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"Flowers appear on the earth; the season of singing has come, the cooing of doves is heard in our land." Song of Songs 2:12

Dear Fellowship Members and Friends,

I can't believe how fast this year is going! I remember as a child how time seemed to pass so incredibly slow, but now it seems like in a blink of an eye, almost a half year has come and gone. I hope as we enter the summer season, you will come to church as often as you can to be fed and nourished. If you want to sleep in on those lazy summer days, there's always the 5:00 p.m. service to attend! We'd love to have you come and worship with us in the relaxed, more intimate atmosphere that allows one to concentrate on the music (from Augsburg's *Worship and Praise Hymnal*), the word, and time around the table of the Lord. We also have a time for sharing of joys, prayer concerns, and God-moments. It really helps those who connect with more praise type music and culture to hear, worship and respond to God, as God speaks to them. So many of the songs speak of our relationship with God, our desire to draw close to God, and God's love for us.

We are slowly returning to normal. We will resume weekly communion in June but will still be using our prepackaged communion kits. On June 12th, our liturgy will change to the hymn-based liturgy we've used in the past. And as has been our summer custom the last several summers, we will be praying the newer version of the Lord's Prayer at the 10:00 a.m. service (this is the version we pray at the 5:00 p.m. service).

Beginning June 5th, we will also resume our quarterly healing services, offered at the end of both services. For those who have never been a part of a healing service, please see the information in the announcements.

As June 5th is also the end of Sunday School, we will also celebrate our teachers for the year. Dianna Roll and Karen Harris have taught the Pre-K- 2nd grade class, and Cindy Frey has taught the advanced elementary/pre-catechism class. Thank you for offering your time and talent so we could restart Sunday School after a long COVID absence.

On June 12th during worship, we will recognize our 2022 graduates, Gwen Cardimen, Lorien Crispin, and Hayden Laucher. Come help us celebrate with our graduates! Also on June 12th, we will review our emergency preparedness plans with the congregation during worship. Please try to attend this service for this important information.

See you in church!

Pastor Robin

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In-person Worship Masks are now optional. Please feel free to wear a mask if you are more comfortable with one on.

Giving Opportunity With our current unexpected expenses to correct our lighting problem or the water damage in our first classroom, we are looking for possibilities of generosity giving. Please consider giving to our capital fund (on the Vanco Mobile app or designate Capital Fund on your offering envelope) to help us offset some of our expenses. We will keep track of the total giving for this and inform you weekly of the funds raised through your generosity giving. Thank you all!

Interested in Vacation Bible School for your Children? Saint Andrew Christian Church on Smoky Row is welcoming our children to join their outdoor VBS from June 20-24. Please let Pastor Robin know if your child/children want to attend so I can let Saint Andrew know.

Holy Communion Consecrated communion kits can be picked up in the church office on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays between 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon for those unable to attend in-person. Beginning in June, we will celebrate communion weekly, still using the prepackaged kits.

Donation Opportunities

The Smoky Row Food Pantry is at 7260 Smoky Row Rd., Columbus. The most needed items for **April, May, and June** include:

- Toilet paper
- Baby items (Diapers 2-3-4, Wipes)
- Toothpaste (regular, not sample size)
- Laundry detergent
- Kitchen cleaning items, such as dishwasher liquid, and dish soap
- Peanut butter
- Pasta of all kinds

Place your donations in the tubs located in the Narthex during church service hours, or during published office hours - Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm.

Your generosity is appreciated by our neighbors in need. Thank you!

Last day of Sunday School for the spring is June 5th. We will also recognize our teachers that day in worship.



Healing Service on June 5th at the end of worship during both services! In the rite of healing, the church does not replace the gifts of God that come through the scientific community nor does it promise a cure. Physical healing may or may not follow the laying on of hands. Nor does the lack of a

cure reflect a weak faith or that a person has not found favor with God. Rather, the church offers and celebrates gifts such as these: God's presence with strength and comfort in time of suffering, God's promise of wholeness and peace, and God's love embodied in the community of faith. The healing service on the 5th will be an optional part of worship that Sunday at the end of our worship service. If you would like to participate, just remain in the sanctuary after our last hymn. If not, you may quietly exit during the last hymn. This is not the type of healing service that you might have seen on television with the person falling to the floor but a gentle laying on of hands, prayer, and/or anointing with oil for those who choose. We encourage everyone to experience the power of a healing service - we are all broken people in need of some kind of healing.

Meals on Wheels

June 18	Cardimen	July 15 July 16	Farel Wolfe
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2022 Graduates We are recognizing our high school and college graduates on Sunday, June 12. If you or a family member are graduating in 2022, please provide the church with the following information: Name, school/university, month graduating, degree if applicable, future plans and a picture. Please email the church with this information at flc7350@gmail.com.

Calling All High Schoolers (Including 2022 Graduates)! Since there will be no national youth gathering this year, the Southern Ohio Synod is offering a Youth Synod Day on Tuesday, July 26th at Peace Lutheran Church in Gahanna. If you are interested, please let Pastor Robin know as soon as possible.

Do You Order From Amazon? If so, then try Amazon Smile to support Fellowship Lutheran Church! First, go to Amazon Smile and choose Fellowship Lutheran Church, Columbus, OH as your charity. Then, shop as usual and Fellowship will receive a percentage of your purchase. It's that easy!

Worship Servers Needed! If you are able to help out at our 10:00 a.m. Worship service, please let either Tracy Farel or Pastor Robin know. Lectors, counters, and greeters are needed. Not sure what these roles involve or never done it before? We will be happy to help you out!

Two Rollators Available Two rollators have been donated to Fellowship from Scioto Ridge United Methodist Church and have been placed in the coat rack area. If you are in need of a rollator, please let Pastor Robin or Tracy know and take one. Please return to the church when you no longer need the rollator.

Volunteers Needed for Churchwide Assembly from August 7 to August 12 at the Columbus Convention Center. If you are able to help out on any of the days, please let Pastor Robin know and I will get you in contact with the right people.

Kroger Plus Fundraising Information: If you would like to register your Kroger card for the Community Rewards Program, please contact Pastor Robin or the church office. Thank you so much for participating in this fundraiser!

Thrivent Members - For those of you with choice dollars. don't forget that Fellowship can be a recipient of those dollars. Thank you to all who have donated this way in the past!

Give to Fellowship with Your Smartphone with Vanco Mobile - If you would like to give to Fellowship with your smartphone, please download Vanco's new smartphone app, **Vanco Mobile**. Vanco Mobile will enable anyone to donate at anytime to Fellowship. It makes it easy to give instantaneously for a regular gift, a recurring gift, or a special occasion gift.

Staying Connected Program for the Elderly - Did you know that Ohio has a program for the elderly to "stay connected?" You get to pick the hour to receive the phone call. For more information, here is the link: <https://aging.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/aging/care-and-living/get-help/staying-connected/>

Attendance Information (In-person & virtual)

4/3	39/3/14 views	May 1	31/6/20 views
4/6 (midweek)	7/9 views	May 8	25/3/15 views
4/10	44/6/21 views	May 15	17/6/25 views
4/14 (M. Thurs)	34/14 views	May 22	28/7/18 views
4/15 (G. Friday)	46/12 views	May 29	15/6/11 views
4/17 (Easter)	19/41/26 views		
4/24	23/21 views		

Congratulations to our 2022 Graduates!

Gwen Cardimen



WORTHINGTON KILBORNE HIGH SCHOOL
Class of 2022



Gwendolyn Cardimen

OHIO
UNIVERSITY

ART EDUCATION
AND DANCE

Lorien Crispin



*Lorien graduated from
Dublin Coffman High
School on May 29, 2022.*

*After graduation, she will
be attending the University
of Dayton to study Special
Education.*

2022 Graduates

Hayden Laucher



Hayden graduated from Olentangy High School on May 22, 2022 and will be attending the University of Cincinnati's Lindner College of Business in the fall.

Church Staff

Pastor	Rev. Robin Wargowsky
Treasurer	Todd Engen
Financial Secretary	Tracy Farel
Office Secretary	Tracy Farel
Pianist	Amy Wargowsky
Sub. Pianist/Organist	David Fleisher, Ruth Albert
Choir/Band Director	George Biemel
Custodian	Kenneth Hunt

Executive Committee

President	Kathryn Tucker
Vice-President	George Biemel
Secretary	Sonya Thelin Pastor Robin

Congregational Life

Director	Cindy Frey
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Education & Youth

Director	Dianna Roll
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Outreach

Director	Carol Jaeger
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Stewardship & Support

Director	John Votino
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Worship

Director	Karen Harris
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Thank you for your leadership!!!

Worship Servers Schedule for June 2022

Date	June 5	June 12
Lay Reader	George Biemel	George Biemel
Counter	Andy Smith	Bill Lude
Greeter	Kathryn Tucker	Katheryn Tucker
Altar Guild	Dianna Roll & Angela Kidd	Carol Scantland

Date	June 19	June 26
Lay Reader		
Counter		
Greeter		
Altar Guild	Dianna Roll & Angela Kidd	Dianna Roll & Angela Kidd

Worship Servers Needed!

We have not yet returned to our full schedule of worship servers due to COVID. If you can fill any of our openings for readers, counters or greeters or help out in future months, please call or email Tracy or Pastor Robin. Thanks!



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
29 9:15 am - Sun. School 10:00 am - Worship 11:30-3:00 pm - CJMC 5:00 pm - Worship	30 7:00 p.m. - NA	31 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 7:00 pm - Nominating Team (Zoom)	1 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	2 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 8:00 pm - CJMC	3 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	4 6:00 am - CJMC Pray
5 <i>Healing Service</i> 9:15 am - Sun. School 10:00 am - Worship 11:00 am - Executive 11:30-3:00 pm - CJMC 5:00 pm - Worship	6 7:00 pm - NA	7 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	8 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	9 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 8:00 pm - CJMC	10 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	11 6:00 am - CJMC Pray
12 10:00 am - Worship Graduate Recognition 11:30-3:00 pm - CJMC 5:00 pm - Worship	13 7:00 pm - NA	15 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 7:00 pm - Worship Team (Zoom)	15 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	16 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 8:00 pm - CJMC	17 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 6:00-9:00 pm - BAPS	18 6:00 am - CJMC Pray
19 10:00 am - Worship 11:30-3:00 pm - CJMC 5:00 pm - Worship	20 7:00 pm - NA	21 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 7:00 pm - Council	22 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	23 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 8:00 pm - CJMC	24 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	25 6:00 am - CJMC Pray
26 10:00 am - Worship 11:30-3:00 pm - CJMC 5:00 pm - Worship	27 7:00 pm - NA	28 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 7:00 pm - Outreach Team (zoom)	29 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	30 6:00 am - CJMC Pray 8:00 pm - CJMC	1 6:00 am - CJMC Pray	2 6:00 am - CJMC Pray

FOR OUR MEMBERS:

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| Fritzi Bear | Lillian Kachic |
| Maxine Brunner | Frank & Leena LeMay |
| Major N Crispin | Bill Lude |
| Barb Fisher | Sonja Meighen |
| Pat Frey | Joshua Mott |
| Dominic Frey | Stacy Niedecker |
| Margery Gress | Martha Sampson |
| Cheryl Hamilton | John W. Votino |
| Zach Jaeger | Ray & Carol Ward |
| | Bill Zahn |

June Birthdays

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| Mary McDaniel | 6/1 |
| Bill Zahn | 6/5 |
| Michelle Cleveland | 6/15 |
| Sonya Meighen | 6/17 |
| Dianna Roll | 6/19 |
| Cathy Votino | 6/19 |
| Bruce Johnson | 6/21 |
| Jillian Mott | 6/22 |
| Cheryl Hamilton | 6/25 |
| McKenzie Laucher | 6/26 |
| Megan Howard | 6/27 |
| Nathan Votino | 6/29 |
| Chad Laucher | 6/30 |
| Jacob Votino | 6/30 |

FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

- Joan Albert**, Ruth Albert's mother
Alisha Butscher, Karen Harris' friend
Rosemary Craig, Cindy Frey's mother
CJ Frey, Pat Frey's uncle
Eleanore Gartner, Sonya Thelin's friend's mother
Marc Hamilton, Cheryl Hamilton's son
Megan Harris, Karen Harris' daughter
Tom Stiver, Mike Rankin's friend
Megan Votino, Nathan Votino's wife
Lisa Young, Todd Engen's sister (Byron Engen's daughter)



Happy Birthday to those celebrating birthdays this month! This list reflects the information we have in our computer at this time. We welcome your corrections and additions!

DEATHS:

- Chuck Earles**, Jim Jaeger's friend

June Anniversaries

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| Paul & Robin Wargowsky | 6/07 |
| Doug & Carol Scantland | 6/10 |
| John & Cathy Votino | 6/17 |
| Chad & Amanda Laucher | 6/18 |
| John M. & Kelly Votino | 6/20 |
| Steve & Donna Williamson | 6/22 |
| Tom & Maryann Mott | 6/25 |



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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED



Our Purpose: To share God's love and grace through our words and actions.

Our Vision: To be a diverse, thriving community of faith where all are welcome to celebrate God's love and grace.

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