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Family Camp
Registration Inside!



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Every Member a Ministry

Rev. Benjamin Broadbent, Senior Minister

This year marks the 500th Anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. One of the principles of the reformation movement has been the "Priesthood of All Believers," which means that there are not too classes of people, the clergy and the laity. All are called to serve, all are called to be ministers.

If that is true, then why does our congregation call professional ministers to serve the church? At the risk of being coy, I want to suggest that you call professional ministers to do all the things you don't want to do, including go to seminary for 3 years, make frequent hospital visits, preach weekly, pray at the drop of a hat, hold office hours, and attend various committee meetings.

That said, the church remains primarily a volunteer organization. The role of the church's staff team, including the ministers, is not to do ministry on behalf of the congregation, but to support members of the congregation as they seek to fulfill this church's mission: "To worship God and share the love of Jesus Christ, teaching the message of Jesus to all ages, and putting our faith into action."

Someone once said, "Baptism is the ordination of the laity," which means every one of us, by virtue of our baptism, is called to do ministry. In this sense, every member of the church is also a "ministry in the flesh." Dare to dream about what ministry God is calling you to join or to begin.

Community Church of Sebastopol

Family Camp

September 1-2-3, 2017



All Ages Welcome!

Join us at Family Camp –The “family” in Family Camp is our church family – singles, doubles, traditional families, non-traditional families and parts of families are all welcome! Come join our big family and all the fun at Family Camp!

CONTINUE THE FAMILY TRADITION OR START A NEW TRADITION – DON'T MISS OUT ON ALL THE FUN AT FAMILY CAMP!

Names (Family rate implies one household and includes college students dependent on parents' income)	Ages (18 & under)	Comments (i.e., will bring port-a-crib, need wheelchair access, cannot walk far, cabin mate requests, special dietary needs, will bring tent, need bottom bunk, cabin requests etc.)

Address: _____ Phone: _____
(Please fill in address, even if you are on mailing list.)

- We request a \$50 non-refundable deposit
- Volunteer for Apple Pies and earn 30% discount
- Camp fees include use of facilities, two nights lodging, six meals and all materials
- Saturday Only includes day use of facilities, 3 meals and all materials
- Additional scholarships available – call the church office at 823-2484
- Mail registration & check to Community Church P.O. Box 579, Sebastopol, CA 95473

Camp Fees	
Total cost for my family	\$ _____
Additional amount I can contribute	\$ _____
Amount enclosed	\$ _____
Balance due	\$ _____
Must be paid in full by August 22	

Family Camp Fee Schedule

<u>Actual Family Camp Cost</u>	<u>Apple Pies Camp Discount</u>	<u>Saturday Only</u> (includes 3 meals)
\$ 93 Children 6-11 years (0-5 free)	\$ 60 Children 6-11 years (0-5 free)	\$35 Children 6-11 years (0-5 free)
\$150 Individuals 12+	\$100 Individuals 12+	\$45 Individuals 12+
\$486 Family Rate (one household)	\$324 Family Rate (one household)	

Volunteering for our Apples Pies event earns you a 30% Camp Scholarship! Call the church office now or email: office@uccseb.org to sign up. The Apple Pies event is FUN – with something for all ages, plus, you earn a great camp discount! Volunteer for Apple Pies – August 10-11-12-13.

We offer additional scholarships to individuals for whom, after working Apple Pies, find that camp fees may still present a hardship. We want everyone who would like to go - be able to attend Family Camp! Contact Karin in the church office with any questions – 823-2484 ext. 100.

Beat the traffic and arrive at Camp Cazadero for Family Camp as early as 4 pm on Friday!!

JULY 2017 WORSHIP

Sunday Worship is at 10:30 a.m. in the sanctuary

Summer 2017 Theme: "Be the Church." Sub themes are listed for each Sunday.

July 2 – 4th Sunday after Pentecost: "Fight for the Powerless"

Today all ages gather for multi-generational worship with Holy Communion. Our Minister of Music, Rev. Brian Plaughter, preaches on Matthew 10:40-42 a sermon entitled "Holy Welcome."

July 9 – 5th Sunday after Pentecost: "Enjoy this Life"

Our Senior Minister, Rev. Dr. Benjamin J. Broadbent, preaches on Matthew 11:16-24 a sermon entitled "What Happiness Shall We Pursue?" Denelle Tognozzi provides special music.

July 16 – 6th Sunday after Pentecost: "Forgive Often"

Our Associate Minister, Rev. Rachel Knuth, preaches a sermon on Matthew 13:1-9 entitled "Sowing Seeds of Forgiveness." Kevin Bench & Friends provide special music.

July 23 – 7th Sunday after Pentecost: "Embrace Diversity"

Rev. Broadbent preaches a sermon on Matthew 13:24-30 entitled "In the Same Field Together." Judy Hawkins provides special music.

July 30 – 8th Sunday after Pentecost: "Protect the Environment"

Rev. Broadbent preaches a sermon on Matthew 13:31-33 entitled "Parables of Creation." Marian McDonald provides special music.

AUGUST 2017 WORSHIP

Sunday Worship is at 10:30 a.m. in the sanctuary

Summer 2017 Theme: "Be the Church." Sub themes are listed for each Sunday.

August 6 – 9th Sunday after Pentecost: "Care for the Poor"

Today all ages gather for multi-generational worship with Holy Communion. Rev. Broadbent preaches a sermon on Matthew 14:13-21 entitled "Bread-Sharing." Hosanna Bauer provides special music.

August 13 – 10th Sunday after Pentecost: "Love God"

Rev. Broadbent preaches a sermon on Matthew 14:22-33 entitled "Keep Your Eyes Upon Jesus." J. Althea and the Lifters provide special music.

August 20 – 11th Sunday after Pentecost / Youth Mission Sunday

The Middle and High School Youth share their Summer Mission Trip experiences. Nadine Saunders provides special music.

August 27 – 12th Sunday after Pentecost: "Reject Racism"

Rev. Broadbent preaches a sermon on Matthew 15:21-28 entitled "Naming White Privilege." The UkeStars provide special music.

Coming in September... Multi-Generational Worship, Holy Communion, Family Camp, Launch Sunday, Adult Mission Trip Report



What is Confirmation?

Rev. Benjamin Broadbent

Confirmation is a Christian rite of passage. It is a focused spiritual time for a young person to deepen in faith and to receive a blessing from one's spiritual community, the Church. It's a time to nurture one's relationship with God, to explore Christian practices, to learn basic beliefs, and to discover how these things can become a life-long adventure.

This year, Community Church is offering a Confirmation Class for people in Grades 9 and 10 (and any other high schoolers who didn't get a chance to do it the last time around). You don't need to have been involved previously at Community Church to participate.



We will begin with an off-site retreat in September and finish with an off-site retreat in April. In between the retreats, we will meet every other Sunday, Noon – 2:00 in the Youth Room. Those choosing to confirm their baptism and to join the church as active members may do so on Pentecost Sunday, May 20, 2018.

Our approach will be to explore Christian beliefs and practices in a setting where it is safe to ask questions and arrive at new understandings of concepts such as Baptism and Communion; God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit; Christianity and science; Christianity and other faiths.

We will be pairing each confirmand with a mentor, an adult member of the church who is connect periodically with a young person throughout the year, affirming their questions, sharing experiences, and supporting their decision about whether to be confirmed.

I will be leading the Confirmation Class along with our Director of Youth Ministries, Ross Galletto. Pastor Rachel will be coordinating

What is Confirmation? (continued)

the mentoring aspect of the program. In order to offer the class, we need the following commitments:

- At least 6 young people who can attend all (or almost all) the gatherings
- Parents to rotate providing lunches and meal support at retreats
- Adults (other than parents) to be trained as mentors

Will you participate? Will you support your teen to participate? Will you mentor a young person for the year? Please let me know by August 1, 2017 at pastorbenjamin@uccseb.org. Peace!



The Community Church of Sebastopol is an Open & Affirming congregation in the United Church of Christ. This year, we became a 5 for 5 congregation. Being 5 for 5 means that our church is a leader, providing support to:

- Our Church's Wider Mission (Basic Support of the UCC)

And the 4 [Special Mission Offerings](#):

- One Great Hour of Sharing
- Strengthen The Church
- Neighbors In Need
- The Christmas Fund

The success and sustainability of our United Church of Christ national and global ministries rely on our church's contribution to basic operating support and mission.

Thank you, God, for the United Church of Christ, and for our congregation's part in it.

MUSIC



MINISTRY

In September at church, we resume many of the regular activities that have had a summer hiatus. Music is no exception. After several summer months of varied and wonderful soloists and ensembles, we will return to rehearsals for our regular groups. Even if you have not enjoyed being part of one of these groups in the past, you are invited to consider joining one of them now.

The **Chancel Choir** rehearses Thursday evenings at 7:15, beginning August 24. An adult voice and a desire to sing are all that is needed to join. Stop by rehearsal on Thursday evenings or call the Minister of Music Brian Plaugher at 869-9120 or send an email to: brian.plaugher@gmail.com.



The **Bell Choir** rehearses Wednesday evenings at 4:45 PM in the sanctuary and usually performs in worship once a month. Can you count? Then you can learn to play bells! New ringers are always welcome. Karna can be reached at (707) 328-4905 or karnamarie@yahoo.com.

Our youngest group, the **Children's Choir**, is for kids pre-school through 5th grade. They rehearse most Sunday mornings at 9:30 in the Choir Room. Jenna Gonzales is the Children's Choir Director and she can be reached at sirisadhana@yahoo.com or (707) 823-4533

Vicki Reno is leading a ukulele group, the **UkeStars**, who meet in Fellowship Hall on Fridays from 10-11:30 AM. For more information contact Vicki at 827-3668 or VReno@comcast.net.

I am always interested in trying new expressions of music and changes to our musical mix are always possible. Please give me a call if you have any questions 869-9120 or send an email brian.plaugher@gmail.com.



to:

Brian Plaugher, Minister of Music

Apple Pie Time!

August 10-11-12-13



Our biggest fund raiser of the year, the Apple Pies Event, is right around the corner – August 10-13! Each year, and for more than 40 years, The Community Church of Sebastopol has made up to 2000 pies for the Sebastopol Gravenstein Apple Fair. Money raised is used to fund camp scholarships, providing our youth with a great summer experience and help to offset costs for our Family Camp at Camp Caz.

Everyone can lend a hand, no matter what your age or abilities, from the youngest to the oldest. Join us for this wonderful multigenerational event as we prepare and bake hundreds of apple pies.

Sign me up for the Apple Pies Event! By signing up and marking my date/time slot below, I will mark that on my calendar – and barring any emergency, I will be there for my designated shift!

I realize I may not get a phone call reminder.

Name: _____ Phone _____

___ **Thursday** Eve., slicing apples 5-9 PM ___ **Thursday** Eve., Set-up 5-9 PM

Friday, slicing & making pies: 8AM-1 PM ___ or Noon-5PM ___
(BBQ Hot Dog lunch served Friday & Saturday at noon)

Saturday, slicing & making pies: 8AM-1 PM ___ or Noon-5PM ___
(BBQ Hot Dog lunch served Friday & Saturday at noon)

Sunday, slicing, bagging & making pies: 8AM- Noon ___

Sunday Cleanup ___ 10 AM-2PM



Baking volunteers (these volunteers will be called & scheduled by the head baker to cover shifts)

___ Friday baking ___ Saturday baking

Selling volunteers (these volunteers will be called & scheduled by the head of sales to cover shifts)

___ Saturday selling ___ Sunday selling

Please fill out this form and drop it in the collection plate or bring to the church office. You may also sign up by calling the church office at 823-2484 or send an email to: office@uccseb.org.

JOYS & CONCERNS

CONDOLENCES to... the McHugh family grieving the passing of **Ken McHugh** and to the Elder family, grieving the passing of **Sharon Elder**.

PRAYERS for **Donna Tappan** as she faces more chemo treatments and to **Priscilla Best** who has been moved to Apple Valley. Prayers for **Elaine Bornmann**, in hospice care at home.

THANK YOU to... our musical leaders who shared their talents with us this past year – **Brian Plaughter, Jenna Gonzales, Karna Roa** and to pianist **J. Althea**, organist **Judy Kinsey**, all of our bell ringers, chancel choir participants and children's voices. Thanks also to our special soloists throughout the year and our instrumental groups. **THANK YOU to.... Marian McDonald, Patty Raney, and Ross Galleto** who, along with our **Pastor Rachel & Pastor Benjamin**, represented our church as delegates to the Annual Gathering of the Northern California Nevada Conference in June. **THANK YOU to....** Our MADD Camp volunteers **Dorothy McKoin, Denelle Tognozzi, Brooke Bell, Irma Bachelor, Bobbie Johanson, Eva Norton, Mary McMillan, Kathy Bell** and **Paula Berndt**. And to our youth volunteers : **Marin Broadbent-Bell, Margaux Jame, Zac Furber-Dobson, Jonah Knuth, Jonah Gonzales, Charlotte Mitchell, Aaron Knuth** and **Emily Voight**. Special thank you to MADD Camp leaders **Rachel Knuth, J. Althea** and **Ross Galleto**. **THANK YOU to...** the following people who volunteered in our Nursery within the last year: **Laura Emerson, Jenna Gonzales, Margaux Jame, Charlotte Mitchell, Libby Plaughter, Fran Rasmus, Jane Rasmus & Diana Wilson**. Thank you to **Chris Jenkins, Joyce Cox, Nancy Shimetz, Bobbie Johanson**, and **Joanne Matson** for your help in the office during Karin's absence. Thank you to **Doris Rowe** for faithfully preparing the pews each week and to **Joanne Matson** and **Janet Minton** for their help in the office. Thank you to **Yvette Morris** for her help collating the newsletter.

SUNDAY MORNING CLASS

SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY meets Sundays 9:00 - 10:15 a.m. in the Fireside Room. We are focusing on the Gospel of Matthew. Bring your Bible, your inquisitive mind, and your coffee/tea mug. We meet every Sunday!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES available at The Community Church:

- Arrange flowers for the Chancel on a Sunday morning (Contact: **Gail Thomas**, Flower Team, 707.758.0295)
- Present music in Sunday morning worship (Contact **Rev. Brian Plaughter**, Minister of Music, 707.486.1416)
- Tend flower beds on the church property (Contact **Barbara Whitson**, Gardening Team, 707.322.1012.



GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Join Grief Counselors Harry & Susanna Simms in the Fireside Room on Thursday evenings at 7PM as they facilitate a support group dealing with the pain of grief. Losing a loved one, whether it be a recent loss, or from years past, can be difficult to process. Please call Harry or Susanna at 829-7769 if you have any questions. The group meets each Thursday at 7PM in the Fireside Room.

Name Tags?

If your name tag has come up missing, or you don't have a name tag, we'd like to get one for you! And if you already have your name tag, please make a habit of clipping it on to help all of us remember your name!

To get a new or replacement name tag, print C L E A R L Y the first and last name you would like to see on your church name tag. Leave this request in the church office or collection plate:

First Name _____

Last Name _____





MISSION & OUTREACH

Mission & Outreach meets on the 2nd Monday of the month. Their next meeting will be on Monday, August 14 at 7 PM in the Fireside Room. Become part of something big – become a member of Mission & Outreach!

This year has been a new experience for the members of the Mission & Outreach Board as a result of the collective generosity of all who made financial pledges last fall. As a result, the 2017 church budget includes almost \$4,000 for supporting other organizations meeting basic human needs. This compares with \$500 in 2016. As a result of this significant increase, board members have spent the last 5 months discussing multiple options, since there are a multitude of worthy non-profits, as well as questions like, "do we spread our giving widely in smaller amounts or concentrate it on fewer? Should we include an agency that works outside our country?"

During our June meeting we decided to allocate 80% of the undesignated portion of our budget to the following, holding the remainder until near year-end, allowing us to respond to a special need that may come to our attention. These agencies were chosen because they provide important services to our growing senior population, the homeless, women and children, people facing memory loss, or advice and support to immigrants. We decided also to support one international organization that helps girls stay in school.

The organizations & grant amount approved are:

Anthill Foundation – \$750 Among its community development projects in East Africa: building latrines, providing water for rural schools.

The Living Room – \$750 Provides the only homeless day shelter in Sonoma County where the women and preschool age children can stay in a safe place during the day.

Sebastopol Senior Center – \$750 Provides a variety of services to older residents including recreational and education *opportunities*, as well as *opportunities to spend time or share a meal with others*, plus *free transportation by volunteers*

Mission & Outreach continued

Santa Rosa Catholic Charities – \$900 The amount will be split equally between the multi-county agency's services to both legal and other immigrants, support for the homeless, and the Shaw Memory Care Center that provides mental stimulation for those facing memory loss and a half day's respite to their caregivers.

A more detailed description of these organizations will be provided in a future newsletter.

The Board is also grateful for your generous response to the two Special Offerings this spring. \$2,366 was received for the **One Great Hour of Sharing** offering which provides funds for rapid response to both natural and manmade emergency situations, and \$601 for the **Strengthening the Church** offering. This was the first year our church has participated in the latter, which provides support for new churches in getting established and older churches in need of revitalization.

We are now a "5 for 5" congregation, participating in Basic Support of the UCC and all 4 special offerings: Strengthen the Church, Neighbors in Need, One Great Hour of Sharing, and The Christmas Fund.

Saturday Table Continues

On the second Saturday of each month, Mission & Outreach serves lunch in Fellowship Hall to our local homeless population. In addition to offering a hot meal, we also offer showers, clothing items and bus passes. If you would like to contribute to this effort, there are several ways to help:

- ❖ *Cash and check can be made out to the Community Church and designated for the homeless lunch*
- ❖ *Soaps, shampoos and conditioner in sample or motel sizes*
- ❖ *Thick tube socks, sweat shirts, jackets, etc.*
- ❖ *Men's walking/athletic shoes or boots*
- ❖ *Tarps, rain ponchos, back packs*
- ❖ *Disposable razors and shaving cream*
- ❖ *Packaged toothbrushes & toothpaste*
- ❖ *Hand sanitizer, Chapstick, insect repellent and sun screen*

Clothing items do not have to be new, but they must be usable and clean. Look for the collection bin in the church entry to drop off your donations. For more information or to volunteer, contact Joanne Matson at 823-5249 or the church office at 823-2484.



Northern California Nevada Conference
United Church of Christ
Summer Camps 2017

At Camp Cazadero

You & Me Camp (entering grades 1-3) **July 7-9**

You & Me Camp is a great experience for first-time campers! Go to camp with a parent, grandparent, favorite aunt/uncle or other adult! Each adult may bring up to 3 children, entering grades 1-3. Each child may bring up to 2 adults. Check out registration and special pricing at www.ncncucc.org. Plus we offer a great Apple Pie Scholarship for our You & Me Campers!

Junior Camp (entering grades 4-6) **July 16-22**

Jr. High Camp (entering grades 7-9) **July 23- 29**

Sr. High Camp (entering grades 10-12) **July 9-15**

Counselor in Training (grade 12+) **July 16-22**

At Camp Tamarack

Junior/Jr. High Camp (entering grades 5-8) **July 16-22**

Sr. High Camp (entering grades 9-12) **July 23-29**

Check www.ncncucc.org for more information and to download registration and health forms.

Apple Pie Scholarships are available for all our campers – call the church office to sign up to help at our Apple Pies event (Aug 10-13) and earn \$\$ for camp!

**Community Church of Sebastopol's Family Camp:
September 1-2-3, 2017**

Mark your calendar now so you don't miss out on all the fun!

HIGH SCHOOL MISSION TRIP

The High School Mission Trip participants will be meeting at the church on July 23 at 6:30 AM, packed and ready to go! If you have not received your packing list and release form for DOOR Network please contact Ross. Final payments are due by July 15. Please Make checks payable to The Community Church, and if you plan on mailing the check, address the envelope directly to Ross at the Community Church, P.O. Box 579, Sebastopol, CA 95473. And remember this important date: July 16 – that is when we all meet to be commissioned during worship.

YOUTH GROUPS

Even though we are on a break for our summer programming, Ross is still available for service needed by youth. Feel free to reach out to him. The high school youth will be having a commissioning ceremony during worship on Sunday July 16th before we leave for the mission trip. Youth Group will begin again on Launch Sunday, September 10th.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

“Theology on Tap” a Young Adult Group will be starting in September, meeting once a month. We will hold a number of discussion groups, hangouts, and community service projects throughout the year with a typical meeting taking place at HopMonk in Sebastopol. Please let Ross know if you would be interested in participating in this group. This group is open to high school graduates and older. Must be 21+ to consume alcohol during events.

VACATION TIME

Office Manager Karin Seder will be on vacation starting July 4, returning to the office on July 17. Volunteers Nancy, Joanne, Bobbie and Joyce will help cover the office, but office hours will be sporadic and your patience is appreciated!

In August, Karin will be visiting family in Spokane, Washington and experiencing the total eclipse of the sun. She will be gone the week of August 20. Volunteers Bobbie and Joanne will cover the office. Office hours will be sporadic and your patience is appreciated!





Launch Sunday

LAUNCH SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 10

Sunday, September 10th, we will celebrate our Launch Sunday – the day we “launch” our new church program year! Mark the date on your calendar and plan to join us on September 10 – who knows what kinds of surprises are planned!

**FAMILY CAMP – CHECK THIS OUT!
SEPTEMBER 1-3, 2017**



Join us at Family Camp – the ‘Family’ is our church family – singles, doubles, traditional families, non-traditional families and parts of families are all welcome! It is a weekend of fellowship, hiking, swimming, crafts, singing, campfires, talent shows, worship and much more – or less if you just want to hang out in this beautiful place called CAZI!

If sleeping in a bunk in a cabin is beyond your scope, plan to join us just for the day on Saturday. You can enjoy breakfast-lunch-dinner and everything that happens in between!

Camp Cazadero is a beautiful 1 hour drive along the Russian River and up the hill past the town of Cazadero. Registration form is included in this newsletter. And if you would like to find out more about our history with Camp Caz, check out the story written by Sara Gerboth:

www.uccseb.org/docs/HistoryofCampCazadero.pdf

NORTH BAY ORGANIZING PROJECT
Invites you to our Fundraiser Dance Party Celebration!

Noche Sabrosa!



SATURDAY, AUGUST 19 ♦ 5-10 PM

Community Church of Sebastopol ♦ Memorial Hall

DELICIOUS FOOD ♦ MUSIC ♦ DANCING

Information: 707.494.8451 or visit: NorthBayOP.org

UKULELE GROUP MEETS ON FRIDAYS

The UkeStars will continue during the summer to meet on Fridays in the Fellowship Hall for their jam sessions and weekly practice from 10-11:30 AM. For information please call Vicki Reno at 827-3668 or email at vreno@comcast.net.



GRADUATE

Allison Inlow, the niece of Martha Rowlands, graduated from the University of California School of Veterinary Medicine at Davis with a Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine. Congratulations!



RENTAL NEEDED

Marian McDonald is offering a \$500 finders fee for a share rental in Sebastopol for a sweet older gentleman. Must be within 1 mile of Main Street in Sebastopol, between Safeway and the Grateful Bagel with kitchen privileges. He is short on family, walks 2 miles a day and can manage on his own. Please contact Marian 707.338.5156.

Music Schedule

Below is our summer music schedule for July and August – with a couple of dates still

available for you to fill:



July 2	available
July 9	Denelle Tognozzi
July 16	Kevin Bench
July 23	Judy Hawkins
July 30	Marian McDonald
August 6	Hosanna Bauer
August 13	Althea & the Lifters
August 20	Nadine Sanders
August 27	UkeStars
September 3	available

Please see the sign-up sheet in the church office or contact our Minister of Music, Brian Plaughter: music@uccseb.org.

MOVING

Corrine Kauwe will be moving in July to Michigan to live near family. Corrine has been a part of the Community Church for more than 45 years – and she will be missed. Her new address:

Corrine Kauwe
7549 Kirkwood Trail SE
Alto, MI 49302-8973



Also making a big move is the Margulis family. Josh, Sara, Audrey and Benjamin are moving to Florida – a temporary move for about 2 years to move forward with their business.

Best wishes to all of you in this new adventure – we hope to see you at the Community Church again someday.

LET'S GET CREATIVE

This summer – your chance to show off your creativity! During the summer months our Sunday bulletin covers could feature your artwork. All ages and abilities are welcome! We need to be able to copy your project on our copier in the office and shrink it to fit our our bulletin cover (8 ½ x 7). Call the office with any questions at 823-2484 or office@uccseb.org.



Women's Fellowship

Women's Fellowship will resume meeting on September 14 – watch for information in the next newsletter.

Save the Date! Women's Fellowship will have a Farmer's Market on Sunday, September 17 in the courtyard after church. Look for these items for sale: canned and baked goods, plants, our famous tea towels and other crafts, and local produce.

I would like to thank all the wonderful women who helped make our Tea and Spring Bazaar such a success: Evelyn



Bishop, Connie Blackstone, Mary Coleman, Joyce Cox, Emily Davis, Pat Dilley, Pat Furber, Gloria Given, Marge Holland, Corrine Kauwe, Bobbie Johanson, Kathy Matthies, Marilyn McHugh, Margarette Murakami, Sharon Olson, Dale Phillips, Linda Roa, Karin Seder, Helen Sokolis, Diane Stallings, Norma Taddeucci, Norma Watson, Barbara Wilson and Diana Wilson. Together we raised enough money to begin refurnishing our much used and loved Fireside Room. We are working with Pastor Ben in order to insure the new furniture will best meet the needs of our congregation.
Chris Jenkins

WOMEN'S KNITTING CIRCLE

Women's Bible Study is off for summer break, and during the summer months the group will morph into a Women's Knitting Circle. Maybe you would like to join the group, starting June 14 at 10 am and meeting Wednesdays in the Fireside Room. Bring your knitting project – all levels welcome – and enjoy guidance from some of our long-time knitters as well as comradery and support from a great group of people. Questions? Call Joanne Matson at 823-5249.



Women's Bible Study will resume in the fall.

July Birthdays

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|----|-----------------------|----|------------------|
| 1 | Austen Look | 19 | Evelyn Bishop |
| | Julia DeSantis | | Dorothy McKoin |
| 4 | Malone Harper | | Diane Krautner |
| 6 | Maria Gordon | 20 | Jane Hynes |
| 9 | Andrew Smith | | Dick Norton |
| | Norma Watson | 22 | Tamar Knuth |
| 10 | Isaac Trevino | | Becky McClendon |
| | Benjamin Emerson | 23 | Nicolas Jame |
| 11 | Eva Norton | 24 | Barbara Nichols |
| | Bob Best | 25 | Hal Roa |
| 12 | Connie Ross-Steinberg | | Marna McKenzie |
| 13 | John Sweeney | 27 | Andy DelMonte |
| 14 | Lowell Yeager | 28 | Barbara Fanslow |
| | Sid Buchanan | 29 | Michella Trevino |
| | Chris Jenkins | 30 | Rob McKoin |
| | Dawson Bell | | Rita Purcell |
| 15 | Hosanna Bauer | 31 | Michelle Smith |
| 16 | Norma Taddeucci | | Karla Brown |
| 17 | Daphne Cripps | | Adair Look |
| | Judy Stupfel | | |
| | Luanne Buchanan | | |
| 19 | Charles Williams | | |

July



August



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|----|----------------------|----|----------------|
| 1 | Marin Broadbent-Bell | 16 | Sharon Sims |
| 2 | Dan Porter | 17 | Andy Berndt |
| | Emily Nestor | | Suzanne Gordon |
| | Sam Nestor | 20 | Jerry Warren |
| | Noelle Steinberg | 22 | Doris Rowe |
| 3 | Harry Polley | 23 | Jack Curtis |
| | Bobbie Johanson | 24 | Elia DelMonte |
| | Chloe Madden | 25 | Joanne Feige |
| 4 | Peggy Porter | 26 | Laura Victor |
| 6 | Meg Brittan | 27 | Stuart Wilson |
| 8 | Rod Look | | Pam Oakes |
| 9 | Vicki Mayster | 28 | Lisa Atwater |
| | Chris Dawson | 29 | Kevin Caldwell |
| 10 | Corrine Kauwe | | Yolan Christy |
| 12 | Lucas Trevino | 30 | Carolyn Adkins |
| 13 | Jean Peterson | | Judy Bowman |
| | Susan Wahl | | Mac MacDonald |
| 14 | Susan Piernan | | Aaron Knuth |
| 15 | Rachel Knuth | 31 | Scott Carlson |
| | Jocelyn Nelson | | |
| | Sohni Yaylian | | |

Happy Birthday!

JULY 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 Adult Mission Trip to Weed 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:30 AM MADD Camp Worship Presentation 10:30 AM Worship & Summer Interest Centers	26 Adult Mission Trip to Weed	27 Adult Mission Trip to Weed	28 Adult Mission Trip to Weed 10:00 AM Staff Meeting	29 Adult Mission Trip to Weed 7:00 PM Grief Group	30 Adult Mission Trip to Weed 10:00 AM UkeStars	1 Adult Mission Trip Returns
2 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship & Communion Sunday	3	4 Church Office Closed	5 10:00 AM Knitting Circle 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 7:00 PM Church Council Meeting	6 7:00 PM Grief Group	7 10:00 AM UkeStars	8 11:30 AM 2nd Saturday Lunch
9 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship & Summer Interest Centers	10 7:00 PM Mission & Outreach	11	12 10:00 AM Knitting Circle 10:00 AM Staff Meeting	13 7:00 PM Grief Group	14 10:00 AM UkeStars	15
16 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship & Summer Interest Centers	17	18	19 10:00 AM Knitting Circle 10:00 AM Staff Meeting 7:00 PM Board of Trustees Meeting	20 7:00 PM Grief Group	21 10:00 AM UkeStars	22
23 High School Mission Trip leaves for LA 9:00 AM Adult Sunday School 10:30 AM Worship & Summer Interest Centers	24 High School Mission Trip in Los Angeles	25 High School Mission Trip in Los Angeles	26 High School Mission Trip in Los Angeles 10:00 AM Knitting Circle 10:00 AM Staff Meeting	27 High School Mission Trip in Los Angeles 7:00 PM Grief Group	28 High School Mission Trip returns to Sebastopol OWL Training 10:00 AM UkeStars	29 OWL Training
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