Welcome to worship. Christian education and fellowship – a chance to be fed and nourished by God's Word before being sent again to serve the world in the week ahead. Here at Fairfield, we offer a contemporary service at 9:00; Sunday School for all ages at 10:00 and our traditional service at 11:00. Please ask Dr. Steve Starzer, Rev. Mike Watson or any of the ushers for information on various programs and ministries. You may also call the church office at (804) 730-7164 or e-mail us: office@fairfieldpcusa.org or visit our website: www.fairfieldpcusa.org

## **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Beverly Burts

Micah Clark's father-in-law

Pat Daugherty

Buddy Dunn (friend of Carolyn Moore)

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Danny Guertler's brother, Michael

Gerry Miller's great niece

Charles & Betty Ransone

Helen Rigsby

Lin Varner (friend of Carolyn Moore)

Jack & Beverly Ward

Mark Young & family

All who serve our nation here and abroad.

Please call the church office (804) 730-7164 or let a pastor know at the end of the service for someone to be on our prayer list. **Names will normally be listed in bulletin for 3 weeks, unless we receive updates.** 

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Sandra Brewster to the Glory of God and in memory of her mother, Alice W. Martin.

We are excited to welcome our seminary intern, Kaylyn McGhee today. Please make sure to greet her!

Infant/Toddler: Linda Daugherty & Nikki Glass Next Week: Anne Young & Abbey Glass

**We offer a Kid's Worship Program** during the 9:00am service for ages 3 years old through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. The program takes place in Room # 21.

<u>Our Adult Fall Bible Study</u> begins **today**, 4:30pm in the Open Door Classroom (#20). Join us for a study on *A Brief Statement of Faith* - we will explore and learn much more about what Presbyterians believe. Our study will be led by our pastors as well as some of our church's lay leaders. This study is designed for everyone so please join us!

<u>Choir Notes:</u> *Redeemed*, today's anthem, was written in 1882. The words of the hymn were penned by the prolific hymn writer, Fanny Crosby. When commenting on this particular hymn she once said, "among the many hymns I've written, this one best describes the joy of salvation." William Kirkpatrick, who often partnered with Fanny in her hymn writing, composed the music for the hymn.

<u>Don't feel like cooking tomorrow?</u> Go to Chicken Salad Chick for dine-in, carry-out or drive-thru from 10:00am-8:00pm. They are located at 6576 Mechanicsville Turnpike. Mention you are supporting MCEF and part of the proceeds will go to MCEF!

**The session**, our governing body, will meet on Tuesday at 7:00pm.

**The deadline** for the October newsletter is **September 20**<sup>th</sup>. Please e-mail all articles to <u>office@fairfieldpcusa.org</u> by that date. Thank you!

<u>The Separate Check Club</u> will be getting together on **Sunday, September 24**, 12:30pm at Mezcal Mexican Restaurant. The restaurant is located at 7500 Jackson Arch Drive, Suite A. Please call Cindy Cattoi if you are interested in going (804-221-0764) or email her at <a href="mailto:ddcattoi@gmail.com">ddcattoi@gmail.com</a> so she can give the restaurant a head count.

Sermon for next Sunday: "Unbreakable Relationship", 1 Samuel 2:2

<u>Fairfield Youth Group Kickoff and Ice Cream Social!</u> Next Sunday Sept. 24 from 4:30-5:30pm. in the Heritage Hall. Middle and High School Youth are welcome. Bring a friend!

<u>Committee Leaders</u> - please contact Donna in the church office to put your meetings on the church calendar. A room to meet in might not always be available if it isn't on the calendar. This also helps Donna from "overbooking" rooms due to conflicts. Thank you!

Fairfield will be hosting a **Red Cross Blood Drive** on **Tuesday, October 10** from 1-5pm in the Heritage Hall. If you are interested in signing up to donate blood, please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter Fairfield to schedule an appointment.

THIS WEEK 'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS		
<b>Sept. 17</b>	Contemporary Worship Service (Family Center)	9:00am
	Sunday School	9:45-10:45am
	Traditional Worship Service (sanctuary)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Church	11:00am
	Adult Bible Study (#20)	4:30pm
<b>Sept. 18</b>	Classical Conversations	8:00am - 4:00pm
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	AA Group (#29)	6:00-8:00pm
<b>Sept. 19</b>	Pickleball (Family Center)	12:00-2:00pm
	Special Olympics (FC)	5:30-7:30pm
	Session Meeting (#20)	7:00pm
Sept. 20	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	Fairfield Ringers (sanctuary)	7:00-8:00pm
	Praise Band Practice (Family Center)	8:00pm
<b>Sept. 21</b>	Pickleball (Family Center)	12:00-2:00pm
	Civil Air Patrol (Heritage Hall)	6:30-9:30pm
	Adult Choir Practice (sanctuary)	7:00-8:00pm
<b>Sept. 23</b>	New Beginnings Church Choir Practice (#14)	12:30-1:30pm

**Reminder:** Please be sure to call the church office if you would like to use a room for a meeting or event. You can also get the latest updates to our calendar online at <a href="https://www.fairfieldpcusa.org">www.fairfieldpcusa.org</a>.

Affirmation of Faith A Brief Statement of Faith Lines 1-6, 77-80 In life and in death we belong to God. Through the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the communion of the Holy Spirit, we trust in the one triune God, the Holy One of Israel, whom alone we worship and serve. With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.