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MESSAGE FROM PASTOR

Dearest Faith,

Happy almost-Summer! This Spring has certainly been a fruitful season at Faith United Methodist.

We launched our breakfast outreach ministry - Rachel and Lynn, with help from Smokey and Mark, have served biscuits to our friends at the Saturday morning tailgate market. This has been a great way to raise money for mission and ministry at Faith, but also a way to meet people and build relationships in our neighborhood. I encourage you to volunteer or drop by!

We also had another amazing meal at the Bethel House. Sharing food with our neighbors who are unhoused or experiencing poverty has been a blessing for Faith and the Bethel House as we do ministry with people in need. It's exciting to see where God leads us as we follow Jesus in our community.

And we welcomed Linda Rathman as our new pianist. If you've been able to join us in worship, then you've already enjoyed her music. Linda has some great experience playing piano in church and teaching piano, and we're grateful to have her at Faith!

I'm so excited about all the things God has been doing in our community in recent weeks, and I'm looking forward to discovering where the Spirit may lead us in the warm Summer days to come. "May the favor of the Lord our God rest on us; establish the work of our hands for us - yes, establish the work of our hands." (Psalm 90:17).

See you on Sunday as we worship together.

Grace and peace,

Jed

Message from Lay Leader Rachel

As we are approaching the middle of the year, let's continue to let our lights shine. First let us think of the ones that are not back in church with us. John 15:1-8 states "Jesus said, I am the vine, you are the branches." Let's take these branches and put them to work for Jesus. Our job is to be thinking and praying for the ones that are not in church with us at the present. Let us be the branches and work toward the vine. If we put God first, he will help us toward this goal. With a lot of prayer and a lot of work, we can do this.

I would like to see this church shine for the Lord in this community. We can do this together with God's leadership. We can be the light that shines for this community.

As I have been reading and studying the history of Faith Church, we have come through a lot of hardships. We have always come through because God was in charge. This church will soon be 84 years old, coming from Hazelwood Methodist to Faith Methodist Church. Let's keep this church going and growing to be strong again.

Our Saturday morning breakfasts are going well. It's helping with fellowship and finances. I just wanted to thank everyone that has helped and hopefully it will continue to do well.

May God bless each one and may His grace shine upon us all.

Rachel Burnette



BETH'S MISSION MESSAGE

Faith UMC is pleased to welcome Linda Rathman as our new organist. If you haven't met her yet, stop by the organ to introduce yourself and welcome her to our Faith family.

Some of you may be wondering why I promote supporting UMCORE so often. In 2004, the remnants of two different hurricanes came charging into Haywood county ten days apart. Our house was flooded both times, up to 48" of water inside. So many homes and other buildings were damaged and destroyed. Government agencies and the faith community came together to aid as many as wanted to rebuild their lives. Financial donations came in from near and far. People kept telling me I didn't have to tithe on those gifts, but I did and learned you can't out give God. We lived with my folks for five months while the house was stripped to the basic 2x4s, dried out, and rebuilt. Don and my dad did a lot of work, but the Baptist builders and the Methodist teams were critical to the effort, providing materials and volunteers. So, when I ask you to support relief efforts know that I am a grateful recipient, trying to pay back and pay it forward. Bless you for all you do, Beth



Stewardship News as of May 28, 2024

2024 Budget \$48,779.00

Needed to date for budget	\$20,487.18
Received to date for budget	\$13,408.25
Behind Budget	\$ 7,078.93
Paid out to date for budget	\$17,203.47

WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFULNESS!

JUNE 2024 DATES TO REMEMBER

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 10 AM
WORSHIP 11 AM**

June 8 – Pentecost: Pentecost, as its name implies, marks the 50th day after Easter. For the Christian church Pentecost is celebrated as the outpouring of God’s Holy Spirit on the community.

June 15 – Trinity Sunday: A Sunday that centers on the doctrine in the Christian church that God is three in one — the Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.

Father's Day will be celebrated on **June 16 in 2024**. Every year on the **third Sunday of June** Father's Day is celebrated across the country. It is a day to celebrate fathers and the crucial role they play in people's lives, from childhood through to adulthood.

June 29 – Saints Peter and Paul’s Day is a feast day that honors the martyrdom of the apostles’ Saint Peter and Saint Paul, their contributions to early Christianity, and their roles as pillars of the Church.



JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

- 8 - Steve & Lynn Scarbrough
- 23 - Thurman & Trudy Blaine



JUNE BIRTHDAYS

- 16 – Lynn Mintz
- 18 – Charles Taylor
- 30 – Lynn Scarbrough

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

On May 18, 2024, Easton Harrison Rogers weighed in at 8 pounds and 4 ounces. The proud parents are Noah and Hanna Rogers, grandparents Doug and Terri Rogers and great-grandfather Doyce Rogers.