

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY to Betty Jones on the death of her son-in-law, William Hockaday. Address: 1464 Dee Anne Dr., Xenia.

Youth – Connect Your Heart to God!

Join us for a fun series about the Trinity for the summer.

Think God/Ice (June), Jesus/Water (July) & Holy Spirit/Steam (August 10).

Our Wednesday 'normal' will start up again in September.

AUGUST SPECIAL OFFERING FOR OUR 2015 YOUTH MISSION TRIPS

When our youth depart each summer for their mission trips, part of this is made possible by YOU, the congregation. Our youth and their families pay about 1/2 of the cost for the mission trips. This is done through personal finances and individual fundraising by the youth. The other portion comes from our special offering and group fundraisers such as our car washes, bazaar and dinner theater. If there are additional funds needed, it is requested during the budgeting process. Last year over \$1200 was donated for our mission trips through this special offering. It looks like we will be able to pay for the full cost of our two trips without using budget money again. The plan for 2015 is still being worked out. We may have a Middle School/High School trip as well as a High School/College Age trip or we may do one large trip for everyone. The picture will be coming together within the next few weeks. We ask you to prayerfully consider supporting our youth mission trips not only through prayer, but also financially. We were able to support 16 youth and 4 adults in their mission work this summer. This is thanks to many people, including YOU! Please make donations for our mission trips by notating "Youth Missions" in the memo on your check or on your offering envelope. Thanks for your ongoing support of our youth and youth missions.

MISSION TRIP CARRY-IN MEAL

TODAY AFTER 11:00AM WORSHIP IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Join our mission teams for a meal today after the 11:00 worship services. You will be able to hear about their service in our country and beyond. We had missionaries go to Cincinnati, Nashville in TN and Guatemala. All are welcome and encouraged to come and learn about our members in mission and their experience serving our Lord! Please bring a dish to share for our meal. Beverages and table service will be provided.

YOUTH & ADULT HELP NEEDED

St. Paul Meal: Monday, August 4th prep from 9:00am-12:00pm. Tuesday, August 5th go to St. Paul from 9:00am-2:30pm. Permission slips in FH info bins.

DAYTON DRAGONS GAME YOUTH OUTING

Monday, August 4th, Leave @ 5:30pm, Arrive @ 10:30pm

Cost \$13 which includes ticket & ball cap. Bring money for souvenirs & food. Permission Slip & Family Information Card required (in FH bins). Deadline for tickets is today. Limited # Available. Contact Susan for more info - 372.7601

ATTENTION 2ND GRADERS: Parents, if your child is entering 2nd grade this school year, please contact Jeanne Mills at 372-7601 ext. 14 or Christianeducationdir@fcm.org. We have a gift to share with them On August 24th! Thank you

READY? Set? Minister! Riding a bike. Using a new computer program. Ironing a shirt. Training is important whenever anyone learns a new skill. Training is important in Stephen Ministry too. Before Stephen Leaders and Stephen Ministers begin their work, they go through a lot of training. When they start their official ministry, they're ready. A new training class for Stephen Ministers is beginning in the fall. To find out more about what this ministry has to offer, contact Becky Cultice 376-5747 or come to a Stephen Ministry Information Session on Sunday, August 3rd, or 17th, at 10 a.m. in the chapel.

PLEASE JOIN THE YOUNG SPIRITS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS in the Library for our new study book "The Power of Praying for Your Adult Children". We started the study on July 13 and it will continue for 13 weeks. For more information, contact Stephanie Blackburn.

EXPLORERS SUNDAY SCHOOL (RM 6) is focusing on the life of David starting this summer. We will be reading Psalms and Kings, as well as other books of the Bible. Everyone is welcome to join this open discussion and journey as we see where this leads us.

SHOES 4 THE SHOELESS: Yesterday, children came to the church to be measured for a new pair of gym shoes. Now we need the support and care of the congregation. Names of these children are posted on the boards in the Welcome area and the Community Center. To sponsor a child, 1) select a footprint with a name. 2) Print your name on the footprint below the footprint that you took from the board. 3) Place the signed footprint in the box below the board. 4) Purchase a pair of new gym shoes. Shoes will cost between \$10-\$20 depending on type. 5) Return the shoes with the tag from the board securely attached to the shoes or shoebox by next Sunday, August 10. May God bless your giving! Many, many thanks! If you have any questions contact Sandy Pramer, Kim Etter, or Pastor Rick Tettau. We will bless the shoes in worship on August 10.

CHILDREN'S THEATRE: The Xenia Area Theatre Children's Summer Camp will present their program called *Story to Stage* at Faith Community Church on the stage in the Community Center on Friday, August 8 at 7 pm. Admission is free. Donations for the theatre are gladly accepted. About 20 area children work hard for two weeks at writing and creating this play. Your support is appreciated. We hope you can come and enjoy this wonderful presentation that is suitable for the whole family! If you would like to serve as a host or donate cookies, please call Pastor Rick. Cookies are gladly accepted in the church office by noon on August 8.



CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING WEEK

Monday, August 4th

8:30 am – 3:00 pm	XACT Children's Summer Workshop	FCC
9:00 am – 2:00 pm	St Paul meal prep	Kit
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Boy Scouts	15 C

Tuesday, August 5th

8:30 am – 3:00 pm	XACT Children's Summer Workshop	FCC
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Trustee Meeting	Rm 6

Wednesday, August 6th

8:30 am – 3:00 pm	XACT Children's Summer Workshop	FCC
10:00 am	Deadline for 8-10-14 bulletin	

Thursday, August 7th

8:30 am – 3:00 pm	XACT Children's Summer Workshop	FCC
10:00 am – 11:30 am	Thursday Bible Study	Parlor
6:30 pm – 7:00 pm	spirit.fire meeting	FCC

Friday, August 8th

8:30 am – 3:00 pm	XACT Children's Summer Workshop	FCC
5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Wedding Rehearsal & Dinner	Sanctuary, 15 A & B
6:00 pm – 9:00 pm	XACT Performance	FCC

Saturday, August 9th

12:00 pm – 6:00 pm	Wedding	Sanctuary, Parlor, 15C
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7-27-14 Offering \$7,274.00

Weekly needed \$10,419.00

SERMON NOTES
August 3, 2014
"Mission Team Stories"
Matthew 9:27-38

From the Cincinnati Trip, I appreciated hearing about...

From the Nashville Trip, I appreciated hearing about...

From the Guatemala Trip, I appreciated hearing about...

I will support a person who is doing mission work by...

One thing that I will do this week to serve the Lord is...



August 3, 2014

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thank you for celebrating with us this morning.

here's some more information about us:

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abby martin, delaney mcmorrine, alex mills, alex carlson

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interested in a more traditional approach to worship? next week check out our
traditional service in the sanctuary.

stay up to date and get calendar info with our weekly communitE email. just send
a note to pastor brad at bgolson@aol.com.