

The Fountain

AUGUST 2022

Oxygen for ministry



Flight attendants instruct airplane passengers that if oxygen masks are needed, we should secure our own before assisting someone else. Why? If we aren't getting enough oxygen ourselves, we can't help another person for long.

The Holy Spirit empowers Christians for ministry — the work of loving and caring for our neighbors and God's creation. But if we aren't Spirit-fueled on an ongoing basis, we will soon lack capacity to serve. This may manifest as burnout, cynicism, exhaustion or even lack of faith. So how to ensure we're breathing in the Spirit's energy and guidance instead of poor-quality "air"?

By taking part in corporate worship regularly, immersing ourselves in the Scriptures (devotional reading and Bible study), praying "continually" (1 Thessalonians 5:17, NIV) and spending time with Christian friends and mentors. Opening ourselves to the Spirit in these ways allows the Breath of God to flow into us, which in turn empowers us to reach out to others in love.

—Heidi Hyland Mann



JOIN US FOR BIBLE SCHOOL!

HEROES OF THE BIBLE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 6th

9:30 AM – 2:00 PM

Ages 3 through 5th Grade

Cold Springs UMC Fellowship hall

Hot Dog Lunch will be served

Please arrive by 9:30 AM to register your child(ren)



**DO WE HAVE YOUR
COLLEGE
STUDENT'S
ADDRESS?**

If you are a college student or the parent of a college student attending community college or a 4 year college/university, please share your new address or confirm the most recent address the church has for you or your son/daughter. We also request an email address so newsletters can be shared this way. This information can be sent to Kelli Moser via email at kmoser70@gmail.com or via text at 704-796-8700. It can also be sent to the church office via email at adminasist@coldspringsumc.org.

Promotion SUNDAY

*Everyone is invited
and welcome to*



Promotion Sunday

&

Blessing of the Backpacks

Sunday, August 28 during the 8:45am service

Following the service, there will be a Promotion Celebration in Krimminger Hall to celebrate all the school kids, young and old! Light breakfast goodies will be served!





Join our
**BIBLE
STUDY**

"Now faith is the reality of what is hoped for, the proof of what is not seen. For by it our ancestors won God's approval."

Hebrews 11:1-2

In *The Faithful*, you will explore pivotal moments in the lives of five of our Old Testament predecessors. Borrowing previous studies by Priscilla Shirer, Kelly Minter, Beth Moore, Jennifer Rothschild, and Lisa Harper, you'll see how God uses the lives of ordinary people for His glory and the good of His people. Strengthen your faith as you walk alongside Gideon, Nehemiah, Esther, Hosea, and Malachi as they chose to obey God, no matter their circumstances. Join these five Lifeway Women authors to be encouraged to live bold, faithful lives in obedience to God and to gain motivation to study further and approach stories from the Old Testament.

Ladies, please join us for this 5-week Bible study beginning Wednesday, September 7, 2022 and continuing through October 5, 2022. The cost of this study will be approximately \$14.00 for the study book. The deadline to sign up for this study is **Sunday, August 21, 2022**. You may sign up for this study by calling Kay Jones at 704-467-7597 or emailing k328jonez@gmail.com; or calling the church office at 704-782-1811. Look forward to you joining us.

Cold Springs Family, Thank you for the Bible and goodies for my graduation gift. I like it a lot and appreciate it very much! Throughout the years growing up, I appreciate all the love and support at the church and from my church family. With all the youth memories behind me, I look forward to making more and keep on my path of growing more and more closer to God. Sincerely, Grayson Huneycutt

*Thank
You!*

CSUMC Fair Booth 2022

We are going to try this again!



We will have a food booth at the Cabarrus County Fair this year! September 9-17! This is so exciting for us to be able to sell our wonderful, affordable food and to spread the love of Jesus to others. With the support of the Emma Fink Sunday School class who

has been responsible for this mission for many years, we plan to do our very best to keep this tradition alive with your help and support!

We will have the paper sign up sheet as well as an online "Sign Up Genius" that will have many available slots for cleaning the booth to get it ready, moving it over to the fair grounds, prep day, modified shifts through the week and 2 shifts per day on the weekends. If you are like me and have no idea what September will bring, I understand but feel free to "tentatively" fill in a spot or 2 or 3 to work and we can modify as needed closer to fair time. Many have already reached out to offer their help and if you haven't had a chance to yet, please contact Terri Pruitt anytime! The sign up sheet will be available soon as well as the Sign Up Genius which will be shared through the church email.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/20F0A49ADAD2BABFB6-csumc>

Birthdays

- 1—Lindsey Love, Alex Kluttz
- 4—Wayne Bridges
- 5—Tim Hurlocker, Bill Barnhardt, Jr., Brenda Helms
- 6—Hailey Sidden, Brooks Heintz
- 7—Johnny Faggart
- 10—Ray Bost, Kenzie Bickerstaff, Crystal Howell
- 16—Betty Talley
- 19—Darrell Long
- 20—Margaret Talley, Cynthia Isenhour
- 22—Sue Richert, Tom Cranmer, Hannah Blair
- 23—James Caldwell, Eddie Poole
- 25—Jack Pruitt, Jacquelyn Campbell
- 28—Aaron Misenheimer, Don Gray, Jase Yount, Tammy Leonard
- 29—Edward Cook, Easton Huneycutt
- 30—Raymelle Weddington
- 31—Paul Ecton

Anniversaries

- 4—Lee & Jannette Kluttz
- 9—Adam & Lindsey Love
- 11—Tony & Sally Bell
- 13—Kevin & Phoebe Talley
Ray & Barbara Bost
- 15—Tracy & Carol Talley
- 18—Tom & Grace Cranmer
- 19—Wes & Tammy Leonard
- 26—Bob & Brenda Helms
- 28—Mike & Lynne Helms



Volunteer Opportunity from the Mission Committee



We need folks willing to provide meals for those who have been in the hospital and need a few meals to help them out when they get home. If you would like to help out in this area, please e-mail, call or text me. If you are currently on the list of volunteers, please sign up again as I would like to start a new list of volunteers. Include your name, phone number and e-mail address.

If you know of someone who could benefit from this outreach, please let me and/or Pastor Tony know.

Thank you,
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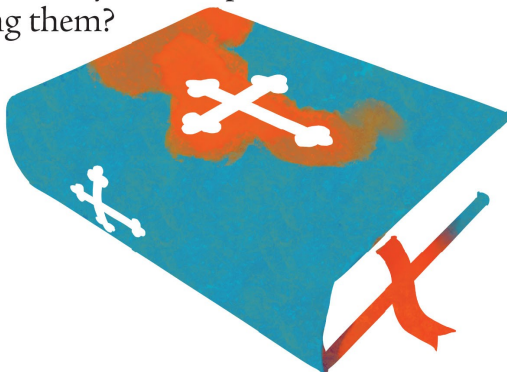


Bible Quiz



A few Bible books have only one chapter. Which of the following is not among them?

- A. Obadiah
- B. Philemon
- C. 1 John
- D. 2 John
- E. 3 John
- F. Jude



Check out our website:

www.coldspringsumc.org



Online Ministries tab has links to

 **YouTube** **Worship live @ 8:45am**



 **PayPal** *for online tithes & offerings*



M.Y. Heart's ministry is collecting supplies to make blessing bags for the homeless. These items include such things as pocket Bibles, travel shampoos, conditioners, soap, and other necessities. A green bin is located under the mailboxes in the hallway behind the sanctuary and in the narthex. A list of other items are located on the flyer at these collection bins. If you have questions about this new outreach, email Julie Love at jaxandcb@yahoo.com. ***Our current needs for spring/summer: white undershirts, deodorant, sunscreen, chapstick, ball caps, etc.***

Puzzle!

Search for and circle all the bold words from Psalm 18:2, which reminds us where we find our strength.

The **LORD** is **MY ROCK**, my **FORTRESS** and my **DELIVERER**; my **GOD** is my rock, in whom I **TAKE REFUGE**. **HE** is my **SHIELD** and the **HORN** of my **SALVATION**, my **STRONGHOLD**.

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GOD ROCKS!



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If you have an event/announcement you would like advertised in the newsletter and/or email, please provide information to the church office. The deadline for the newsletter is the 15th of the month to be included in the following month's newsletter. Events/announcements may also be sent out via church wide email. The office phone #704-782-1811 and the church office email address is adminassist@coldspringsumc.org

If you would like to be added to the church email group, please provide your email address to the office via a note in the offering plate or email/phone call to the church office.

When sending prayer requests via email, please send them to prayer@coldspringsumc.org or submit them via the prayer request form on the church website. This will allow requests to still be sent out even when the church office is closed.



REQUESTS
— FOR —
PRAYER

Mt. Pleasant Food Ministry's Current needs:

Fruit Juice, Cereal, Powdered Milk,
Bread, Dried Beans, & Crackers

Non-food items: Laundry Detergent, Shampoo, Face Soap, Toilet Tissue, Deodorant, Toothpaste, Diapers

The basket for donations to this food pantry is located in the hall behind the sanctuary beside the church mailboxes.



Pantry Needs

Events At Cold Springs

August 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
[7] 12:00pm KH reserved - WOF	[8] 5:30pm UMYF Leaders mtg - Conf Rm #2	[9] 6:00pm Bible Study - Conf Rm #2	[10] 5:00pm Boy Scouts - KH	[11] Ballfield/ Spring area reserved - Cub Scouts	[12] Ballfield/ Spring area reserved - Cub Scouts	[13] Vacation Bible School 9:30am - 2:00pm	
[14]	[15] <i>FOUNTAIN NEWS DUE</i>	[16] 6:00pm Bible Study - Conf Rm #2	[17]	[18]	[19]	[20]	
[21]	[22] 9:00am JOY - KH	[23] 6:00pm Bible Study - Conf Rm #2	[24]	[25]	[26]	[27] KH reserved - Cub Scouts	
[28] 8:45am Promotion Sunday & Blessing of the Backpacks	[29]	[30] 6:00pm Bible Study - Conf Rm #2	[31]	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> Every Sunday: 8:45am Contemporary Worship Service 10:05am Sunday School for ALL ages 11:00am Worship Service </div>			

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