

Mid-Week Manna

A Weekly Newsletter from the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

From Your Minister - Christian Smith

*Wednesday,
June 7, 2023*

***“They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and fellowship,
to the breaking of bread and the prayers.” – Acts 2:42***

Being a part of a church family gives us many opportunities. We often focus on the worship and Christian education aspects, but the love, support, and fellowship that we experience as a part of the church is vital for us.

Yesterday, members of our JOY Club traveled to Monterey to enjoy lunch and a gift exchange. It was great to watch the group enjoy their time together. We greatly appreciate the hospitality of our hosts, Tim and Liz Fournet.

If you have fellowship ideas or other opportunities you would like for us to examine, you are always encouraged to share with the church staff.



ONLINE BIBLE STUDY

Please join us for our Coffee and Conversation Bible Study Series. These studies take place on Facebook at 8:30am on Tuesdays and Thursdays. If you cannot join us live, you are welcome to watch them any time. For this study, Christian is leading us through the book of Acts. **NOTE THE CHANGE THAT, NEXT WEEK, COFFEE AND CONVERSATION WILL AIR ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 14TH, INSTEAD OF TUESDAY, JUNE 13TH.**

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Sunday Worship Information

Sunday, June 11th, will be the 2rd Sunday after Pentecost. The chancel color will be green. Our scripture for the day will be Matthew 9:9-13. We hope that you will plan to join us at 8:45 or 11:00am when we will worship God together.

Two of the Ladies Circles from the church are scheduled to meet this next week. The Love-Joy Circle will be meeting on Monday, the 12th, at 10:00am in the Session Room of the Church and the Sonshine Circle will be meeting on Tuesday, the 13th, at 10:00am in the Family Life Center. All ladies of the church are welcome to attend either of these Circles.



LADIES CIRCLES

Recovery Kitchen - THIS FRIDAY!

Recovery Kitchen is a program that provides hot meals for the homeless in our community. We ask that members of the church assist us in preparing a meal by donating any of the following items. Please contact **Tracy at 261-1029** if you are able to donate items to the project. Please have all food to the church by **Friday, June 9th, at NOON.**

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| 40 bottled waters | 40 bananas | 40 individually wrapped desserts |
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| 40 p/b crackers | 40 oranges | 12 cans black beans |
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Thank you in advance for your loyal and continued support for this important service to our homeless community.

Do You Have a Song Request?

There are cards available on the narthex table for you to note those songs you would like to have included in the church services here at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church. These songs do not have to be limited to those in our hymnal, but can be old-time gospel hymns or contemporary songs performed on the Christian music scene. Please let us know what your hymn/song preferences are and we will work to incorporate those into worship.



HANDBELL ALUMNI!



Are you a former "Handbell Ringer"? If so, we would love to have you return and ring with us. We are planning on a Kickoff/Welcome Back Luncheon on August 12th at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall for new and returning ringers. Afterwards, we will get organized and plan for the coming church year. Our first rehearsal will be August 17th at 5:30pm (beginners at 4:30). We hope you will be able to join us for all events. Please let Lynn England (lynnwengland@yahoo.com or 931-743-2245) or Sandra Robbins know that you would like to attend and if you would prefer to play certain bells.





ONE HEART ONE MIND

JULY 15
9:00AM-3:30PM
BETHEL UNIVERSITY

WHO: CHILDREN K-6TH GRADE
COST: \$40 BEFORE JUNE 12, \$50 AFTER
LODGING IS AVAILABLE FOR AN ADDITIONAL \$20

2023

PARTICIPANTS WILL LEARN ABOUT THE DAY OF PENTECOST AND THE COMMUNITY OF NEW BELIEVERS THROUGH WORSHIP, STUDY, AND PLAY.

FOR MORE INFORMATION: JODI RUSH
 JHR@CUMBERLAND.ORG
 CPCMC.ORG/CHILDRENFEST



THE COMMUNITY OF BELIEVERS WAS ONE IN HEART AND MIND. - ACTS 4: 32

Contact Caleb if you would like to enroll your child(ren) in this event or would like more information about activities associated with the event.



Each week our services are broadcast online for those who are unable to join us in person. Our services are streamed live at 8:45am every Sunday. Those services remain online and can be watched at any time. There are two ways to view our service online:

Facebook- <http://www.facebook.com/cookevillecpc/>
 YouTube- <https://www.youtube.com/c/CookevilleCPChurch>





In Our Prayers

The church expresses sympathy to the family of Eldridge Eads, father of Brian Eads. Eldridge passed away on Friday, June 2nd, at his home in Monterey. Visitation will take place on Saturday, June 10th, at the Horner Funeral Home in Monterey with a graveside service following at the Whittaker Cemetery, also in Monterey. Please remember Brian and the family in your thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.

Dear "Food Chain Members,"

Generous you were. Grateful we are. Things often come in threes and this family is humbly thankful for the many kindnesses demonstrated on our behalf during my knee replacement surgery, my mother's passing, and my granddaughter's recent second ankle injury!



What would families do without the helpful assistance of the CPC's members?!? Because my daughter, Cryste, and myself are so "cooking challenged"...we'd STARVE!!! So, it is with unprecedented relief and gladness, that the grands join with us in saying: "Thank you, all!" Your assistance was very much appreciated as we continue along this new path and new chapter in our lives. Bless you all!

Patti Atnip, Cryste, Shelby & Tucker Bennett

This Week In the Church

<u>Wednesday</u>	10:00am CPNS devotion 5:00pm Beginner Handbells	<u>Sunday</u>	5:30pm Sanctuary Choir rehearsal
<u>Thursday</u>	8:30am Coffee & Conversation (online)	<u>Monday</u>	10:00am Love-Joy Circle (Session Room)
<u>Sunday</u>	8:45am Worship Service 9:50am Sunday School 11:00am Worship Service	<u>Tuesday</u>	8:30am <i>Note - Coffee & Conversation moved to Wednesday</i> 10:00am Sonshine Circle (FLC) 1:00pm Community Assistance

STEWARDSHIP REPORT for Sunday, May 28, 2023

Commitments - \$3,230.00 Undesignated - \$2,636.31 Other - \$0.00
Total Deposit - \$5,866.31

STEWARDSHIP REPORT for Sunday, June 4, 2023

Commitments - \$11,085.00 Undesignated - \$4,864.00 Other - \$260.00
This week's offering includes a \$200.00 donation toward the Uganda Pad Project and \$60.00 from Weight Watcher for facility usage.
Total Deposit - \$16,209.00





Individuals: Ross King (surgery); Maggie Wharton (tests); Ramona Tilghman (CRMC); Joy Rachor (CRMC); Leslie Sanders - Kiana Gentry's brother-in-law - car accident); the family of Eldridge Eads; the family of Ron Hensley; James Maggart (surgery); Wanda McCaskey (Signature Healthcare); Ella Haynes (Bailey Manor); Dorothy Nichols; Jeff Comer (brain tumor); Georgia Hensley (Bethesda); Amelia Kate Moore (premature daughter of Liz & Ryan Moore); Rand & Allison McDonald; James Lacy (Signature Healthcare); Reagan Bacgi (tumor); Jim Baggett (surgery); Kathy Hilton (broken ankle); Jim Gray, Sr.; Kim Daniels (cancer); Cody Liddle (boating accident); Sherrie Smith; Don Holloway; Cindy Furcean.



Cancer Treatment: Ginger Tevault (Julie Stepp's mother - chemo); Susie Hyder (Evelyn's daughter - breast cancer; brain tumor surgery); Steven Middleton; Kendall Fogleman (3-yr-old with leukemia - Christy Huddleston's great-niece).

Assisted Living: Lynn Dunham (Signature Healthcare); Jo Gentry (Charter Senior Living); Ruth Sapp (Heritage Pointe); Dave & Jackie Van der Cook (Charter Senior Living); Bob Zolg (Heritage Pointe).

