



Fairfield Good News

KNOWING HIM AND MAKING HIM KNOWN

June 2019

Upcoming June Events

June 3

Consistory Meeting

June 9

Pentecost Sunday
Communion Service

June 13

Eveready "Tea"
Bible Study

June 16

Fathers' Day

June 21

First Day Summer

From the desk of Pastor Scott:

"When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place. And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. And divided tongues as of fire appeared to them and rested on each one of them. And they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit gave them utterance.

Now there were dwelling in Jerusalem Jews, devout men from every nation under heaven. And at this sound the multitude came together, and they were bewildered, because each one was hearing them speak in his own language. And they were amazed and astonished, saying, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us in his own native language? Parthians and Medes and Elamites and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabians—we hear them telling in our own tongues the mighty works of God." And all were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?" (Acts 2:1-12)



With a mighty rushing wind and tongues of fire the church comes into being. That is the reality of Pentecost. Almost 2,000 years ago, the

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Holy Spirit fell upon 120 men and women huddled in an upper room in Jerusalem and turned the world upside down. We are the spiritual descendants of those first believers. We are the church, a group whose charter was written by God in eternity, whose founder, Jesus Christ, died and rose again that we might have new life, and whose fellowship is selected by the Spirit from the rank and file of sinful humanity.

On Pentecost we celebrate. Pentecost is our birthday. We are the church. Mindful that: "The church is not a building. The church is not a steeple. The church is not a resting place. The church is the people!" People foreordained by God to be His chosen possession. People cleansed by Jesus' blood. People renewed and recreated by the Holy Spirit. People called by divine appointment to fulfill the Great Commission that all the world may know. A people on the journey to eternity. United with all who have gone before and all who will follow. A people in time and space, yet looking for that time when we will transcend both. This and much more is what it means to be the church. Celebrate that Good News!



12 Gary Morganland
19 Roberta Vega
28 Laura Safar



June 21 Jim & Betty Gwinn
June 28 Ron & Barbara Watterston

REMINDER: Our church is assessed a membership fee of \$87 per member. If you wish to reimburse the church for your membership assessment, please put it in offering plate, marked Classis Assessment and your envelope number.

What kind of person was Boaz before he got married?

Ruthless!

Have a good idea for a Fellowship event? Tell a deacon!

Which servant of God was the worst lawbreaker in the Bible?

Moses. He broke all 10 commandments at once.

June 2019

Sun

Mon




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Wed

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Fri

Sat

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2 Noon Coffee Hr. 1:00 Worship	3 Consistory Meeting 	4	5	6	7	8 Callers 9:00 to Noon
9 Pentecost Sunday Noon Coffee Hr. 1:00 Communion Service	10	11	12	13 Eveready Victorian Tea Bible Study 	14	15
16 Fathers' Day Noon Coffee Hr. 1:00 Worship	17 	18	19	20	21 First Day of Summer	22
23 Noon Coffee Hr. 1:00 Worship	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 Noon Coffee Hr. 1:00 Worship						

Saturday, June 8 8:30 to noon

The "Callers" will be using Fellowship Hall for their quarterly meeting.

June 9

Pentecost Sunday

Communion Worship Service



The donation jar for Samaritan's Purse to benefit the tornado victims in Alabama will only be in the narthex until Pentecost Sunday.



Thursday, June 13

The Eveready Circle is planning a trip to the

20 Old Newark Pompton Turnpike

Wayne, NJ 07470

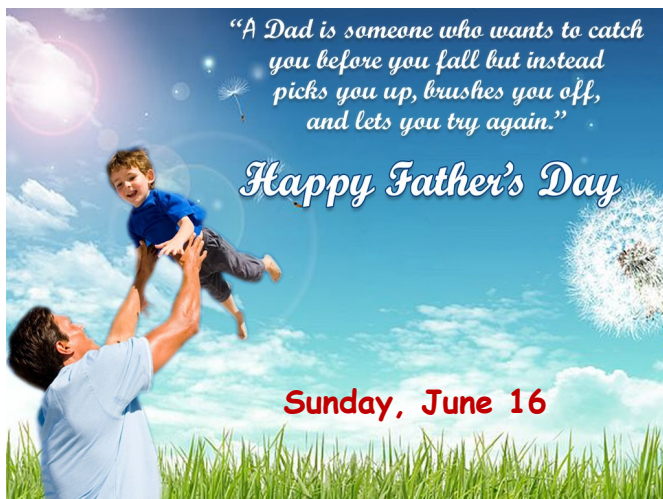
ALL WOMEN OF THE CHURCH ARE INVITED!

We will meet at the church at 5 pm to carpool to the teahouse.

If you plan to attend let Edith know so she can make the reservations.

The food is prepared fresh in their kitchen; they also serve gluten free foods.

AND there is a gift shop where you can shop for items to take home.



"Train up a child in the way he should go—but be sure you go that way yourself."

Charles Spurgeon

"My father didn't tell me how to live; he lived, and let me watch him do it."

Clarence Budington Kelland

"A man ought to live so that everybody knows he is a Christian...and most of all, his family ought to know."

Dwight L. Moody



is having a "GOLF SHOOT-OUT" fund raiser on June 17th.

Mike Mykowski, a former member of FRC is going to play 100 holes of golf at the Shoot-Out for First Choice Women's Resource Center.

You can sponsor Mike for .50 cents, \$1.00, \$2.00 or \$5.00 per hole.

Click [here](#) to sponsor Mike and donate to First Choice.

~~~Mike and First Choice thank all who help raise funds~~~



This year the first day of summer (summer solstice) will occur on Friday, June 21, at 11:54 a.m. EDT.



In the Northern Hemisphere the summer solstice occurs when the sun reaches both its highest and northernmost points in the sky. The sun appears to stop moving in the sky as it reaches its northern most point, then it appears to reverse course and head back in the opposite direction.

Bible Study has been held on Thursday evenings at 7 PM for a couple of weeks and we've had a good turnout. BUT some have said another night would be better for them. It is being considered to either continue on Thursday evenings or change the Bible Study to Wednesday evenings. Watch for further updates.

The study meets every 2nd and 4th weeks of the month. All are welcome!

Getting to know you, getting to know all about you...

In order to know our FRC brothers/sisters even better, each month there will be a clue about someone in our congregation. Can you guess who this is?

At a young age this person patted his/her teacher's "butt" and was sent to the principal's office.



CRYPTOQUOTE:

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ohhtbvkie, she zib thi ta bri ltwb qsposepi swwibw
vh ton wtkvibz. cvppz unsrsl

Each letter represents another letter. Can you figure it out?



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