just yesterday, and you're not far off, but we are about to be in the depths of summer. There are lots of exciting things coming up for our church this month and the rest of this year. I hope you're ready for some long-standing traditions, and some new experiments as we walk together into this season.

With all that we usually do each summer (Fab 50's, Community VBS, the Church Picnic) it may seem like we've got everything packed. However, I have found that there is often room for something smaller to add to our times together. This summer, I have just the thing that I am looking forward to experiencing with you.

I would like to invite you, beginning on Friday, June 13, and continuing on Fridays that I am in town and the weather is nice, to join me over at the church fire pit. Those Friday evenings beginning at 6pm, I will be out in my chair, enjoying the beautiful view of the hillside and ready to chat with anyone who would like to drop by. You don't need to bring anything except your own chair. This is just a chance for open questions, conversations, and sometimes just the silence of contemplation.

These "fireside chats" are just that. A chance to talk about anything and everything that's going on in your lives. Sometimes my office hours are not the most accessible. Sometimes life gets busy. So, I am offering to set aside this time to be available and open to you all, and to share just some companionship.

So, for the month of June, I will be out there on the 13th, 20th, and 27th. If you want to join me for one of those weeks, please do. If you want to come by for all of them, then by all means. If you can't make any of those, there will be more dates this summer (just keep your eyes on the newsletter).

Have a brilliant and blessed beginning to your summer, and I look forward to continuing to learn and grow together.

Peace, Pastor Earl

June 1 Linda Angel Rice June 8 Linda Angel Rice June 15 Deanna Zesiger June 22 Ron Barkett June 29 Deanna Zesiger

DATE	GREETERS	COOKIE TABLE	ALTAR FLOWERS	WORSHIP LEADER	CHILDREN'S MESSAGE	CHILDREN's CHURCH	SECURITY
June 1	Michael Stingel		Susan Smith	Sally Green	Sally Green		Dave Ely
June 8	Rick & Nancy Hicks			Mark Klaiber	Mark Klaiber		Justin Troyer
June 15	Keith & Nancy	Keith & Nancy	John & Tammy Klaiber	John Klaiber	Nancy Troyer		Matt Hicks
June 22	Dave Green	No Cookie Table	Pam Osborne	Kelsey Mueller		Nancy Troyer	Kevin Troyer
June 29			Tim & Susie Immel	Jeff Baab	Marsha Baab		Bob Jones



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