

PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY for Mary Warner and family on the death of her husband Dr. David Warner. Address: 969 Morningside Dr. Xenia, OH.
 And for Vicki Six and family on the death of her husband Fred Six. Address: 415 Colorado Dr., Xenia, OH.

CONNECT YOUR HEART TO GOD!

Happy New Year! Join us in finding ways to connect YOUR heart to God. xpress urself opens at 2:15pm. Dinner from 5:00pm– 6:00pm. Contact Susan @ 287.0690 for tickets by 3:40pm. \$3/youth & \$6/adult. 6:00pm-8:00pm – Youth fellowship time. xpress urself will close at 8:15pm. Join us, bring a friend, meet new friends, see old friends and have an awesome time

LITTLE CAESARS PIZZA SALE - YOUTH GROUP FUNDRAISER

For each kit we sell, our group/youth, earn \$5. Help support our youth! There is an order form in the church office if you are interested in ordering. **Order & Payment deadline:** Wednesday, January 14th. **Delivery to Faith Community:** Monday, January 26th from 5pm-6pm in the FH. Contact Susan Fellie for more information!

HAM LOAF SALE! The 2015 Guatemala Mission Team will be selling Ham Loaves in January to help raise the funds necessary for their trip to Panajachel, Guatemala. Ham Loaves can be purchased January 5-19. Delivery will be January 18, 21, and 25. The cost is \$8 for 6 frozen ham loaves. Orders will be taken after church services as well as in the church office. Payment must accompany the order. For more information, contact Joyce Smith or Val Zimmerman.

NEW BIBLE STUDY: At the end of the book of Revelation, God says to John in a vision, "I am making everything new!" If you would like to be a part of a new Bible study class in the new year, then please join us on Wednesday nights at 6:30 pm in Room 6 starting on January 7 or on Thursday mornings at 10 am in the parlor starting on January 8. We will study the book of Revelation. Please come to the first class having read Chapters 1-5. We will study this often confusing book by discerning how John's vision of a new Jerusalem gives the church a missional focus today. All are welcome.

WOULD YOU LIKE US TO PRAY FOR YOU OR YOUR LOVED ONE? We have a prayer team that prays for concerns every day and would be blessed to add your request to that list. To place a prayer request you can go to our website (fcum.org) and click on the Prayer Request link which will take you to the request page. Fill out the form with your name and email address, complete the request section with the information you would like us to pray about and then click on submit. All requests are confidential and will be on our prayer list for seven days. If you feel your request was answered, please let us know by using the prayer request form. We want to thank God for answering your request. If you don't have access to the internet, phone requests can be made by calling Bruce Pickelheimer at 937/376-2361

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS PROGRAM – Kroger Plus Card users who have signed up for the Community Rewards program may register with the number Non-Profit Organization #80543 for Faith Community United Methodist to get credit for your shopping. Kroger requires you to sign up annually after April 14th every year. Thank you for your support!

Don't forget to bring your donation for the **FISH FOOD PANTRY**. The pantry relies on your generous giving. We need non-perishable food items and paper products. In the Narthex there is a container for you to leave your donations.



CALENDAR FOR UPCOMING WEEK

Monday, January 5th

6:30 pm – 8:30 pm

7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Cub Scout Meeting	Boy Scouts	15 C
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Tuesday, January 6th

10:30 am – 1:00 pm		Common Cup Meal Prep	Kit
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm		Girl Scout Troop #32782	15 A, B, C
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm		God & Family	Rm 11
6:30 pm – 7:30 pm		God & Me	Rm 12
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm		Trustees	Rm 6

Wednesday, January 7th

10:00 am		Deadline for 1-11-15 bulletin	
1:00 pm - 8:00 pm		Preparations for Common Cup	
4:50 pm – 5:35 pm		Youth/Agape Handbell Choir	Music Room
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm		Common Cup Dinner	FCC
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm		Youth Group	Youth Rooms
6:15 pm - 7:15 pm		Handbell Choir Rehearsal-Adult	Music Room
6:30 pm - 8:00 pm		Kid's Club	
6:30 pm – 8:00 pm		Raising Hope	Parlor
7:30 pm - 9:00 pm		Chancel Choir	Sanctuary, Nursery

Thursday, January 8th

10:00 am – 11:30 am		Thursday Bible Study	Parlor
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm		Grief Support	Parlor

Friday, January 9th

Saturday, January 10th

12-24-14 Offering \$576.00
12-28-14 Offering \$6,966.00
Weekly needed \$10,419.00

SERMON NOTES

January 4, 2015

"Where is Jesus"

Matthew 2:1-12

What do we know about the Magi?

How many of them does the Bible say there were?

Where did they come from?

What is East of Jerusalem?

Where is Jesus when they arrive?

What does all of this teach us about God and about God's heart?

What do they teach us about worship?

When was the last time you were overwhelmed by joy?

What were the gifts that they brought?

What do they show us about living?



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thank you for celebrating with us this morning.

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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.