
REVELATIONS AT CONCORD

Enter to Worship: Depart to Serve

July 2016

Mission Statement:

To share the Word of God and draw people unto Christ through a ministry of service, love, compassion and outreach.

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force you to go to church or build up your faith, we live in a society that does not force that choice upon us. Therefore, we must take it upon ourselves to build a community that invites all to join....not in a forceful, judgmental way, but in a way of grace and welcoming. In my last sermon in June, I spoke about the passage from Galatians in which Paul lays out the fruits of the spirit. What are the fruits? Love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. These are all positive, affirming expressions of our faith in Jesus Christ, and they will be evident in our lives, both individually and as a faith community, if we are truly following the guidance of the Holy Spirit.

Michael



Pastor's Corner

Greetings, and Happy 4th of July! A fun time of celebration of our country, and the freedoms we are blessed to live with each and every day. One of those freedoms is to practice our faith as we see fit. The freedom of religion is an important right, but it also leaves it up to each individual to decide how committed they are. Just as when you grow up into adulthood, your parents no longer can

Prayer Requests

EXTENDED CARE FACILITIES:

Doris Hauser (Clemmons Village 11)
Clara Tuttle (Clemmons Village 1)
Marie Horton (Salemtowne)

MILITARY:

Carl Craft
Christopher Ford
Jonathan Hinshaw
Scott Kyser
Jonathon Prisk

CHURCH FAMILY:

Kit & Martin Binkley
Margaret Boggs
Nancy & Larry Cook
Jim Friend
Donna Garner
Family of Diane Huffman
Family of Lewana Huffman
Phil, Vicki, and Robert Ingram
Stefanie & Bryan Jones
Jean Messick
Sylvia Russell
Kathy & Darrell Surface
Frank Transou
Norma Willard

CHURCH FRIENDS:

Ann Doby
Albert Doub
Keith Gerrell
Kay Griffis
Mark Gunderman
Tom Jones
Mary Harrell
Rosa Hout
Jay Kiser
Daniel Lanier & Family
Kathleen Larson
Dennis Lee
Vera Madden
Ashley Meeks
Family of Bill Morrow
Donny Myers
Family of Rev. Margaret Nunez
Jim Russo
Amanda Tetzlaff
Jerry Scott
Taylor Wise

Weekly Attendance and Gifts - June

Amount Needed per Week for General Budget:
\$2,467.00

5/29/16	Attendance:	28
	General Budget	1,136.00
	FLC Principle	100.00
6/5/16	Attendance:	44
	General Budget	2,386.00
	FLC Principle	0.00
6/12/16	Attendance:	37
	General Budget	1,095.00
	FLC Principle	100.00
6/19/16	Attendance:	33
	General Budget	2,613.00
	FLC Principle	400.00
6/26/16	Attendance:	32
	General Budget	1,136.00
	FLC Principle	0.00

Memorial and Honor Gifts

A gift has been given to the glory of God and Concord UMC Family Life Center principle in memory of Diane Huffman by Margaret Boggs.

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Church Nursery

According to our Church's Safe Sanctuary Policy, we always need at least two people in attendance whenever we are caring for our children.

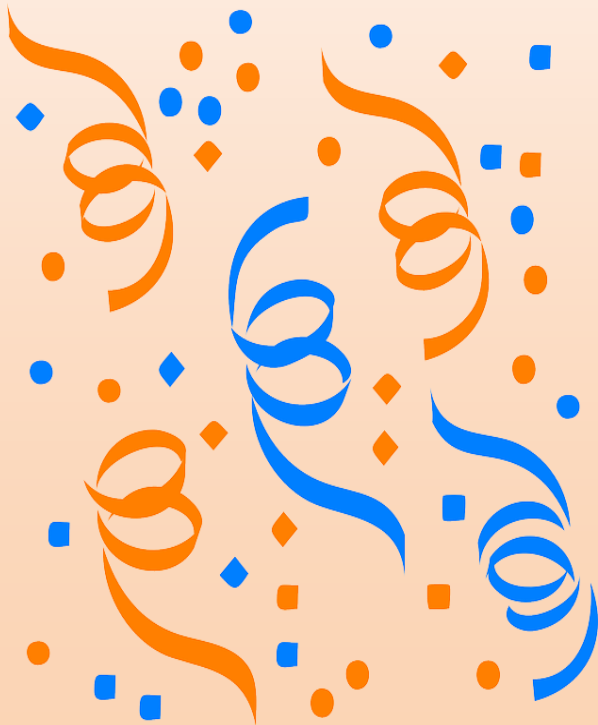
If you are able to help in the Nursery, please contact Helen at 923-7449.

The Safe Sanctuary Policy can be viewed on our Church Website:

<http://www.concordumclewisville.org/Links>

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 3 Jonas Williams
- 4 Harrison Krites
Kenneth Prevette
- 7 Duncan Hickman
- 12 David Binkley
- 15 John Breier
- 19 Clairra Johnson
- 23 Peter Phillips
- 24 Bruce Horton



Prayer Shawl Group

The Prayer Shawl Group meets every other Thursday at 10:00 am to work on shawls to donate to those in need of a special blessing in their lives. All are welcome to join this ministry. If you are unable to knit or crochet, we are willing to help you learn. Call Helen Gainsford at 923-7449.

This month we will meet on July 14th, and July 28th.

Anniversary Cookbook

The Concord Anniversary Cookbook, celebrating the 235th year of our church, is available.

The Cookbook contains a varied selection of recipes submitted by the members, friends, and past members of Concord.

The cost for the book is \$15 each.

To place your order, call Lib Barefoot (766-7900) or Helen Gainsford (923-7449).

Vacation Bible School

Vacation Bible School will be on August 3rd – 6th from 6:00 to 7:00 pm.

This year the program is titled Journey with J.W. and is an adventure into United Methodist History with John Wesley. The program is free and suitable for children ages 3 – 12 yrs.

If you know of any children who would be interested, their parents can sign them up online at our church website:

www.concordumclewisville.org/VacationBibleSchool, or they can call Helen at 336-923-7449.

The congregation is encouraged to join our children at VBS on August 6th at 6:00 pm at the Pavilion. We

Farmer's Market

The Outreach Committee is sponsoring a Farmer's Market on **Saturday, July 30th, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm** at the Pavilion.

Tables will be available to anyone in the community for a nominal fee.

Our church will also have a table of donated and baked goods. All money raised will be used in the Outreach programs.

If you or anyone you know in the community, would like to sell your produce, you may contact Charlene Teague, Lib Barefoot, or Helen Gainsford.



Flowers

Contact Margaret Boggs (945-2941) if you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary for Sunday services.

If anyone has flowers in their yard that they would like to donate to the church, call Margaret and she will be happy to arrange your flowers in the Sanctuary for Sunday services.

Family Nite Out

Due to the July Fourth Celebration, there will be no Family Nite Out in July.

Women's Handicrafts

We will meet on **Wednesday, July 13th at 10:00 am** for a time of fellowship in the Family Life Center. All are invited to come join in the fun. Bring any handwork with you, or just come and enjoy the fellowship.



United Methodist Women

Please note that due to the July 4th Holiday, the UMW meeting will be on **Monday, July 11th at 10:00 am**.

United Methodist Women shall be a community of women whose purpose is to know God and to experience freedom as whole persons through Jesus Christ; to develop a creative, supportive fellowship; and to expand concepts of mission through participation in the global ministries of the church.

The UMW is saving and collecting "education points" or "coupons" from labels. These are the little box top points on such products as Cheerios, Ziploc bag boxes, and many others. The other is the coupon WITH bar code that is located on other products such as those by the Campbell Soup Company. Check your kitchen items for these. There are several products which participate. These can be turned into educational money for schools. Ours will benefit Lewisville Elementary.

Please help us collect these labels. They may be placed in the plastic box in the Narthex under the stairs.



July 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3 S/S Worship	4	5	6	7 7:00 Choir	8	9
10 S/S Worship	11 10:00 UMW	12	13 10:00 Women's Handicrafts 7:00 Finanace	14 10:00 PrayerShawl 7:00 Choir	15	16
17 S/S Worship	18	19 7:00 Trustees	20 7:00 Admin. Board	21 7:00 Choir	22	23
24 S/S Worship	25	26 7:00 PPRC	27 7:00 Nurture	28 10:00 PrayerShawl 7:00 Choir	29	30 9:00 Farmer's Market

This Month's Helpers:

Ushers: Shelton Barefoot & Leon Ramey

LCAP item for June is Can Spinach



SUNDAY BULLETINS

Our Sunday Bulletins are now available on the church website:
<http://www.concordumclewisville.org/Bulletins>

The new Sunday bulletin will be posted by Monday afternoon.

*For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them.”
Matthew 18:20*

*“For the Father seeks such as these to worship him.”
John 4:23*

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