

## The Messenger

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#### February 2022



THE Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

We are well into the first of the new calendar year. Church officers have been duly elected, have begun their service, and have been ordained and installed into their called positions. I want to express my gratitude to all those who have served their terms and are now

taking a well-earned break and also to all those who have agreed to continue on for another term. May God continue to bless your efforts with spiritual fruit and gifts for ministry.

As we move forward into 2022 I ask you to please support and pray for your church staff and leadership, as we begin the process of leading and discerning the direction of this congregation and its mission and ministries. It may seem like a daunting task and the mantle of responsibility can feel burdensome at times but remember, friends: "God doesn't call the qualified. God qualifies the called." As long as we seek for wisdom and are open to God's leading, God has promised to continually guide us, strengthen us, and encourage us as we strive to be vessels for the purposes of God's kingdom both here at Fairfield and in the surrounding area of Mechanicsville and beyond. May we all draw near to God and listen for God's still, small voice in the unity and power of the Holy Spirit.

Also, as the 2-year anniversary of the COVID 19 pandemic approaches, we have much upon which to reflect: the behavioral changes and practices that have come into all areas of our lives, the loss of "how things used to be," and a long season of

social distancing and increased fear and anxiety for many. I must confess that my life has also been in a state of upheaval ever since the Spring of 2019. Trying to deal with changes of residence, vocational call, navigating new financial challenges, and struggling with the consequences of social and personal isolation have taken their toll on mind, body, and spirit. I am well aware that I am not alone in these struggles, and so I'd like to encourage each of you who are struggling to hang in there, because even when we don't see it or feel it, the truth is that God is always at work in our lives and in the world around us. For this truth, we lift our hearts and minds in continual hope that God will see us through this current and uncertain time.

I have seen God's activity in my own life and it gives me a reason to be grateful, as I find myself thanking God for leading me to serve in the loving community of believers that resides here at Fairfield Presbyterian Church. I can't believe I've been with you all for 5 months already! And so, with a grateful heart, I leave you with these heartfelt words:

"We must always give thanks to God for you, brothers and sisters, as is right, because your faith is growing abundantly, and the love of every one of you for one another is increasing. Therefore we ourselves boast of you among the churches of God for your steadfastness and faith during all your persecutions and the afflictions that you are enduring."

(2 Thessalonians 1: 3-4)

Love in Christ,

Pastor Sandi

### Member News

**Our sympathy** goes out to **Darlene & Rick Shegogue** on the death of her father William Donald Curtis, Sr. who passed away on December 30; to **Calvin Pearson** and family on the death of his wife, Barbara, who passed away on January 18<sup>th</sup>; and to the Muire family on the death of Myrtle Muire on January 23. Please keep each of these families in your prayers.

Please keep the following people in your daily prayers: Myra Compton, John Crowe, Nancy Hart, Merrillyn Jones, Raymond Jones, Gerry Miller's sister-in-law Marguerite Whitmere, Jack Mitchell, Joyce Nuckols, Calvin Pearson, Donna Richbourg's daughter, Paige, Gene Rosen's niece, Tracy, Louise Setchel, Darlene Shegogue's brother, W. D., Buford Wade, Jack and Beverly Ward, Ryan Westphal, Deborah Wood's friend Courtney, Dale Woodfin's daugher Stacy, Beth Young's brother Bill and all those who serve as missionaries abroad and those who serve our nation.

Please remember our members who are unable to get to church due to illness or limited mobility: Ann Barlow, Reggie Crump, Nita Dunkum, Dot Gammon, Ruth Gatewood, Eva Ladd, Laverne Longest, Marie Maida, Nancy Norment, Joyce Nuckols, Virginia Phipps, Helen Rigsby, Larry Rigsby, Faye Sandridge, Louise Setchel, Sheila Shaw, Barry Snedker, Bootsie Stevens and Tony Underdown.

Our Covenant Woods friends: Carl & Ann Barkley, Margaret Barlow, Marie Blatt, Elizabeth Davis, Walt & Jan Fadeley, Nancy & Ivy Gallihugh, Mary Gayton, Bill & Phyllis Kerns, Doris McCalla, Glenn & Gerry Miller, Jack & Jo Mitchell, Calvin Pearson, Rick & Diane Richardson, Bob Stevens, Libby Taylor, Richard Walden, Billy and Nancy Walls.

(Please update Pastor Steve or the church office as often as possible if you wish to keep your name or your loved one's name on this list.)



Just a thank you note to my church family.... Thank YOU for your thoughts and prayers during our time of loss of Daddy, and my mom and brother's illness. You are my extended family and God has blessed me to have such a great family. Darlene Shegogue

Dear Fairfield Staff, Members & Deacons:

Thank you for your prayers, cards and phone calls following my back surgery in December. It was comforting to me and my niece, Angie Petty, who had pancreatic cancer surgery and was on the prayer list. My recovery is going well and Angie's doctors report that they caught her tumor in the precancerous stage. Thank you.

Love, Gloria Dunham

Just a **GREAT BIG** thank you to **Fran Hansbrough** for serving on the session the last six years and for continuing to be the Clerk of Session. Fran does a wonderful job in both capacities and I failed to mention her in the last newsletter as an elder rotating off of session. Love you Fran!

Donna Carson

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ,

Thank you so very much for your two generous checks to our church after the devastating tornado. Kind deeds change lives! With your gifts and God's help, we are helping others in our community and making plans for the future of our church. God bless you for the kindness you've shown.

First Presbyterian Church Mayfield, Kentucky

As we begin a new year, I'm writing on behalf of Presbyterian Mission to express our appreciation to you, your pastor, session and congregation for your gracious and faithful support of our mission efforts. On December 8<sup>th</sup>, we received \$435 for the One Great Hour of Sharing offering.

You contribution changes lives for the sake of

the gospel around the world. Thank you once again for your support, dedication, and partnership in furthering God's mission around the world.

> Sy Hughes Mission Engagement Advisor

(this offering was collected on Thanksgiving morning)



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Hailey Spott	February 1
Richard Walden	February 1
Grace Zweckbronner	February 1
Ann Barlow	February 2
John Crowe	February 2
Jeff Cumins	February 2
Robbie Dobson	February 3
Walt Fadeley	February 3
Sam Penny	February 3
Erin Reasor	February 3
Katelyn Weis	February 4
Don Wells	February 6
Emma Leudesdorff	February 7
Norman Sulser	February 7
Gerry Underdown	February 7
Merrillyn Jones	February 8
Pat Daugherty	February 10
Brittany Bessette	February 11
Tracy Young	February 12
Daniel Arnette	February 13
Mike Joyce	February 13
Nikki Glass	February 14
Jerry Hughes	February 15
Sawyer Hutchison	February 15
Gene Elmore	February 16
Danny Guertler	February 16
Josh Patterson	February 16
Diane Richardson	February 18
Melissa Hughes	February 19
Roger Bessette	February 20
Beverly Ward	February 20
Dorothy Bowen	February 23
Richard Dunn	February 24
Will Hendricks	February 24
Charles Moore, Sr.	February 24
Donna Richbourg	February 24
Anne Young	February 24
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<b>Bruce Arnette</b>
Stacy Mueller
Andrew Dunn
John Weeks

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Robert & Robin Wilson	February 10
Craig & Sandra Brewster	February 14
Jim & Jennifer France	February 14
Hunter & Nikki Glass	February 15
Mark & Marsha Young	February 21
Stacy & Simon Mueller	February 27

## Special dates

- · African American History Month
- · Valentine's Day, February 14
- · Presidents Day, February 21
- Transfiguration of Our Lord, February 27

#### Attention All Ladies!



Fellowship Circle will get together again on February 8 Circle in the Heritage Hall at All ladies are 10:00am. invited to join us! The Bible

study will be very active as we study the line and lineage of Jesus as recorded in Matthew and angels.

**Beverly Burts** 



#### The Joyful Readers Circle

will meet again on February 8 at 7:00pm in the Heritage Hall. Dr. Steve Starzer will be our guest. He will be speaking on his two books,

Sermons from the Heart and Sermons from the Heart in Trying Times.

Barbara Wash



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Moderate Shawl Ministry was not able to meet between March 2020 and February 2021. When we got back together in March 2021, we had a lot of work to do. There were many across the time frame that we were

not able to minister to so we had to play catch up. During 2021, the Prayer Shawl Ministry delivered eight Prayer Shawls, 27 Lap Robes and Four Baby Blankets. These numbers are not uncommon for a normal year, but they reflect the time period covered from March 2020 to December 2021. We are happy that we were finally able to continue the work of our ministry and are grateful that the Prayer Shawl closet is abundantly full.

If you would like to join us in this ministry, we meet the first Wednesday of every month. The next meeting of the Prayer Shawl Ministry is Wednesday, February 2 at 10:00 in the Barlow Parlor.

Anna Barrowclough

The **Super Singles** will be getting together on **Sunday**, **February 13**<sup>th</sup> and will be going to Applebee's on Bell Creek Road. Everyone is welcome to join us! We will meet right after the 11:00am service and go to the restaurant. Call Melanie Rubeck (730-5994) if you have any questions about the Super Singles.



#### Got love?

"Love asks nothing in return but seeks those who need it. And who needs our love more than those who are consumed with hatred and are utterly devoid of love?"

- Dietrich Bonhoeffer

## February Nursery Schedule for 8:45am Service

Feb. 6 Allison Letourneau & Abbey Glass

Feb. 13 Anne Young & McKenna Blue

Feb. 20 Majken Whitaker & Angela Schwartz

Feb. 27 Nikki Glass & McKenna Blue

The nursery is available for children up to 3 years of age and Sunday School for ages 4 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade is available in Room #21 (Vine Art Room).

## New Lenten Devotional 2022

The Power of the Invisible – The invisible presence of Christ in the believer and in the world



This year's Lenten Devotional is written by Rev. Dr. Keith Curran, our Minister in Residence and is available online for download. (If printed copies, add here).

Five devotions a week with Scripture readings will take the Fairfield family on a spiritual journey from Ash Wednesday to Palm Sunday.

Have you ever wondered how the Holy Spirit works in your life or what we need to know about God's Spirit? Join the church family this Lenten season in a daily journey of faith, guided by the Power of the Invisible – the invisible presence of Jesus in you and in the world. Each day's brief reading will dig deeper into the wonderful promise that God is with us as Emmanuel. The Jesus isn't distant but with us always, giving us peace, comfort, guidance and power to be the Children of God. Dive into this exploration of the Holy Spirit in action and find your faith renewed and refreshed by the invisible power of Jesus Christ.

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>.



"God abides in those who confess that Jesus is the Son of God. So we have known and believe the love that God has for us."

I John 4 v. 15-16

In this month of February, we celebrate Valentine's Day and remember our loved ones. Take some time this month to reflect on God's love for each of us. There are many books in our libraries that will help us to understand the greatness of His love. Look for My Heart's Cry, Amazing Love and Jesus Loves Me This I know. In the children's library you will find Jesus Love Me, God is Love and Little One Gd Loves You.

As we go along in our spiritual journey, may we be ever mindful of the greatness of God's love for each and every one of us.

Elizabeth Covington

#### A New T.U.L.I.P- A Kinder, Gentler, Calvinism for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century

Lent 2022 Study with Rev. Dr. Keith Curran, Minister in Residence



Fairfield folks are invited to energize your faith as you discover a fresh expression of the gospel challenge to be the Children of God in our day and age. The Lenten Study 2022 will dig deep into Dr. Curran's newly published book. Discover a new way of understanding the good news of Jesus Christ that helps answer today's questions in a welcoming and affirming expression of God's love.

"In my new book, I've tried to condense several thoughts and insights that I've been struggling with as a minister in a society that is both postmodern and 'post –Christian'. Serving an historic denomination, like our Presbyterian Church, has turned out to be a great vehicle for innovation as it allowed me to offer the church a broader way of doing theology that I believe

makes sense in our contemporary life. After all, our Calvinistic roots provide a clarion call for theological innovation. The cry, *Reformed and always being reformed* has been the motto for Reformed Christians for over five centuries.

My hope is that this study will catch your attention and pique your curiosity. By revisiting the old Sunday School acrostic T.U.L.I.P. you and the church will appreciate not only our historic viewpoints but also be challenged to consider our faith and beliefs in new ways for a new day. Theology really does matter for believers. And I hope this study will energize your faith and deepen your understanding of how 21st Century Presbyterians can offer our friends, neighbors and family members an invitation to a church that is all about God's amazing grace and awesome love."

A copy of the book will be available to participants.



## Beyond candy hearts and roses

The first half of February seems dominated by pink and red, cards and candy. But people not in a loving romantic relationship can sometimes feel left out of the

festivities. Of course, all people need love - and certainly love is not limited to the romantic kind. Author Leo Buscaglia, who became know as "Dr. Love" for writing about the topic, said, "Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around.

Jesus taught that loving one another is second only in importance to loving God (Matt. 22: 37-40), and that when we love one another, God lives in us (1 John 4:12). There are so many ways to do that - beyond candy hearts and roses! But Valentine's Day is as good a reminder as any.



Mechanicsville Churches **Emergency Functions** (MCEF) and One Stop Shop (OSS)

www.4mcef.com

Happy New Year and Happy Valentine's Day.

Catching up with the last few months of 2021. MCEF was able to offer clients an extra bag of food for Thanksgiving and then again for Christmas. Thanks to the generous donations of all the MCEF churches. In 2021 MCEF was able to serve 233 households in the food pantry, give 813 one-way rides through the Sr. Rides Program and give countless bags of clothing to our clients.

Keeping in mind that when Hanover County Schools are closed for weather, the One Stop Shop is closed too. By the end of February, we will begin accepting spring clothing. considering clothing for donations, please watch for stains, tears, broken zippers, missing buttons. When we have clothing that we can't use, we donate to the bins marked "Cash for Schools" located in the outer parking lots of Hanover's elementary schools. The bins are weighed, and money given to the schools by weight. This helps keep donations that are not usable in the county!

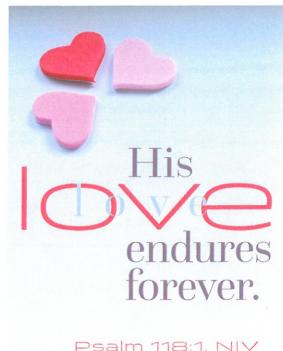
Thank you for all you do to keep this ministry thriving in our community. The next donation day at Fairfield is Sunday, February 6th.

Nancy Gallihugh

Looking for a new place to recycle your plastic grocery bags? You can bring them to Place them in the church! marked bins located in the Narthex and outside the Family Center. They will be used in



delivering meals for Meals on Wheels. Please contact Janet Chelette for any questions.



Psalm 118:1, NIV

## God of love - for, with and in us

An ancient heresy - that the God of the Old Testament was a God of judgment and wrath, while the God of the New Testament is a God of grace and love - still persists a bit. Yet God is the same God, with the same characteristics, throughout time. Way back in Genesis 3, God graciously sewed garments to clothe humans, although they had disobeyed him. And even in the Gospels. God's anger was evident through Jesus' response to temple moneychangers cheating the poor.

God always works for life and goodness in all things. Sometimes people misunderstand God's ways; sometimes God, like a human parent, uses "tough love." Mick Brooks writes: "The Old Testament is God for us, the time of Christ is God with us, and the age of the Holy Spirit is God in us" (Every Day With Jesus, Sept/Oct 2020). That may be a bit simplistic, but it's a good reminder that while God's ways of interacting with us vary, he - the God of Love does not.

## LOVE Verses from the Bible

"And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, with all thy soul, and with all thy might.

Deuteronomy 6:5 (KJV)

"Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives us, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance."

I Corinthians 13: 4-7 (NLT)

"But I am giving you a new command. You must love each other, just as I have loved you. If you love each other, everyone will know that you are my disciples."

John 13: 34-35 (CEV)

"Owe no one anything, except to love each other, for the one who loves another has fulfilled the law."

Romans 13:8 (ESV)

"For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another."

Galatians 5:13 (KJV)

"And the Lord make you to increase and abound in love one toward another, and toward all men, even as we do toward you."

1 Thessalonians 3:12 (KJV)

"Regarding life together and getting along with each other, you don't need me to tell you what to do. You're God-taught in these matters. Just love one another! You're already good at it; your friends all over the province of Macedonia are the evidence. Keep it up; get better and better at it."

1 Thessalonians 4: 9-10 (The Message)

"We ought always to thank God for you, brother and sisters, and rightly so, because your faith is growing more and more, and the love all of you have for one another is increasing."

2 Thessalonians 1:3 (NIV)

"Let us help each other to love others and to do good."

Hebrews 10:24

"Dear friends, I am not writing a new commandment for you; rather it is an old one you have had from the very beginning. This old commandment - to love one another - is the same message you heard before."

I John 2:7 (NLT)

"For this is the message you have heard from the beginning, that we should love one another."

1 John 3:11 (NRSV)

"And this is his command, that we should believe in the name of his son Jesus the Messiah, and should love one another, just as he gave us the commandment."

1 John 3:23

"Beloved, let us love one another, for love is of God, and he who loves is born of God and knows God."

1 John 4:7 (RSV)

"So now I ask you, dear lady - not as if I were writing you a new command, but one we have had from the beginning - that we love one another."

2 John 5

"This is love: that we live according to his commands. This is the command that you heard from the beginning: live in love."

2 John 6



#### Session Notes

Your Elders met in Session on January 18th during which time they:

- Opened their time together with devotions and prayer
- Received several items of correspondence from the Presbytery and several thank you notes
- Approved the December Session minutes without exception
- Approved the Annual Report to the Presbytery and the PC(USA) noting our membership stands at a very healthy 403
- Welcomed the new Elders who have heard God's call to serve in this manner
- · Joyfully voted to receive Jane Jones as a member
- Were delighted to hear of the plans for the New Beginnings Church to worship with us next Christmas
  Eve and to join us for Adult Vacation Bible School this Summer where we will be studying the Book
  of James.
- Learned from the Facilities Management Team that a good number of projects have been undertaken
  to maintain our facility including, a new heat pump for the Family Center, a new ice machine installed
  and lighting in the sanctuary and the attic repaired
- Thanked the Nominations/Personnel Team for their excellent work in the past year
- Rejoiced that we finished the year 2021 on a strong financial footing and were particularly pleased to learn that the Endowment Fund has exceeded our expectations as we seek to leave a stronger church to the next generation
- Were delighted to learn that our Minister-in-Residence, The Rev. Dr. Keith Curran will be leading a Lenten Study using his new book, <u>A New T.U.L.I.P.</u>: A Kinder, Gentler Calvinism for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century
- Rejoiced that a benefactor will be providing for the upgrading of the nursery with new toys, etc.
- Are looking forward to the return of Professor Dr. John Jones to further consider the avenues we may take to help ameliorate poverty
- Heard a brief report from the Task Force looking into the possibility of a Memorial Garden/Columbarium for the Church
- Learned that the investigation into the possibility of solar panels continues with the Stewardship Team looking at funding opportunities
- Thrilled to learn that the Associate Pastor Nominating Committee has begun meeting and elected Gene Rosen as Chair and Fran Hansbrough as Secretary
- · Elected Commissioners to the stated meeting of the Presbytery in February
- Adjourned with a prayer to meet again in Session on February 15<sup>th</sup>



## Under-Age Thinking...



Make jars of Italian barley soup to share love and warmth with friends.



#### What you need:

- · 1 cup pearled barley
- ½ cup sundried tomatoes
- 1 Tbsp dry minced garlic
- 1 Tbsp dry minced onion
- 1 veggie bouillon cube
- Glass pint jars with lids
- Cardstock
- Scissors
- Pen



#### What you do:

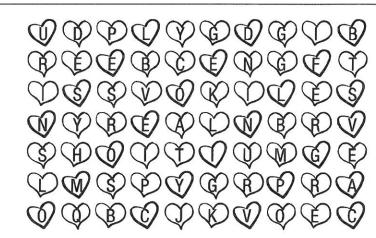
- 1. In order, layer the first five ingredients into the jar.
- 2. Trace the outline of the lid onto cardstock. Cut out.
- 3. On the card, write these directions: Remove wrapper from bouillon cube. Add contents of jar to saucepan. Add 4 cups water and a can of diced tomatoes. Bring to a boil over high heat, reduce to low. Simmer about 20 minutes, until barley is tender. Serve with parmesan cheese.
- 4. Place the card atop the lid. Screw on the canning ring to keep it in place.



## The heart of a friend

Big-hearted friendliness comes from generously serving others.

Directions: Start with the first D and move according to the arrows beneath the blanks. Then fill in the letters to complete 1 Peter 4:8-10.



Answer: deeply, covers, sins, hospitality, grumbling, gift, serve, grace

#### FEBRUARY 2022

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## Youth Group News

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Feb. 12 Compass Basketball volunteering

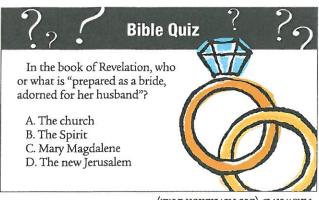
Feb. 13 No Youth Group - Super Bowl Sunday

Feb. 20 No Youth Group - President's Day Monday

Feb. 27 Pancake Breakfast

Mar. 6 No Youth Group (Monday is a flex day in Hanover County Schools)

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Answer: D (See Revelation 21:2.)

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Children's Ministry Assistant Angela Blue
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Choir Director Celeste Underdown
Organist Dave Starzer
Praise Band Leader Matt Wenninger
Custodian John Longest

