Welcome to worship. God has been, and is, our dwelling place "from everlasting to everlasting" (Psalm 90:1-2). Let us praise God, our eternal home, together. 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: <u>office@fairfieldpcusa.org</u> or visit our website: <u>www.fairfieldpcusa.org</u>

PRAYER CONCERNS

Beverly Burts Becky Clark Sally Kovac's uncle John Bremner Lancaster Kaylyn McGhee's grandmother, Joyce Family of Sheila Shaw Bob Stevens Cory Walter Jack & Beverly Ward Herta Wenninger Ed Wolfgang's brother, Gary People of Ukraine People of Israel & Palestine 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 Norman & Barbara Wash to the Glory of God in loving memory of Norman's parents, Jim & May Wash.

Our seminary intern Kaylyn McGhee is preaching today on Matthew 22:34-40. We welcome her to the pulpit.

Infant/Toddler: Barbara vanSteenburgh & McKenna Blue Next Week: Angela Schwartz & Abbey Glass

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

<u>**Choir Notes</u>** - Today's anthem, "Rain Down" is actually a new hymn composed by Jaime Cortez in 1992. Originally written for use in the Catholic Church, the hymn is now a favorite in many other denominations. It is Hymn 444 in our hymnal. Feel free to follow along a the choir sings (11am). You can even sing the Refrain with us as it repeats several times. Psalm 33 is the inspiration for the lyrics.</u>

Fall-O-Ween takes place this afternoon! Festivities will be from 4:00-6:00pm and dinner and costume parade will take place from 6:00-7:00pm. *This is our biggest community event all year.* We hope to see you here!

<u>THE PRAYER SHAWL KNITTING GROUP</u> will meet again this coming Wednesday, November 1st beginning at 10:00am in the Barlow Parlor. Come work on a shawl or your own personal project. If you don't know how to knit, the ladies will teach you! Contact Anna Barrowclough (730-3143) if you have any questions.

<u>With next month being Stewardship month</u>, we will begin a new sermon series entitled "Wholehearted." Next week's sermon by Steve Starzr, will be "Harvest Accounting."

<u>**Our next All Church Night**</u> takes place on **November 5th**. There is something for every age to enjoy from 4:30-5:30pm and then a simple meal will be provided from 5:30-6:30pm. We are looking forward to an additional gathering of both individual and church families together in fellowship each month!

November 5th Adult Conversation - Join us in the Open Door Classroom at 4:30pm for "Who are these Presbyterians?" Steve Starzer will lead us on a brief tour through our "multiply by dividing" tendency as Presbyterians. He will attempt to respectfully answer the distinctions between each of the denominations who trace their roots back to the Protestant reformation in Scotland.

<u>MCEF Collection</u> will be held next Sunday. MCEF is in of new socks & underwear, cereal, canned pasta, stuffing & gravy, mashed potatoes, yams, cornbreak mix, creamed soups, peas, carrots, collards or mixed greens, brownie mix, shampoo & conditioner, egg cartons - dozen size, Kroger paper bags with handles, sheet sets (new or gently used), bath towels.

<u>Celebration Sunday is November 12th</u>. It will be a combined service at 10:30am in the Family Center. **Reservations are due TODAY!** You don't want to miss the delicious barbeque luncheon we're having! Fill out the reservation slip and place it in the offering plate today.

There will be no Sunday School on November 12th.

<u>Hanover Caregiver Expo</u> will be held on Wednesday, November 15th from 9:00am to 12:30pm at the American Legion Post 175 (8700 Bell Creek Road). Join them for a free educational event for those providing care to older adults. See the bulletin boards for more details.

Paint & Praise Night - Sunday, **November 17** here at Fairfield from 6:00-8:00pm. See the insert for more information. *Deadline to register is November 10th.*



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Please give these members a nice Fairfield welcome!

THIS WEEK 'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS		
Oct. 29	Contemporary Worship Service (pavilion)	9:00am
	Sunday School	9:45-10:45am
	Traditional Worship Service (sanctuary)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Church (Family Center)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Play Rehearsal (Heritage Hall)	12:00pm
	Fall-O-Ween (Family Center & outdoors)	4:00-6:00pm
	Fall-O-Ween Dinner (Family Center)	6:00-7:00pm
Oct. 30	Classical Conversations	8:00am - 4:00pm
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	AA Group (#29)	6:00-8:00pm
0ct. 31	Pickleball (Family Center)	12:00-2:00pm
	Special Olympics (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
Nov. 1	Prayer Shawl Ministry (Barlow Parlor)	10:00am
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	Fairfield Ringers (sanctuary)	7:00-8:00pm
	Praise Band Practice (Family Center)	8:00pm
Nov. 2	Pickleball (Family Center)	12:00-2:00pm
	Civil Air Patrol (Family Center)	6:30-9:30pm
	Adult Choir Practice (Sanctuary)	7:00-8:00pm
Nov. 4	Communion Set-up (Small Kitchen)	-
	New Beginnings Church Choir Practice (#14)	12:30-1:30pm

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