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WORSHIP IN THE PARK

Please plan to attend our area Outdoor Worship Service on Sunday, July 16th at 10:30 a.m. in Sertoma Park, Shelter #11. We look forward to gathering for worship with members from area churches including Mandan and Wilton. A sign-up sheet for volunteering with setting up and clean-up as well as bringing food to share is posted in the Narthex.

This is a great tradition for enjoying summer in North Dakota and a chance for increased fellowship with our Presbyterian neighbors. See you there!

Membership Committee







BANQUET LUNCH AT TRINITY LUTHERAN

First Presbyterian Church is serving the Banquet Lunch at Trinity Lutheran Church on Saturday, July 29th. This meal is a gift for those in our community seeking food and fellowship. Please consider volunteering for this important community event by helping to serve and clean-up, bringing a dessert, or donating money to help with the purchase of food. We anticipate providing 200-250 meals. The sign-up sheet is posted on the Volunteer Board in the Narthex.

Thank You!

Outreach Committee





<u>JELLY DRIVE A SUCCESS!</u>

Each week over **900 children**, whom school counselors believed would go hungry during the week end, received backpacks with food items.

This May, we, as a church family knew we could help and we surely did! **220** jars of jelly were donated along with \$299 of cash, which will be used to buy items like bread for the backpacks.

This service by Community Action is totally funded by donations. There is not any other source of funding for the backpack program and all the food and cash donated goes toward serving children in need. No donated funds are used for administrative costs. It is a true local community funded service.



We are so grateful to our church families for making this jelly drive an accomplishment for which we can be proud! Thanks a bunch!

The Outreach Committee





PASTOR'S MESSAGE

"Pray without ceasing..." (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

"Jesus said to her, 'Go in peace, and be healed'..." (Mark 5:34)

Let us pray...for our nation's health care to be healed.

I'm not trying to "get political" on you. This "affliction" of America not having a reasonable, agreeable, affordable and equitable healthcare system—is in serious need of its own "health" and wholeness.



The system, and all the current efforts underway to change or improve it need our sincere and diligent prayers.

The issue of health care for the citizens of the United States clearly is in the news. It has been ever since the Affordable Health Care Act was signed into law in March, 2010. The very day after its passage was when the first legislation was introduced to repeal it. It has been a contentious issue among us Americans ever since.

Our nation's health care needs our persistent praying.

Actually, the huge obstacle of attaining a national health care plan has existed for every President at least as far back as the presidency of Franklin Roosevelt. Medicare and Medicaid were enacted during Lyndon Johnson's presidency. Otherwise all major national health care reform has eluded accomplishment throughout most all of our lifetimes.

Is there anyone who does not want quality health care to be available, affordable, and accessible for themselves, their families and for all people?

Let us pray for a miraculous healing of our nation's health care.

Is health care meant to be a "commodity" or a "product" within the reach of some American, but not others? Is quality health care meant to be a privilege for an elite few who can afford it? Or should it be a Right for all Americans? Martin Luther Kind, Jr. wrote: "Of all the forms of inequality, injustice in health care is the most shocking and inhumane."

Our God is not in favor of anything that is unequal, unjust or inhumane.

Let us pray...for God's wisdom and power, and even intervention in healing healthcare in our land.

In fact, in our own Declaration of Independence Thomas Jefferson proclaimed that a "self-evident truth" is that "all humans are created equal," and are "endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." Are there any of us personally for whom health care is not integral to *life* or to our *pursuit of happiness?* I myself cannot confirm the constitutionality of that—but its morality and its spiritualty is without a doubt.

Let us all pray for the good, and the right, and the moral outcome for healthcare policy in our land—for us and for all people.

Our nation's health care needs to be healed. This far transcends anything political or partisan, anything commercial or economic. This should be only about doing the right thing for the health care of people—for all people! It is in place and works in other industrialized countries! Who among us could possibly want anything else? How could we possibly pray otherwise?

Let us pray without ceasing. Healing and wholeness is the will of our Lord for us all—and for all people.



Spread the Word & get your Family Registered for Vacation Bible School!

Sunday-Wednesday, July 30-August 2

FREE for Ages 4 and Up!

Registration Available in the Office and on our Website:



www.fpcbismarck.com/vbs.html

Volunteer Positions Needed:

All Ages Needed-No Prep Needed, Just Show Up!!

- <u>"Sit and Smile":</u> Camp out at a workshop to help one-on-one with children during the evening, assisting the leaders as possible.
- <u>"Crew Leader":</u> Lead a group of youth through the different workshops, helping motivate the kids to participate, and carry out good behaviors.
- <u>"Kitchen Crew":</u> Help prepare, serve, and clean up our nightly dinners. Served at 5:30 pm, we'll need help from 5-6:30 pm

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NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The Nominating Committee met for the first time on June 2nd, 2017, and orientation was presented by Pastor David Reiter. He reviewed policies and procedures the committee will be using as a guideline to fill the Elder, Deacon, Childcare Center Board of Directors, and Nominating Committee positions that are needed for the next session.



A second meeting was held on June 6th and all members were present. During this meeting we discussed and reviewed plans on what we must accomplish before the next meeting, which is scheduled for August 1st, 2017. Listed below are areas we felt were important to complete prior to the final steps for approval:

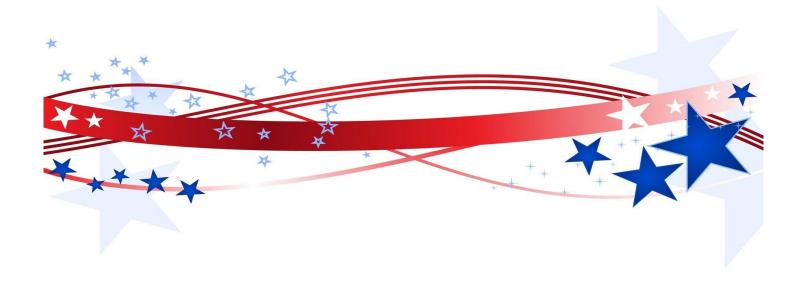
- 1. Minute for Mission: The committee felt it was important for this to be completed immediately so we can move forward with our goals.
- 2. Inserts: Inserts will be placed in the Church Bulletin from June 11th—July 30th so we will have all the interested members and named members before the August 1st meeting.
- 3. List of Candidates: Prior to the August 1st meeting a list will be compiled by Vic Sonneman (a Nominating Committee member) for us to work with as our guideline to begin and complete our journey of contacting interested congregation members to be considered for one of the positions that must be filled for 2018.

We will keep the congregation members updated on the progress and need for volunteers for these positions.

If you have any questions regarding the Elders Position, Deacon Position, Child Care Center Board of Directors Position, or Nominating Committee Position please feel free to contact any one of the members on the committee. The members are listed in the Directory and on the bulletin board in the Narthex.

Have a great summer!

Ella Gutzke Co-Chairman





ADMINISTRATIVE AND PERSONNEL

The committee will interview for a Parish Nurse the first week of July. The Parish Nurse Job description along with interview questions were developed and based on feedback from the congregation. The goal is to interview and then hire if the candidate fits the needs of FPC. The best case scenario would be to be able to make an announcement by mid July.

Dale Hoerauf Chair



<u>SEARCH COMMITTEE REPORT</u>

Since the Pastor Search Committee posted the MIF (Ministry Information Form) on the PCUSA network, we have received fifteen (15) resumes for review thru the computer matching of our MIF with the resumes of prospective candidates who have put their resume in the network. We have also received 1 resume directly from another candidate. We have begun the process of review and evaluation of these prospective candidates. This process will continue until we have completed the review and evaluation of each of the sixteen (16) candidates and determine if there are any that we wish to give further consideration, and possibly interview.

We are pleased with the number of candidates we have to review and evaluate at this time, and continue to ask for your prayers as we progress with this search process.

Jim Skaret Chair



<u>KNITTING PARTY</u>

Mark your calendars for July 11th! You are invited to a third knitting party in our church Parlor at 7:00 p.m. The group of 9 had so much fun at our first and second classes we'll do it again. We would love to have more participants at the third party, with the added opportunity to get to know one another better. Please consider joining us! Questions can be directed to Gladys Cairns at 255-6911. Treats will be provided.

The Outreach Committee is looking forward to joining you in the third round of fun!





Save the Date and Join Us at Harmon Lake!

FPC Fun Day: 12-5 pm, Saturday, July 8th



All are Welcome for this FREE event Saturday, July 8th

Bring some Friends and Join us for a couple hours or the whole afternoon! We'll have Canoeing, Lawn Games, Hiking Trails and More!

Canoes, Lawn Games, Snacks and Water will be available from FPC. There is a Hiking Trail for walkers or bikers, with Paddle Board and Kayak Rental Available!

Bring your favorite water toy or lawn game and join us!

Anyone under the age of 12 must be accompanied by an adult to the event. Please contact Ashley with any ride or carpool requests!

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CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

37 incoming 6th-8th grade youth and adults boarded a bus together in Fargo, and headed to Minneapolis for a long weekend of mission work and fun together this past June.

Our 32 youth represented 10 different cities, and came together from North Dakota,

Minnesota, Presbyterian and ELCA churches! The kids quickly got to know one

another, and created great, diverse, friend groups over the 4 days together.

Our first day after travel was spent serving two great charities within the Twin Cities. Our morning



started out with "The Sheridan Story", a growing organization who responds to the need of the over 200,000 children in Minnesota living in food insecurity, not always knowing where they will receive their next meal. Our youth gathered to learn about the great work The Sheridan Story is accomplishing, and were quickly put to work. I have personally never seen a group of Middle School youth work so hard, and so quickly! Jobs were assigned, got to packing, and finished our goal 30 minutes before

expected! Youth packed bags full of protein, veggies, fruit and necessities, in an assembly-like system. There were youth preparing back-up food, making sure every item got recycled, and taken care of. It was incredible work done, and we were able to pack 1,320 packs of food in only one hour!

After our morning spent in Roseville, we visited Galilee Lutheran Church of St. Paul, organizer of the

"Rice St. Gardens". Pastor Dana enthusiastically shared with our youth about her missionary work around the world, and told us of this garden that has been prepared for refugees and immigrants in the Twin Cities. Over 200 plots are available for families to own land, and plant their own gardens. They are in charge of taking care of the gardens, and have created an incredible community within the space on busy Rice St. near St. Paul. Our youth spent time enjoying the beautiful garden space, helping with



any clean up needed, but mostly meeting the various garden caretakers from different countries all over the world!



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION



Our last service stop was with "Feed My Starving Children", who actually has dozens of sites all over the Twin Cities. Our youth learned about the great need of starving children in the world, and the great work FMSC is doing to provide for them. We then packed nutritional meals for families, completing over 100 boxes-which will feed 20,113 people! It was fast paced work, and our kids excelled and enjoyed themselves in this great act of community service.

While our theme was taken from Galatians 5:14-"you

shall love your neighbor as yourself", our youth found great work in providing food for our neighbors in Minneapolis, St. Paul, and all over the world! They were challenged to "love their neighbor" as they got to know 37 different personalities, and deal with a busy, tiring schedule, as we were together for only 4 days, fitting in 3 different mission sites, and visits to Minnehaha Falls, the Mall of America and Valleyfair.

Our Middle School youth did an incredible job on this trip, and were able to learn in their faith from the experience. We look forward to more opportunities for youth to connect within the Presbytery, and in our own youth group here at home!





CHURCH ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Thanks to everyone who joined us at our Celebration Ice Cream Social on June 21st from 4:30 pm - 6:00 pm. We shared ice cream and yummy treats and celebrated the generosity of our church families, recognizing our missions and our other outreach activities. Boy Scout Troop 6 joined us and coordinated the set-up and take down for the social. Cookies and bars, donated by church family members, were special sweet treats enjoyed by all, but particularly, by the children who graced us with their presence. We found the East Church lawn to be a wonderful gathering place. Our Outreach Committee is grateful for your participation!

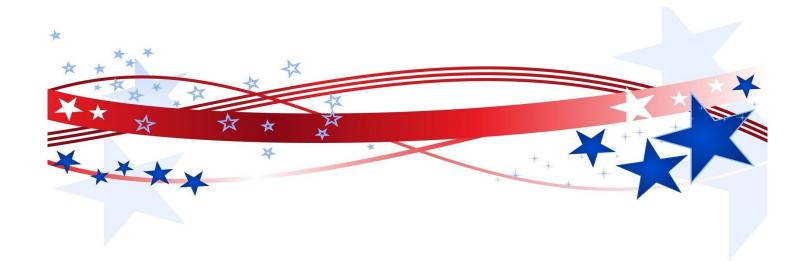


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JULY FUN FACTS

- The birthstone for July is the Ruby.
- The zodiac signs for July are Cancer (6/21-7/22) and Leo (7/23-8/22).
- The birth flower for July is the water lily.
- The month of July was named after Julius Caesar.
- On July 5, 1971, Amendment 26 was proclaimed setting the voting age at 18 in the United States.
- The 38th President of the United States, Gerald R. Ford was born on July 1, 1913
- John Adams and Thomas Jefferson both died on July 4th, 1826. James Monroe also shared the fate of passing on the 4th of July.
- Calvin Coolidge, the 30th President, was born on July 4th, 1872.
- The average age of those who signed the Declaration of Independence was 45. The youngest at age 27 was Thomas Lynch, Jr. of South Carolina. The oldest delegate was Benjamin Franklin at age 70. Thomas Jefferson was 33 years old.
- Only 2 founding fathers signed the Declaration of Independence on July 4th, 1776 (John Hancock and Charles Thompson). The majority of signers penned their signature on August 2nd, 1776.
- The printed version of the Declaration of Independence was called the Dunlap Broadside; 200 were made but only 27 are accounted for.
- The original draft of the Declaration of Independence was lost. The one eventually signed is the "engrossed" document.
- There is estimated to be 150 million hot dogs consumed on the Fourth of July. July is National Hot Dog Month.
- The White House held it's first 4th of July party in 1801.
- In 1954, the words "Under God" were added to the Pledge of Allegiance.



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CHILD CARE CENTER BOARD

Summer Reading: A Brief History of Child Care in the United States

Throughout the nineteenth century, childcare was a matter of mothers finding temporary solutions for child-minding that were as varied in type as they were in safety. Leaving an infant in an unwatched carriage or having an "older" sibling (usually under the age of 10) care for the younger were normal and looked upon as "safer" than the children following their mothers to the factory floors.

Near the end of the century, women's groups attempted to establish nurseries to help working mothers, but this endeavor was quickly supplanted by growing support of "mothers pensions", giving monetary support to women as a means of preventing them from seeking outside work and allowing them to focus on rearing their children. By 1930, nearly every state in the union had adopted some type of women's pension support.

Through the dual effects of the Great Depression (to employ out-of-work teachers) and quickly thereafter, the uptick of World War II labor shortages (recruiting able-bodied mothers) the program of Emergency Nursery Schools was begun, largely run as true schools rather than nurseries, thanks mainly to the formerly-unemployed educators who ran them. However, most childcare centers were woefully under-regulated and under-staffed. Coupled with society's impressions that children without full-time mothers were being deprived, the childcare reforms struggled to find support.

With World War II coming to a close, funding established for working mothers was quickly cut off, as the country prepared for returning soldiers to replace women on the assembly lines. To continue supporting low and moderate income families, Congress enacted the "child care tax deduction". Supplemental to that relief was the creation of the ICC—later becoming the Nation Committee on the Day Care of Children. This organization lobbied to fund childcare, stressing safety for children and the need for standardized care in child rearing.

Despite John F. Kennedy's backing for universal childcare, Congress did not approve a plan. Following Nixon's veto of the Comprehensive Child Development Act of 1971, the next 30 years would see:

"direct federal support for child care limited to policies "targeted" on low-income families. At the same time, however, the federal government offered several types of indirect support to middle-and upper-class families in the form of tax incentives for employer-sponsored child care and several ways of using child care costs to reduce personal taxes."

Further, in the 1980s childcare funding shifted focus from low-income families to middle—and high-income families. To the end, several Congressional Acts were passed to help the "welfare-to-work" plan. Most of the smaller programs were merged in the 1990s to form the Child Care and Development [Block Grant] Fund, which provides the primary source of US federal funding for childcare subsidies for low-income working families and funds to improve childcare quality. In 2014, President Obama reauthorized and re-envisioned the CDBG Act to provide further assistance through defining health and safety requirements for childcare providers.

Child Care Center

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PER CAPITA FEES DUE

Thank you to those who have already paid their family's Per Capita fees. This year, First Presbyterian was assessed \$44.00 per member to help pay for services we receive from the Presbytery, Synod and General Assembly.

If you have not already done so, please take \$44.00 times the number of church members in your family and send a separate check made out to First Presbyterian Church with "Per Capita" in the memo line.

First Presbyterian pays the Per Capita dues regardless of what is paid by church families. The difference between what First Presbyterian owes and what is collected from the congregation will come out of the church budget.

Thank you for taking care of this responsibility so the church can focus on its many other budget needs.

Becky Mahlum Stewardship Committee Chair



NEW TREES!

The harsh winter weather damaged the six evergreens in front of First Presbyterian beyond recovery, and they needed to be replaced. Bob Kinnischtzke undertook this task in memory of Walter Kinnischtzke, Eugene and Josephine Kranig, and in honor of Eldora Kinnischtzke—all of whom played very active roles in our church. Bob removed the old evergreens, cleared the roots, dug fresh holes, selected new evergreens from a nursery, and brought the trees to the church. A neat part of this tribute is that Bob planted the trees on the 70th wedding anniversary of Eldora and Walter Kinnischtzke. If anyone wishes to contribute to the \$450.00 nursery bill for the new evergreens, please contact the front office.

Matthew Engel Chair, Property & Equipment Committee





SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

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CLERK'S REPORT

Session approved minutes from May 23, 2017 meeting. Membership is 511 as of June 27, 2017. A thank you card was read from the Svihovec family for use of the church for their son's graduation celebration.

PASTOR'S REPORT

Session approved October 29, 2017, to be held after the church service for the Called Congregation Meeting to elect officers.

Pastor David informed Session that the Session Minutes book for 1969-1982 is not locatable. Asking if anyone has recollections or ideas of where it might be found.

The Pastor's future time away is scheduled as: July 17-22 MN time and August 11-16 Vacation time.

Discussion was held on Chapter 10 "The Care and Feeding of Spiritual Leaders" of the book *Spiritual Leader-ship for Church Officers*. This completes the reading of this book.

The three Facility Use forms submitted by Suzuki were approved.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Total Income YTD Actual	\$ 198,843	Budget	\$ 188,417
Total Expense YTD Actual	\$ 206,215	Budget	\$ 215,647
NET Income	-\$ 7,372	Budget	-\$ 27,230
Unrestricted General Fund	\$ 170,492.69		

It was noted that the Per Capita income is behind schedule. Becky Mahlum, chair of Stewardship will send out a letter to remind the congregation of the per capita.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Business and Finance: Session approval was sought and given to provide \$5,000 for the Search Committee's expenses.

Administrative and Personnel:

A motion was made and approved by Session to have ComputerOne install Wi-Fi throughout the church at the cost of \$7,224.

An applicant for the **Parish Nurse** will be interviewed on July 5, 2017.

A motion was approved to accept the revisions to the **By Laws** and to bring them to the Congregation for approval at the Called Congregational Meeting on October 29th, 2017

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SESSION HIGHLIGHTS

A motion was made and approved to continue the **Youth Intern Position** for the months of June, July and August.

It was approved for the "ongoing" Facility Request Forms be referred to Admin/Bus. Committee for initial approval and then referred to Session for consideration if appropriate.

Property and Equipment: Matt Engel, chair of P & E, discussed the need to do repairs on the Southwest door by the Child Care Center.

The concrete expands due to water and soil changes causing the door to be comprised. P & E is reviewing the process for repair and will be seeking estimates to make the necessary repairs.

Outreach: The Scholarship Committee awarded the following:

Cole Svihovec: \$1,000.00 from the Merritt Scholarship Fund

Emily Ehrens: \$850.00 from the Sorlie Fund Mark Jensen: \$450.00 from the Sorlie Fund

Alisha Wohl: \$200.00; \$100.00 from the Sorlie Fund and \$100.00 from the Scholarship Fund Ashley Greenwood: \$2,000.00; \$1,000.00 from Bachman Snortland and \$1,000.00 from Church Vocation

The Ice Cream Social was held June 21st on the East Lawn celebrating our generous church families with invitations to Child Care Center families, church staff and the public.

The Jelly Drive for the "Kids Backpack Program" resulted in 220 jars of jelly plus peanut butter and honey, and \$299.00 donated for other food.

Project Service Connect is scheduled for August 17th, at the Bismarck Library. Hats, scarfs and mittens along with pairs of socks continue to be sought until July 19th.

Ruth Beachey has been a most effective leader of the Outreach Committee. For years she has lovingly worked to strengthen our outreach efforts. She will be missed by her committee peers.

Membership: July 16th, 2017 is the date for the Outdoor Worship Service at Sertoma Park shelter #11. A sing-up sheet is available on the Volunteer Bulletin Board.

A motion was made and approved for Communion to be served at the Outdoor Service.

PASTOR SEARCH COMMITTEE:

Applications from 17 candidates for our Pastor position were reviewed and ten will be considered further.

Gladys Cairns Substitute for Clerk of Session



JULY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

BIRTHDAYS

<u>ANNIVERSARIES</u>

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Daniel Wassim	2nd
Duane Zimmerman	4th
Nanc Skaret	6th
Will Beachey	7th
Allen Hoberg	7th
Leo Goll	9th
Katherine Satrom	9th
Randy Jensen	10th
Stacy Poffenberger	12th
T.J. Davis	14th
Shelli Peterson	14th
Paul Ronningen	14th
John R. Sakariassen	14th
David Ingstad	15th
Letha Lewis	16th
Donna Arneson	18th
Barbara Larson	19th
Michael Mahlum	20th
Leila Bender	22nd
Mary Sherman	22nd
Andrew Davis	23rd
Kari Skager	25th
Donald Cross	27th
Lori Orser	28th
Corey Hedland	29th
Lee Doolittle	30th

Don & Patti Koranda	7th
Tait & Samantha Ronningen	9th
John & Donna Richter	10th
Mylo & Jan Candee	11th
David & Mary Ingstad	15th
Brant & Jane Boeckel	20th
Ronald & Kathleen Gappert	20th
Kim & Juanita Hocking	24th
Arley & Ann Gallup	23rd
Jay & Sandra Cofell	31st



All birthdays and anniversaries are taken from information collected on the updated information forms. If we made a mistake, or missed you or a loved one, we apologize and ask that you please let us know so we can update our system. If you do not want your birthday listed in a bulletin or newsletter, please let us know that as well. Thank you!



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 *Church Closed*
2 9:00am Faith Issues- Contemporary Issues (Conf. Rm) 10:00am Worship	7:00pm Boy Scouts (Rm 202)	4 Happy 4th of July! Office Closed	7:00pm Search Committee (Parlor)	6:00pm Membership Comm. (Conf. Rm) 6:00pm Outreach Comm. (Parlor)	7	9:00am Yoga 12-5:00pm Family Fun Day at Harmon Lake
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16 10:30am Outdoor Worship & Potluck at Sertoma Park, Shelter #11 *No Discussion Group *Church Closed*	7:00pm Boy Scouts (Rm 202)	18 10:00am FAF Meeting (Parlor) 12:00pm Business & Finance Meeting (Conf. Rm) 5:30pm Yoga (202)	19 7:00pm Search Committee (Parlor)	20 *No Deacons*	21	22 9:00am Yoga (202)
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30 9:00am Faith Issues-Contemporary Issues (Conf. Rm) 10:00am Worship 5:30pm VBS	31 5:30pm VBS					

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Child Care Center Needs:

FPC Child Care Center is in need of new or gently used wash clothes. Doesn't need to be fancy or colorful as it is required the wash clothes are bleached.

Thank you!



PENTECOST OFFERING

The Pentecost Offering has been gathered and a total of \$1,654.00 was received. \$992.00 will be sent to support national youth programs through Presbyterian USA. The remaining \$662.00 will be given to our own Child Care Center for the purchase of educational playground equipment.

I would like to thank those who gave generously to the Pentecost Offering. Your gifts represent the spirit of Pentecost sharing the work of Christ throughout the world.

John J. Richter Stewardship and Mission Interpretation Committee



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Sunday Worship Schedule:
Worship: 10:00 a.m.
No Sunday School until September

Office Hours:

Monday—Friday 8:00 AM—5:00 PM

Staff Pastor

Rev. Dr. David Reiter

Christian Education Director Ashley Tangen

Finance Assistant *Vickie Haas*

Administrative Assistant Charee Linton

Organist *Jan Candee*

Choir Director Debi Rogers

Handbell Ensemble Director Lael Hoerauf

Maintenance Manager Les Hornbacher

Membership Services Judy Lentz Shelli Peterson

Child Care Center Director Shawn Stettner

Child Care Assistant Director Vanessa Hein