



STAYING IN TOUCH...
HAPPENINGS WITHIN OUR
COMMUNITY OF FAITH

Steve's Corner

Hi Grace, this Sunday is Pentecost Sunday, what some call the Birthday of the Church. It was when the Spirit swept into the room where the disciples were and anointed them for their mission in the world. In some churches people wear red to celebrate the day. My sermon is entitled "Transformation And The Spirit". The first text is the description of Pentecost from Acts 2 which will be read in the Call To Gathering. The second is 2 Corinthians 3: 4-6 and 17-18 . Paul is talking about how we are being transformed by the Spirit, transformed into the likeness of Christ. And we are talking both about the church and us as persons. Can this be? And, what would it look like? We surely cannot pull this off on our own. So Paul writes: "For this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit." O let's get together and talk about it ! And wear red if you wish!
Steve

Calendar

Sunday School at 10:00 AM
 Worship at 11:00 AM
 Wednesdays - Choir rehearsal at 6:30 PM

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The week of May 21-27, 2023

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Our friends on homebound:
Tressie Starrette,
Sarah Adams,
Nancy Milstead.

Those issues close to us:
Eli Jordan, Skip McCall,
Susie Miller,

Gina Starrette, Cindy Johnson,
Bill Warren, Michelle Rokes,
Peggy Brendle, Autumn Harris,
Will Fanjoy, Christian Viera,
Gina Ellis, Neil's cousin,
Marian Archibald, Ray Smith,
Jennifer Martin, Bill Mashburn,
Clara Rogers, Vera Webster,
peoples of the Ukraine,
Cameron Gray, Spencer Cox,
caregivers, healthcare workers,
homeless children, our nations
immigrants.

Those facing tough times, those who are mentally ill, those who are affected by violence, those who are incarcerated, children who are a part of the Guardian ad Litem program, local law enforcement officers and fire fighters.

Those in the military:
Josh Wingfield, James Pulliam,
Mark Staley, Adam Ivey,
Austin Frutig, Anthony Corcoran,
Mary Jane Johnson, Caleb Sisk,
Brian Saxton, 30th Brigade.

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS
Celebrations:

Birthdays
26 - Chris Crowder
27 - Zach Nicholson

Christian Nicholson graduated from Early College last week.

Concerns:
Racial Healing.
Our Nation.

There is a need to be "aware" of the gun epidemic going on right now.

School students and staff and the community around these schools.

The people of Cuba.
 Kim and Stan.

Hospice families and workers.
 Kelly Daspit, a friend of Susie's whose daughter is missing.

Gordon Kaye, who is missing.

Kim McKinney's brother has been diagnosed with stage 4 Prostate cancer.

May

Birthdays

- 1 - Nancy James Kenney
- 1 - Zac Milstead
- 3 - Naomi Angell
- 4 - Sadie Milstead
- 4 - Sue Shoemaker
- 9 - Susan Rawls
- 10 - Gay Shaver
- 11 - Zach Comer
- 26 - Chris Crowder
- 27 - Zach Nicholson
- 28 - Ava Tilley
- 28 - Forrest Adams
- 31 - Jennifer Nicholson
- 31 - Taylor Berryhill

Anniversaries

- 3 - Gary and Patti West
- 9 - Donn and Lisa Wardo
- 12 - Marco and Katelyn Corcoran
- 15 - Steve and Sheri Coarsey

Steve's sermon's are always available
On Facebook and Youtube.
You can easily find it at:
www.gracestatesville.org

Budget

BUDGET UPDATE

Needed year to date: \$42,798.00
Received year to date: \$37,723.00
UNDER budget: \$5075.00
Weekly needs: \$2038.00

Up Coming Events

*Season of Grace begins on June 4th. This starts our summer schedule which will run through the end of August. Worship only at 10:00am with no Sunday School. Grits and Grace Potluck breakfast on the 4th will begin at 8:30am, with a guest speaker at 9:00am, and then Worship at 10:00am.

*Plans are beginning for the 5th Street fundraiser, Christmas in July.

Church Maintenance
Hamby/Hurst

Scripture for the Week

2 Corinthians 3: 4-6
and 17-18.

Sermon

"Transformation And The Spirit"

Leader

David Comer

Reader

Kakki Kulacek

Davis Lectures 2023
Save the Date!
October 8-9.

Dr. Bill Leonard, renowned American church historian will be the guest lecturer.