

“What's the
WORD?”



FIRST CHRISTIAN
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OF CHRIST

Weekly Updates & Musings

Beloved Church,

Welcome!

Wow! June already! Where is the time going! I am looking forward to beginning our summer worship theme this Sunday based on the United Church of Christ “Be A Blessing” banner. This week we will talk about being a blessing and our scripture will be from the letter to the Philippians. We will also be sharing Holy communion together.

If you missed worship don't forget our services are posted on our website, Facebook and First Christian's YouTube page... See links below and save for future reference! We have also been successfully live streaming our worship to Facebook! You can check it out live on Facebook this Sunday at 10:30 am too!

Website: www.firstchristianucc.org

Facebook: [facebook.com/firstchristianucc](https://www.facebook.com/firstchristianucc)

Youtube: https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnz7YuDil5ON_TQsfesXXtA

Another reminder, I have changed my mobile number since the area code from PA has been throwing some of our members off. Please make a note of my new mobile number: 336-505-9624

Love & Light,
Michelle

PASTORAL CARE/VISITATION

Please remember Pastor Michelle may have some gifts, however, being a mind reader is not one of them! If you haven't heard from her in a while and you want to connect, please feel free to call, text, or email her!

Pastor Michelle:

Call or text: 336-505-9624

Email: fcuccpastor@gmail.com

*please note Friday & Saturday are her Sabbath days.
(with the exception of scheduled events.)

She is available for emergencies only those days

***IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY OF THE
BULLETIN EMAILED TO YOU EACH
WEEK, PLEASE CONTACT JOAN IN
THE CHURCH OFFICE.***

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336-226-7428

Prayer Concerns

Please keep these individuals/families in your prayers...

Carolyn Stubblefield is at Select Specialties

Those remaining in our Prayers

Linda Cobb, Lewis & Vonnie Fowler, Troy Johnson, Kevin May, Julie Miller, Keith Miller, Shirley Perry, Joe Strickland, Nancy Thomas, Benji Terrell, Julie Miller, Carolyn Stubblefield, those hospitalized or in specialized care facilities and our homebound.

LUNCH AT THE LAKE!

On Thursday, June 10th (rain date June 17th) join Pastor Michelle for lunch at Lake Mackintosh Marina part! Bring your own lunch! Let's talk about Creation Justice! How can we "be a blessing" in God's Creation?



Prayers of Gratitude & joy

It has been a pleasure getting out and visiting our homebound members. I have a couple visits to do yet and I will have visited all of our local homebound members. I have been enjoying getting to know them and sharing in communion with several of them. What a blessing to be able to visit and meet more of our members now that the vaccine has lifted restrictions! ~ Pastor Michelle

Those serving in our Armed Forces

PFC Matthew Knight
1Lt Kirk Workman



June Birthdays

- 06-01 – Deborah Williams
- 06-03 – Frances Morgan
- 06-05 – Cyndi Horne
- 06-06 – Judy Kipp
- 06-07 – Ross Strange
- 06-08 – Faye Strickland
- 06-26 – Charlie Vitou
- 06-28 – Selma Simpson
- 06-29 – June Sellars



June Anniversaries

- 06-05 – Ross & Ann Strange
- 06-08 – Jamie & Carol Fonville
- 06-20 – Kathy Russell & Joy Ballard
- 06-21 – Garry & Sherry Massey

Upcoming Worship Services

Date	June 6 th	June 13 th	June 20 th	June 27 th
Theme	"Be A Blessing"	"Be Kind"	"Be the Light" Father's Day	"Lead with Love"
Scripture	Philippians 2:1-11	Ephesians 4:29-32	Matthew 5:14-16	John 15:1-17
			Guest Preacher, Rev. Sharon Wheeler	
Hymn	As We Gather at Your Table	Pass it On	God of the Ages, Who with Sure Command	Sweet, Sweet Spirit



Summer Worship Theme

Beginning this coming
Sunday, June 6th

Join us this summer as we explore what it means to
“Be A Blessing”

Lots of stories, scripture, music and more!

Donation Opportunity! Your Help Is Needed!

The Missions Committee is sponsoring a donation drive for Benevolence Farms. Benevolence Farm was built on the premise of mercy and sincere belief in second chances. Our program provides a transitional employment and living program for women leaving North Carolina prisons. We recognize that change must come from within, but can be cultivated and inspired through a supportive, natural environment. Our goal is to give our participants the time and space — figuratively and literally — to make real, lasting changes. Our residents develop skills in sustainable farming, small business practices, food preparation and presentation in an environment that fosters improved physical, spiritual and financial health. Residents actively contribute to the well-being of the farm, staking a claim in the program’s — and more importantly their own — success.

- Toilet paper
- Paper towels
- Paper plates
- Mr. Clean multipurpose cleaner
- Large trash bags
- Advil • Tylenol
- Tide with Febreze
- Downey fabric softener (sheets or liquid)
- Snuggle fabric softener
- Tampax Pearl Tampons
 - o Super, Regular, & Lite are used
 - o Windex
- o Dawn dish soap
- o Bathroom cleaner
- o Toilet bowl cleaner
- o Pine Sol
- o Swiffer wet pads
- o Swiffer dry pads
- o Hand soap
- o Clorox bleach
- o Kitchen sponges
- o SOS pads
- o Furniture polish
- o Dog treats (no rawhide)