

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 3, 2022

## Birthdays & Anniversaries – Sunday July 3<sup>rd</sup> – Saturday July 7<sup>th</sup>

Carol Starkloff's birthday is July 4<sup>th</sup>!

Melissa McNeill's birthday is July 4<sup>th</sup>!

Ben Snyder's birthday is July 5<sup>th</sup>!

Bruce Dickerson's birthday is July 6<sup>th</sup>!

Ann Weeks' birthday is July 6<sup>th</sup>!

**The church office will be closed on Monday July 4<sup>th</sup> for Independence Day! We look forward to greeting you again on Tuesday July 5<sup>th</sup>. Pastor Lindsay is available for pastoral emergencies.**

**The United Methodist Women are collecting adult diapers, children's diapers, and feminine hygiene products in July. Those items can be placed in the donation bins located in the entrance to the sanctuary.**

## Joint Trustees & Administrative Council Meeting – Sunday July 10<sup>th</sup> at 3pm

*Celebrate Recovery will join us to make a presentation. They are asking the church to provide space for their weekly meetings. This meeting is open to the entire church.* You can learn more about Celebrate Recovery at <https://www.celebraterecovery.com>. Contact Admin Council chairperson: Dianne deAndrade, Trustees chairperson: Bruce Dickerson, or Pastor Lindsay to learn more.

## DISCIPLESHIP OPPORTUNITIES

**BIBLE STUDY – Thursdays at 1pm – Book of Daniel** - How do you respond when the bottom drops out? What happens to your character when things don't go the way you planned? How do you react when the temperature is rising, you are under attack, and God seems far away? Daniel's character is forged through his encounter with a furnace, a lion's den, a mad king, and exile in a foreign country. This Bible Study is a hybrid study that will meet on Thursdays at 1pm. Join online or in-person. Come during your lunch hour -- bring your lunch along!

**PRAYER MEETING** - Wednesdays at 11:30 in the Prayer Garden weather permitting or in the fellowship hall in case of inclement weather.

## UPDATE ON THE COMMUNITY ASSET BUILDING WORK BEING DONE BY THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE

The outreach committee invited you to complete a brief 5-minute survey in May. 41% of you so far have completed the survey. What have we learned? We will be sharing that information with you over the next few weeks. We asked you "What do you enjoy doing? What would you do just for fun? What are you most willing to do during your free time?" Below are the answers given by at least 2 church members. The larger the item—the more times that it was said.

Top 5: 1) reading, 2) cooking, 3) volunteering, 4) gardening, & 5) travel. These are the items that you most enjoy being involved with. Next week we will show you all the answers we received for this question. You can still complete this survey, if you haven't already by getting a paper copy of the survey in the church office or e-mail [collins@nccumc.org](mailto:collins@nccumc.org) to receive an electronic copy.

