Welcome. The writer of Hebrews urges us to "not stop gathering together with other believers" but "encourage each other even more." (10:25 God's Word Translation). So let us worship. 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

Becky Clark David Jones' sister, Judy Ritchie

Linda Canyock Terri Joyce's family, Jude

John Crowe Sally Kovacs & her husband David

Nita Dunkum Elizabeth Moorhouse Sam Endicott & family Family of Joyce Nuckols

Infant Joseph Flint Mary Sulser

Tim Gulliver's sister, Pam Lundeen & All who serve our nation here and

his friend Neil Mallam 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 the bulletin for 3 weeks, unless we receive updates.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Barbara & Norman Wash to the Glory to God and in memory of May & Jim Wash.

The flower on the piano today is given in memory of Joyce Nuckols who passed away on Tuesday, November 12.

Infant/Toddler: Anne Young & Barbara van Steenburg

Next Week: Nikki Glass & Angela Blue

<u>Our liturgists</u> this Sunday will be **Richard Dunn** (9:00am) and **Martha Houchins** (11:00am). Thank you both for assisting us!

A Congregational meeting has been called for **this morning**, at 9:50am in the Family Center. The stated purpose of this meeting is to receive the report of the Nominating Committee, the election of officers of the church and to act upon changes in the terms of call for our two pastors.

<u>Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes are due TODAY!</u> Please be sure to put a check in the box for postage or write a check to Fairfield for the postage. We will send one check to them for postage. Please mark it for shoe boxes on your check and/or envelope. Thank you!

<u>The deadline for the December newsletter</u> articles is Wednesday, **November 20.** Please have all articles in by that time. Thank you!

<u>The Men of the Church</u> would appreciate any monetary donations you can give to help with Thanksgiving and Christmas outreach. Mark you check and/or envelope "Men of the Church".

Advent Devotions: Advent in Plain Sight - This Advent, we'll be offering a devotional for individual or household use: "Advent in Plain Sight" by Jill Duffield. Using a similar method as her Lenten Devotional that we've used, each day focuses on a particular everyday object that shows up in scripture readings, to provide reflection and connection with what God is doing in our lives. They are available for a suggested donation of \$10. Please put donation in offering basket with note "Advent devotionals."

OUR DAILY BREAD devotionals for **December, January & February** are available now in small print only. We will receive the large print devotionals for **January, February & March** at the end of December. These are free devotionals so please enjoy them.

Deadline for bulletin items is Wednesday, 12:00pm.

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

THIS WEEK 'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS		
Nov. 17	Contemporary Worship Service (Family Center)	9:00am
	Sunday School	9:45am
	Congregational Meeting	9:50am
	Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Church Worship Service (FC)	11:00am - 12:00pm
	Youth Group trip to Swaders	
Nov. 18	Classical Conversations	8:00am - 4:00pm
	AA 5 th year Anniversary Celebration (HH)	4:00-7:30pm
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
Nov. 19	Pickleball (Family Center)	11:00am - 1:00pm
	New Beginnings Choir Rehearsal (#14)	6:00-7:30pm
	Line Dancing (Family Center)	6:30pm
	Session Meeting (#20)	7:00pm
Nov. 20	Girl Scout Troop 557 (#20)	5:30-7:30pm
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	Fairfield Ringers (sanctuary)	7:00pm
	Praise Band Practice (Family Center)	8:00pm
Nov. 21	AA Meeting (#29)	7:00-8:00am
	Pickleball (Family Center)	11:00 am - 1:00pm
	Civil Air Patrol (Family Center)	6:30-9:30pm
	Adult Choir Practice (Sanctuary)	7:00pm

NEXT SUNDAY IS STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY. During worship we will be bringing our pledge cards forward during the offering and placing them on the communion table at both services. Pledge cards are being mailed out this week. Please prayerfully consider making a commitment to our ministries for 2025.