

Odds and Ends...

I want to say a huge thank you to everyone who helped with the Car Show over the weekend! Even though it was a very warm (okay, hot) day, everyone I talked with seemed to enjoy themselves and appreciate the church for putting on the show. I was amazed at how many people from the church I saw pitching in and helping. Thank you all for helping us make this such a great success!

I enjoyed kicking off the “Not Just for Kids” message series yesterday. This coming week we will look at a story where God calls one of the pillars of faith into ministry and that person looks for every way out possible. I look forward to seeing you all this weekend as we continue looking at these familiar, but not so familiar, stories.

Our Tarsney Lake Summer Picnic Program is off to a great start! Even though we’ve had a couple of very hot Wednesdays, we’ve had great participation and turnout for these events. It amazes me each time I hear the stories of how this program has helped create community and foster relationships between many of the residents who have lived in the Tarsney community for years. This is one more instance where God takes something we created for one purpose (helping feed kids) and gives it more meaning than we expected. I am so impressed at the dedication of Jerry Metcalfe and the others who make this ministry happen every week. Please look later on in the newsletter for a list of ways to help with this program.

Vacation Bible School is coming up quickly! We still have a few opportunities for you to help. We are looking for at least 2-3 more people to help shepherd the classes from station to station. Please let me or Sophie Reed know if you are available to help. Also, continue to hold all of VBS in your prayers as preparations continue and teachers prepare lessons and everything falls into place. Don’t forget to invite any kids you know to participate in VBS. (Registration is available at www.llcumc.org)

A couple of other volunteer opportunities:

1. We are looking for a few folks to commit to helping for an hour or so once a month in the nursery on Sunday mornings. If you are interested in helping out, please speak with me for more information.
2. We are trying to lighten the load of the media operators on Sunday morning by adding a few more people to the rotation. This is a pretty easy way to help on Sunday mornings and training can be arranged at any time. Please speak with myself, Michael Garland, or Jim Cooper if you would like to help.

Things are supposed to slow down in the summer at churches, but that is definitely not the case at our church! Thank you all for all the ways you help us to minister to and with our community as we serve an amazing God! It is an honor to be your pastor.

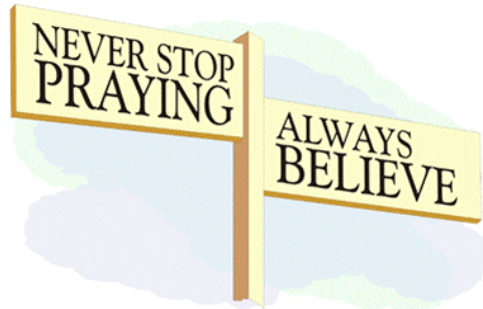
Blessings,

Chris



June 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Lazarus 10:00-1:00 pm
3 Services 8 & 10 am Tarsney Picnic 6:00pm	4	5	6 Be an Angel 10:00 am Tarsney 12-1:00 Yoga 6:15 pm	7	8	9
10 Services 8 & 10 am	11	12 Association Meeting 7:30	13 Tarsney 12-1:00 Yoga 6:15	14	15	16 CAR Show 10:-2:00
17 Services 8 & 10 am	18	19	20 Be an Angel 10:00 am Tarsney 12-1:00	21 China Painting 9:00 am	22	23
24 Services 8 & 10 am	25	26	27 Tarsney 12-1:00	28	29	30



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Keith Brunsmann
Les Case
Donna Casey
Ron Clarke
Patricia Dwyer
Bill Green
Deb Hamerly
Michael Hatfield
Ken McWain
Mary Ann Morie
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Ryan Neighbors
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Thank you so much for your support for our Tarsney Lake project. We still need volunteers for fruit and cookies and for assisting with the main dish. We are expanding our menu to serving spaghetti, macaroni, sloppy joes, sliders, and other kid friendly dishes. When we have pizza, two volunteers would be great. For those unable to manage the **SIGN UP GENIUS**

please call or email Jerry Metcalfe at jerry152@comcast.net or 816 774-8279.

Thank You, Thank You, Thank You!!!

Can't say Thank You enough to everyone who made our 13th Annual Car Show on Saturday a success, even with the heat!!

Pie Ladies, Cooks, Concession Workers, Parking Lot Coordinators, Giveaway Coordinators, Set Up and Clean Up Crews & Registration Ladies.
Anita McWhirt & Brenda Moore, cash boxes and finances
Dean Rohr & Tonia Haakonstad for cleaning tracked in tar
Special Thanks to Jennifer Moore and Calvin Taylor for entering registration information but more importantly the tedious task of tabulating all of the votes for the awards.

Youth Helpers: Haley H., Hailey E., Seth, Evan T., Garrett
Crazy DJ who played National Anthem at least twice!

OUTSTANDING JOB BY EVERYONE!!!

Volunteers Needed

For Vacation Bible School!

Sun, July 8th -Thurs, July 12th
6:00 to 8:30 P.M.

Sign-up on-line @ www.lcumc.org



missions

June through August: Enjoy fellowship with our young friends at Tarsney Lakes or help prepare food for the Wednesday lunches. Contact Jerri or sign up on SIGN UP GENIUS

Sunday, July 29 9:00 -10:00: All-Church Fellowship and Missions Brunch. Enjoy a fantastic meal with your church family.

TBD: Join the potluck picnic with Tarsney Lakes residents. Fried chicken will be provided. Bring a side dish or dessert and a chair. I will be on the east shore of the Tarsney Lake.

TBD: We will be distributing school supplies to Tarsney Lake kids.

Saturday September 8- Recycling Extravaganza! Help protect our planet by finding a new use for our natural resources. Some items will be reused and others will be recycled.

Email Alice at acfuerst@netscape.net more information

Vacation Bible School Register ON-LINE @ lcumc.org

Let the FUN Begin: Wilderness Games Family Night
VBS KICK-OFF: Sunday July 8th 6 to 8 PM
Come @ 5:45 for VBS Registration/Check-in

After a short VBS Intro, enjoy a free Family Dinner, Games, Activities, Water Fun and More! Kids: Wear a swimsuit and bring a towel.
PARENT or GUARDIAN Required to Attend Kick-Off Night

Tues, July 9th -Thurs, July 12th 6 to 8:30 PM

Dinner for the kids- Crafts - Music - Bible stories - Science - Recreation

Ages 3 years through 6th Grade — May attend any or all nights



**Early Registration
Discount deadline:
July 1st
Visit lcumc.org**