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This Week Around the Mountain

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Upcoming Events

June 17

Worship including Boy Scout Recognition

June 19

6:30 pm: Pub & Pray at British Bulldog

June 20

6:30 pm: VBS Leadership Meeting

June 24

Worship including Sending to ELCA Youth Gathering

11:30am Usher Lunch

Important Announcement

Scout Recognition of two of our scouts will take place this Sunday June 17 during the welcome and announcement time. We will also remember all scouting ministries in our prayers. Those who are current or past scouts or cubs and leaders, are invited to wear their scout uniform and/or badges this Sunday to worship.

Welcome to Amanda! We are happy to have Mt. Hermon member and Cayce Elementary teacher, Amanda Boyd, join us as our interim Parish Administrator. She has been working a few days this week and beginning June 25 will be in the office Monday-Friday, 9am-1pm until we hire a permanent person or until she has to go back to school in mid-August. Many thanks to Angie Hydrick and all the other volunteers who have helped staff the office in the past month. You have helped us greatly in this transition. Bless you!



Words from Amanda

I am so happy to be able to help this summer in any way I can! I love helping a place that has helped me grow not only as a Christian but as a person. Please let me know if there is every anything I can do to help you!

Father's Day Dedications will be made this Sunday to support Lutheran Men in Mission. If you would still like to make a donation in honor or memory of a man in your life, please let the office know before the bulletin is completed Thursday late afternoon.

The Vacation Bible School Information and Registration Forms are attached to this email. Paper copies will be available at the church beginning this Sunday. If you know of friends, family members, or neighbors that you think would appreciate receiving this VBS packet in the mail or via email, please let Amanda know in the church office.

More Important News

An Usher Lunch and Conversation will be held by the Worship Board on June 24th at 11:30am in the Fellowship Hall. All current ushers and any who would like to begin serving the congregation in this way are invited to attend. We'll talk about needs, expectations, what's working well and what needs to be changed to support this vital hospitality ministry of our congregation. For this event, we anticipate doing more comparing of notes than actual "training." This is also a chance for us to thank all of you who have been serving the church in this way. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend!

If you plan to attend, please email or call the church office and let us know. You may also put a note in Pastor Anderson's mailbox.

This will help the meal planners gauge the numbers. Thanks for helping us with this!

Pub and Pray (what's that you say?)

The next night of dinner and Bible/Church Trivia will be June 19th, 6:30pm, at The British Bulldog Pub on Bower Parkway in the Harbison area of Columbia. Join your Mt. Hermon members and friends for a Dutch Treat dinner and brew and then enjoy competing in a friendly game of trivia led by Pastor Anderson. No need to RSVP, just come and join us!

Want a Great Devotional?

Be sure to check out a great Devotional blog written by Pastor Anderson!

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This Past Week

Handbell Camp

We had a great time at Handbell Camp this past week!

