

The Fountain

NOVEMBER 2022

Thanksgiving! What are you thankful for and to whom do you give thanks?

There is a great hymn that can lead us into prayer and praise. As you read over these incredible lyrics and ponder their meaning perhaps you may be inspired to use this as a daily prayer throughout November. Speak them, sing them, or pray them and may God be blessed by your thankfulness.

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Great is Thy faithfulness, O God my Father
 There is no shadow of turning with Thee
 Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not
 As Thou hast been, Thou forever will be

Refrain:

Great is Thy faithfulness
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 Morning by morning new mercies I see
 All I have needed Thy hand hath provided
 Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me

Summer and winter and springtime and harvest
 Sun, moon and stars in their courses above
 Join with all nature in manifold witness
 To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love

Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth
 Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide
 Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow
 Blessings all mine with 10,000 beside

Songwriters: Adam Anders / Thomas Chisholm / William Runyan

Praise be to God,
Pastor Tony

Happy Fall!

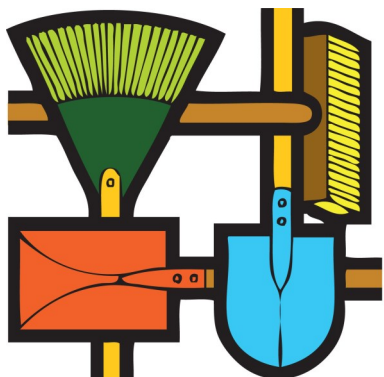
Our congregation collected a love offering for Tony and his family for Pastor appreciation month. I presented him with a check and card this past Sunday after

the 11 am service. I know he is grateful and can feel the love and support he has from all of us. Many thanks to all of you for praying about this and giving so freely. We are blessed to be a part of a community that is steadfast in its faith.

Grace and Peace,
Lynne Georgevich
SPRC Chairperson



Fall yardwork by our Youth Group!



YARDWORK
— Crew —

Our youth will be offering yard work to people in our church family who need help! We plan to do the yard work on November 20. All of our church family are invited to pitch in and help, especially in providing tools! If you know of someone in our church family who could use assistance with their fall yard work, or if you would like to help in some way, please contact Christine Barbee.

Birthdays

- 1—Ethan Bell
- 3—Keen Yount
- 8—Ginny Holdeen, Tracy Talley
- 9—Shirley Hurlocker
- 12—Daniel Beaver
- 14—Ruth Burluson
- 15—John Meade
- 20—Alivia Dowless
- 21—Shannon Huneycutt
- 22—Bobby Hammill
- 23—Jack Bickerstaff
- 24—Susan Caton
- 27—Dianne Fulk
- 30—Beverly Patterson



Anniversaries

- 2—Russell & Caren Dowless
- 3—Mike & Kathy Flowe
- 7—Timothy & Jacquelyn Campbell
- 14—Wayne & Cathey Bridges
- 22—Tommy & Kay Jones
- 25—Edward & Donna Cook

Another delivery of beanies was made to the Concord and Albemarle cancer centers during the week of October 10th. In the last year and a half, we have given 630 crocheted beanies and 80 sewed beanies to cancer patients.



Thank you so much for helping through your donations of both yarn and money to purchase the yarn. Please also pray for those people who are fighting their battle against cancer.



SAVE THE DATE...

Christ's Birthday Party!

Sunday, December 11

More info to come...
watch for emails and
the "Fountain" in December!

Happiness is like manna; it is to be gathered in grains and enjoyed every day. It will not keep; it cannot be accumulated; nor have we got to go out of ourselves or into remote places to gather it, since it is rained down from heaven, at our very doors.



Bible Quiz



Which of the following is not called a "fruit of the Spirit" — but probably could be?

- A. love
- B. faithfulness
- C. self-control
- D. gratitude
- E. gentleness



Answer: D (See Galatians 5:22-23.)

Gifts & Memorials

Needy Fund

In Memory of:

Freddie Heintz

By: Martha Avett subgroup

Vincent Hess

By: Martha Avett subgroup

Cemetery Fund

In Memory of Fetzer & Novella Smith

By: Brenda Morse

Ministries of Cold Springs UMC

In Memory of Vincent Hess

By: Debbie, John, Jeffrey, & Michael Carley

We want the war horse. Jesus rides a donkey.
We want the eagle. The Holy Spirit descends as a dove.
We want to take up swords. Jesus takes up a cross.
We want the roaring lion.
God comes as a slaughtered lamb.
We keep trying to arm God.
God keeps trying to disarm us.

Our Christian sympathy is extended to the following families upon the death of their loved one:

- ◇ *Macala Heintz family upon the death of her husband, Fred Heintz on September 12, 2022;*
- ◇ *Vincent Hess family upon his death on September 20, 2022;*
- ◇ *Brenda Helms family upon the death of her husband, Bob Helms on October 16, 2022.*

May the Spirit of the Living God continue to guide and direct these families.

Puzzle!

Although the Bible doesn't mention turkey feasts, the gospels do describe a miracle dinner that made thousands of hungry people thankful (see Matthew 14:13-21). Fill in the words to complete a poem about that meal.

Hint: Each pair of line endings should rhyme.



ate	faces	quest	then
began	late	ran	ton
bunch	lunch	rest	true
done	men	spaces	you

Jesus was tired and went to find _____.
 So away from the crowd he started his _____.
 It came to an end before it _____.
 The crowd followed Jesus; they walked and they _____.
 His boat pulled ashore, and he looked at their _____.
 Five thousand men, plus families, filled all open _____.
 And so Jesus spoke, and he taught until _____.
 The disciples told him it was time they all _____.
 Jesus said, "Yes, that is certainly _____."
 And feeding this crowd is now up to _____."
 Feeding five thousand! It could not be _____.
 What would they do? They'd need a whole _____.
 But then a young boy came and offered his _____.
 Five loaves and two fish to feed this big _____?
 Jesus gave thanks and blessed it and _____ ...
 it fed all the women, the children and _____.

For more than 35 years, Hospice & Palliative Care of Cabarrus County has been providing expert, personalized and compassionate care for those nearing the end of their life due to an illness or a disease for which there is no cure. Hospice care focuses on helping the patient feel as comfortable as possible, physically, emotionally and spiritually.

Since 2011, Hospice has partnered with Carolina Memorial Park on a project that gives families an opportunity to memorialize a loved one and to raise awareness for the work that HPCCC is doing in the community. For a minimum \$3 donation, you can purchase an ornament that will be inscribed with your loved one's name with all proceeds benefiting Hospice. During the holidays, the ornaments will be displayed on lighted trees at Carolina Memorial Park, 601 Mt. Olivet Rd. in Kannapolis.

Thank you in advance for your support. For questions, call 704-403-5277 or email Kristen.Kitchen@atriumhealth.org.

HONOR YOUR LOVED ONE THIS YEAR FOR CHRISTMAS

CAROLINA MEMORIAL PARK HOSPICE CHRISTMAS TREE ORNAMENT

\$3.00 or more per ornament.

Make all checks to Hospice of Cabarrus County

Stop by our office or mail back this card filled out with donation.

Carolina Memorial Park

P.O. Box 3257

Concord NC 28025

Name of loved one: _____

Veteran _____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone: _____ Donation: _____



Trees will be lit starting the 1st Monday night of December at 6:30 pm through Jan.1.

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YOUNG ADULT
MINISTRY

As a ministry to our college-age students attending college (and military), we periodically send gift cards to them to local fast-food restaurants so they can grab a "treat" on us and to let them know we are thinking and praying for them! If you would like to help support this ministry, please mark your contribution "college" and place in the offering plate or send to the church office. Your support is greatly appreciated!

Check out our website:

www.coldspringsumc.org



Online Ministries tab has links to

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

facebook

 **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 fall/winter: cold weather items such as toboggan hats, scarfs, thick socks, thermal underwear or white undershirts for men, gloves, and “hot hands”.***



HOMEBOUND MEMBERS

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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.



the **REQUESTS**
— FOR —
PRAYER

Mt. Pleasant Food Ministry's Current needs:

Tuna, Canned Chicken, Luncheon Meats, Canned Fruit, Pork & Beans, Dried Milk, and 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.



Events At Cold Springs

November 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<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 4:00pm UMYF </div>						
[6] 2:00pm Task Force – Conf Rm #2	[7] 6:00pm Martha Avett s/g – Conf Rm #2	[8] 6:00pm Finance Com – Conf Rm #3	[9] 9:00am Bible study –Conf Rm #2	[10] 6:00pm Communal Prayer – Sanctuary	[11]	[12]
[13] Scout Hut reserved 2:00pm Task Force – Conf Rm #2 3:00pm Admin Council – KH Scout Hut reserved Bus/Van – UMYF	[14] Bus/Van – JOY	[15] <i>FOUNTAIN NEWS DUE</i>	[16] 9:00am Bible study –Conf Rm #2	[17] [24] Office closed KH reserved	[18]	[19]
[20] 2:00pm Task Force – Conf Rm #2 Bus/Van – UMYF	[21] Bus/Van – JOY	[22]	[23] 9:00am Bible study –Conf Rm #2 6:00pm Thanksgiving Eve Service KH reserved	[24] Office closed KH reserved 	[25]	[26]
[27] 2:00pm Task Force – Conf Rm #2	[28] 9:00am JOY – KH	[29]	[30] 9:00am Bible study –Conf Rm #2			

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