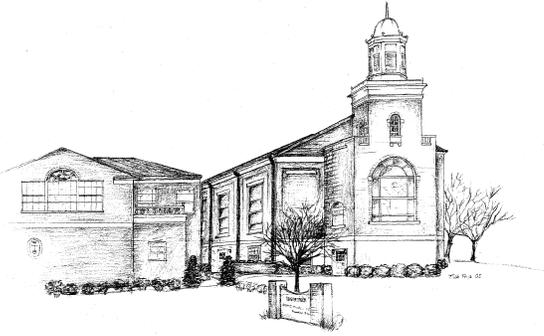


DAVID'S DATELINE
JUNE 2014 Newsletter



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Acting Associate Pastor Bev Jenkins

CHURCH HAPPENINGS

June 3 – Bazaar Idea Day

June 8 – Strengthen The Church Offering

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June 25 – Summer Picnic at Krichbaum's

June 30 – Trinity Birthday Party

July 20-24 – Vacation Bible School

From the Pastor's Desk...

Well, it's nothing like what happened to Rip Van Winkle, but time seems to be flying by me. You'll remember that Ol' Rip snuck off into the mountains for a nap and woke up and the world had changed, his kids were grown, and he'd gotten old, sleeping through the very prime of his life. Well, it's nothing like that.

Still, time seems to be unwinding frightfully fast. It feels like just a few weeks ago when it was still winter, and Susie and I were trying to sort out all our summer travel issues – John's music & SIGNS youth trips, our trip to Maine with Marian to celebrate her 70th Birthday, and then the church related things, the continuing education week at Festival of Homiletics, the week long trip to Memphis & St. Louis with the Confirmation Pilgrimage, and then of course my trip to Rubate, Kenya with the SONKA group. But before you know it, the preaching conference is already behind us, I'm putting finishing plans together for the Pilgrimage and we're less than a month from the trip to Africa and the church's mission partners there. It all can seem to go by too fast.

In addition, there's been recent losses that force one to think a bit about life and death, and the meaning we're intended to find in the day to day experiences of our human existence. We're used to our oldest friends and loved ones passing over from the life that we share here in the so-called "mortal coil" into a life with God that we hope follows death. We don't like it, we mourn and grieve their passing, but it follows a certain plan, and none of us want them to linger only to suffer. Today a curious caller asked me what I believe happens after death, as if I as a pastor must know the answer to a question that has filled folk with wonder from the moment the human race began to consider what it means to have a soul with an eternal longing. Confronted with this question, my standard response is that I believe that in the end God gathers us all into God's loving care. If that sounds a bit vague, well, we really don't know do we? But death comes, and we want to trust Jesus' words that "I go to prepare a place for you." We don't like death one bit, but when it follows what we perceive to be the natural order of things, we find ways to make sense of it.

But lately we've had some reminders that it doesn't always work out that way. When a parent loses a child, even when that parent is elderly and the child has grown children of their own, this goes against our sense of the right order of things. And lately, Susan and I have noticed in our advanced age of mid-50's (she's three years younger, don't forget that), that we're losing people around us who are our age, to cancer, heart-disease and other ailments. These are folk who are dying too young, of course, but there is nothing sadder than the death of a young person, a child, someone who's not had the chance to grow and even find out who they are, who they might be. Taken too soon, too young. At those times, we don't know what to say, nothing we might say seems to make sense or seem helpful. When this does happen, when death breaks in where we least expect it and most want to avoid it, all we can do is pray for peace, healing and understanding, and walk with compassion beside those who may indeed stay in the valley of the shadow of death for many years to come.

Of course, everything is relative. When I was in my early years of ministry, I learned that lesson the hard way. Routinely, I'd wonder through on a Wednesday and say hello to the quilters of the congregation I served, and they would tell me of this friend or that who had died. I would ask, innocently enough, how old this person was, and learn that they were, say, 84. Now, in the biological gene pool that is my own family, where people rarely have lived beyond their 70s, that seemed like a pretty long, full life, and early on I might have even said that out loud. But as I listened to these wise, caring and often funny women, I learned in time to remain silent and count to three. Like clockwork, by the time I reached three, someone would have said, "that's young." And, in that room, it would have been, as many of them were in their late 80s, some in their 90s. While we are less able to imagine and cope with death's reality in the very young, without a doubt, it seems to always surprise us even in the elderly and infirm, there is something about being alive in this world that compels many of us to forget that death can be on the horizon.

Now if you've read this far, you're probably wondering why I'm writing about death and dying as we enter the season of summer, a time of vacations, beach reading, float trips, picnics and lively outdoor activities. It has been the loss experienced by some of our David's Church friends, and other folk in our community, that has brought this to mind, many of them too soon and too young, and also having folk near to us who are in hospice care and dying.

And then, having written most of this reflection yesterday, today we get the news of the death of poet and civil rights leader Maya Angelou at the age of 86. She authored "I Know Why the Caged Bird Sings," which chronicles her own life and the challenges of abuse, race and poverty and the courageous strength of the human spirit in the face of life's obstacles. One of her other great works is "I Wouldn't Take Nothing For My Journey Now," which drew its title from the great gospel song with these lyrics:

*Well, I started out travelin' for the Lord many years ago,
I've had a lot of heartache, I've met a lot of grief and woe.
But when I would stumble, then I would humble down,
And there I would say I wouldn't take nothing for my journey now.*

For Angelou, and many others, life's struggles and hardships have helped them to grow and define one's self. The obstacles have been a source of challenge that has brought out one's strengths and courage, one's creative capacities,

one's sense of purpose, so that when looking back even on the hardest paths they wouldn't trade what they learned, what they became for anything, even those most painful moments of loss.

Out of her hard experiences, Angelou shaped thoughts and words of encouragement and wisdom. Like these:

"I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."

"You may not control all the events that happen to you, but you can decide not to be reduced by them."

"My mission in life is not merely to survive, but to thrive; and to do so with some passion, some compassion, some humor, and some style."

"My great hope is to laugh as much as I cry; to get my work done and try to love somebody and have the courage to accept the love in return."

"Love recognizes no barriers. It jumps hurdles, leaps fences, penetrates walls to arrive at its destination full of hope."

"Nothing can dim the light which shines from within."

Each of us as humans, and as Christians, are bearers of that light, that hope. Surely death and loss are real, but we believe they are not the last word. Plus there is so much to live for, there is so much in life to experience, celebrate and enjoy. When we forget that life can be too short, when we take it for granted as a foregone conclusion, we may lose sight of the precious gift that each day is, of the special people that surround us with love and care, if we but look to see them and allow them in.

Life is indeed a gift, each day is an opportunity to live in loving connection with God, with each other, and with creation itself. When we encounter life's injustices, challenges and woes, each day is an opportunity to live in such a way that we make a difference for the better. This summer, this year, for the rest of this life that we share, let's not waste a moment... even if we're doing some tedious job, or cleaning up some unwanted mess, or sitting in some dark theater watching Godzilla stomp on cars and buildings, let us remember that life is a rich full pageant, a tapestry of experiences that will give us a chance to let our light shine.

Your pastor and friend,
Brian Q. Newcomb

Return of the "You Asked For It" Summer Sermons

For the last few years, Dr. Newcomb focused several of his sermons to respond to questions raised by members of the congregation. If you provide the questions or topics, he'll attempt to do it again this year, on the Sundays of July 20 & 27 and August 3. So, have a question or interest you'd like to hear Pastor Brian address in a sermon, send him a note or email (brian@davidsucc.org). Please include your name so he can clarify any questions, even though he promises to respect your confidentiality and not to mention your name to anyone. If there are no special issues or questions, Dr. Newcomb will return to the standard lectionary for those Sundays.

Strengthen the Church Offering on Pentecost Sunday

On Sunday, June 8 – we will be receiving the Strengthen the Church special mission offering of the United Church of Christ. This offering builds the UCC's future. It funds new congregations and renews existing ones. It supports programs for youth and young adults and nurtures current and future leaders. And it aids the God is Still Speaking Ministry to spread our message of inclusivity.

Directed to local Conferences, Local Church Ministries and the Stillspeaking Ministry, Strengthen the Church gifts help to create vibrant church communities of extravagant welcome. Did you know that 50% of your gift is directed by Local Church Ministries and the Stillspeaking Ministry to Spread the Love. Across the country ten Regional Women's Ministry Consultants, two per region, are dedicated to enhancing women's ministry programs in the local churches, Associations, and Conferences of the United Church of Christ by providing resources and support! And...Did you know that 50% of your gift is retained by Conferences for use within their Conference to Spread the Love.

Strengthen the Church offering envelopes will be available in the pews on Sunday, June 1, or you can mail a check to the church and indicate "Strengthen the Church" in your memo line.

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David's Church Picnics

There will be a Church Picnic on June 25 at Sue Krichbaum's home at 6:00 pm. There will be a sign-up sheet in the Narthex with directions to her home. The August 6 picnic is at the home of Lynn and Ralph Bender. Hosts provide the meat, drinks, and paper goods.

Please sign up to attend the picnics. Please bring a vegetable, salad, or dessert to share that will feed 10 to 12 people. This is a relaxing, multi-generational opportunity for fellowship.

June Birthday Party at Trinity

The Mission Board is hosting the party for June birthdays at Trinity Community on Monday, June 30 at 6:30 p.m.

To make this a special event we're asking for 20 pies instead of birthday cake. Please sign up in the narthex if you can contribute one. You can bring your pie to the kitchen at church on Sunday, June 29 or Monday, June 30 before 5:30 p.m.

We're also providing birthday bags for the June celebrants.

Please join us. We will start setting up at 6:00 p.m. for the party at 6:30 in the Great Room.

Betsy Keyes, Mission Board



Gateway

The Mission Board is looking for a few good leaders!! If you want to see David's outreach in action sign up to be a leader for Gateway one month and you will receive the sincere gratitude that these gentlemen pass on to us as we serve them. You help organize the packing up and serving of the meatloaf, green beans, mashed potatoes, salad and rolls that have been prepared by the congregation and in return you receive the satisfaction of sharing our good fortune with others.

Look for a sign up sheet in the Narthex for leaders beginning in August and going to the end of the year. If you have questions stop one of your Mission Board members, *Betsy Keyes, Jeff Baldwin, Bernie Wheeler, Sue Krichbaum, Cindy Combs, Anne Brown, or Addie Weaver.*

Keenagers

Fellowship Hall will again be filled with music - of a very different kind/genre - when Glenn Parks entertains our Keenagers on June 11. Mr. Parks is a 2012 Banjo Hall of Fame inductee who plays and sings Dixieland, Ragtime, Gospel, and music for all occasions. He plays in the Lower London Dixieland Band and the Kettering Banjo Society (with our very own Paul Dunlap). How fun is this going to be? And so to celebrate what is bound to be a toe-tapping occasion, we thought that some fun picnic food would be the perfect match. We're bringing on out fried chicken, potato salad, baked beans, watermelon (if it looks good) and drumsticks. Please do plan to come. Our guest is being sponsored by Kaaren and Paul Dunlap and by Marilyn and John Lusa - so nice.

Rummage Sale Coming Soon!

Have you started spring cleaning yet? Ready to donate good, clean, working items you just don't need anymore to the Rummage Sale?

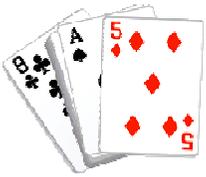
We know July 6 seems like a long time to wait to donate items you've decided you're ready to part with but every space is being used at David's on a daily/weekly basis so we kindly ask that you start a "Rummage Sale Corner" somewhere in your home until July 6. On the 6th and 13th of July, you can bring items between 8:30 and 11:30 a.m. During the week, items will be received in Fellowship Hall during church office hours - 9 to 5. Evening drop off times will be announced or call *Debbie McCoy* (299-9218). If you're going to be gone during the time donations are being received, please arrange for a friend or relative to bring your items to the church or arrange for them to call *Debbie McCoy* and arrange pick up. We will continue to receive donations till NOON on Wednesday, July 16 with the Annual Sale to be held Friday, July 18 and Saturday, July 19. Proceeds from this sale will go to Women's Activity Guild (WAG) who disperses funds for Mission Projects, Building Improvements, and more.

Soooo, if you've started spring cleaning, please start your "Rummage Sale Corner" at home in anticipation of JULY 6th! As always, it takes many hands to have a successful Rummage Sale so please consider volunteering!



Restaurant Fundraiser Thank You

Thanks from the Deacon Board for a successful restaurant fundraiser event. We raised \$171 from eating at Bob Evans and \$199 from eating at Ruby Tuesday. We are hoping to schedule another restaurant fundraising event in October.



Game Night at the Michel's

Attention all Gamers! From 7-10 p.m. on June 13 come to The Michel's for Game Night. Bring a snack, your favorite beverages, your favorite games, and be prepared to have fun playing board games or card games like euchre, double pinochle, or canasta.

Thank You Christian Educators

The Board of Christian Education would like to thank our teachers, shepherds, subs, and other key church school volunteers. Without our stellar teachers and shepherds, we could not offer the church school programming we do for 3 years old to confirmation.

Teachers & Shepherds: *Amy Askins, Karin Avila-John, Jeff Baldwin, Jill Blum, Jill Chabut, Heather Greene, Amy Hamm, Diane Herbst, Jim Hertel, Bobby Hughes, Tom Hughes, Anne Jones, Polli Leighty, Nancy Madden, Shawn Monk, Andy Storar, Pam Storar, Sherrill Weinberg, Becky Wierwille, Susan Winn, Cindy Wheeler*
Superintendent Extraordinaire: *Betsy Keyes*

Subs: *Tina Donovan, Judy Jones, Kathe Lindner, Kirsten Sherk, Claudia Stolz, Alice Stone, Jen Teeters, Amy Thompson, Chris Wood*

Children's Moment Presenters: *Amy Askins, Judy Jones, Nancy Madden, Debra Monk, Robyn Moore, Amy Thompson, Maureen Trost*

Nursery: *Katie Mahoney, Sydney Pence, Katie Wood*

If you would like to join this awesome team and help in the nursery or teach Sunday School this summer, please sign-up in the Narthex or contact a Christian Education Board member.

Bread for the World Letters

Thank you to all who wrote letters to our Congress about alleviating hunger so that all people might have a Place at the Table and we have begun to receive responses. We sent letters to: Senator Rob Portman, Senator Sherrod Brown, Representative Michael Turner, and Representative John Boehner. Each letter will make a difference in a person's life.

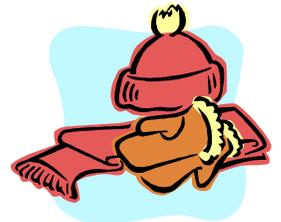
Thank you again.

Betsy Keyes

Mission Board and Adult Education

Warm Wishes

We are sorry for the delay in giving you this report of our progress for this past winter season. We had another record breaking year of giving our hats, scarves and mittens to the local homeless and needy. A total of 3499 men's, women's or children's items were donated; that is 204 more than last year. These items were delivered to St Paul's Church, House of Bread, Daybreak, Dayton Children's Hospital, North Dayton School of Discovery, Gateway, St Vincent, Gospel Mission, Artemis Center, Kettering's Greenmont Elementary School, Rosa Parks School and Shoes 4 the Shoeless. Many lives have been touched by your generosity and the tireless work of the Warm Wishes helpers.



The number of items produced only happens because of the support of the Mission Board and your giving to the church. We are a year long committee. We meet most every Monday 9:30 AM to noon to cut and sew our fleece. You can be a part of this group. You do not have to commit to every Monday, just when you can. You are allowed to be late or leave early. You can even sew at home. Not only do we cut and sew, we share, we laugh and we love. It is a caring group of both men and women that are open to have you join us.

You may contact *Nedral Gockel* at 416-4164 or *Roselyn Faulkner* at 433-8832 to learn more.

Prayer Chain

David's Church has a Prayer Chain of persons who will pray for individual and family needs through email. If you have a request for prayers, or would like to be added to the email list of people who pray for those in need, send an email to *Ruth Ann Morgan* at morcdmor@aol.com.

Bulletins for Shut-ins

Each Friday, we send a bulletin to those members who are unable to be with us for Sunday's worship service. If you or someone you know would like to receive the bulletin in the mail each week, please call the church office at 434-2131. We will happily add you to the list!

48 Years at Pike Lake

David's Church Campers were welcomed to Pike Lake May 16-18, 2014 with an absence of water as the State of Ohio reworks the spillway that was built in the 1930's. Despite some drizzle on Friday and one of the coolest Pike Lake weekends, the 57 adults and 22 youth (79) enjoyed a treasured get-away!

Saturday morning began with a hike around the Lake led by Matt Minter, park naturalist, who has been leading our hikes for 36 years. The Staff at Pike Lake State Park really went above and beyond this year by offering some new activities to replace our normal water activities! Johnnie Irvin, manager of the Park Store, offered a Scavenger Hunt and Word Scramble. Matt Minter continued the morning with Air Rifle Target Shooting and then the traditional Hayride.

After lunch a large gallery of fans was treated to a fun-filled wiffle ball game --a real classic--organized by Daryl Leighty, with two year olds to teenagers plus a few adults thrown in for good measure! Dennis Lee organized the Annual Cornhole Tournament with 12 teams of players taking part in an action-packed tourney. Once again, Andy Jones & Dennis Lee retained their championship status but honorably passed the crown to John & Rachel Barnett!

Later everyone gathered for dinner at the "Egypt Hollow" shelter and following a blessing by Debbie McCoy all enjoyed a magnificent potluck! After dinner, DJ Miss Amy spun tunes from the Bunny Hop and Hokey Pokey to the Electric Slide, Cupid Shuffle and Virginia Reel with a nice variety in between! At the close of the day, many gathered around the fire ring to enjoy S'mores with S'more building assistance provided by Polli and Becky Leighty.

Sunday worship was led by Bert & Judy Jones along with Donna, Cody, Raymond and Kayla Wright which wrapped up a wonderful weekend enhanced by the enthusiastic spirit and participation among good Christian friends at David's Church.

It's not too early to reserve your cabin for next year – May 15, 16, 17, 2015!!! We're told the water will be back! See or call *Kevin or Debbie McCoy* 299-9218.

Mission Partner - Daybreak

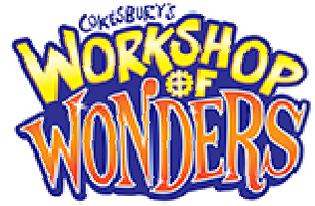
Your Mission Board is pleased to announce that for 2014 we have added Daybreak as a Mission Partner. Some background on Daybreak, their mission is to eliminate youth homelessness in the Miami Valley through comprehensive and results oriented programs that provide safety and stability for runaway, troubled and homeless youth. Daybreak's vision statement is, "A safe home for every child."

Daybreak provides programs that are age appropriate and comprehensive support services. Some of these programs are safe shelter, they operate the regions only emergency shelter, open 24/7 for youth ages 10 to 18. They provide outreach programs, such as street outreach which makes contact with more than 1,500 youth each year who are couch-hopping or living on the street. Their residential facility, Alma's Place, provides housing for youth 18 to 24 with a mental illness or cognitive delay that impedes their ability to live on their own. Daybreak's housing program is the region's only program designed to move homeless youth ages 18 to 21 out of homelessness, poverty, under-education, and crisis and into housing, financial independence, educational achievement, and self-sufficiency. Their employment program helps Daybreak youth develop the skills necessary to get and keep jobs, youth receive job assessment and job placement services, and work-readiness training is provided at Lindy & Company their gourmet pet treat bakery. Check out Lindy & Co. shop located in the Town & Country Shopping Center across from DeClark's.



Vacation Bible School

- This year David's UCC Vacation Bible School 's theme will be "Workshop of Wonders"
 - Where children will learn how to build there relationship with God.
 - VBS is open to all David's youth and to the community at large for any child Kindergarten through 5th grade.
 - We are encouraging our children to bring a new friend to VBS this year.
 - The dates are July 20th-24th. The time is 6:30PM-8:00PM
 - The children will receive snacks, play games, do crafts and hear bible stories and this year there will be a science lab.
 - They will also learn new and fun songs.
 - I will be putting together a poster and sign up sheet in the Narthex in the next couple of weeks.
 - Please fill out a registration form located at the VBS poster in the Narthex
 - Any adults interested in helping may also sign up in the Narthex at the VBS display.
- Thank you, *Steven Roark* and *Deb Monk*



Recycling Is Here At David's

The Trustees, working with Rumpke Waste and Recycling, are starting a Single Stream Recycling Program. Red recycling bins have been placed in the kitchen and church office. Also posted in the kitchen and office is an Acceptable/Unacceptable Materials List. As a church there are many activities that generate waste. Daily office and kitchen waste, Keenagers, receptions, Spaghetti Dinner, Pilgrim Feast, Gateway, just to name a few. The Trustees ask that if you or your organization hosts an activity here at David's, please become familiar with the Acceptable/Unacceptable list and appropriately recycle your waste into the Red Recycling bin or standard trash can. Let's make this a Recycling Win for David's Church. Questions can be directed to the Trustees or call *Dennis Lee* at 297-1815.

David's Bazaar Is For Service and Fellowship

Our Bazaar fellowship is a loosely organized group of members and friends who make items for our sale in November. We meet on Tuesdays around 10am in Fellowship Hall to plan and create our unique items while enjoying each other's company. The funds we raise at the Bazaar go to church maintenance and special projects. We invite everyone to participate whenever their schedule permits. Our projects may include crafting, sewing, knitting, baking, painting, or woodworking. Watch the Sunday bulletin for special workshops where we teach and produce one specific item.

Tuesday, June 3 at around 10:30am will be our Idea Day where people bring examples, photos, instructions, etc to give us inspiration for projects for this year's Bazaar. We especially invite you to come and share your ideas and expertise with us, or just get a special preview of what you'll be seeing at this year's Bazaar.

And we invite you to join our email list to stay informed of what our group is up to. Just write your email on Bazaar list in the Narthex.

Jewish Cultural Festival 2014 Sunday, June 8 • Noon to 6:30 p.m.

Temple Israel will celebrate its fourth Jewish Cultural Festival on Sunday, June 8, 2014 from Noon to 6:30 p.m.. We invite the community—both Jewish and non-Jewish—to share our traditions and learn about us and our faith.

Come and enjoy the music and stories, learn about Judaism, taste some of our favorite foods, play games, shop for artwork and crafts, dance and laugh. We invite you to enjoy a beautiful summer afternoon, tour our synagogue, explore our faith, and have fun. For more information visit <http://tidayton.org/festival/>.



Altar Flowers

Altar flowers (\$20 per vase) are available for June 8, 15 and 29, as well as other opening throughout the year. You may order flower arrangements for the altar to honor or remember a special someone in your life or to celebrate a special occasion. Your message will be printed in the Sunday bulletin. Call the church office, 434-2131, to order.

Use of Church Tables & Chairs

It is that time of year when we get many inquiries about borrowing the table and chairs from the Church for use with your family parties, garage sales, etc. It is true that the Church, in recent years, allowed members to borrow our tables and chairs, however, on occasion they have been returned to us damaged, dirty, and broken.

The Church policy is that no tables and chairs are allowed to be borrowed from the Church or the Grove for use that removes them from those facilities.

We hope that you understand the need to maintain our facilities for Church use.

Chris Wood

Feed Your Spirit

Did you know that you can find many resources through the United Church of Christ to Feed Your Spirit during the busy vacation times you may be away this summer? The United Church of Christ offers on-line daily devotionals, weekly Bible studies, Praying the News, Peek, Ponder, Pray, and Spiritual Practices. These can all be found at their website at <http://www.ucc.org/feed-your-spirit/>, and on their Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/UnitedChurchofChrist>.

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Grandview and Southview hospitals are looking for warm and caring volunteers to assist our patients and staff. Put your talents and heart to work in any of the following capacities:

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- Playing music for patients
- Visiting lonely patients
- Landscaping
- Assisting nurses



You'll find you'll get more back than you give!
Call *Rebecca Rine*, Manager of Volunteer Services 937-723-3284

June Birthdays

- 3 Ian Vest
- 4 Norma Jean Hendricks
Deb Barnett
- 5 Pat Titcombe
Jack Bishop
- 6 John Lusa
- 8 Anne Hamm
- 9 Richard Smith
- 10 Lu Ann Stanley
Emily Zimmer
Luke Heiner
- 11 Marilyn Lusa
Jacquie Housel
Mark Miller
- 12 Kayla Johnson
Colin Stachler
- 13 Tyler Hess
- 14 George Ford
- 15 Janet Marks
Emily Schlise
- 16 Mike Pence
- 18 Sharon Shaneyfelt



- 19 Brad Jordan
Mary Sue Kessler
- 20 Ken Hopkins
- 21 Anna Tate
Justin Patmon
Jered Pritchett
- 22 Georgeene Hale
Mike Cryst
Andrew Randall
- 23 Miriam Maue
Jean Blum
Steve Hopkins
Cindy Hess
- 24 Jim Lewis
John Barnett
Sally Brookins
Linda Deitz
- 25 Shawn Monk
Kathy Hamilton
- 26 Nedral Gockel
- 27 Sherry Atkinson
- 28 Casey Stolz
- 29 Megan Kaloukian
- 30 Doug Thornton
Ben Roess

Deaths

Our sympathy to *JoAnn Bambauer & Jill Shaffner and Becky Wierwille and family* in the loss of JoAnn's brother and Becky's uncle, **Steven Bambauer**, on May 5, 2014.

Our sympathy to our Sunday morning special musician, *Deb Powers and family*, in the loss of husband and father, **Peter Powers**, on May 17, 2013.

Our sympathy to *Carolyn & Bob Brethen and family* in the loss of Carolyn's son, **Andrew McKay**, on May 18, 2014.

Our sympathy to *George & Linda Ford and family* in the loss of George's sisters, **Mary Ellen Harris & Rev. Carole Ford Johnson**, on May 19, 2014.

Golf Outing

Our first golf outing of the will be held Sunday, July 13, at Community Golf Course (inside). Tee times will start at 12:30 p.m. Look for a sign-up, soon, in the Narthex.

Don't miss out on the fun! Any questions? Contact *Paul & Kaaren Dunlap*, 433-0665.

The Big Yellow Book

We understand that Sunday mornings are a great time for you to speak with the pastors and the church staff about things you may need from them, however, it is very difficult to remember every request that comes through the greeting line or while having coffee in Fellowship Hall. Help us to help you by writing down your questions/requests in the Big Yellow Book located below the pastor's pictures in the Narthex. We review the book the Monday following the Sunday service.

Communion Change

For simplicity sake, only grape juice will be served for communion during June, July, and August. The September Dateline will include a survey to determine if we should continue with this practice.



Pike Lake Pictures

Did you take any pictures at Pike Lake this year that you are willing to share? We are looking for pictures to add to our website and Facebook pages. Please email them to *Chris Wood* at chriswood@davidsucc.org.

<u>SUNDAY</u>	<u>MONDAY</u>	<u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>	<u>SATURDAY</u>
1 8:30 & 9:50 AM Worship Serving at Gateway 7:00 PM Book Study	2 9:30 AM Warm Wishes 6:00 PM Yoga	3 9:30 AM Quilting 10:30 AM Staff Mtg. 10:30 AM Bazaar Idea Day 6:30, 7:00 & 7:30 PM Board Meetings	4 6:00 PM Yoga	5 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Knitters	6	7
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CONFIRMATION PILGRIMAGE TO MEMPHIS AND ST. LOUIS						
<i>PENTECOST</i>						
15 8:30 & 9:50 AM Worship 7:00 PM Book Study Food & Clothing Outreach	16 9:30 AM Warm Wishes 10:30 AM Staff Mtg. 6:00 PM Yoga 6:00 PM Adult Ed Board Meeting	17 9:30 AM Quilting 10:30 AM SONKA COP Meeting 7:00 PM Council Meeting	18 6:00 PM Yoga	19 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Knitters	20	21 8:00 AM Men's Breakfast @ Bob Evans
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<i>FATHER'S DAY</i>						
22 8:30 & 9:50 AM Worship 7:00 PM Book Study	23 9:30 AM Warm Wishes 10:30 AM Staff Mtg. 6:00 PM Yoga	24 9:30 AM Quilting	25 6:00 PM Yoga 6:00 PM Picnic at Krichbaum's	26 11:00 AM-1:00 PM Knitters	27	28
29 8:30 & 9:50 AM Worship 7:00 PM Book Study	30 9:30 AM Warm Wishes 10:30 AM Staff Mtg. 6:00 PM Yoga 6:30 PM Birthday Party @ Trinity					

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