

Announcements for Sunday, June 22, 2014

New Announcements

This morning's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Bill Ritchey by his family. A memorial service for Bill was held here at Faith yesterday. Please keep Bill's family in your prayers.

The Faith Midweek Intergenerational "Like Living Stones" Program is this Wednesday, June 25th, at the Upper Highland Picnic Area at the Euclid Creek Reservation (off Highland Road), in Euclid. Bring your own dinner at 6:00 p.m., and the program starts at 6:35 p.m. Stones? Living? Join members and friends of Faith Church as we explore biblical stones and stone metaphors. Who is the Rock of your salvation? At Faith UCC, we learn together with activities for the entire group, as well as options for younger folks.

Join us after church on July 13th for a birthday potluck lunch to celebrate birthdays in June, July, and August (including Bill Polkon's 99th!). The church will provide meat, bread, and drink to go with your side dishes. **Please sign up opposite the kitchen by July 7th** so we know how much food to prepare. The pastor will be happy to answer any questions.

Greenwood Farm Junk in the Trunk Community Garage Sale: On Saturday, July 12th, from 9:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m., the Greenwood Farm Historical, Cultural and Arts Assoc., Inc. is sponsoring the **Fifth Annual Junk in the Trunk Community Garage Sale** at the Farm (264 Richmond Road). Fill your car with household "treasures" that are no longer used or needed and sell them at the Farm. Cost per space is \$30.00. Spaces are approximately 10 feet x 10 feet. Browsers/Shoppers - FREE ADMISSION - Though a \$3.00 per car donation is gladly accepted. All proceeds benefit Greenwood Farm renovations. Registration forms are available at Richmond Heights City Hall or online at www.greenwoodfarmassn.org. Registrations will close at 60 vendors.

We are in need of plants for the Preschool entrance: To have the young children touch, smell, and feel the plants as they enter and exit the lower door this fall is a project that is being worked on. If you have any questions about this please see Phyllis Huston.

Previous Announcements

Strengthen the Church Offering: Thanks to everyone who contributed to our Special Mission Offering of Strengthen the Church on June 8th. The total amount that has been received so far is \$216.00. At approximately this time last year the amount we had received was \$194.00.

Join us for Pride! Faith will again have a tent and table at the Gay Pride Festival this year to be held this Saturday, June 28th. It will be at Voinovich Park, located at the end of East Ninth Street behind the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame. We are looking for volunteers to staff our table and hand out information on Faith and the UCC from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Please sign-up on the sheet across from the kitchen. For anybody who has ever "worked" our table at the Festival, you know it's a really fun time.

PORTRAITS OF HOMELESSNESS: Portraits of Homelessness, featuring 47 photographs and stories of residents from Lutheran Metropolitan Ministry's Men's Shelter in Cleveland, will be on display at Messiah Lutheran Church from June 3 through June 30, 2014. While on staff at the shelter, Lydia Bailey wrote the stories and took the photographs of those who pass through the shelter. Bailey's intent is to bring the experiences of the men to life thereby raising awareness about homelessness. The collection has traveled throughout our region, including Columbus, OH and Washington, DC since 2010. Messiah Lutheran is open 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, except for Wednesdays.