

Welcome to worship! Today, we give thanks for the grandparents and elders who have helped shape our faith and guide our steps. Like Timothy, who learned from Lois and Eunice (2 Timothy 1:5), may we honor the ones who planted seeds of faith. 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](mailto:office@fairfieldpcusa.org) or visit our website: [www.fairfieldpcusa.org](http://www.fairfieldpcusa.org)

### **PRAYER CONCERNS**

Janice Baily  
Jack & Lori Briel's friend, Brenda  
Linda Canyock  
Becky Clark  
Danny Couch  
Fran Hansbrough  
Terri Joyce's family member, Jude

Sue Putze  
Barbara Wash  
Herta Wenninger  
Tracy Young  
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 the bulletin for 3 weeks, unless we receive updates.**

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Shelly Melby, Ben & Madison Ullman to the Glory of God and memory of Elmer & Wanda Ullman.*

**Infant/Toddler:** McKenna Blue & Anne Young

**Next Week:** Nikki Glass & Barbara vanSteenburgh

**Our liturgists** this Sunday will be **Grayson Palmore** (9:00am) & **Anne Young** (11:00am). Thank you both!

**TODAY is Rally Day!** Join us from 10:00am - 10:45am in the Heritage Hall for food, coffee, music, fellowship, and learn about ways you and your family can get involved and grow closer to God and one another the Sunday School year!

**MCEF Collection is today.** If you would like to make a monetary donation, please write MCEF in the memo part of your check and mark it on the offering envelope as well. Thank you.

**The Adult Open Door Class** has one more class on the Parables. It will be Matthew 21: 28-32; two sons.

**Join us tonight for the All Church Night Adult Program.** Hanover Safe Place will be sharing information about their mission of preventing sexual and domestic violence, providing services to those affected, and creating community awareness for support and services. If you have ever wondered how you can help those in our community, here is your chance. Join us in the Heritage Hall at 4:30pm for the program and a light dinner at 5:30pm for adults and youth.

**Men of the Church** it time to meet again. Join us on **Tuesday, September 9**, beginning at 7:00am at Cracker Barrel Restaurant on Bell Creek Road. Bring your ideas for what you would like to see the Men of the Church accomplish. All men are welcome.

**The Fellowship Circle** will begin on **Tuesday, September 9** at 10:00am in the Open Door Classroom. Everyone is welcome to attend. This year we will be studying James, John, Peter and Jude.

**The Joyful Readers Circle** will start back on **Tuesday, September 9**, 7:00pm in the Heritage Hall. They will be discussing the book "The Tinderbox" by Beverly Lewis. Our leader will be Donna Horn. All women are invited to join or visit!

**October 12th Combined Service and Luncheon RSVP** We will have one worship service on October 12th at 10:30am in the Family Center. Stay afterwards for a luncheon to celebrate Steve's retirement. The main course will be provided, you are welcome to bring a side (vegetable, salad or dessert). Gifts for Steve may be given to the church earmarked as "Love Gift." RSVP for the luncheon via the Sunday bulletin insert, contacting the church office, or via this link: <https://forms.gle/f69aSX7qrytqxs4J7>.

**Flowers** - there are still openings on the flower calendar for this year. If you have not done so already, please sign up to give flowers to someone special or in memory of a loved one.

**Reminder:** There are many many church events and community events taking place here at the church. We ask you to check the church calendar and 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](http://www.fairfieldpcusa.org).

***The deadline for bulletin items is Wednesday, 12:00pm.***

### **THIS WEEK'S CHURCH MEETINGS & EVENTS**

<b>Sept. 7</b>	Contemporary Worship Service (Family Center)	9:00am
	Rally Day for Sunday Schools (Heritage Hall)	10:00am
	Traditional Worship Service (Sanctuary)	11:00am
	New Beginnings Church Worship Service (FC)	11:00am - 12:00pm
<b>Sept. 8</b>	Classical Conversations	8:00 - 4:00pm
	Pickleball (Family Center)	5:30-7:30pm
	AA Meeting (#29)	6:00-8:00pm
<b>Sept. 9</b>	Men's Breakfast (Cracker Barrel Rest.)	7:00am
	Fellowship Circle (#20)	10:00am
	Pickleball (Family Center)	11:00pm - 1:00pm
	Challenge Pickleball (FC)	5:30-8:00pm
	NBC Choir Practice (14)	5:30-6:30pm
	Joyful Readers Circle (Heritage Hall)	7:00pm
<b>Sept. 10</b>	Pickleball (FC)	5:30-7:30pm
	Fairfield Ringers Practice (sanctuary)	7:00pm
	Praise Band Practice (Family Center)	8:00pm
<b>Sept. 11</b>	Pickleball (Family Center)	11:00am - 1:00pm
	Civil Air Patrol (Family Center)	6:30-9:30pm
	Adult Choir Practice (sanctuary)	7:00pm
	Security Team Meeting (#26)	7:00pm