

***YUMC  
July 2022  
Bridge Newsletter***



***Pastor Mike Bekstrom***

**Church Office Hours  
Monday thru Friday  
10:00 am to 4:00 pm**

**Office Manager  
Michael Burleson-Raney**



## Tailgaters

The weather has gotten so hot  
and our guests  
need to stay hydrated.

If you can help with this,  
we need:

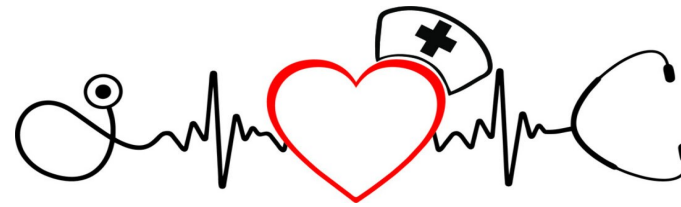
Gatorade or similar  
Sports drinks.  
We no longer receive  
water donated by Roxanne  
so water is something  
else we need.

Water can be in the regular bottles  
or in gallon jugs.

We don't want to lose any of our  
guests due to dehydration.

Please remember to keep Tailgaters and  
our guests in your prayers.

Last year Leah Young bought all the  
Gatorade we used.



If I have missed your  
Birthday or Anniversary,  
please let me know  
so I can get you on my list.

**IMPACT:**  
**Ignited messengers passionately  
applying Christ's teachings**

The IMPACT Youth group is still on  
hiatus. Please keep our youth in  
your prayers.

If you'd like to help  
Contact Kevin Stott

## *July Birthdays*

Judy Holmes	2
Mike Whipple	3
Emily Gorseth	6
Marilyn Stepanovich	7
Pat Wernicke	8
Toni Hartman	15
Kevin Stott	17
Justin Holmes	20
Jim Frey	21
Bonnie Garvin	31



## *July Anniversaries*

Pam and Norm Shaskey	8
Rick and Chris Bowers	21
John and Jennifer Villani	31

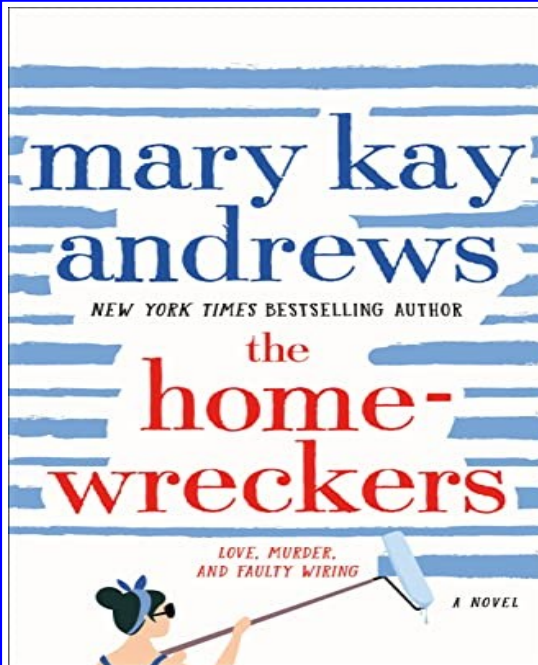




## July's Book Club Choice is: **The Homewreckers**

by Mary Kay Andrews

**July's Book Club is being hosted by Kelly Atchley  
on Thursday July 14th at her home. Join us at 4:30 pm  
for good food and good company.**



Hattie Kavanaugh went to work restoring homes for Kavanaugh & Son Restorations at eighteen, married the boss's son at twenty, and became a widow at twenty-five.

Now, she's passionate about her work, but that's the only passion in her life. "Never love something that can't love you back," is advice her father-in-law gives her, but Hattie doesn't follow it and falls head-over-heels for a money pit of a house. She's determined to make it work, but disaster after disaster occurs, and Hattie's dream might cost Kavanaugh & Son their livelihood. Hattie needs money, and fast.

*This novel is ... "A fun story with twists and turns that will appeal to romantics and cold-case fans alike." (Kirkus)*

**The Book Club is an exuberant subsidiary of  
YUMC's Saints Alive!**

The Club generally meets on the second Thursday of  
each month at 4:30 PM at varying locales.  
This club is open to all who enjoy reading and socializing.

## **Food Pantry**

**Our food pantry is going great guns  
and we are running low on food.  
If you would like to help us out,  
here are a few of the things  
we need for the pantry:**

Peanut Butter (protein rich, kids love it)  
Jelly (to go with the peanut butter)  
Canned Fruit (your choice)  
Canned Vegetables (your choice)  
Canned Tuna (or other canned meat)  
Canned Beans (any kind, pinto, chili)  
Canned Stew (big or little cans)  
Meals in a box (whatever is available)  
Kool-Aid Cannisters (sugar already in it)  
Pasta Sauce (cans or jars)  
Shelf Stable Milk  
Powdered Milk  
Pasta (elbow or other shapes)  
Small Can Openers

**Our pantry is used by the marginally  
sheltered, seniors, and single  
mothers at the end of the month.  
We have taken food to  
members of our church. This is an  
important program that we have to  
offer those in need. Any help is  
appreciated.**



# Quilting and Crafting

The Woman at the Well (John 4: 4-26). This month the Tuesday's Quilting Group is working on a quilt called Woman at the Well. We started off with having a potluck at Kathryn Matthew's Studio on Dewitt Park Road picking out fabric for a Mystery Quilt. The group worked cutting and sewing for three weeks on a quilt and they did not know what it looked like. The quilt was revealed last week. It was fun watching the quilt come together with all the different fabrics the group put together.

**Barbara Matthews made the Beautiful quilt you see here.**



## Webmaster's Corner

The YUMC web page is up and running. The Calendar is active of all activities and when the office will be closed. "What We Do" is updated with the Leadership Board's information regarding board members, agendas, and minutes. The Bridge will also be available on this page along with past Bridges. "Ministries" are activities that are regularly held at the church, such as; Tailgaters, Strong Women, Wow, Tuesday's Quilting, and bible studies. To stay up-to-date on what's happening at your church, please visit our web page. If an activity is not listed, please contact the office.



Here is the link to our Web page <https://www.yrekaumc.org/home.html>



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<h1>July 2022</h1>				1  <b>10:00 am Strong Women</b>	2  <b>9:00 pm Tailgaters Prep</b>
3  9 am Prayer Worship team Sunday School 10 am Worship Service 12 pm Tailgaters	4  <b>Office Closed</b>	5  <b>9:00 am Quilting</b> <b>9:00 am Crafting</b> <b>11:30 am Bridge Club</b>	6  <b>10:00 Strong Women</b> <b>10:00 am Bible Study with Chris Barre</b> <b>6:00 Small Group</b>	7  <b>10:00 am Work Study</b> <b>5:30 pm Worship Team</b> <b>5:30 pm WOW</b>	8  <b>10:00 am Strong Women</b>	9  <b>9:00 pm Tailgaters Prep</b>
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